



24th

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever wishes to come after me must
deny himself, take up his cross, and
follow me." - Mk 8:34b

HOLY SPIRIT/ ST. EDWARD

Sept. 12th, 2021

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Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday September 12	9:00 a.m., Mass, Holy Spirit Dorothy & Edmund Baker 10:45 a.m., Mass, St. Edward Charlie Taylor <i>Noon, 40 hr Adoration, St. Edward</i>
Monday September 13	<i>5:00 p.m., Adoration, Holy Spirit</i> 6:00 p.m., Mass, Holy Spirit Eldon Gammell <i>Adoration, St. Edward</i>
Tuesday September 14	<i>Adoration, St. Edward</i> 9:00 a.m., Mass, St. Edward Ruthanna Falk 6:00 p.m., Mass, Holy Spirit Living & Deceased CD of A Members
Wednesday September 15	9:15 a.m., Mass, St. Malachy School Aaron Mansour
Thursday September 16	No Mass
Friday September 17	9:00 a.m., Mass, Holy Spirit Kathy Meyer
Saturday September 18	<i>No confessions</i> 4:00 p.m., Mass, Holy Spirit Recording Mass Mass Intention: For the people
Sunday September 19	7:00 a.m. YouTube Premiere <i>Confessions 8:15 a.m., Holy Spirit</i> 9:00 a.m., Mass, Holy Spirit James Kosman 10:45 a.m., Mass, St. Edward Living members of James & Margaret Brosnahan Family

10 Benefits of Eucharist Adoration

- #1 Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it is recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity! (Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta)
- #2 The spiritual lives of our families are strengthened through our Holy Hour. (Saint John Paul II)
- #3 Perpetual Adoration extends its influence far beyond the individual adorers, touching their homes and families and reaching out to the parish community and beyond. (Pope Paul VI)
- #4 A Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration is a sharing in the work of Redemption. (Archbishop Fulton Sheen)
- #5 A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory. (St. Padre Pio)
- #6 Our Lord is hidden there in the Blessed Sacrament, waiting for us to come and visit Him, and make our request to Him. (St. John Vianney)
- #7 The Eucharist bathes the tormented soul in light and love. Then the soul appreciates these words, 'Come all you who are sick, I will restore your health'. (St. Bernadette Soubirous)
- #8 We should build the whole edifice of our spiritual life around Adoration. We should not hesitate to ask Him to work miracles, now as He did in Palestine. (Fr. John Hardon)
- #9 I beg you to show the greatest possible reverence for the Eucharist through whom all things have been brought to peace and reconciled with Almighty God. (St. Francis of Assisi)
- 10# A Holy Hour before the Most Blessed Sacrament so pleases the Heart of Jesus, that every man, woman, and child on earth receives a new effect of God's graces. (St. Faustina)

On Sept. 18, Mass is at 4 p.m. !



Today is the diocesan-wide Special Collection for Seminarians. Formation of a priestly vocation is a commitment of deep prayer and financial support on the part of the entire faith community and each seminarian. Our priests are called by God to be men of communion. As men of communion, Christ is the sustaining force for these men along with the people to whom they minister. Our support as a community will help with tuition, room and board, healthcare and other needs related to inviting men to consider priesthood. Every gift, regardless of the size, is vital and we thank you for your generosity. Gifts may also be made online at dmdio-giving.org or returned directly to the diocese.

Thank you to all who donated to the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth. We raised \$1,486.01 from both parishes.

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Director of Religious Education: Barb Hudson, 641-202-2064 bhudson@iowatelecom.net
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ADDRESSES

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St. Edward Church, 104 W. Union Street, Afton
Holy Spirit Church, 107 W. Howard Street, Creston
St. Malachy School, 403 W. Clark Street, Creston

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Call the parish office.
Reconciliation: Before Mass Holy Spirit Church, 4:15 p.m. on Saturdays and 8:15 a.m. on Sundays
Marriage Preparation: Contact the priest at least six months before making marriage plans.
Newcomers: Call the parish office to register.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

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HOLY SPIRIT PARISH MINISTRY SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTORS	ROSARY	MONEY COUNTERS	MUSICIAN/CANTOR	EUCARIST MINISTER
Saturday Sept 11 5:00 pm	Alice Reed			Linda Taylor Dan Gibbons	Alice Reed
Sunday Sept 12 9:00am	Dottie Dunphy	Bob Jansen	Karin Fremi Elaine Haines	Rachel Ramaeker Dan Gibbons	1 Volunteer
Saturday Sept 18 4:00 pm	Linda Hartsock			Kyle Huck Jolene Griffith	1 Volunteer
Sunday Sept 19 9:00am	Mary Sid McDonald	Ted Willets	Scott Coen Ryan Mohr Paul Varner	Janet Schulte Jolene Griffith	1 Volunteer

ST. EDWARD MINISTRY SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	MONEY COUNTERS	SACRISTAN(S)
Sunday, September 12	Randy Pettit	Ellie Fry	Parish Council Member & Eric Ripperger	Sheila Brown
Sunday, September 19	Shari Heisdorffer	Darren Moore	Parish Council Member & Sheila Brown	Sheila Brown

Ministry Helpers: Please be at church 10 minutes before Mass begins. If you cannot be there, please find a substitute. The monthly ministry schedule was emailed out. If you didn't get an email please check your spam or contact Michelle to update your email address!

Do you want to help? It is time to start scheduling Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (E.M.H.C.) at both Holy Spirit and St. Edward. We will be only scheduling one minister on Saturday and one minister on Sunday. Please contact Michelle at the Parish Office if you would like to serve in this ministry at Holy Spirit and please contact Sheila Brown at St. Edward.



Sincere Sympathy Please pray for the eternal rest for Vera Giza. May God grant His blessing and peace in the hearts of her family.

Holy Spirit Religious Education

- First Reconciliation parent meeting will be Sunday Sept. 12 after the 9:00 AM Mass. Information will be sent home soon.
- High School Freshman and Sophomore Confirmation classes will be on Sept. 15 at St. Malachy School. Social starts at 6:45 PM for Freshman classes and Sophomores classes start at 7 PM.
- If anyone is interested in helping in anyway with building the faith of our parish young people please contact Barb Hudson 641-202-2064.

3 Events in 1 weekend!

- Everyone is welcome to join for fellowship and donuts on Donut Sunday, Sept. 19 after 9 am Mass at Holy Spirit Hall.
- This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on Sept. 19 under the theme of "Say the Word and My Soul Shall Be Healed." On this day, catechists are formally commissioned for ministry to the community. Fr. Adam will be giving a blessing to all Catechists Sept. 18/19 after Mass.
- Everyone is welcome for fun and entertainment at the Holy Spirit Block Party Sept. 18 starting 3 pm with family games, followed by a great meal at 5 pm and live music at 6:30 pm. More details in the bulletin.

St. Edward Religious Education

- Classes start on Sept. 22 from 6:15 to 7:30 PM. Catechesis of the Good Shepherd classes will be offered for students 3-12 yrs. olds and Traditional classes for 7th/8th Grade.
- We are in need of volunteers/parents to monitor kids before & after classes, make materials, and possibly help out as an assistant in classes. Can you help one Wednesday a month? Please contact Ellie Fry at 641-202-6657.
- Do you need service hours for high school and/or confirmation? Come to St. Edward's Rectory on Sept. 15 at 6:15 PM.

ST. EDWARD - GIFTS TO GOD

Weekly tithes needed \$ 890

Sept. 5th Tithes Received

Envelope \$ 945
Online \$ 85

Tithes Needed YTD \$ 8,900

Tithes Received YTD \$ 8,666

HOLY SPIRIT - GIFTS TO GOD

Weekly tithes needed \$ 7,580

Sept. 5th Tithes Received

Envelope \$ 6,800
Online \$ 415

Tithes Needed YTD \$ 75,800

Tithes Received YTD \$ 76,063

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After the last year plus of pandemic life many of us are looking for a fresh start. Consider attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience. Upcoming dates and locations are October 22nd - 24th in Coralville, IA and November 19th-21st in Holstein, IA. Register at Iowa-wwme.org or call 563-608-3305.

AROUND OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY

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ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST



Question: What is Eucharistic Adoration?

Answer: The practice of Eucharistic Adoration is a centuries old ritual and falls within a broader category of devotions and rituals that are associated with the Sacrament of the Eucharist. In a particular way, Eucharistic Adoration is an extension of the

worship and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament that occurs in every Mass. In a long-standing practice, a period of Eucharistic Adoration often ends with "benediction," the blessing of the faith with the Blessed Sacrament. Several parishes throughout the United States have introduced the practice of perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, while other communities have the custom of shorter periods of Eucharistic Adoration. Care should always be taken that these periods of adoration respect the instructions outlined in Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside of Mass, the liturgical book that gives the instructions for the proper celebration of Eucharistic Adoration. Although adoration of the Blessed Sacrament can never take the place of Eucharistic Communion, many Catholics find great comfort and consolation in their prayers before the Eucharist enshrined in the tabernacle or when it is exposed in the monstrance (both are equally valid, as the Christ is not more present in one than in the other). But when we consider our Eucharistic devotions, it is always important to remember the fundamental connection these acts of devotion have the celebration of the Eucharist in the Mass and reception of Christ in Communion.^{CLPI}

40 hrs. of Adoration Sept 12-14: The 1st 40 hr Adoration will be held at St. Edward on Sunday, Sept. 12 starting at noon and going to 9 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 14. People have signed up for specific time slots. Please enter at the front door. Please do not leave the Eucharist unattended. If someone doesn't show up, there will be a call list at the back of the church to call the next person. Even if you didn't sign up for a specific time, all are welcome to adore Jesus throughout the day or evening.



Come learn more about CD of A: Meetings are held 2nd Tuesdays of the month. The 1st meeting will be on Sept. 14. Mass will be at 6 p.m. at Holy Spirit, followed by a meal at 6:30 p.m. in the basement. After the meal, there will be a program and a short meeting. Also over the next week, CD of A will be selling 40 mums for \$20 each. Please contact Anita Studer (641-344-1435) or Teresa Weis (641-344-1064) if you would like one.

September Calendar

- ⇒ Sept. 10-11, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Training Level 1, St. Edward
- ⇒ Sept. 12, Holy Spirit First Reconciliation Parent meeting, after 9AM Mass
- ⇒ Sept. 12-14, 40 hrs. of Adoration, St. Edward
- ⇒ Sept. 14, CD of A meeting, 6:30 PM, Holy Spirit Hall
- ⇒ Sept. 15, Freshman & Sophomore Confirmation classes start
- ⇒ Sept 18, Block Party, 3PM-8PM, St. Malachy school court yard and street.
- ⇒ Sept. 19, Donut Sunday & Catechist Sunday, Holy Spirit Church
- ⇒ Sept. 19, St. Edward Parish Council meeting, after Mass
- ⇒ Sept. 20, Holy Spirit Finance meeting, 6:30 PM, Holy Spirit Hall
- ⇒ Sept. 21, Holy Spirit Parish Council meeting, 6:30 PM, Holy Spirit Hall
- ⇒ Sept. 27, Knights Officer Meeting, 7PM, Holy Spirit Hall
- ⇒ Sept. 28, School Board Meeting, 5:30 PM, School
- ⇒ Sept. 28, Crest Area for LIFE meeting, 7 PM, Holy Spirit Hall

The calendar of events can be found at www.uccat.org



Event: Holy Spirit Block Party

Date and Time: Saturday, September 18, 2021
3:00-5:00 p.m. family games; 5:00-7:00 p.m. meal served; 6:30-8:00 p.m. live music

Location: St. Malachy School 403 W. Clark St. Creston, Iowa 50801

Contact: Kelsey Bailey 515-460-0496

Ticket Purchases -

A letter will be mailed out to you, if you don't get one there will be extras at the back of the church. To prepay your tickets (\$10/ticket) (children 4 and under free) or to make a donation please cut the bottom portion of the letter with your payment and return to the parish office or place in the collection plate at Mass. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the door. Online registration is available at www.uccat.org. If you have questions regarding the Holy Spirit Block Party, please contact Kelsey Bailey, 515-460-0496. We look forward to a fun-filled event Blessings, Holy Spirit Food Fair Committee

ReRun Store Hours

Tuesday: Noon-5:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m.- Noon

Phone: 641-202-4488
Mondays are Donation Days
(8 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.)

308 W. Union St., Creston, IA
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Congratulations to Kate and Quinn, daughters of Taylor and Jessie McClellan, who were baptized in the Lord at Holy Spirit. Also congratulations to Paul Jordan who joined the Catholic Faith!