



Holy Trinity

Catholic Church and School

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October 17

29th Sunday



Ordinary Time

2021

Taking the Journey TOGETHER

*The Son of Man did
not come to be served
but to serve you and
give his life as a
ransom for many.*

Mark 10:35-45

Live the
Gospel of *Life*

RESPECT
LIFE
MONTH

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www.holytrinitydm.org Rev. Mark Neal, Pastor 515 255 3162 X126 www.virtualclassroom.net/ht



FROM FATHER MARK OCT 17 2021

GREETINGS.

It's that time of year again. We have begun the process of budgeting for the upcoming year. In the next couple of weeks, you will be receiving the annual tithing letter and intention card. It is very important that we receive an intention card from all parish households as this is how we create a budget for the next year. Thank you in advance for your continued support of Holy Trinity church and school.

We continue livestreaming most of our Masses. However, there has been a change. We are now using You Tube rather than Facebook. This is now reflected on our online resources including our Facebook page. Our livestreamed Masses can now be found at

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvIW0xpClVmwyzPm580Ckag>

Last week we had our annual Walkathon. It was great to get back to this tradition this year and take so many of our students and families on a walk around Beaverdale before returning to the parish for a meal and some carnival games. Our Walkathon was a great success raising nearly \$30,000. Our theme this year was "Extend, Expand, Adapt our Learning." The funds raised will go to support outdoor educational activities here at Holy Trinity. One of the most exciting initiatives is our community garden. Groundbreaking will take place on October 16 at Noon! Thanks to all who made our Walkathon such a huge success!

Have a good week.

FR. Mark

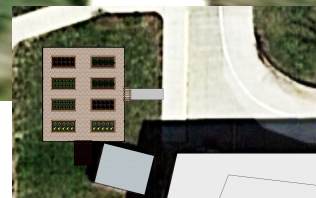
Father Mark Neal

COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUNDBREAKING OCT 16-17 NOON



We would like to recognize and acknowledge Aryn McLaren; Bret & Katie Niday; Stacey Hanley; Erin Grillot, Andy Negrete; Oliver Sheaff; Karen Quiner and the Durbala family, on behalf of Jim Durbala, along with the PTO and the extended Community Garden team for working together to make this happen for the whole parish!

We hope you will all help us break ground Oct 16 at noon! Please [click this LINK to sign up](#) if you would like to help out on this weekend or moving forward. Please contact Aryn McLaren arynmclaren@gmail.com or at 303-669-2254 with questions!



Want more information? Go to www.holytrinitydm.org or call 515 255 3162



FROM THE CHURCH OCT 17 2021

Pastoral Care

PASTORAL CARE Do you know one of our Holy Trinity family who is homebound, in a care facility, hospital or hospice who perhaps would like to have a visit and may want to receive Holy Communion? Maybe they are not up to having a visitor but would enjoy a phone call, email or letter? If you know of anyone, please contact our Pastoral Care Minister, Dan Maxcy at 515-255-3162 ext 124 or at danm@holyltrinitydm.com



MUSIC MINISTRY *Part time paid position for Adult Choir Director, to direct the choir for our 10:30 mass/holidays. This person must have these qualifications: Education In Music; Knowledge of liturgical music; Experience in teaching music, Proficient in piano (and other instruments also a plus). **Contact Andy Negrete in the Holy Trinity Parish Office 255-3162 ext.129***



BEAVERDALE VFW MONTHLY BREAKFAST: Breakfast is served on the 3rd Sunday of each month, from 9 AM-12:00 PM. It is all you can eat! Pancakes (cooked to order), sausages, bacon, biscuits and gravy, hashbrowns, tator tots, scrambled eggs (cooked to order), orange juice, and milk. You can eat in or carry out. Cost is \$8 for adults and \$4 for those under 10 years of age.

INNER VISIONS HEALTHCARE FUNDRAISER We would like to announce the Holy Trinity Bottle Campaign for InnerVisions HealthCare, a local unplanned pregnancy and STD medical clinic. Their mission is to empower women in vulnerable situations to choose parenting or adoption. On Saturday, October 16 and Sunday, October 17, you'll find baby bottles in the gathering space; please take a bottle, fill it with change, cash, or checks and return it on the weekend of October 24 and 25. If you have any questions, please contact Bryan Gonzalez at 515.280.4706, to learn more about the life-affirming work of InnerVisions HealthCare, visit www.ivhcare.org. Thank you for your support!

NEXT BAPTISM CLASS IS ON MONDAY OCT 25 If you are planning on baptizing your child at Holy Trinity, a Baptism Class is required. Please sign up for class by calling the Parish Office at 255-3162 ext.128. We look forward to celebrating this beautiful Sacrament with you!

USHERS NEEDED! As we are now required to maintain our holy obligation for Sunday masses, we need you! This ministry is open to all individuals and families. We do ask that children be with an adult. Please **contact Andy Negrete** 255-3162 ext. 129 or andyn@holyltrinitydm.org

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED We can have 3! Eligible servers are students already trained with Parental Permission. **Parents—email student's name and Mass time availability to carolynr@holyltrinitydm.org.**



SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS! To advertise, contact Andy Negrete 255-3162 ext. 129 or andyn@holyltrinitydm.org

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED...
Marie McClafin
Longtime Parishioner of Holy Trinity



FINANCIAL BLESSINGS ENDING WEEK OF OCT 10 2021

Budget - July 2021 - June 2022	\$1,000,000	YTD Overage (Deficit)	(\$5,294)
YTD Actual Tithing through Oct 10	\$261,671	Tithing for the week ending Oct 10	\$28,578
YTD Budget through Oct 10	\$266,965	Number of Donations Received	287

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Want more information? Call the Parish Office 515 255 3162 X128 M-F 8AM-4PM



FROM THE CHURCH OCT 17 2021

KNIGHTS TOOTSIE ROLL SALE

The Holy Trinity
Knights of Columbus will be
passing out Tootsie Rolls after all
the Masses on October 23 & 24
and asking for a donation.
ALL money raised will be given to
the kids at Ruby Van Meter School.
This school serves the Children in
the Des Moines area that have
Intellectual Disabilities.
Our Knights Council is proud
to work for these kids.
We will also be selling full boxes of
50 Tootsie Rolls for \$5.00.
What a great way to get your Trick
or Treat candy and help a
very worthy cause.
Thank you from the
Holy Trinity Knights!



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FROM THE CHURCH OCT 17 2021

TITHE & THRIVE Please remember that just like you, your Parish is financially responsible for so many things and so many people. We rely on our Parish family to help us meet those needs and continue God's good work. You are a cornerstone in keeping this Catholic community thriving through it all. Please look for our annual letter coming soon to your mailbox! We ask you prayerfully consider what you can do to support your parish. We also ask that you consider giving more of you: to volunteer at two, three or four of the many ministries that fundraise, build community or help us worship together.



VOLUNTEER AT HOLY TRINITY

Holy Trinity is an incredible parish because of our volunteers. **Please sign up for how you and your family would like to join in and support this tradition.**

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

Fundraising

- ☐ Gala Auction
- ☐ Walk-a-thon
- ☐ Holiday Boutique
- ☐ SCRIP
- ☐ Parish Garage Sale
- ☐ Omelet Breakfast (Catholic Schools Week)

Community Building

- ☐ Parent Ambassadors
- ☐ Event or Office Assistance
- ☐ Rewards Program (Amazon Smile, Box Tops)
- ☐ School Hospitality
- ☐ Spirit Wear
- ☐ Community Garden
- ☐ Fall Festival Support
- ☐ Community Outreach
- ☐ Cub Scouts/Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts

School Support

- ☐ Parent Teacher Organization
- ☐ Board of Education
- ☐ Alumni Committee
- ☐ School Supply Drive
- ☐ Yearbook
- ☐ Artist in Residence
- ☐ Enrichment Activities Committee
- ☐ Athletics

Liturgy

- ☐ Eucharistic Ministers/Lector
- ☐ Greeter/Usher
- ☐ Altar Server
- ☐ Music/Cantor/Choir/Schola/Instrumental
- ☐ Children's Liturgy of the Word

Faith Formation

- ☐ Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
- ☐ Faith Sharing Group
- ☐ Scripture Study
- ☐ Youth Ministry

Hospitality

- ☐ Parish Welcoming Committee
- ☐ Easter Vigil Reception/Lenten Suppers
- ☐ Senior Dinners
- ☐ Prepare Meals for HT Parishioners (Funeral, Sickness)
- ☐ Coffee and Donuts
- ☐ Serving Meals for Funeral Dinners

Prayer

- ☐ Eucharistic Adoration
- ☐ Taizé
- ☐ Prayer Chain
- ☐ Rosary Circles

Service

- ☐ Parish Visioning Committee
- ☐ Finance Committee
- ☐ Respect Life Committee/Activities
- ☐ Peace and Justice Committee/Activities
- ☐ Knights of Columbus Organization
- ☐ Saint Vincent DePaul Organization (in/out of parish)
- ☐ Sponsor Couple for Marriage
- ☐ Caretakers of Altar Linens/Worship Space and Sacristy
- ☐ Event Photography/Streaming Help
- ☐ Childcare during Parish Events
- ☐ Garden Caretaking/Support

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Get Our Great New Tee!



FREE Tote for the first 200 on Friday Night!



"HERE AM I. SEND ME!" Isaiah 6:8

No experience necessary. Joyful can-do spirit a must!

How can I help?

We are in need of in person bakers to prep braids & pies, donations of homemade cinnamon rolls, quick breads & cookies; crew to assist with decorating the school prior, crews for set up & tear down, serve meals to vendors, work shift at bakery, coffee bar & ticket booth. Many hands needed & monetary donations welcomed towards baking supplies. Invite your friends, family & teams to join you in any of these essential jobs!

Together we can make this year's Holiday Boutique a must-see event that will benefit our students, teachers and community! **ALL proceeds** go directly into operating budget that supports our children's education & HT experience.

All volunteers will receive a FREE comfy clothes pass! Scouts, high schoolers and anyone needing service hours will also be honored.

For additional details and sign-up opportunities, please click here <https://signup.com/go/DLDwkps>

Questions regarding Mrs. Kringle's Bakery? Please reach out to Sarah Severson at missmay1484@yahoo.com

General questions regarding Volunteering & Boutique? Please reach out to Jen Witt at jennifer.witt@unitypoint.org

Help Us Make this Event GREAT!

**SHOP
LOCAL!**

Beaverdale²⁰²¹

◆ FRIDAY ◆
NOVEMBER
12th

5:30 PM
..... to
8:30 PM

◆ SATURDAY ◆
NOVEMBER
13th

9:00 AM
..... to
2:00 PM

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**The Beaverdale Holiday Boutique is a beloved,
annual tradition not to be missed!**



FRIDAY NIGHT the first 200 in the door will get a FREE Holiday Boutique tote! Curbin' Cuisine's food truck will be serving up a delicious menu while you sip & shop with your friends for the most wonderful holiday gifts and décor.



SATURDAY will feature a Grounds for Celebration Coffee Bar, lunch will be from our own Knights of Columbus and of course don't miss our delicious baked goods.

Make sure to visit our 'sElfie' booth and post your pics!

**TAKE AN
#Elfie** 🧝

Join us for fun, food, great gifts and more!



FROM THE SCHOOL OCT 17 2021



THE PTO WILL HOST TRUNK OR TREAT ON SUNDAY OCT. 31 **from 4PM-5:30PM** in the main school parking lot. [Trunk Sign Up Here](#) Approximately 20 volunteer "trunks" are needed. Sign up to bring a decorated vehicle and candy for distribution.

KIDS CONNECTION TEAM ASSOCIATE NEEDED Holy Trinity Kids Connection is looking for an optimistic, energetic, and responsible leader to fill an immediate Team Associate position. Kids Connection is a DHS Licensed Child Care Program with an inviting, positive, and gratifying atmosphere in a before and after school childcare program. Kids Connection serves children aged Preschool-8th grade. Hours could amount up to 15 per week. Job requirements are the following: must be at least 16 years of age, ability to lift 15+ pounds, able to provide first aid/CPR, obtain a health physical, pass the required background and fingerprint checks, and the completion and maintenance of additional mandatory DHS training (up to 10 hours) as required. If interested in this fun & flexible part time position with a competitive wage, please reach out to Jenith Burry (jburry@htschool.org) today!



**DOWLING
CATHOLIC
HIGH SCHOOL®**

Dowling Catholic High School is hosting its annual Open House for Prospective Students on **Sunday, November 7th from 11 AM- 2 PM**. Families will tour the school, meet the teachers, moderators, and coaches and learn about tuition assistance. There are prizes to win and games to play! It's a fun day for the whole family! If you have any questions, please call [515-222-1025](tel:515-222-1025)



ARE YOU READY TO ENROLL YOUR CHILDREN AT HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL?

Contact us at 515 255 3162
ext 115 or please visit us at
<https://holytrinitydm.org/school>

Holy Trinity Catholic School is a community of teachers and parents who labor in love to care for, and raise, the stewards of our future.

We recognize and respond to the spirit and dignity of each child as they grow and achieve excellence in life and learning.

We believe all things are possible with God, and so will your child.

DISCOVER THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
DIFFERENCE AND EARN A

\$1,500 TUITION GRANT!

Families who transfer their children to Holy Trinity Catholic School may be eligible for a tuition grant if you enroll between now and June 30, 2021. Tuition grants are available for each child in grades 1-7 for the first two years of enrollment.

YEAR ONE: \$1000 credit on full tuition for each eligible student

YEAR TWO: \$500 credit on full tuition for each eligible student

Families with students enrolled at Holy Trinity currently can earn a \$500 credit for each family they refer that enrolls.

Certain restrictions apply. For more information and to discover the Holy Trinity difference, visit holytrinitydm.org/school.

Want more information? Call the School Office 515 255 3162 X116 M-F 8AM-4PM Fax 515 255 1381



HOLY TRINITY'S SISTER MAUREEN LEACH, OSF CELEBRATES 40TH JUBILEE Sister Maureen Leach, OSF will celebrate her Ruby Jubilee (40 years) as a Sister of Saint Francis, of Dubuque, Iowa, on Saturday October 23, 2021. The 9 AM Morning Praise and the 12:30 pm Celebration of the Word will be livestreamed at www.youtube.com/dubuque_franciscans. Sister Maureen is originally from Holy Trinity Parish in Des Moines, and is the youngest of the four children of Betty Gene and Vernon E. Leach. She is an alumnae of Saint Joseph's Academy and Dowling High School. In 1979 she received her bachelor's degree in Spanish with a math minor from the University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls. Sister Maureen entered the Sisters of St. Francis in 1980, was received into the novitiate in 1981, and professed final vows on August 11, 1987.

Her ministries have included: activities director at Stonehill Franciscan Services in and work with refugees from Cuba in Dubuque; social service worker/organizer with the National Farm Worker Ministry in the Rio Grande Valley, Texas; parish ministry in rural Guatemala; peace and justice center staff member; teacher trainer/adult education instructor; education coordinator at Visitation House Transitional Housing; Spanish/English interpreter; and licensed massage therapist specializing in hospice care in San Antonio, TX. Sister Maureen co-authored the book *Psalms Anew in Inclusive Language*. In collaboration with the San Antonio PeaceCENTER, she co-authored/edited the book "Insights on the Journey, Trauma Healing and Wholeness". She presently serves on the Sisters of Saint Francis Leadership Team at Mount Saint Francis Center 3390 Windsor Ave., Dubuque, IA 52001. *Congratulations and May God Bless you always!*



**5th Annual Empty Bowls:
A Benefit for Bidwell Riverside Center
Thursday, November 4 | 6:00 PM |
Temple for Performing Arts**

[PURCHASE TICKETS](#)

Bidwell Riverside Center's Empty Bowls event seeks to shed light on the food insecurity faced by our neighbors, and raise funds to support Bidwell Riverside Center's mission to increase stability and self-sufficiency in our community.

Our Food & Clothing Pantry, the largest-serving food pantry in Iowa, helped just under 17,000 members of the community in 2020 - the most we've ever served in our 128-year history. Access to food, toiletries, diapers, baby food, formula, clothing, and household items is vital to Iowans living in poverty, and the need is not subsiding.

Each attendee will select a hand-made ceramic bowl upon entering, a gift to take home and remind them to fill the bowls of others as often as they can. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, dinner, dessert and a cash bar.

Tickets are \$50 each - to have early access to choose your bowl, you can purchase a VIP ticket for \$100.



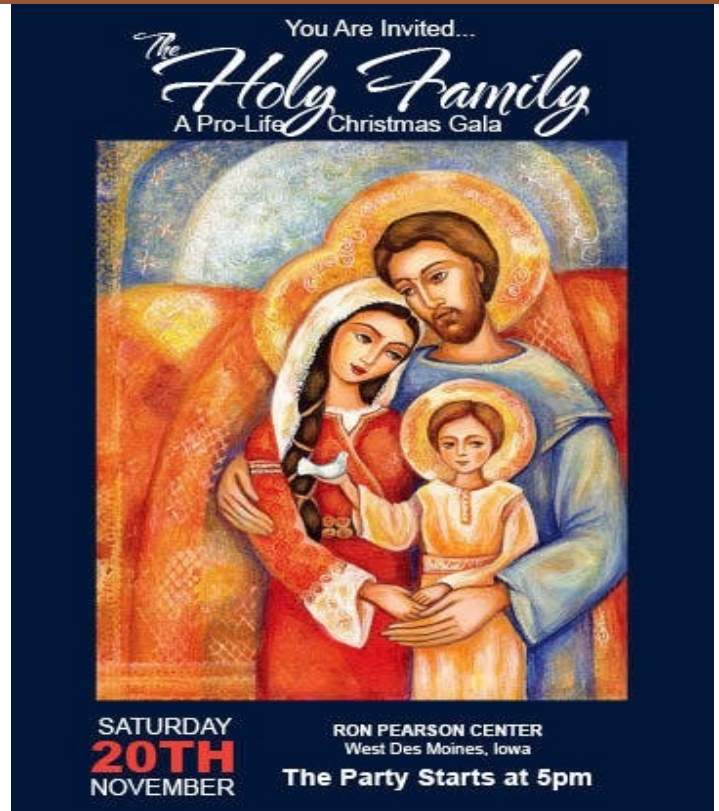
DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY OCT 17 2021



YOUNG CATHOLIC NETWORK: All young adult professionals in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Young Catholic Network Speaker Series on Tuesday, November 9th! Join us at 6 PM for an evening of networking and fellowship at the Catholic Pastoral Center in downtown Des Moines. Enjoy complimentary drinks and appetizers while meeting other young Catholics committed to professional and spiritual growth. Dan Kinsella, Managing Partner at Deloitte will be our featured speaker. He consults with businesses and Fortune 500 companies on how to manage their risk to seek rewards and avoid pitfalls. There's risk when it comes to sharing your faith in the workplace. What's the reward for sharing the Word? And how can prayer help us avoid pitfalls? Dan explains! Attire is business casual. Free childcare is provided. If you need childcare, please register by Nov 1st at www.dmdiocese.org/ycn.

YCDM CATHOLIC SINGLES GROUP-HALLOWEEN PARTY If you're a Catholic single, aged 21-39, join us for some not-too-spooky Halloween fun! There will be drinks, snacks, dancing, prizes, and lots of free candy. Who says Halloween is just for kids? Costumes are optional, but there will be a costume contest. For questions, email YCDMCatholicSingles@gmail.com. **When: Friday, October 29 at St. Augustin Parish Hall (545 42nd St, Des Moines) from 7PM to 9:30PM.**

BIG BAND AFFAIR October 23 - 6:15 to 9:15 (doors open at 6:00) St. John the Apostle parish at 720 Orchard Hills Dr., Norwalk, is hosting the High Society Big Band playing the songs of Duke Ellington, Tommy Dorsey, Glenn Miller and more. Enjoy an evening of listening to the great music or dance the night away. Each table will be provided an appetizer tray (pizza, wine, beer and non-alcoholic beverages available for purchase). Tickets are \$10 (\$12 at the door) and a table of 8 is \$75. Purchase tickets in the parish office or go to our website at stjohnsnorwalk.org (click on the donate tab). Questions, please call the office at 515-981-4855.



ANNOUNCING THE HOLY FAMILY CHRISTMAS GALA ON NOVEMBER 20TH! Iowans for LIFE will host their 11th annual fundraising banquet on November 20th at the Hy-Vee Ron Pearson Conference Center in West Des Moines. This year's theme is THE HOLY FAMILY, featuring top musical talent, including Gina Gedler and Tony Valdez, backed by a 16 voice choir and orchestra. In addition, you will experience a fabulous meal, exciting auction, and hear a great pro-life talk by Msgr. Frank Chiodo. Tables of ten/\$600; \$65/seat.

Order online today: IowansforLIFE.org.

JOB OPPORTUNITY Due to an upcoming retirement, St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Parish is seeking a dynamic person of faith to serve as its Parish Secretary. This is a full-time position with competitive pay and benefits. The Parish Secretary serves as the first point of contact for Parish visitors responsible for scheduling of facilities, customer service, management of sacramental records, and oversight of the Parish registry. Interested individuals may contact Mike Smith, Parish Manager at 515-279-4654 or via email at michaelsmith@stsdsm.com or visit the Parish website at SaintTheresalowa.org/employment-opportunities.

Want more information? Go to dmdiocese.org

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DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY OCT 17 2021

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

JOIN THE DIOCESE OF DES MOINES AS WE CELEBRATE THE GIFT OF THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE! Bishop Joensen will be celebrating three anniversary Masses this fall to pray with, bless and honor couples celebrating milestone anniversaries. Certificates of blessing and reserved seating is available for couples celebrating 1, 10, 25 and 50+ years of marriage. A light reception will follow the Mass.

Times and Locations:

- Saturday, October 30, 4 PM at St. Ambrose Cathedral, Des Moines, IA
- Sunday, November 7, 11:30 AM at St. Anne Catholic Church, Logan, IA
- Saturday, November 13, 5 PM at St. Mary Catholic Church, Red Oak, IA

To register call Catholic Gearhart at 515-237-5004 or email her at cgearhart@dmdioocese.org

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS 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 with any questions.

PEACE MINISTRY (CPM) IS SEEKING A PERSON TO SERVE AS DIRECTOR. CPM is an independent, faith-based, grass-roots peace and justice group based in Des Moines, whose mission is to help individuals and congregations answer God's call for us to be "Instruments of Peace" in our world. CPM emphasizes faith-based social justice traditions and collaborates with other justice and peace advocacy groups. We expect the position to be half-time, with flexible hours. Over the years, CPM has sought to stop the nuclear weapons race, reduce military spending, and prevent and stop endless wars. The new CPM director will play a big role in setting CPM priorities for the future, such as working to expose and reduce the role of militarism in harming the environment and fostering racism. For more information, contact: Kathleen McQuillen kathleenmcquillen@gmail.com at 515-710-9902, or Steve Gude, smgude@gmail.com, 515-778-4195.

WOMENS CONFERENCE 2021

Hosted by Iowa Catholic Radio Network

Saturday, October 30, 2021

Des Moines Embassy Suites

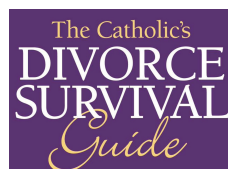
Ladies, please join us for

"Spiritual Protection for Such a Time as This".

The conference begins with Mass at 8 AM followed by a day of powerful national, and local speakers who will give you the tools to protect yourself and your loved ones.

\$30 tickets on sale now.

For more information, go to www.iowacatholicradio.com or call 515-202-3176.



IS ANYONE IN YOUR FAMILY

DIVORCED? Please give someone a copy of this ad or invite them to *The Catholic's DIVORCE SURVIVAL Guide* 12-week group which begins

November 8th at Holy Trinity Parish, 2926 Beaver Ave, Des Moines, IA 50310. Cost of \$30 per person includes a "Personal Survival Guide" and all materials for 12 weeks. Find comfort and counsel consistent with Catholic teachings. Call Bill and Ann Moore for more information, or to register, at 515-480-3314 (Bill) 641-425-0109 (Ann) or email moorefamilysm@gmail.com. For more information visit www.catholicdivorce.com

Want more information? Go to dmdioocese.org

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SPECIAL UPDATE

REMAINING FAITHFUL TO OUR MISSION— STRENGTHENING THE CHURCH AT HOME IN 2020 AND 2021

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, public Masses were suspended across the country at the time of the 2020 Catholic Home Missions Appeal (CHMA). Unfortunately, this significantly impacted the appeal and the other national collections throughout the year. The unaudited total for the 2020 CHMA as of January 2021 was less than \$3.1 million, more than a 63% decrease from the prior year.

However, as the pandemic continues across the world, the Catholic Home Missions Appeal has remained faithful in providing vital assistance to 87 dioceses and eparchies across the United States, its territories, and several former territories in the Pacific. Without these funds, these dioceses and eparchies would not be able to minister to their parishioners in all the ways that are needed. In 2021, when the appeal is taken up in your parish, prayerfully consider supporting it. You can also help by including the CHMA and all national collections in your online parish/diocesan e-offertory programs or envelopes programs, and by praying with us for an end to this pandemic and for those who have lost their lives or livelihoods as a result of it.

**MAY OUR HEAVENLY FATHER BLESS YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROSITY TO STRENGTHEN THE CHURCH AT HOME.**

Bishops from Catholic Home Mission-funded dioceses express their thanks for your ongoing support:

It is with profound gratitude that I send this letter on behalf of all the faithful of the Diocese of Steubenville. The program areas funded are crucial in strengthening critical pastoral ministries throughout the diocese. Your investment in helping us reach people where they are, and bring them the faith through resources and tools in short supply until now, is a message of hope to all of our parishioners and the people who serve them.
—**Bishop Jeffrey M. Monforton, Diocese of Steubenville**

I am so grateful to the bishops and staff of Catholic Home Missions, together with all of the faithful who support CHM, for your support for the Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Parma.... This grant is such a blessing for us and will be faithfully utilized in furthering the Kingdom of God. Your support has been essential. —**Bishop Milan Lach, Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Parma**

I sincerely want to thank you and the Subcommittee on Catholic Home Missions for awarding the Diocese of Crookston the 2021 grant. May the good Lord continue to bless you all at Catholic Home Missions.
—**Bishop Michael J. Hoeppner, Diocese of Crookston**

I send you my deepest gratitude for all that you and the Subcommittee on Catholic Home Missions does for the Diocese of Tucson. Without your assistance, we would not be able to provide support for these valuable programs and vital ministries.... Please be assured of my continued prayers for the success of the Subcommittee on Catholic Home Missions and the great work you do on behalf of our mission diocese.
—**Bishop Edward Weisenburger, Diocese of Tucson**

We are very grateful for this support and will ensure that the funds are used for the programs as indicated. I was saddened to learn of the negative effect of this year's pandemic on the Collection for Catholic Home Missions and pray that next year will fare better.
—**Bishop Peter Muhich, Diocese of Rapid City**

I deeply appreciate this much-needed assistance and the generous support we receive as a mission diocese from the Catholic Home Missions. I am remembering you and those who support Catholic Home Missions in my prayers and Masses I offer daily.
—**Bishop Louis F. Kihneman III, Diocese of Biloxi**



CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL

OFFICE OF NATIONAL COLLECTIONS

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Strengthening the Church at Home

STRENGTHENING THE CHURCH AT HOME



In their 2000 pastoral letter *Responsibility, Rehabilitation, and Restoration*,* the bishops of the United States called the faithful to embrace an approach to criminal justice that takes into account the dignity of crime victims and their families, communities, and offenders.

The Catholic Home Missions—funded Diocese of Santa Rosa is answering this call for an approach that upholds justice and healing in its six counties of northwestern California, stretching from Napa in the south along the coastline to the Oregon border. The diocese's Catholic Restorative Justice Ministries program (www.restorejusticesantarosa.org) works to fulfill the bishops' vision through a variety of activities that include support for inmates reentering

society, as well as pastoral ministries for crime victims and their families, justice system personnel, and inmates. The program's broad range of goals are being implemented, expanded, and refined yearly with financial assistance from the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. When you participate in the appeal, you join in the Church's healing mission of mercy to all.

*To read this letter online, visit www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/criminal-justice-restorative-justice/crime-and-criminal-justice.cfm.

Support CHMA and strengthen the Church at home.

For more information about the Catholic home missions, visit www.usccb.org/home-missions.

WHAT IS A HOME MISSION DIOCESE?

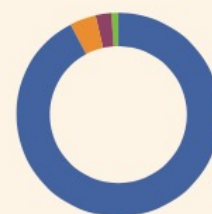
Home mission dioceses are those Catholic dioceses in the United States, its territories, and former territories that cannot provide basic pastoral services without outside help. Basic pastoral services include Mass, the sacraments, religious education, and ministry training for priests, deacons, religious sisters, and laypeople. Right now, over 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are considered home missions.

CHMA FINANCIALS 2019

TOTALS BY PROGRAM AREA



■ Diocesan and Parish Assistance	\$3,615,000
■ Faith Formation	\$2,430,000
■ Priestly and Religious Vocations	\$2,125,000
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NOTES ON THE MASS OCT 17 2021

SPIRITUALITY OF THE READING

Ask?

Often we think of God as someone who helps us get everything we need. The great parent in the sky. The Responsorial Psalm says it well: "See, the eyes of the LORD are upon those who fear him, upon those who hope for his kindness, to deliver them from death." ([Psalm](#))

James and John say the following to their teacher: "we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." They rush up to Jesus ([Gospel](#)). It a bit blunt, isn't it, like children making demands. Jesus replies mildly, "What do you wish me to do for you?"

"Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left."

Not a completely unreasonable request, I suppose. But rude. Moreover, the demand comes immediately—and I mean in the very next line—after he has predicted the passion. He says,

"The Son of Man will be handed over to the chief priests and the scribes, and they will condemn him to death and hand him over to the Gentiles who will mock him, spit upon him, scourge him, and put him to death, but after three days he will rise. ([Mark 10:33-34](#))."

Hearing this, the apostles do what you and I often do. They change the subject.

There is nothing in their request about suffering, just glory. Jesus responds that they too must drink the cup that he will drink, or in other words, must also undergo pain.

Jesus himself begged God to take the cup of suffering away, and he used the term, "Abba" (a familiar form of "father") when he was asking ([Mark 14:36](#)). And in another place, *"during the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission ([Hebrews 5:7](#))."*

He was heard?

What? God heard these fiery prayers and then sat by idly while the passion and cruel death went right along?

Such observations put us directly in front of *The Terrible Question*, the one that has plagued humankind since its beginning. Why does a trustworthy, loving, parental God permit suffering and catastrophe even when he has heard in detail the prayers of those about to be afflicted?

Maybe loss, death and suffering are not the worst thing for us, even though they certainly seem to be.

The worst would be loss of love's groundwork, the never-ending love of God.

If [my servant] gives his life as an offering for sin, he shall see his descendants in a long life, and the will of the LORD shall be accomplished through him. Because of his affliction he shall see the light in fullness of days. ([First Reading](#))

Suffering may well stretch and widen the human soul, making it large enough to know God, to act on behalf of others, to let in that which is greater than death or life: love.

Love stays even when life does not.

If this is true, then God's love is parental after all. He is allowing the worst in order to show what the best really is.

John Foley, SJ





BRING THE GOSPEL HOME OCT 17 2021

READING I Isaiah 53:10-11

PSALM 33:4-22

READING II Hebrews 4:14-16

GOSPEL Mark 10:35-45

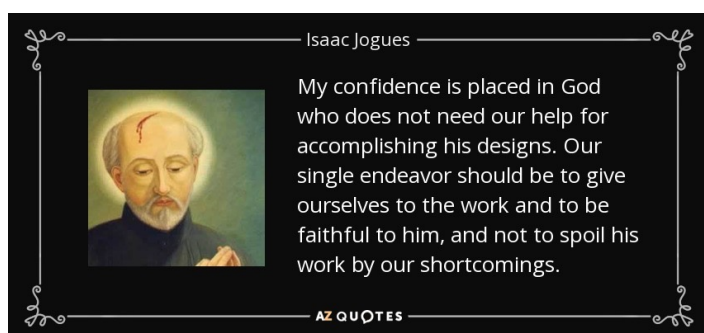
Question for Children: Name some ways that you can serve others.

Question for Youth: Jesus changed the way we think of leadership to be someone who serves others. How are you a leader in school, your family, the parish and/or your community?

Question for Adults: What are some times in your own life when you have the chance to be last instead of first?

Use these activities as a way to further reflect on the Sunday readings:

- Ask your family to suggest names of people in your parish, or community who serve the needs of others. Write a thank-you note to one of these persons, thanking them for their service to others.
- Make a helping-hand coupon. On the coupon, write one thing you will do to help someone in your family. Cut the coupon out and give it to the person you will help.
- Watch for stories in magazines or newspapers which tell about someone whose suffering led them to reach out to others. Share the stories with your family.



SAINT OF THE WEEK

Isaac Joques, Priest and Martyr

Born in Orleans, France, the son of a wealthy merchant, Isaac Joques was sent to a Jesuit school when he was ten years old. While at first wary of the strict rules of his new school, by the time Isaac graduated, he was determined to become a Jesuit priest and a missionary. He served among the native peoples of Canada, and often suffered greatly at their hands for his faith. Nonetheless, he continued his work for the Gospel and through him, many people came to believe in Christ.

Isaac's message today: Isaac Joques strongly felt God's calling and, even knowing that he would suffer martyrdom if he returned to the Iroquois, he willingly did so. Few of us are called to martyrdom today, though many will suffer some degree of persecution.

Can you love your neighbor, as Jesus asked us to do, even knowing that your neighbor harbors ill will against you?



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HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL		NO SCHOOL MONDAY OCT 18 KC Open				Living Rosary 9:15AM	
FAITH FORMATION			RCIA Meeting 6:30PM CH	Faith Formation 6:30PM			
ADULT FAITH FORMATION	Mass 8:30AM 10:30AM	No Communion Service	Mass 8:30AM	School Mass 8:30AM Hosted By Grade 7	Mass 8AM Adoration 2-9PM Rosary 4:15PM	Mass 8:30AM	Reconciliation 3-3:45PM Sunday Vigil Mass 4:30PM Sunday Reading Grp MEN'S 7:30AM SR WOMEN'S 8:30AM CH
AND MORE	Community Garden Groundbreaking			10th Grade Confirmation Class 6:30PM MC		Marriage Encounter Weekends	Big Band Affair 6:15-9:15 St John The Apostle

CH: Church 101-106: Classrooms DC: Day Chapel K: Kitchen MC: Media Center PO: Parish Office SR: Social Room

MASS / LITURGY SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

DAILY MASS READINGS @ <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/100421.cfm>

Sunday Oct 17

8:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Mass

Harold McCarville
For the Parish

Monday Oct 18

NO Communion Service

Tuesday Oct 19

8:30 AM Mass

Evelyn Bisanti

Wednesday Oct 20

8:30 AM School Mass

Kitty James Grogan

Thursday Oct 21

8 AM Mass
2-9 PM
4:15 PM

Richard Kotz Jr
Adoration
Rosary

Friday Oct 22

8:30 AM Mass

Jim Durbala

Saturday Oct 23

3-3:45 PM
4:30 PM Mass

Reconciliation
Jim Cooney

Sunday Oct 24

8:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Mass

Marcie Coleman
For the Parish

NEXT WEEK LITURGICAL MINISTERS / ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday Oct 23 4:30 PM Sunday Vigil

Altar Servers

Ella Kiernan & Volunteers

Lectors

Matt Kiernan & Olivia Kiernan

EMHC

Team 1

Musical Coordinator

Tom Quiner

Sunday Oct 24 8:30 AM

Altar Servers

Cameron Goode & Jack Ernst

Lectors

Ben Klaus & John Goode

EMHC

Team 1

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy Janelle Kerr

Musical Coordinator

Tom Quiner

Sunday Oct 24 10:30 AM

Altar Servers

Kinsley Longfield & Claire Zwier

Lectors

Peggy Jones & Tammy Altman

EMHC

Team 3

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy Paul Bush

Musical Coordinator

TBA

WEEKEND MASSES Sat 4:30 PM / Sun 8:30 & 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES Tue, Wed & Fri 8:30 AM / Thurs 8AM

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