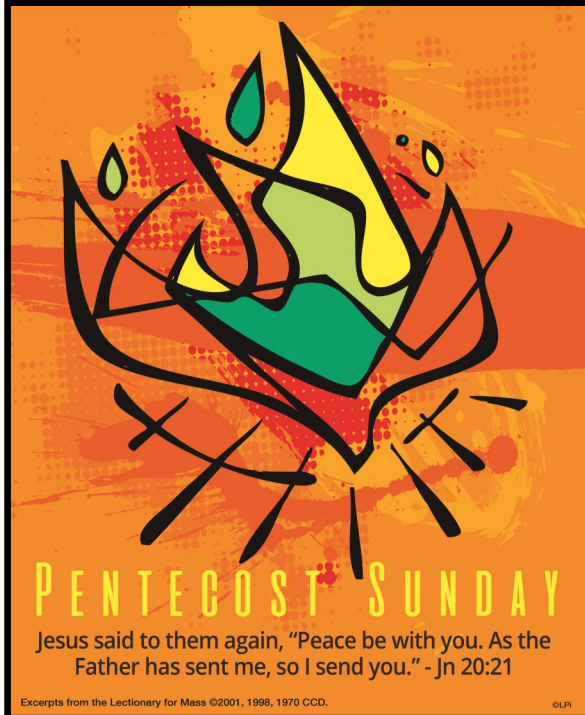


Blessed Sacrament Church

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June 4, 2017



Parish Office:

Phone: 277-2949
3012 Jackson St.
Hours: 8:00 am — 4:00 pm, Mon—Fri

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday—4:30 pm
Sunday—7:30 am, 9:00 am & 10:30 am

Weekday Liturgies see schedule inside

Mon thru Fri. -6:45 am

Holy Day Liturgies

Evening before—5:30 pm
Holy Days—6:45 am, 8:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday—3:45 pm
Weekdays—20 minutes Prior to Mass

Prayers Request Line:

Sue Lilla—255-3956 dsuelilla@gmail.com

Baptism:

By appointment following required pre-baptism class.

Marriage:

By appointment following required 6 month marriage preparation program. Please call parish office to make appointment.

Communion Sick Calls:

Persons unable to attend Mass, please contact the parish office to make arrangements to receive the sacraments.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact the parish office.

Learning Centers:

Parish Religious Ed. Programs 277-4739 Ext. 115

Angel House-3002 Jackson St 277-2001

Angel House/Villa Maria-2302 West St. 234-1854

Holy Cross-Blessed Sacrament Center 277-4739

Holy Cross-St. Michael Center 239-1090

BHCS Central Office-1018 Grandview 252-1350

Pastoral Staff:

Pastor: **Rev. Daniel Rupp**
Permanent Deacon: **Fred Karpuk**
Permanent Deacon: **Dick Billings**
D.R.E./Youth Ministry: **Fran O'Tool**
Liturgy Coordinator: **Ann Schultz**

Parish Coordinators:

Director of Operations: **Terry McElroy**
Parish Director: **Joseph M. Puetz**
Parish Director: **Gina M. Sitzmann**
Finance Committee Chair: **Kathy Pynn**
Pastoral Council Chair: **David Sly**
Peace & Justice Coordinator: **Bernadette Rixner**
Adult Faith Formation Coordinator: **Betty Pratt**
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight: **Anthony Gabriel**

Bishop Heelan Catholic Schools:

BHCS President: **Jim Tschann** Holy Cross School
Principal: **Michael Sweeney**

Our Mission:

We, the Blessed Sacrament Parish Family, seek to be a community of peace justice and love, as expressed in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

Our Parish Life

Wednesday **June 7, 2017**
 7:00 pm Bible Study
Thursday **June 8, 2017**
 7:15 am Bible Study
 1:00 pm Sewing Circle

Parish Financial Blessings Year-to-Date Giving Information July 1, 2016-May 21, 2017

Total Income.....	\$901,147.24
Total Expenses.....	\$1,136,090.97
Difference.....	-\$234,943.73
Sunday Collections	
Auto <u>46</u> Env <u>109</u>	\$7,609.50
Loose Contributions.....	\$509.55
Bills Paid this Week	
BHCS Investment.....	\$59,199.00
Payroll.....	\$23,627.00
Echo	\$3,341.25
Upcoming Bills	
Centruy Link.....	\$141.25
MidAmerican Energy.....	\$2,460.22
Property & Liability.....	\$3,045.00
Other Income	
Progressive Ins. Matching funds.....	\$2,000.00

Grow an Extra Row

Up from the Earth, an ecumenical program in Sioux City, that gets extra produce from your home gardens to people in need will be happening again this summer. Plant an extra row in your garden and share your fruits or vegetables. Beginning **July 6th** bring your donations to the front of the church on Tuesdays & Thursday from 5-6:00pm. If you have donations before July please call the Garden Produce Coordinators, **Mike or Carole Doll, 712-281-0320.**

REST IN PEACE

Jane Stevens, former parishioner, passed away May 25, 2017. **Thomas Wente**, father of Ellen Dirks and Ann Meier, passed away May 30, 2017, his funeral service will be held at the Cathedral of the Epiphany, June 5th at 10am. We extend our prayers and sympathy to the friends and family of **Jane** and **Tom** and may the angels of God lead them into heaven.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday	June 5, 2017
6:45 am	Bob Cogley
Tuesday	June 6, 2017
6:45 am	Wilma Cronin Spartz
Wednesday	June 7, 2017
6:45 am	Irene "Babe" Brainerd
Thursday	June 8, 2017
6:45 am	Carol Spellman
5:30 pm	Mr. & Mrs. James Collin & Carole Winkel
Friday	June 9, 2017
6:45 am	Matt & Donna Vondrak
Saturday	June 10, 2017
4:30 pm	John & Mary Vakulskas, John & Ann Tracy, Charles Slowey
Sunday	June 11, 2017
7:30 am	EJ & Alvina Soukup
9:00 am	Matt Vondrak, Peg Roder
10:30 am	Blessed Sacrament Parish

Servers

Saturday	June 10, 2017
4:30 pm	Tony Kathol, Tess Lord, Mason Streeter
Sunday	June 11, 2017
7:30 am	Elliot McLarty, Volunteer
9:00 am	Matthew Lohr, Charlie & Michael Saulsbury
10:30 am	Brenden Frey, Molly McCarthy, Peyton Schermehorn

Extra-Ordinary Ministers

Saturday	June 10, 2017
4:30 pm	Mary Ann Audino, Susan Boutwell, Sandra Keane, John Kelly, Sr. Colane Recker, Pat Walsh, Ann Feauto
Sunday	June 11, 2017
7:30 am	Al Metz, Dave Stedman, Mary Walsh,
9:00 am	Cris Berger, Mary Choquette, Kathy Heaton, Betty Pratt, Dennis Wiltgen
10:30 am	Mary & Kerry Bressler, Jeanette Frey, Marilyn & Steve Joyce, Gordon & Kathy Pynn

Gift-Bearers

Saturday	June 10, 2017
4:30 pm	Volunteer
Sunday	June 11, 2017
7:30 am	McLarty Family
9:00 am	Peter & Bev Lohr Family
10:30 am	Allassouma Family



From the Desk of Fr. Dan Rupp...

Sunday June 4, 2017 Pentecost Sunday

Long-Term Planning Meetings

The Long-Term Planning Meetings for the merger of the parishes have started. The team is meeting once a week and the meetings should cease in early June. Our parish representatives are: Fr. Dan Rupp, Deacon Fred Karpuk, Deacon Dick Billings, Joe Puetz (Parish Director), Gina Sitzmann (Parish Director), Dr. David Sly (Parish Council Chairman), Kathy Pynn (Finance Committee Chairwoman), Terry McElroy (Business Manager). I will keep you updated on the progress. Thanks for your patience!!!

I Will Be Away on Saturday

I will be away this coming Saturday (June 10th). I have a cousin getting married in Marcus. I will return late Saturday night for the Sunday Masses.

Food, Family and Fellowship

No recipe due to space limitations – Feel free to eat out one meal this week!!!

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

May 31st construction will continue on Jones street for the Bryant School project. The two northern drive ways to the parking lot will be closed but we will be able to get in and out of the south drive that goes down to the garage doors. There can be no parking in the area where the dumpster are so that people will be able to get in and out of the parking lot. This first phase of the project should be finished by the beginning of July and phase 2 will then continue into the 2900 block of Jones. The hole project should be done on Aug 5th. PLEASE BE PATIENT!!



Saturday June 17 at 7 pm Join Fr. Rupp, Fr. Hemann and Fr. Linnan on a unification Corpus Christi procession! We will start at St. Michael's Church and walk to Blessed Sacrament Church singing and praying. There will be a trolley available for those who would like to participate but cannot walk the hills! We will soon be one parish. Come walk with Jesus.



Congratulations to **Nolan Osborn** and **Conner Ritz**, chosen by Father Rupp, to receive this year's **Senior Servers Scholarship**. These two fine young men each received a check for \$500 from the Puetz Family Servianti Domini Fund.

Family Rosary

Each summer evening at **7:00 p.m.**, beginning **June 1st**, the Family Rosary is prayed at the mound of the beautiful statue of Mary at Trinity Heights. All are invited!

**TODAY!!!
DON'T MISS THIS!**

John Michael Talbot Performance

Join us **TODAY SUNDAY JUNE 4** at St. Michael Church for a live concert by the Christian Music Pioneer John Michael Talbot, Grammy and Dove Award winner. It will be difficult to find a song you don't like tonight as JMT plays his best selections from 55 albums of music released in his phenomenal career. If you have not already purchased a ticket, and if seats are still available, you can buy one at the door. Just Come....we'll do our best to squeeze you in (We have room for 1,000!!)

MANY THANKS

to the Blessed Sacrament Parishioners for their Lenten sacrifices, the following organizations have received the listed donation.

Friendship House	\$287.02
Warming Shelter	\$310.75
Clare Guest House	\$332.38
CSADV	\$241.25
Mary Treglia	\$345.67
Catholic Relief Services	\$220.00
(CRS– Walk in Ethiopia)	
Siouxland Coalition/Human Trafficking	\$243.00

Youth Ministry News

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) "Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus" is this week, Monday, June 5th-9th, from 9 am- 1pm. Thanks to everyone who volunteered to help make this a successful VBS.

Bishops Dinner for Catholic Schools

Each year we take time to celebrate the outstanding teachers and staff of our Catholic schools through the Excellences in Education and Good Shepherd Awards at the Bishop's Dinner. The Office of Education is now accepting nominations for these awards through June 15, 2017. Please note that the years of service criteria has changed and is now five consecutive years or more for both categories.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE THE LORD

Unique opportunities to serve the Lord as a volunteer at Trinity Heights/Queen of Peace at the St. Josephs Center are available now. We are open 7 days a week and are in need of your time and talent. Please call Margie Lancaster at 712-239-9158. Thank you!

The Summer Series 2017 on The Holy Rosary begins on Wednesday evening **June 7th** at **Trinity Heights Queen of Peace** after the rosary at the Mound of Mary. Do you sometimes get distracted in the repetition of the rosary, or feel that you pray it without the intensity it deserves? If you would like to learn more about the rosary, or how to pray it with more devotion or with deeper meditation and insight, this series is for you! All are welcome and there is no charge. Bring your whole family!

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by Abortion. Weekend retreats offer you a supportive, confidential and non-judgemental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing. **July 28th-30th, 2017, Carroll, Iowa.** \$200 includes food and lodging. Email: RachelsHelpersOfIowa@gmail.com or 712-943-5550.

Holy Cross School News

The Holy Cross Faculty and Staff would like to thank Fr. Rupp, Fr. Hemann, BHCS President Jim Tschann, parents, volunteer coaches, the PTO organization, & parishioners for making this another successful school year!

We would like to thank the following Holy Cross Faculty and Staff members that will be leaving us after this school year: **Mrs. Diane Ladwig, Mrs. Terri Kimbell, Mrs. Deb Tudehope – retiring, Miss Emily Bush, Mrs. Maggie Tillman, and Mrs. Michelle Lewis.** We would like to welcome **Miss Abigail Higgins, 7/8 math teacher.**

*Holy Cross School- St. Michael Center is currently accepting registrations for after school care. The hours are Monday 2:15 – 5:30 PM and Tuesday – Friday 3:15 – 5:30 PM. The cost is \$35. per week – per student. Children must be students of Bishop Heelan Catholic Schools. Please call 239-1090 to register or for more information.

Parents are welcome to enroll their child at Holy Cross School: Blessed Sacrament Center (Grades 3-8) or St. Michael Center (Grades PK-2) this summer. Please call the BHCS Office at 252-1350, Yvette Sitzmann.

Holy Cross School office summer hours:
Closed: June & July
Open: August 1, 2017

You may leave a message on the Holy Cross office phone: BS Center 277-4739 or SM Center 239-1090. You may also call the BHCS office 252-1350.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

God reveals Himself through the Love of a couple" Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Upcoming Dates; October 27-29 @Cedar Falls. November 10-12 @Iowa City For information and to register go to iowa-wwme.org or call [563-608-3305](tel:563-608-3305) or email: JLJwwme08@Gmail.com

The Best of Ireland & Northern Ireland: Come along **Nov. 6-16, 2017**, to some of the most enjoyable places in all of Europe visiting the Emerald Isle! We'll visit Belfast, Knock, Galway, Dublin and so much more. Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$3,199 with departure from Omaha. For information contact Fr. Dan Guenther, Immaculate Conception, Cherokee, IA 712-225-4606 frdanguenther@gmail.com.

You are cordially invited TODAY to attend a Mass celebrated by **Father Jerry Feierfeil** on his 50th Anniversary to the Priesthood on Sunday, **June 4th at St. Boniface Church at 2 pm.** A reception will follow at the church.



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