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CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL



Love God • Serve Others • Form Disciples



**February 15 & February 16, 2025;
Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

*Blessed are
those who trust
in the LORD; the
LORD will be
their trust.*

Jeremiah 17:7

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday 8:00 am
Wednesday 8:00 am
Thursday 8:30 am
Friday 8:00 am

Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdom of God is yours.



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Please Pray for the Following People

(*Why people want prayers isn't important, the prayers are!*)



Keri Farrell Thomas.

To add a name call Dan Alpers, at 363-6130, ext. 100. Names will be listed for four weeks and may be renewed. †, Recently deceased will be listed for two weeks.

Stewardship Corner



All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to live Stewardship. Proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

A Weekly Tip on Caring for Our Common Home



Unplug chargers for cell phones, laptops and other devices when they are fully charged or you leave your home or office. That will minimize "vampire energy," since many electronics and appliances continue drawing power even when they are off.

For the Married Couples



In today's gospel, Jesus makes it clear that God does not measure success in the same way that we do. In your married life, how do you align yourself with those Jesus proclaims as blessed: the poor, the hungry, the grieving, and the outcast?

Donor Contribution Statements UPDATE



We issued 730 statements that had donations totaling \$250.00 or more. Parishioners downloaded 352 and picked up 221. If we had mailed all 730, we would have spent \$532.90 on postage, but since a total of 573 were downloaded or picked up we only spent \$114.61 saving the parish \$418.29. Thank you all for your efforts. - Jeremy Lutz - Bookkeeper

Everyday Metanoia



Welcome to the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time. We have three more Sundays in Ordinary time before we begin the Season of Lent. All of the Gospel readings for today and the next two weeks are one continuous teaching by Jesus frequently referred to as the Sermon on the Mount, or since we are using the Gospel of Luke: the Sermon on the Plain. Similar teaching by Jesus to a similar crowd, but Matthew puts Jesus' location on a mountain and Luke places him on a patch of level ground. Why the difference? Remember that Matthew's audience for his Gospel was mostly Jewish Christians, so it was very important to show the tie between the Old and the New Testament; the foreshadowing of the New Covenant already present in the Old Covenants. In the Old Testament, God often reveals Himself on a mountain. For Matthew's audience it also brought to mind Moses going up Mt. Sinai to receive the Ten Commandments. Matthew sought to show the relationship between Moses and Jesus; the Ten Commandments and the Beatitudes. Curtis Mitch and Edward Sri in their commentary on the Gospel of Matthew sum this up: "[The relationship between the old and the new] provided the earliest Christians instructions on what it meant to live as the messianic people of God and in what ways this differs according to the legal and liturgical traditions of Israel." Luke's primary audience was Gentile Christians. Most scholars agree that Luke was probably Jewish, but in company with Paul, ministering largely to the Gentiles. Pablo Gadenz offers this from his commentary on Luke: "Luke's Gospel highlights that in Jesus the promises made in the Old Testament have come to fulfillment [in Jesus], thus showing the continuity in God's plan of salvation." Knowing his audience perhaps led Luke to highlight the covenantal relationship rather the people and/or places surrounding it.

The Beatitudes will not be a source of conversion in our life and our soul unless we understand and embrace its radical nature, not just in the culture of Jesus' time, but still very much present in our world today. As Bishop Barron reflected during his keynote address to the Eucharistic Congress this past summer, the world clings to the "wheel of fortune", where we continuously play the game of wanting, acquiring, trying to keep, and then ultimately losing the culturally valued relationship with wealth, pleasure, honor and power. When we embrace a relationship with the Beatitudes instead of the Wheel of Fortune, it will change our world upside down. Richard Rohr in his book, *Jesus' Alternative Plan: The Sermon on the Mount*, says this, "For all the talk of new world order, it's simply the old world order...The new world order - the Reign of God - is the heart of the Christian Scriptures, and it's a phrase to be taken seriously. Yet we have failed to understand the coming of Jesus as the dawn of a new age. For most Christians, life in the new age has been business as usual."

This is what Jesus was trying to tell his disciples and other listeners when he told them the parable of putting new wine in old wineskins. There could be thousands of people who are converted, believe and try to live the Beatitudes, but it will have no impact or lasting effect if the social structure that supports the old attitude (the old wine) is not changed to support the new. This new wine does not come from just listening to Jesus - the words are like the water that is filled into the barrels at the wedding at Cana. The water is changed into wine only after an encounter with Jesus. And that is true for us, too. We can read all we want, listen to a slew of podcasts, watch movies...but it is only when we have and name a personal encounter with our Triune God that the words become the bridge to a changed culture that feeds, nourishes, supports and grows those words. Michael Sean Winters in a recent article for NCR sums it up, "Only if we start with gratitude and grace, can we generate a genuinely Catholic culture."

Just a few days ago, Pope Francis wrote a letter to the Bishops in the United States in response to events happening in our country. In the letter he states, "Jesus Christ, loving everyone with a universal love, educates us in the permanent recognition of the dignity of every human being, without exception. In fact, when we speak of 'infinite and transcendent dignity,' we wish to emphasize that the most decisive value possessed by the human person surpasses and sustains every other juridical consideration that can be made to regulate life in society. Thus, all the Christian faithful and people of good will are called upon to consider the legitimacy of norms and public policies in the light of the dignity of the person and his or her fundamental rights, not vice versa." As we take the Gospel reading to prayer this week, read it and come to understand it as the 'turning the world upside down' message that Jesus intended. Richard Rohr adds, "When Jesus talked about the Reign of God, he was talking about an utterly different way of relating with one another than the human society as we know it." Think about it this week as we interact with others. Do we treat the check out person at Walmart the same or even better than we treat our lawyer? Do we see the trash collectors and those who process our bottles and cans as the valued children of God that they are? As Fr. Jack always ends - good thoughts to take to pray.

See you at Mass!

Tracy Huk, Business Manager, businessmgr@allsaintscr.com

Upcoming dates of Importance



- Catholic Charities Appeal kicked off last weekend. This appeal provides over 50% of Catholic Charities' annual operating budget and directly impacts the lives of at least 78 people in Northeast Iowa every single day. Catholic Charities is asking that parishioners return their donation directly to Catholic Charities by mail.
- Father Jack will provide the sacrament of anointing of the sick at both weekend Masses on February 15 and 16.
- Girl Scout cookies will be available for sale after Mass on Saturday, February 15.
- Nomination Weekend will be held at both Masses on March 1 and 2.
- Ash Wednesday is March 5 at 8:30 AM and 5:30 PM in the sanctuary.

Planned Giving - The All Saints Foundation



An endowment is a fund set aside for the long-term benefit of an organization. The initial and additional funds contributed to the endowment are invested, and a portion of the earnings are distributed for charitable purposes. An endowment fund is typically permanent and will generate income for the designated beneficiary forever, adding much stability. It gives your charitable giving eternal life on earth. Donating to the All Saints Foundation endowment fund is easy. Contact Business Manager, Tracy Huk at businessmgr@allsaintscr.com or 319-363-6130 ext 111, to discuss the various gift options available. The fund is managed by CFAD. Please consider donating to our endowment fund. Gifts to the endowment fund are tax-deductible and support All Saints Parish in perpetuity.

Young at Heart



Come join All Saints' Church members for the Young at Heart Luncheon on Wednesday, February 19 at noon in the Social Hall. The speaker this month is Ashley Turner, Outreach Coordinator for Catherine McAuley Center. Ashley will share information on the services and programs that are available at the Center. Remember with winter weather, if school is cancelled, the YAH luncheon will also be cancelled. There is no cost for lunch.

Blood Drive Time!



The new year hasn't begun without its challenges. As we direct our prayers toward New Orleans and now Los Angeles, let's not forget that events such as those experienced by the aforementioned communities make the need for blood donations that much more important. Our next All Saints blood drive is scheduled for Saturday, February 22 from 9 a.m. until Noon. To book an appointment, see the flyer at the end of this bulletin.

Our Lady of the Mississippi Abbey Come & See



Our Lady of the Mississippi Abbey (mississippiabbey.org) is hosting a Come and See Weekend on February 21-23 for single women ages 18-40 who are discerning religious life. See the flyer or have interested persons contact Sister Madeleine at vocations@olmabbey.org.



Congratulations!



On Wednesday, January 22, Archdiocese of Dubuque seminarian Cameron Banigan was installed as an Acolyte at Mundelein Seminary. This important step in priestly formation signifies a seminarian's official role in assisting the priest at the altar during the Sacred Liturgy.

Cameron is a parishioner of Saint John the Baptist in Peosta. He is pictured with his parents, Frank and Julie



Stations of the Cross



Are you interested in participating more fully in the Liturgy this Lenten Season?

Stations of the Cross and Mass are offered on Tuesdays from March 11 through April 8. This requires 3 people to facilitate the Stations of the Cross. If you would like to participate in one of these roles, please contact Deacon Ed Martin. deaconed@allsaintscr.com 319-363-6130 ext 105

Lent is Just Around the Corner



Here are a few details regarding our upcoming Lenten activities:

- Ash Wednesday is March 5. Mass and ash distribution will be at 8:30 & 5:30 pm in the sanctuary.
- Begin contemplating your prayer, fasting and almsgiving plans: All Saints will have Stations of the Cross & Mass on Tuesday evenings during Lent beginning at 5:30 pm. with a soup supper to follow.

More information coming soon!

Service to Others

Metro Catholic Outreach



All Saints Social Justice Helps the Homeless

The caring folks of the All Saints Social Justice Committee brought in bags and boxes full of warm items for our neighbors living outside. Winter hats, thick gloves, socks, warm mittens, and scarves were quickly and gratefully accepted by our many homeless clients coming in from the cold weather. Many of the items were gone by the end of the day!

Thank you to the great people at All Saints Church for this much needed donation!

Catholic Daughters of the Americas



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Cedar Rapids Court #1768 will meet Tuesday, February 18 at St. Pius Catholic Church. Refreshments start at 6:15 PM. We will have a speaker from Hospice of Mercy—Betty Buschlack. Donations will be collected for comfort bags and cleaning kits. Visitors are welcome. Contacts are Roberta 319-366-0999 or Stephanie 319-540-7193

Celebrating the Jubilee Year as Women of Hope



Catholic Daughters Court Cedar Rapids #1768 St. Therese, The Little Flower cordially invited you to our Spring Welcome Brunch.

Date: Saturday, March 8, 2025

Time: 9:30 - 11:00 am

Location: St. Pius X, Parish Hall - 4949 Council Street NE, Cedar Rapids

Join us for food, fellowship, a speaker, and door prizes including a chance to win a 1-year membership in Catholic Daughters of the Americas. NO RSVP needed. We look forward to seeing you!

Questions? Please contact Stephanie at (319) 540-7193.

Author Pat Martin is excited to join us and talk about being “An Accidental Tourist in the Czech Culture.” Pat Martin is a long-time member of All Saints Catholic Church and has been a member of the choir for 45 years.

Parishioner Database Update



Thank you for completing the online and paper forms to assist the staff in updating our parish database. The next step will be for Pastoral Council members to call or email the households we did not hear from in order to verify their information. The final step will be to provide instructions and assist parishioners to upload pictures of their household so that we can fully utilize our database as an on-line directory. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Tracy Huk at businessmgr@allsaintscr.com or call at 319-363-6130 ext.111.

Save the Date



Save the dates May 23rd - 25th! *National Eucharistic Pilgrimage in the Archdiocese*



During this extraordinary *Jubilee Year of Hope*, and picking up where the 10th National Eucharistic Congress left off, the 2025 National Eucharistic Pilgrimage will go through the Archdiocese from May 23rd to May 25th. Eight young adult Perpetual Pilgrims will accompany Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, starting in Indianapolis in mid-May and ending on the Feast of Corpus Christi in Los Angeles.

On Friday, May 23rd, we will receive the monstrance from the Diocese of Davenport and process it to the Cathedral to begin a Memorial Day weekend of special activities stretching across the Archdiocese. Save the date and stay tuned for more details on this important series of events!

Catholic Charities



Support the Local Ministry of Catholic Charities

Did you know that your donation to Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Dubuque stays in the 30 counties of the Archdiocese of Dubuque and serves the most poor and vulnerable in our local communities? Since its founding in 1931, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Dubuque has continuously evolved to respond to the ever-changing needs of people in our communities. Through these changes, Catholic Charities remains a leader in providing direct social services to families right here in Northeast Iowa. Join our community of hope today at <https://catholiccharitiesdubuque.org/donate>.

The Great Cloud of Witnesses



The Archdiocesan Office of Communications has begun a new series of social media posts dedicated to the lives of the saints with spiritual applications for our lives. The title of the series comes from Hebrews 12:1-3, in which the author describes the saints and the faithful who have gone before us as “such a great cloud of witnesses.”

These witnesses, having run their race with endurance, encourage believers to cast off sin by showing through their lives that holiness is attainable and that reliance on God’s grace can overcome even the greatest struggles. Their examples of virtue, sacrifice, and steadfastness demonstrate the freedom and joy that come from turning away from sin and fully embracing Christ. Catholics also believe that the saints intercede for us, offering spiritual support as we strive to remove the obstacles that hinder our relationship with God. By fixing our eyes on Jesus, the “leader and perfecter of faith,” and drawing strength from the communion of saints, we are encouraged to persevere in our faith journey with hope and trust in God’s ultimate plan for salvation.

Follow the Archdiocese of Dubuque on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [X](#) for today’s post on the memorial of St. Francis de Sales.



Mass Intentions

Tues. February 18 8:00 am
† McNeil & Steel Families

Wed. February 19 8:00 am
† John Behounek

Thurs. February 20 8:30 am
† Joanne Trcka

Fri. February 21 8:00 am
† Msgr. Edward Lichtenberg

Sat. February 22 4:00 pm
For the People

Sun. February 23 9:00 am
Cunningham/Herman Families

Scripture Readings

Week of February 16, 2025

Sunday:

Jer 17:5-8/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26 (78)

Monday:

Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13 (335)

Tuesday:

Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21 (336)

Wednesday:

Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Mk 8:22-26 (337)

Thursday:

Gn 9:1-13/Mk 8:27-33 (338)

Friday:

Gn 11:1-9/Mk 8:34-9:1 (339)

Saturday:

1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 (535)

Sunday:

1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38 (81)

Parish Life



Do you enjoy getting people together for fellowship and having fun as well? Parish Life Committee is looking for additional members to appreciate each event. If you are interested, please contact Ellen Mouw at 712-253-5540 or eamouw@aol.com.

Un-Committee



Don't have time for committees or meetings, but still want to help? Join the "Un-Committee" where you are contacted only for special events at All Saints Church. If interested, please contact Ellen Mouw at 712-253-5540 or eamouw@aol.com.

All Saints Nights at Green Square Meals



All Saints helps prepare and serve dinner at Green Square Meals soup kitchen, 2-3 times a month. Sign up to help at the link below or contact Melissa Peckosh (847-975-1785 or missypeckosh@yahoo.com).

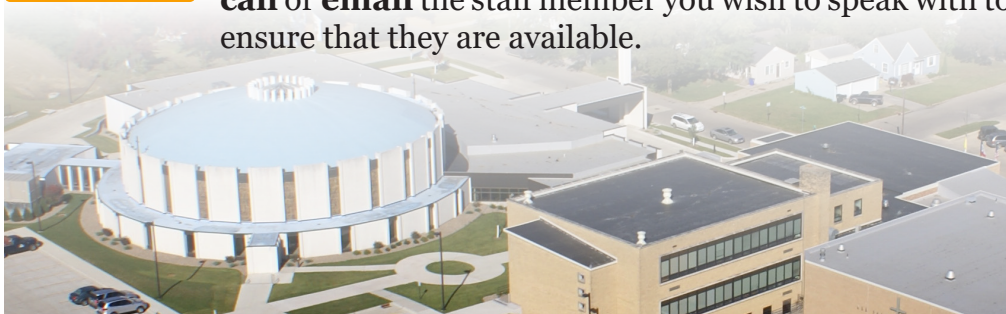
ALL SAINTS NIGHTS: 2nd & 5th Tuesday, 3rd Monday
All volunteers in sixth grade and up are welcome. Sign up at:
<https://signup.com/go/vJYiFPm>

Parish Office Hours



- Monday - Thursday - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Friday - 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
- Saturday and Sunday - closed

The parish staff knows that your time is valuable. Please **call** or **email** the staff member you wish to speak with to ensure that they are available.



Bruins Beat

What's Been Happening at School?

Dear Families,

This week, sickness hit us hard at All Saints. Students and teachers alike are pushing through winter illnesses. While we diligently clean every day, I ask that families please keep children home until they are fever free, without medicine, for 24 hours. Just as I've told the teachers, I pray for rest and recuperation for all this weekend.

As an upcoming reminder, conferences will take place at the end of February. Teachers are excited to share all of the wonderful growth our students have made in reading and math. It's a time of celebration for both the teachers' and students' hard work over these last few months. We continue to discuss and refine our curriculum, in order to meet the needs of our students. Thank you for your continued support at home.

Lastly, registration is now open. All current families, please log into PowerSchool (information below) and register for the 25-26 school year.

In Faith,

Ms. Starr

5th Grade/Pre-school Buddies



www.allsaints-crschool.org

Ministry Schedule

February 15, 4:00 PM Saturday

Sacristan

Cynthia Gunsolly

Extraordinary Ministers

Joseph Cataldo

Kathi Grainger

Ellen Mouw

Joan Murrin

Daniel Prentice

Stephen Schmitz

Marvin Stallman

Altar Servers

Kannon Pfeiler

Zachary Prentice

Logan Weininger

Lectors

Kathy Ulrich

Becky Weininger

Hospitality Ministers

Sue Bright

Ryan Donnelly

Daniel Greene

Dick Kettelkamp

Lauri Talyat

Brian Talyat

February 16, 9:00 AM Sunday

Sacristan

Cate Biro

Extraordinary Ministers

Sherry Casey

Brian Conway

Chris Conway

Wade Johnson

Mike Klappholz

Stephanie Klappholz

John Michael

Altar Servers

Emma Colby

Lucy Klappholz

Madison McCarville

Lectors

Loesje Shema

David Shema

Hospitality Ministers

Jen Colby

Chris Colby

Tyler Martin

Beth Martin

Pete Rethwisch

Bea Rethwisch

Ministry Schedule

February 22, 4:00 PM Saturday

Sacristan

Jean Bell

Extraordinary Ministers

Connie Deutmeyer

Joan Fishburn

Riley Hoover

Kourtne Powell

Mike Powell

Daniel Prentice

Marvin Stallman

Altar Servers

Stella Lippe

Lindsey Talyat

Megan Talyat

Lectors

Theresa Harker

Lisa Stephenson

Hospitality Ministers

Jen Colby

Chris Colby

Peg Schmitz

Lauri Talyat

Brian Talyat

Theresa Werner

February 23, 9:00 AM Sunday

Sacristan

John Michael

Extraordinary Ministers

Tom Amosson

Cate Biro

Terry Goerd

Mary Jo Goerd

Bill Knapp

Dianne Knapp

Andrew Lang

Altar Servers

Addison Johnson

Henry Johnson

Ava Szymanowski

Lectors

Lynn Holverson

Todd Holverson

Hospitality Ministers

Maureen Dale Ernst

John Ernst

Nicole Johnson

Tyler Martin

Beth Martin

Chris Shimon

Family Ministry

February 16, 2025 • 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Luke 6:17, 20-26

The Beatitudes

Jesus continues to share his message of hope and love. Crowds begin to gather as his reputation spreads throughout the countryside. In this reading we hear about those who are blessed and those who are not. In the language of the day, to be blessed was to be happy. The blessings are called the Beatitudes. "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God" (v. 20)

Every December I used to search for the perfect gift for each of my children—a gift that I was sure would light up their eyes on Christmas morning. Like every parent, I take great delight in seeing my children happy.

Imagine the satisfaction of being able to offer that joy with something that won't break when it's dropped or go out of fashion in a few months. That's the kind of happiness Jesus offers when he talks about the Beatitudes. Indeed, in his Sermon on the Plain, Jesus suggests we can be blessed with deep happiness in the most unpleasant of circumstances.

What's the secret of this joy, and how can we find it? We know it doesn't simply come with being poor or hungry, sad or persecuted. It might, however, be found in the way we look at and live through each of those situations.

Rich or poor, we all have to endure life's downs. No one can escape the pain of sickness or the death of a loved one. Perhaps the secret to happiness is in our accepting whatever life has to offer, certain that all will be well and confident of a happy ending.

All will be well because we don't have to rely solely on our own resources. God is with us, offering the strength we need. We also have the support of our family community in church and at home. And finally, we have the ultimate hope of a happy ending because Jesus has promised us one for eternity.

FAMILY RESPONSE

Ask each family member to talk about his or her best family memory.

PERSONAL RESPONSE

Have you ever experienced the kind of joy that can still bring a smile to your face today? What are the things that make you happy? Can you, or should you, make those things a regular part of your life?

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The Gospel at Home

This Week's Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20-26

In this week's Gospel, Luke gives us the Beatitudes taught by Jesus. Blessed are the poor, the hungry, those who weep, those who are hated and rejected by others because of Jesus. Jesus also cautions those who are rich, well-fed, happy, and liked by others.

Exploring the Gospel Message

Seeds (Preschool): Your child learned this week that Jesus loves everyone and that he wants all of us to belong. Talk about ways we can tell others about the love of Jesus. Also, have your child show you the heart puppet he or she made in class. Talk about who your heart belongs to.

Promise (Grades K-1): What makes us truly happy was the topic featured in your child's class this week. One thing that always makes us happy is following Jesus. Have your child show the drawing of Jesus and him or her from class. How can we include everyone like Jesus does?

Good News (Grades 2-3): Have a discussion with your child about what makes us happy. Ask your child to tell you what he or she learned from the story, "A Valentine for Mr. Pinch." Be sure to have your child show the booklet about "The Beatitudes: Jesus' Map to Happiness." Discuss what Jesus teaches about true happiness.

Venture (Grades 4-6): Is it fair the way food is distributed in the world? Your youngster should have some thoughts on that from class this week. Ask your young person about the organization called Kindness to Action. What do coins symbolize in that organization? Talk about how the Beatitudes teach us to see through God's eyes, and how we can hear the cries of the poor. Consider playing "The Promised Land" game with the family.

Visions (Grades 7-8): Ask your young teen how they feel blessed by life. He or she can also tell you about Sister Mary Antona Ebo, who was called to God and justice in a story the class read this week. Talk about how the Beatitudes challenge our ideas of success. Identify together who the poor are today. Consider playing a round of "Rich and Poor, A Beatitudes Game" that the class learned about this week.

Awaken (Teens/Adults): Discover a new level of spiritual growth for parents with *Awaken*, the new adult level of the *Pflaum Gospel Weeklies*, developed to deepen your faith journey alongside your children. Scan the QR code to learn more.

Pray Together

Jesus challenged the conventional ideas about how to be happy and successful when he taught the Beatitudes. Pray for yourself and your family to be more like those who Jesus says are blessed in the eyes of God.





CYCLE PREP

We're doing something special

Join us for an incredible LIVE opportunity for you and your daughter to learn about the beauty of her body - together.

Saturday, March 8, 2025
10:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.
St. Patrick Catholic Church

***Girls ages 9 to 12 (older girls welcome!)**
***Parent required to attend**



Get ready to learn about **menstrual cycles, periods, and body literacy** in a positive, adult-supported environment. Cycle Prep encourages girls to respect their bodies and equips them to navigate the natural changes which come with menstrual cycles. **Cost:** \$25/girl; parents free

What parents are saying...

"Having this knowledge before it happens is empowering."

"You made an uncomfortable topic comfortable."

"...such a helpful workshop that teaches young girls and moms about what to expect from your first period. Sign your daughter up now. She may fight you on it but push through...one of the best things I've done all year!"

REGISTER NOW



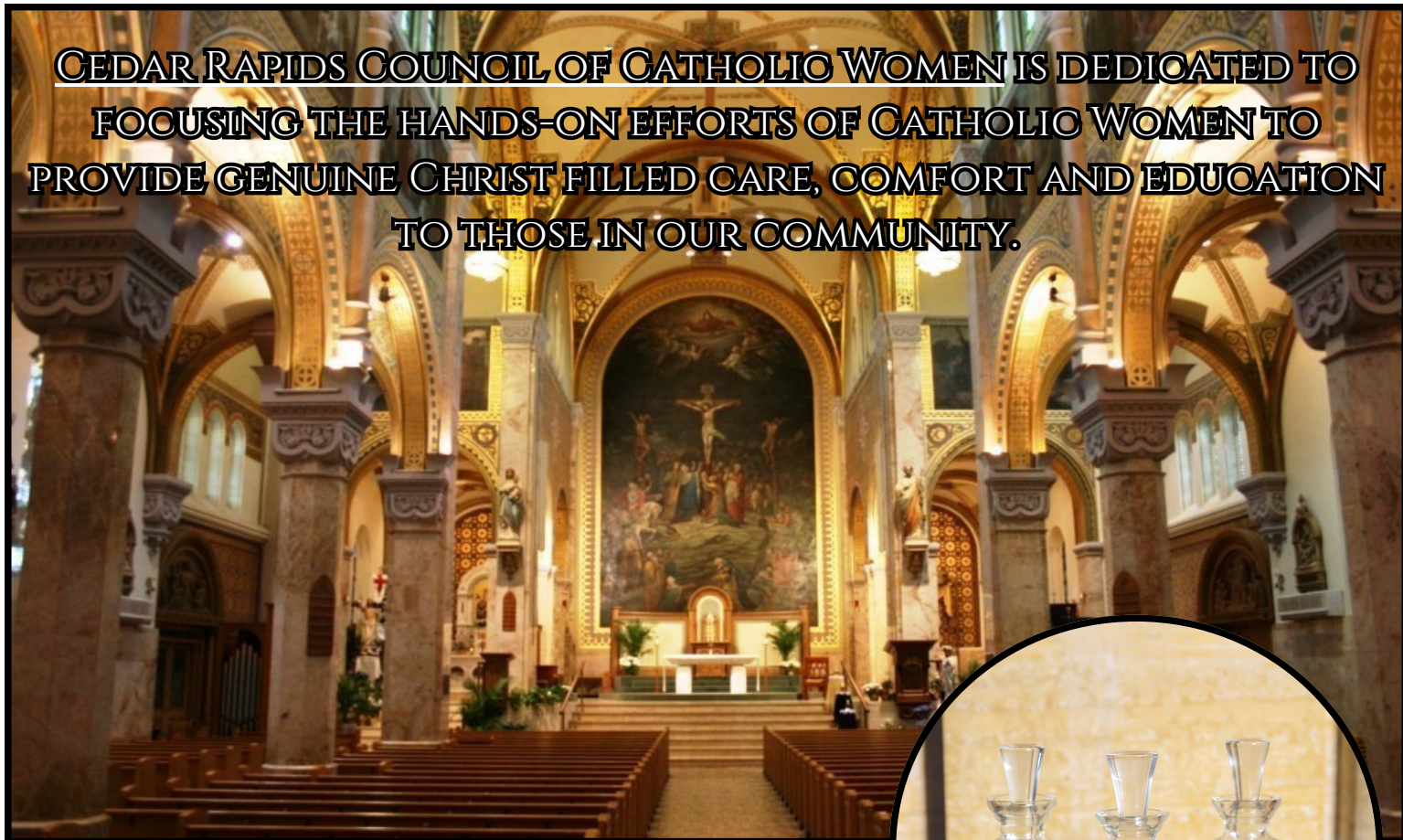
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ACCW Presents:

CHRISM MASS TRIP

April 15th, time TBD

Cost: TBD

Join us for a trip to the Cathedral of Raphael in Dubuque to celebrate the Chrism Mass. The cost of the event will include bus fare and dinner at Timmerman's Supper Club.

For Questions, contact Isabelle Miller at the i.miller@dbqarch.org or call 319.363.8269

*RSVPs must be turned in by April 5th.

To RSVP, email i.miller@dbqarch.org

**** ACCW reserves the right to change the details of this event.**



**Join us for
the WCI
Potluck
Friday, March 7**

5:30-7:30 pm

**St. Pius X, Pastors Hall
Cedar Rapids, IA**

**All are
welcome!**

**Please bring a
dish to share.**

**Plates and
utensils will be
provided.**



Local parishioner
& WCI member, Mitzi Fields
will present

*Our journey to Sainthood:
A reflection on my
Dominican Charism*

This event is hosted by the Wojtyla
Community & Institute.

For more information or to join our
email list, contact

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Facebook page, Cedar Rapids WCI.



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The following is a list of partnering businesses that supported the Xavier Impact Fund from July 1, 2023, to June 30, 2024. **THANK YOU - WE ADORE YOU!**

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Construction Materials
D.C. Taylor
Destinations Unlimited
GreenState Credit Union
Honkamp, P.C.
Hills Bank & Trust Co.
Kepros Physical Therapy and Performance
Oscar's Restaurant
Starlite Room
TrueNorth Companies, LLC

CHALLENGERS (\$999 - \$500)

Access Systems
Acme Graphics, Inc.
Berthel Fisher & Company
Baker Paper & Supply
Brown Law Office
Capriotti's Sandwich Shop
Casa Las Glorias
CCB Packaging, Inc.
Chad's Electric
Clearwell PLLC
Construction Publications
Courter Law
Custom Lawn & Landscaping
Dairy Consulting Services
Donutland
Dostal Catering Service
Edward D. Jones - Dennis Mulherin
EO Johnson Business Solutions
Evergreen Estates
Financial Resources Group - Brad Zwanziger
Home Appliance Center
Horton Family Dentistry
Intertrade Steel Corporation
Iowa Women's Health
King's Materials
Knapp Warden, LLC
Marion Iron Co.
Nations Financial Group, Inc.
Mercy Medical Center
M.R.S. Construction
Ogden & Adams Lumber Co.
OPN Architects
Pine's Pizza & Pub
Puddle Jumpers Children's Consignment Boutique
Rapids Wholesale Equipment
SCOUT of Marion
SCRIBE Stationer
Studio on Third
Van Meter Inc.
Winifred's Catering and Event Planning

BUILDERS (\$499 - \$250) (Continued)

May City Bowling Center
McFarland Mental Health Counseling
Paul Revere's Pizza
PS Affinity
Randy Kuehl Honda
Paul Rhines
State Farm - Mitch Valentine
Suburban Lumber Company, Inc.
Teahen Funeral Home
The Shell, Indoor Play Space
The Waldron Family
Welter Storage Equipment Co.
Windstar Lines
Bruce A. Willey, PC

COMMANDERS (\$2,000 - \$4,999)

Anonymous (2)
30hop
Aero Rental
Roger and Angie Baker
Banklowa
Basepoint Wealth - Kirk Sadilek
Cedar Graphics
Cedar Rapids Toyota
Circle Computer Resources
Contract Exchange Corp.
Cushman & Wakefield Iowa Commercial Advisors
Dave Wright Nissan Subaru
The Efting Team - Skogman Realty
F&M Bank
Gibbs Lamb Drown - GLD Commercial Real Estate
Hall-Perrine Cancer Center
Inspired to Sew
Justice Electric
Lebeda Mattress
Life Time Fence Co
Lynch Ford Chevrolet
McCarville Family
Midwest Janitorial Service
Nesper Sign Advertising, Inc.
Parks, Schmit & Fuller Orthodontics
Reid Family
Schumacher Carpets
Simmons Perrine Moyer Bergman
Trevor Parks Construction Co.
John Wollner, M.D.
World Class Industries
Zeppelins
Zio Johnno's Spaghetti House

SUSTAINERS (\$249 - \$100)

Anderson-Bogert
Bouchard's Home Improvement
Captain Clean
Chiropractic Professional Office PC
Corridor Cartridges & More
Don G. Homan
Elite Home and Radon Inspections
G&M Cleaning
Steve Hammes
J.P. Gasway Company
La Cantina Restaurant
Level 10 Apparel
Lu's Deli
Molly Iversen, Realtor
Office Express
Papich-Kuba Funeral Home
Ramler Construction
Smith Landscape and Design
Tension Corporation
That's StorBiz LLC
Westdale Dental, PC
Read Photography

FOUNDATION FRIENDS (Up to \$99)

Dry Cleaning Plus



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Sacrament Information

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism preparation class is required for parents. Contact Deacon Ed Martin (DeaconEd@allsaintscr.com or 319-364-7524) to schedule a class and date for the baptism (some date restrictions may apply).

Sacrament of Matrimony: Couples are to make arrangements at least six months before the intended date of the wedding in order to fulfill the necessary requirements. Please contact Deacon Mike Klappholz (DeaconMike@allsaintscr.com) to begin the process.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA): Classes are scheduled for Monday evenings beginning in the Fall. Contact Bob Lillibridge, Director of Formation, for more information (adultformation@allsaintscr.com).

Confirmation: Classes will be led by Father Jack Flaherty after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays in the Social Hall. (fatherjack@allsaintscr.com).

First Reconciliation & Eucharist: Second graders combine home study and retreats to prepare for these sacraments. Contact Stacy Cataldo, Director of Catechesis, for more information (catechesis@allsaintscr.com).

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the office at 319-363-6130, ext. 100 to schedule anointings.

Miscellaneous Information

Newcomer Registration: Call the Parish Office at 363-6130, ext. 100, or register on line at <http://www.allsaintscr.com>.

Bulletin Deadline: Items must be submitted electronically to the parish office by Noon on the preceding Monday to: bulletin@allsaintscr.com.

Opportunities for Prayer

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Thursdays, 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM in the Church.

All Saints Prayer Group: Tuesdays at 3:00 PM in the church lower level.

Prayer Tree: Available to anyone who would like us to pray for their intentions. Please call Darlene Fandel at 319-560-4844.

Women's Prayer Group: Tuesday mornings after 8:00 AM Mass.

M.O.M.S Rosary: 7:30 PM 1st Monday of the month, Queen of All Saints Chapel.

Prolife Rosary: Fridays after 8:00 am Mass.

Parish Website: You may both submit and view prayer intentions any time at:

<https://allsaintscr.churchcenter.com/people/forms/413117>.