

Cluster Mass Times and Intentions

5/21- Monday
7:30 am, IC, Word & Communion Service
9:00 am, HN,
 Harold Dennler

5/22- Tuesday
8:00 am, SFA,
 Edna Bengfort

9:00 am, HN,
 Garland & Mary Knight

5/23 - Wednesday
7:30 am, IC, Word & Communion Service
9:00 am, HN,
 Anthony Leick

5/24 - Thursday
8:00 am, SFA,
 Harold Lockwood

9:00 am, SP
 Christopher Ash

5/25- Friday
9:00 am, Hillcrest
 Benedict Kraus

9:00 am, HN,
 Lyle Lamphier

5/19 - Saturday
7:30 am, IC
 Charles Tennegen

5:00 pm, HN
 Felix Ameling

5:05 pm, IC
 Bob & Millie Richmond

5/20 - 7th Sunday after Easter
8:30 am, SP,
 For the People

8:30 am, IC,
 Ellen Duffy

10:00 am, HN,
 Leo Bodensteiner

10:30 am, SFA,
 Jeanne Singer



Liturgical Ministers May 26 & 27

	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Gift Bearers	Ushers	Greeters	Servers	Money Counters
IC, Sumner Saturday 5:05 pm	Lorraine Pippo	Mary Gansen Clem Schemmel Connie Rochford	Les Teeling	Sally Yungtum Tom Yungtum Norb Gansen	Gene Blazek Steve Corcoran	Steve Yungtum Matt Yungtum Mick Rochford	
IC, Sumner Sunday 8:30 am	Pat Duffy	Jim Duffy Kelly Henderson Lon Tisue	Dave Wheeling	Doug Daniels Gary Schmitz Cathy Schmitz	Milly Rader Daryl Bouska	Isabelle Daniels Lindsey Bouska Bridget Bouska	Nancy Meyer Theresa Schulz
SFA, Fayette Sunday 10:30 am	Bonnie West	Rudy Kraus Lavell Kuennen Mark Kuennen Sharroll Richards		Mike Carey Don Hollinrake Chad Ingels Tom Lamphere		Nichole Fagle Kayla Fagle	Mike McFadden Linda Knoploh
HN, W U Saturday 5:00 pm	Tom Grapes	Jane Marshall Colleen Guenther Lois McElvania	Mark Baumler Family	Mark Baumler Mike Elsernd	Mary Lou Meyer Arlene Miller	Tanner Menne Ethan Menne	Colleen Guenther Tom Grapes
HN, W U Sunday 10:00 am	Erin Heins	Dean Pedersen Carolyn Breuer Bonnie Patrick	Mike & Judy Roach	Kevin Baumler Joe Breuer Jim Halstead	Helen Halstead Ellene Smith	Jordan Baumler Nick Baumler Zane Bodensteiner	Carolyn Breuer Bonnie Patrick
SP, Clermont Sunday 8:15 am	Richard Barnes	Joan Goddard Ardith Barnes Jerry Kelly	Bob & Cynthia Tillman	Craig Kleve Dan Schott		Elizabeth Goddard A.J. Fettkether	Tammy Moser Yvonne Kerr



Please remember in your Masses and prayers people from our cluster who are sick or ailing, we pray that all will have firm faith and improved health:

From Immaculate Conception: Betty Drewes, Michelle Heidemann, Todd Kasemeier, Sarah Kass, Gerald Kroeger, Margaret Kuethe, Terri Kuethe, Noreen Miller, Terri Nelson, Donald & Pauline Rader, Fr. Jude Rochford OFM, Rhonda Rochford and Grant Schellhorn.

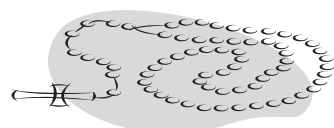
From St. Francis of Assisi: Brad Buzynski, Joann Capell, Lois Ann Corkery, Margaret Henry and Larry Riley.

From Holy Name: Mary (Dunt) Buenzow, Kristie Foreman, Hayden Grimm, Ann Meyer, Marilyn Miller, Ralph Moellers, George Richmond, Austin Timm and Carl Wagner, Jr.

From St. Peter: Ellen Kneeland, Julia Martin and Kendra Schott.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for May:

That initiatives which defend and uphold the role of the family may be promoted within society AND that Mary, Queen of the World and Star of Evangelization, may accompany all missionaries in proclaiming her Son Jesus.



Pray for an increase in vocations.

Read these and other items in the May 20 issue of The Witness:

Retirement on the horizon for five pastors and a parish life coordinator.

Trinity School, Protivin, performs *Alice in Wonderland* with 1 week of practice with help from the Missoula Children's Theatre.

On May 5, St. Pius X Church, Cedar Rapids hosted this year's class of eighty four graduates who have completed the Archdiocesan Lay Formation program.

St. Joseph the Worker Cluster

The four parishes of Immaculate Conception, Sumner, St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette, Holy Name, West Union, and St. Peter, Clermont.

May 20, 2012 - Ascension of our Lord

Congratulations to these graduating seniors of our cluster:

From Holy Name: Jerod Franzen, Nicholas Henn, Alycia Jacobsen and Nicole Langreck.

From St. Peter: Carmen Chapman, Ben Hemesath, Matthew Imoehl, Brianna Lee, Lincoln Monroe and Cassie Wettleson.

From Immaculate Conception: Cole Becker, Zach Edwards, Evan Flynn, Daniel Kass, Brady Kime, Jed Meier, Caitlyn Rochford, Annalise Seda, Paul Smith and Josiah Smith.

From St. Francis of Assisi: Nichole Fagle, Chelsea Forsyth, Collin Knoploh, Amanda Lamphere, Kaylee Michelson, Joseph Mohlis, Jacob West and Brittany Westendorf.

May God bless these young people with right judgment and wisdom as they begin the next phase of the rest of their life.

<http://stjosephtheworkercluster.com/>

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 563-422-3184 & 800-469-3184

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Immaculate Conception, Sumner:

Faith Formation Office, 563-578-8227
 CRE, Jill Le, ktle@myway.com, 563-676-6273
 Bookkeeper & Bulletin: Kyle Flynn, dbq195sec@arch.pvt.k12.ia.us
 Office Hours: 9:00 am to 12 noon

St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette:

Faith Formation Office, 563-425-3228
 CRE, Holly Streecher, 563-425-5340 & 563-419-4661
 Bookkeeper: Delores Fagle Thom 563-425-4410 & delores@iowatelecom.net

Holy Name, West Union:

Parish Office, 563-422-3184
 CRE/Music Director: Sue McDonough, dbq220re@arch.pvt.k12.ia.us
 CRE/Family Life Director: Marion Broghammer, dbq220re1@arch.pvt.k12.ia.us
 Bookkeeper/Secretary: Donna Bodensteiner, Office Hours 9:00 am to 12 noon

Mass & Reconciliation Times

MASS TIMES on Saturdays:

7:30 am, Immaculate Conception, Sumner
 5:00 pm, Holy Name, West Union
 5:05 pm, Immaculate Conception, Sumner

Reconciliation on Saturdays:

4:00 - 4:45 pm, Holy Name
 4:20 - 4:50 pm, Immaculate Conception

MASS TIMES on Sundays:

8:30 am, Immaculate Conception, Sumner
 8:30 am, Saint Peter, Clermont
 10:00 am, Holy Name, West Union
 10:30 am, St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette

Reconciliation on Sundays:

8:00 - 8:20 am, Immaculate Conception
 10:10 - 10:25 am, St. Francis of Assisi

St. Peter, Clermont:

CRE/Youth/Young Adult: Mary Olson, 563-423-7327 & dbq041re@arch.pvt.k12.ia.us
 Business Manager/Bookkeeper/Secretary: Kathy Turner, 563-423-6007

HOLY NAME, WEST UNION

Congratulations and welcome to our new Pastoral Council representatives Bill Clark and Chris Grapes. Thanks, too, to all who were on the ballot in last week's election and to all who voted. And, having completed their terms, special thanks go to Jenni Elsernd and Norm Einck for their years of service to the parish on the Pastoral Council. That so many good people are involved in the life of our parish says good things about us!

KC Meeting Monday, May 21, 8:00 p.m.

A Memorial Day Mass will be held at Mount Calvary Cemetery, weather permitting, Monday May 28, 9:00 a.m. In case of rain, the Mass will be at Holy Name. The Legionnaires will have their ceremony at the cemeteries after the Mass. Please remember the Cemetery in your will.

After a good amount of work our Finance Council has submitted a budget for the 2012-1013 fiscal year. Thanks to all who participated in this process.

"Project Giving Hope" for May will be breakfast month: pancake & muffin mixes, syrup, fruit juices, coffee & tea, etc. or cash.

Sacrificial Giving, May 13: budget \$1,511, youth \$13.80, offertory \$72.95, bldg. & repairs \$100, poor & needy \$111, Spring 3-in-1 \$370.

The found Vivitar camera was Fr. Brokman's and we still have the black coat and key.

Join the Four Seasons For LIFE as they pray at the Fayette Women Health Clinic in Fayette every **2nd and 4th Wednesday** of each month. Call Mary Gansen, 237-5923 for the time of prayer.

Crisis Pregnancy Center- # 1-800-395-HELP
and Iowa website: www.heartbeatinternational.org



"We do very little good when we embark on our own. We do much good when we allow God to direct us and direct our enterprises..."

We must learn to avoid worrying ourselves about anything, to leave ourselves, our concerns, in the hands of God; learn to do away with anxieties of all sorts...

And whilst doing whatever we have to do, we should do it at a pace and a speed that will allow us time continually to run to God for guidance...our conversation with God should be continual."

Blessed Cyprian Tansi, O.C.S.O. (Retreat Notes)

ST. PETER, CLERMONT

Congratulations and welcome to our new Pastoral Council representatives Ann Dibble and Craig Kleve. Thanks, too, to all who were on the ballot in last week's election and to all who voted. And, having completed their terms, special thanks go to Dale Imoehl and Kathy Prentice for their years of service to the parish on the Pastoral Council. That so many good people are involved in the life of our parish says good things about us!

Monday, May 21, 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council meeting

St. Ann's Circle will host a **Parish and Campers Breakfast on June 3** after the 8:30 Mass. Pancakes, Sausage, and Fruit will be served. All are welcome to come meet and greet.

Sacrificial giving May 13: \$1490.37

Beulahland Christian Camp Pancake Breakfast, Sunday, June 10, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Free Will Donation to benefit the camp.

St. Peter's Summer Faith Formation Opportunities:

Reading Camp Monday, August 6 - Thursday, August 9, 9 am -1:00 pm.

Bible School Monday, August 13 - Thursday, August 16, 5:30 to 8:00 pm

Beulahland Camp 2012 dates: 5th & 6th grades June 24-28; 7th & 8th grades July 8-12; 9th-12th grades July 15-19; 6th-8th grades July 22-26; 3rd-5th grades July 29- August 2.

For more information regarding all of the above contact Mary Olson - molson@aeal.k12.ia.us - 563-380-6135.

Religious Freedom

The United States Catholic bishops have issued a call to action to defend religious liberty and urged laity to work to protect the First Freedom of the Bill of Rights. Their position is outlined in "Our First, Most Cherished Freedom." **The bishops called for "A Fortnight for Freedom," the two-week period from June 21 to July 4 - beginning with the feasts of St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher and ending with Independence Day - to focus "all the energies the Catholic community can muster" for religious liberty.**

The document can be found at www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/our-first-most-cherished-liberty.cfm.

IC, SUMNER

Congratulations and welcome to our new Pastoral Council representatives Rick Pagel and Dawn Swehla. Thanks, too, to all who were on the ballot in last week's election and to all who voted. And, having completed their terms, special thanks go to Jerry Becker, Kayse Delagardelle, and Joel Meyer for their years of service to the parish on the Pastoral Council. That so many good people are involved in the life of our parish says good things about us!

After a good amount of work our **Finance Council** has submitted a budget for the 2012-1013 fiscal year. Thanks to all who participated in this process.

Many, many thanks to John Fay and his family. John was kind enough to name I.C. parish as a partial beneficiary in his life insurance policy. John's gift of \$8,394.92 allowed payment of half the money we borrowed from the Archdiocese for last fall's tuck-pointing project. Our debt for this project now stands at \$8,605.

ADULT CHOIR (10th grade & UP) we will have choir practice on **Wednesday, May 23 at 7:00 p.m.** The choir will sing on Sunday, May 27 for Pentecost at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

IC Liturgy Committee will meet **Friday, May 25,** at 10:00 a.m. in Kleiner Hall.

ACCW Dues are due! Ladies, please place the \$5 in an envelope marked dues in the collection basket or give to Corrinne Meyer as soon as possible. Thank you!

Memorial Day Mass, May 28, 8:00 a.m. at Mt. Calvary. In case of rain, it will be held at Immaculate Conception.

Looking ahead to summer: Vacation Bible School is scheduled for Monday, June 11 through Friday, June 15, 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon for preschoolers to current fifth-graders. The theme for this VBS is "Sky-For God all Things are Possible." Get your registration slips in to Jill Le or call her at 563-676-6273 for more information.

TRIVIA question: Which saint or saints' relics are in our altar at IC?

Father John Purtell's address is:
Stonehill Care Center, 3485 Windsor Ave.,
Dubuque, IA 52001.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI, FAYETTE

Congratulations and welcome to our new Pastoral Council representatives Rick Fink and Chad Ingels and the new Faith Formation Council representative Heather Gamm. Thanks, too, to all who were on the ballot in last week's election and to all who voted. And, having completed their terms, special thanks go to Mark Kuennen, Lowell Lamphier, and Anne Sellers for their years of service to the parish on the Pastoral Council. That so many good people are involved in the life of our parish says good things about us!

Tuesday, May 22, 6:30 p.m. Finance Council meeting

Thursday, May 24, 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council meeting

Prayer Chain: if you wish to be a recipient or prayer partner please contact Anne Seller at 563-425-4116 or email dsellers@iowatelecom.net or Pat Burghardt at 563-578-8258. If you wish your name to be taken off the prayer list please let us know that also.

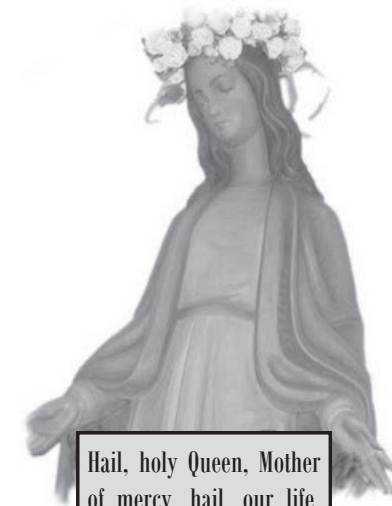
Next Sunday's Mass readings are:

Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Psalm 103;
1 John 4:11-16;
John 17:11b-18



Other Events/ Happenings in our area:

88th Annual Fredericksburg Dairy Days- June 5 & 6, sign up now to support Dairy Days 2012. For more info call Kayln and Adam Kleiss at 641-330-8862.



Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O merciful, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary! Amen.