

THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF



ST BERNARD

201 Main St. Blencoe, IA



ST JOHN

1009 13th St., Onawa, IA



ST JOSEPH

510 Tipton St., Salix, IA

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 15, 2020

From Father Michael

Sir Walter Raleigh was continually submitting requests to Queen Elizabeth on behalf of convicts. Once the Queen said to him,

“Sir Walter, when will you stop being a beggar?”

“When Your Majesty ceases to be a giver,” was the wise answer.

Oh, how wonderful it is to know that God is the inexhaustible source of blessings.

“Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning” (James 1:17)

Questions of the Week:

Children: *Jesus teaches us that work is good for us. What kind of work do you do during the week? How does it help you?*

Adults: *Paul's words to the Thessalonians are tough: if you want to eat, you must work! How does this translate into our society today? How do you reconcile this with Jesus' command to love and feed the poor?*



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2020

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“Well done, my good and faithful servant.” – Mt 25:21

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 15, 2020

ST. JOHN / ST. BERNARD

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MASS SCHEDULE :

Mon	No Mass..0:00 am
Tue	Paul & Maggie Gilkison.....	9:00am
Wed	Connie Rasmussen.....Blencoe)	7:30 am
Thurs	No Mass.....	0:00am
Fri	Bob Bruns.....	9:00 am
Sat	No Mass.....	0:00 am
Sun	Paul Benjamin.....	9:00am

Stewardship 11/8/20 St. John

Envelopes/Loose	\$ 1192.00
building	\$ 25.00
Candles	\$
E-offering	\$ 1387.39
Needy Fund	\$ 50.00
Grain	\$ 2470.09
World Mission	
All Souls	\$
St. Bernard	\$ 120.00

Total: \$ 5244.48

St. John Registered Families.....185

ST. JOSEPH

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Mon	No Mass.....	0:00am
Tue	No Mass.....	0:00am
Wed	No Mass.....	0:00pm
Thurs	Sue Lamoureux.....	9:00am
Fri	No Mass.....	0:00 pm
Sat	Parishioners of Sts.Joseph, John & Bernard..	4:00 pm
Sun	Brent Weikel.....	11:00 am

STEWARDSHIP 11/8/20 St. Joseph

Envelopes	\$ 2650.00
Loose:	\$ 115.00
Candles:	\$ 10.00
Cemetery PC	\$ 200.00
E-offering:	\$ 288.32
Maintenance	\$ 30.00
Emergency	\$ 50.00
Food Pantry	\$ 175.00
Mow & snow	\$
All Saints	\$ 45.00
All Souls	\$ 45.00
Flowers	\$ 125.00
J. Reisch Mem	\$ 870.00
TOTAL:	\$ 4728.32

ST. JOHN

LECTORS	SERVERS	EMS	GIFT BEARERS	USHERS
		Elmwood		
ROSARY		Homebound	Greeters	

ST. JOSEPH —

LECTORS	SERVERS	EMS	GIFT BEARERS	USHERS
—Rosary			14- Greeters	
Stewards		Homebound		<u>Liturgy/ Word</u>



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISHES:

Father Patrick O'Kane, Midge Stanley, Madonna Dodd, Pam Turner, Loretta Simoff, Doe Walker, Pete Mortensen, John Heisterkamp, Charlotte Zortman, Rosemary Kirby, Florence Ibsgaard, Gina Mortensen, Chris Metzger, Judson Bramow, & Sherry Wince. If you know of someone who is ill and needs our prayers, and would like to be listed, or if you no longer need to be listed, contact Colleen @ office 423-1004

Knight of Month: Mike Lage...for his donation of time and expertise as videographer of our virtual Sunday Masses aired on YouTube.

Family of Month: The widows and families of our deceased brother Knights.

Please remember to pick up your packets for Religious Ed.

Our goal amount is \$15,965. We are at 48% of our goal. Let's work Together As One to help support our future. Let's make sure to come Together as One! With your help, we will get there. You can give online, easily and safely, at www.scdiocese.org.

With the number of Covid 19 cases rising, we ask that you stay vigilant and keep practicing the safety measures of washing your hands, wearing masks, social distancing etc. We want everyone to be safe.

What Makes Us Laugh:_____

Parishioner: What is a million years like to you?

God: Like one second.

Parishioner: What is a million dollars like to you?

God: Like one penny.

Parishioner: Can I have a penny?

God: Just a second.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISHES.

Father O'Kane, Fran Mitchell, Nainna Gnat, Jeri Greiner, Mike Franken, David Bogenrief, Linda Donnelly, Sue La-Croix, Bryson Harder, Justin Lamoureux, Sophie Helvey, Doreen Becker, O Roger Huot,,Tristan Parks, Colleen Ebner ,Bailey Cleveland, Christian Case, Brady Worrell, Cal Worrell ,Connie Wagner, Kathy Clayton, Helen Martin, Glenda Ullrich, Stella Serviss, Gerrie Lamoureux. Darrell Lux, Richard Hentges ,Paula Wagner.& Carol Lux. For all who travel, grieve, those in the military, veterans their families and our nations leaders. The candles burning on the Blessed Mother's altar are for the military serving in foreign lands.

YOUTH GROUP will be meeting on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month at 6:30pm

Together as One is now underway, our goal is \$20,142.00, we met our goal last year let's see if we can do it again. If we reach our goal, \$8681 dollars is returned to us. We can do this if everyone pitches in and does their share. Thank You. To date we have raised \$10,615.00 we are off to a good start let's keep it up and get this one done.

CEMETERY CLEAN UP Please go out to the cemetery and pick up your artificial flowers any ornaments that are not good anymore. Get this done in November as winter is fast approaching, this is your cemetery and we all need to pitch in and pick up before the winter blast blows everything all over. Take your garbage bags with you pick up any trash you see, people leave water bottles, pop cans put your trash in dumpster behind church if you have no place for it. Good project for the Boy Scouts but please bring trash to dumpster at Church. Joan & Jim do a great job but we can all pitch in and pick up our stuff and if you see someone's grave that is not cleaned up you can do that one too.. Thank You.

Remember the Souls of the departed this month of November, especially Connor M. Norgelas, Owen Menard, Constance & Forrest Wanberg, Earl & Helen Putnam, Agnes Wickencamp, Dean & Josie Prather, Deceased members of the Olson family, Deceased members of the Vogl family, George & Elizabeth Vogl, Stephen Olson, Leahy family, Bart & Marie, Nick Steinhoff, Howard, Jo Ann & Merele Doerelman, Marilyn & Harold Ganzhorn

Schedule of Father Erpelding's Classes at St. John

December 9—Reconciliation

December 16— Anointing of the Sick

January 20— Marriage

January 27—Holy Orders

February 24—Vocations in the Church

Schedule of Father Erpelding's Classes at St. Joseph

November 18—Eucharist 1

December 2 — Eucharist 2

January 6—Reconciliation

January 13— Anointing of the Sick

February 3— Marriage

February 10 - Holy Orders

March 10—Vocations in the Church

These classes are open to everyone

330 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, celebrated every year on November 21, commemorates (in the words of the Liturgy of the Hours, the daily prayer of the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church) "that dedication of herself which Mary made to God from her very childhood under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit who filled her with grace at her Immaculate Conception." Also known as the Dedication of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the feast originated in the East, where it is called the Entry of the Most Holy Theotokos Into the Temple.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CONFIRMATION CLASS
OF 2020 OF ST. JOSEPH PARISH!!!!

Jack Clayton, Joseph Dewald, Jackson Dewald, Kalla Gimberling, Lily Guntren, Noah MacClure, Noah Seggerman, Matthew Crawford, Joseph Gengler, Kayla Gray, Will Tisher, Frank Lewis, Payton Lewis, Devin Labrune, Kelsi Skatges, Felisa Skatges, Cassie Skinner, Kyle Eliason, Tom Heilman, Dylan Waite, Carson Topf, Levi MacClure, Micke Hansen, Lauryn Keegan, Heather Ann Collins, Cade Klingensmith, Lydia Harpenau, Brooklyn Pekarek. May you all continue to grow in your Catholic Faith and God Bless all of You.

