

Blessed Sacrament Church

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Website: blessedsac.com * Radio Masses: Sunday—9:00 a.m. 1360 KSCJ 94.9 FM

November 6, 2016



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

BLESSED SACRAMENT, SIOUX CITY

Thank you for worshipping with us!

Our Parish Life

Tuesday	November 8, 2016
10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry Mtg.
7:00 pm	Bible Study
Wednesday	November 9, 2016
9:30 am	Bible Study
6:30 pm	PREP
7:15 pm	Celebration Choir Practice
Thursday	November 10, 2016
7:30 am	Bible Study
1:00 pm	Sewing Circle (Angel House)
7:00 pm	Bible Study

Parish Financial Blessings Year-to-Date Giving Information July 1, 2016-October 30, 2016

Total Income.....	\$287,480.19
Total Expenses.....	\$406,967.95
Difference.....	-\$119,487.76
Sunday Collections	
Auto <u>11</u> Env <u>109</u>	\$8,216.00
Loose Contributions.....	\$515.00

Bills Paid this Week

City of Sioux City.....	\$467.05
Mid American Energy.....	\$1,878.13
Taxes.....	\$3,864.14
Century Link.....	\$250.67
Creative Communications.....	\$220.22
CW Suter.....	\$387.35
Janitor Depot.....	\$486.00

Up Coming Bills

Workmens Comp.....	\$520.90
Globe.....	\$533.25
Cathedraticum/Education Fund	\$1,208.00

Gift-Bearers

Saturday	November 12, 2016
4:30 pm	Laura Sprague
Sunday	November 13, 2016
7:30 am	Mark & Jane Stevens
9:00 am	Damian & Isaac Lara
10:30 am	Volunteer

DAA supports 16 Catholic School Systems more than 6,200 students; Religious Education Programs, Totus Tuus and Camp Totus Tuus teaching more than 8,100 students each year; Adult Catechesis; Rite of Christian Adult Initiation (RCIA); and Bishop's Education Fund which provides assistance to families who meet income eligibility guidelines.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday	November 7, 2016
6:45 am	Susan Myerchin (anniversary)
Tuesday	November 8, 2016
6:45 am	Kathy Murfield, Tom Tucker (anniver)
Wednesday	November 9, 2016
6:45 am	Irene "Babe" Brainerd
Thursday	November 10, 2016
6:45 am	All Souls
5:30 pm	Linda Conolly
Friday	November 11, 2016
6:45 am	Chuck Condon, Ed Maryott (anniver)
8:00 am	Pat Conway
Saturday	November 12, 2016
4:30 pm	Davon Kieler, Suzanne Reilly Hanson, Lenice & Bernard Reilly
Sunday	November 13, 2016
7:30 am	Deceased Members of the Venteicher & Watson Families
9:00 am	Blessed Sacrament Parish
10:30 am	Gene Fleming (anniversary), Matthew Norvell,

Servers

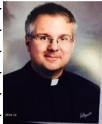
Saturday	November 12, 2016
	Mason & Brooklin Froehlich, Megan Janssen
Sunday	November 13, 2016
7:30 am	Ellie & Connor Ritz
9:00 am	Frankie, Joe & Molly Vondrak
10:30 am	Lleyton & London Froehlich, Kate Gill

Extra-ordinary Ministers

Saturday	November 12, 2016
4:30 pm	Susan Boutwell, Kerry & Mary Bressler, Patrick Brobst, Rita Fairfield, Barb & Thomas Vakulskas
Sunday	November 13, 2016
7:30 am	Bob Jaminet, Betty Pratt, David Sly, Jane & Mark Stevens
9:00 am	Cris Berger, Carl Hardy, John McCarthy, Dan Ryan, Maggie & David Tillmann
10:30 am	Joanne Craig, Jeanette Frey, Mary Japel, Gordon & Kathy Pynn, Lynne Wetzel, Florence Victor

DAA Week 7

Total pledges for this week	8
Dollar amount pledged this week.....	\$1,995.00
Total pledges this year.....	190
Total dollar amount pledged.....	\$57,375.00
New pledges	7
Total dollars received TD.....	\$45,630.00



From the Desk of Fr. Dan...

November 6, 2016-The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

New Youth Group Forming

We've had our 1st meeting!!! We had a great time and pizza was enjoyed by all. Our next meeting is November 20th at noon. We will again meet in the upper room of the old convent (above Angel House). All students from grades 9-12 are invited. Whether parishioner or not. Whether Catholic or not.

I'm Going On Vacation!!!

I am leaving on Monday (with Fr. Joe Dillinger) for Rome. I will return late on Thursday, Nov. 17th. Please pray that we have a safe and fun-filled trip. I will be praying for all of you. The always kind Fr. Roger Linnan will be filling in for me while I am away.

2nd In-Pew Solicitation for DAA

There will be a 2nd In-Pew Solicitation for the DAA on the weekend of Nov. 19th-20th. If you have not already donated, there will be cards in the pews for you to fill out. If you have donated, I and Bishop Nickless thank you.

Children's Liturgy Helpers Needed

We are in need of helpers for the Children's Liturgy, especially at the 10:30 am Mass. If you are interested, please contact me. Thanks for your help with this precious ministry. Please call Fr. Dan if you are interested.

Abortion Retreat – Help Needed

Plans are being made for a *Rachel's Vineyard* retreat in Sioux City. The retreat is for women who are dealing with the effects of having had an abortion. The planning group is looking for women who have had an abortion and would be willing to help with the retreat. If you would like to help, please contact Fr. Dan.

TREE OF LOVE

Dear Fellow Parishioner,

Again this year the Tree of Love will be placed in Blessed Sacrament Church. The ornaments on the tree represent the needs of people throughout our parish and community in need of "Christmas" help this year. If you are a Blessed Sacrament Parishioner and your family is in need of Christmas help this year, call Terry McElroy at Blessed Sacrament 277-2949 and schedule a time to complete the required paperwork. The deadline for completing paperwork is NOW. Be assured that Blessed Sacrament keeps everything strictly confidential. You must say that you are a Blessed Sacrament parishioner and that will be verified. The Tree of Love provides a way for our parish family as God's people to reach out and share the Spirit of Christmas with others.

Don't Miss the Sewing Circle Sale During the KC Breakfast on Nov. 13th!

The club will be selling pieced and other quilts, along with bibs, pot holders, Christmas stockings and chances on items. Half of our proceeds along with many quilts will be donated to local charities.



Help us help the needy.

Soup Kitchen Volunteers Friday, November 11

- 2-3:30pm Beth Karpuk
 - Gerri Noltze
 - 5-6:30pm Cris Berger
 - Peggy Jung
 - Brian Ratino
 - Leslie Alits
 - Tim & Colleen Jarman
- Thanks so much, Colleen Jarman

Catholic Daughters Court Ave Maria #269

Will meet **Wednesday, Nov. 9th** beginning with a 5:30 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph Church. Following Mass, a potluck dinner served by the A-L members, a pie raffle with proceeds going to the State Food Drive, and meeting will be held.



Thank you Sarah Swan, Beth & Libby Birdsell, Maya Bishwokarma, Tracy & Jerry Nichols, Becky & Olivia Greaves, Jan Miller, and Shawn McCoy for representing Blessed Sacrament at this year's CROP Walk.

There will be a card shower for our parishioner, Mary Mullin, as she turns 80 on Nov. 13. Please send cards to Mary Mullin, Holy Spirit Retirement Home, 1701 W.25th. St. Rm 114, Sioux City, IA 51103.

Youth Ministry News

PREP CALENDAR

Confirmation Rehearsal, Wed. Nov. 30th @ Church
Candidates and their sponsor must attend!

PRE-BAPTISM CLASS

Blessed Sacrament Pre-Baptism Class will be
Mon., Nov. 14th in the Parish Center at 7:00pm.
The Cost is \$5 for materials. Please call the parish
office 277-2949 to register



Holy Spirit Retirement Home 2016-17 Annual Appeal

Holy Spirit just kicked off their 2016-17 Annual Appeal.
The goal is \$50,000 this year. Eleven Blessed Sacrament
parishioners reside at Holy Spirit.

To donate, please mail your contribution to: Holy Spirit
Retirement Home - 1701 W. 25th St., Sioux City, IA
51103 or visit their online giving page at:
<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=a059a1>.

Bargain Center Needs You!

Did you know the Bargain Center provides \$110,000
dollars per year to Bishop Heelan Catholic Schools as
well as over \$68,000 to many other worthy charities?
These funds come from the Bargain Center store op-
erated entirely by volunteers who sell goods donated
by generous parishioners and others. We need more
men and women to continue this important work! For
more information or to arrange a tour, please contact
Lexie 712-255-0286 or Dolores 712-276-5625.

Pre-Kindergarten Hands on Fun!
Saturday, November 12th, 10-11 a.m.
Holy Cross-St. Michael School
Gobble Gobble Fun! Event is free!

Please register by contacting Yvette Sitzmann at
yvette.sitzmann@bishopheelan.org or call 252-1350. Tell
your friends! For kids ages 3-5. Bring your child for a take-
home project, fun activities and treats; plus enjoy coffee
with other moms.

TODAY! ST. JOSEPH CHURCH Nov 6th, Turkey Dinner,
8th & Iowa 11:30am -2pm

Nativity Church Turkey Dinner, 4243 Natalia Way, Nov. 13th,
11am-3pm, Adults \$9, children 4-12 \$5,

"Discover what God wants for your marriage and the Five Tools every
couple should know." Attend a World wide Marriage Encounter Enrich-
ment". For Information 563-608-3305 or iowa-wwme.org

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Holy Cross School News

Monday, November 7:

- BHCS New Family Welcome, 5:30-7:30 PM @ SC Public
Museum

Friday, November 11:

- BS Center Mass, 8:00 AM
- Veterans Day assembly, 9:00 AM. We will be honoring
veterans and active military members from our families
during the ceremony. If you have a veteran or active
military member in your family that we could honor,
please call the school office by Tuesday, November 8 @
277-4739. Please give their name, their branch of ser-
vice, number of years served, and the relationship to
your child. Veterans and their family are welcome to
attend the assembly.

November 7-11:

- Students in grades 2-8 will be taking Iowa Assessments
- The Book Fair will be held at both centers and will be
open for 30 minutes before and after school each day.
The BS Center will also be open on Friday, November
11th, during the day for those attending the Veteran's
Day Assembly.

Friday, November 18:

- BS Center will be having a Memorial Mass @ Blessed
Sacrament Church at 8:00 AM. Students who have lost
a relative this past year (November 2015 – November
2016) will carry a candle in remembrance of their loved
ones. Please contact the BS center office @ 277-4739
by November 11 to give the name of the deceased rela-
tive and their relationship to your child.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Election Day

Trinity Heights Queen of Peace will have Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament for personal Eucharistic Adoration on
Election Day (Tuesday November 8th) from 7:00 a.m. until
8:00 p.m. All are invited and welcome to spend some time
with a grateful heart to praise God for a free country and
the right to vote, for wisdom and right judgement in our
country's leadership, for forgiveness and healing in our
country sorely divided.

Please join Mary's Choice Friday November

18th, 8:30-1pm for a peaceful prayer time outside of
Planned Parenthood (4409 Stone Ave., Sioux City, IA
51106) to pray for the safety and protection of unborn
babies, their mothers, and all involved. Stay for a few
minutes or the entire time - every prayer helps to create
a culture of life in Siouxland!"

"Sing for Africa" Sat. Nov. 12th, 7pm Bishop Heelan High
School Fine Arts Bld. \$15 Students \$10