

Transfiguration of the Lord

August 6, 2017

MASSES THIS WEEK:

MONDAY, AUGUST 7

No Mass

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8

7:00am Erma Osterholt, Katherine Bueltel,
Andrew & Leola Wittry Family

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9

7:00am Paul & Darlene Oswald

10:30am HCC Billie Hoff, Victor Meiners

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

8:25am Glenn & Katherine Adams

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

7:00am Jackie Kibbie, Maureen Vonnahme, Leo Steffen,
Sr. Joan Flynn

10:30am SP Ed & DeEtta Bueltel

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

4:00pm Marian Daniel, Lorraine Wieland, Bob & Dorothy Sapp,
Don Brown, Ermina Vaske, John Coon, Dan Drees,
Carl & Rosina Wiederin Family,
Bert & Louise Klocke Family,

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

8:00am Joe & Delores Determan, Walter Gross, Leo Staiert,
Louis & Deloris Odendahl, Louis & Kaye Riddle,
Dan Mielk & Family, James & Marcella Kanne,
Norbert Naberhaus, Don Gute

10:00am Melissa Grossman, T.W. Wright, Eva Wiedemeyer,
Mary Prenger, Vince & Virgine Irlbeck, Warren Heinen,
Arlene & Elmer Heiman Family, Brandon Bruggeman,
Robert & Florabell Brincks, Joseph & Katherine Brincks



STEWARDSHIP as of 7-31-17:

	<u>Income:</u>
115 Out of 901 Adult Envelopes	\$ 8,611.00
15 Automatic Withdrawal Envelopes	1,301.00
0 Out of 230 Youth Envelopes	.00
Loose Collection	336.16
Miscellaneous Income	237.00
	\$ 10,485.16
\$ Needed per week	\$ 22,000.00
Difference	\$ -11,514.84
\$ Needed Each Week – YTD (\$22,000 X 4 wk)	\$ 110,000.00
Receipts to Date (Fair Share, Investment Income, Event Income, Misc. Contributions, Other Income)	73,053.94
Difference 2017-2018	\$ -36,946.06

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Wed Divine Mercy Chaplet after 7am Mass

Fri Bible Study 7:40am in Family Room

Sat/Sun Aug. 12-13 Celebrating St. Lawrence Day!!

Saturday, August 12 Cookies & Lemonade after Mass
in narthex. Sunday, August 13 Coffee & Donuts after all
Masses in Collison Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend!



Sat & Sun Reconciliation ½ hour before Masses

LOOKING AHEAD IN OUR PARISH:

Aug 15: Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary- holyday of obligation. Mass times 7:00am & 5:30pm

Aug 18: 7:40am Bible Study in Family Room

Aug 18: Wedding 4:00pm Kayla Wehling & Patrick McCarty

Aug 19: Finance meeting 7:30am in Rectory Meeting Room

COMING EVENTS:

Aug 10-14: 101 Hours of Devotion Prayer-athon

St. Mary Catholic Church in Willey invites you to join us: Due to our dedication to our parish family, desire for continued vocations, need for increased evangelization and personal intentions, the St. Mary Parish family invites all to dedicate yourself, your family, your friends and neighbors to our 101 Hours of Devotion Prayerathon. Begins with Mass at 12noon on August 10; followed by 101 consecutive hours of private devotion, songs, rosaries, Adoration of the Eucharist, Stations of the Cross and novenas devoted through the intercession of Our Blessed Mother. The devotion will end with Mass at St. Mary's, Willey at 6:30pm on Monday August 14, the vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Any questions, please call Sue Riesselman, 790-2423 or Mary Schreck 830-5227.

Aug 13: 21st Annual Field of Teams-St. Anthony Hospice Tournament held at the Carroll Softball Complex. Your involvement helps us raise funds that go towards giving quality care to our patients and their families with respect, love and dignity. Call Carmen Schimmer at St. Anthony Hospice 794-5392 for an entry form.

Aug 14: St. Anthony Regional Hospital Blood Drive 12:30-4:30pm at St. Anthony Hospital –St. Francis & St. Clare rooms Call 800-287-4903 for an appointment

We are always looking for ways to help our parish become the best version of itself and to help you become the best version of yourself. One of those ways is to attend a **Christ Renews His Parish/Welcome Retreat Weekend**. The Women's weekend will be Sept 9-10 and the Men's Sept 30th-Oct 1st. I would like to invite and encourage you to attend. Stop by the back of the church after Mass today to pick up a brochure or ask questions to past CRHP participants. For more information or to register contact Sue Boes 712-792-1248 or Brandon Nepper 712-790-8316

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Friday 6:45am;
1/2 hour before the weekend Masses or By Appointment

MINISTERS OF THE ALTAR: Aug 12 4:00pm Joe McCartan, Charlie Drees, Kerrigen Irlbeck; Aug 13 8:00am Isaac Meyers, Max Meyers, Louis Meyers; 10:00am Nick Streit, Simon Wood, Esme Wood;

LECTORS: Aug 7-11 7:00am Bonnie Danner; Aug 12 4:00pm Emily Beardmore, Pam Beardmore; Aug 13 8:00am Ron Eich, Peggy Leiting; 10:00am Joleen Schulz, Cara Vogl;

EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Aug 7-11 7:00am Bonnie Danner, Fred Dolezal; Aug 12 4:00pm Kaye Arndorfer, Sharon Olerich, Mary Jo Wieland, Dan Leiting, Vicki Linde, Connie Sapp, Jean Knobbe; Aug 13 8:00am Ron & Jan Eich, Larry & Vicki Reiling, Kelly Fitzpatrick, Denny & Joni Rutten; 10:00am Daryl Boeckman, Robin Harrington, Carol Strautman, Jim Berning, Jill Heiman, Joleen Schulz, Cara Vogl;

GIFT BEARERS: Aug 12 4:00pm Jesse & Shelley Diehl; Aug 13 8:00am Duane & Betty Kirsch; 10:00am Paul & Aggie Schulte;

GREETERS: Aug 12 4:00pm Jesse & Shelley Diehl, Diane Bollinger, Twilla Hoffman; Aug 13 8:00am Paul & Annette Baumhover, Neil & Rhonda Bock; 10:00am Brett & Regina Adams, Daryl & Kris Boeckman;

SUNDAY COMMUNION MINISTERS CHC: 1st Sunday-Lorraine Danner & Joan Bernholtz; 2nd Sunday-Deacon Gary & Sheri Schon, Phil & Michele Phillips;

CHILDREN LITURGY OF THE WORD: Aug 13-Shelley Diehl; Aug 20-Allison Schoonover;

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Bill Dickson, Vernon Grote, Paul Venner, Steve Schoepner, John Grote;

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED: +Joe Semprini (brother of John/Ann Semprini); +Joe Tigges (brother of Don/Marlene Tigges); May they rest in God's loving arms.

**Leave a legacy to your parish.
Remember Saint Lawrence Parish in your Will.**

HOLY FAMILY PARISH MASSES:

Thur. 8:00am; Fri. 8:00am; Sat. Vigil Mass 6:00pm

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH DAILY MASSES:

Tues. 8:25am; Wed. 8:25am; Thur. 7:00am Fri. 12:00pm,



WANTED-FOSTER GRANDPARENTS: People 55 years and older. Male or female. Must enjoy spending time with children to assist with school assignments, provide encouragement and to help them with instructions. You will earn a little cash and get great emotional reward giving these kids a purpose in life. Call Melanie RSVP for the foster grandparent program. 712-792-4212

THE HEARING LOOP: St. Lawrence Church has installed a special hearing system called the "hearing loop." It connects the microphone directly to your hearing aid so you don't hear the echo or interference during Mass. You use the t-coil or telephone switch on your aid to connect to the system. It will give you a new hearing experience. Just turn your t-coil on and you will be surprised at the sound you hear. If you do not have a "t-coil" switch on your hearing aid, ask your audiologist about it.

KUEMPER CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM:

Aug 10 Des Moines Area Kuemper and St. Angela Alumni Annual Reunion Please join us for our annual reunion at the Iowa Taproom. All Kuemper alumni and friends are invited to attend. Call Alayna at Kuemper (792-3313) for more info.



Kuemper Ball Golf Outing

A Knight at the Club - Kuemper's 4 Person Best Ball Tournament will be August 18th at the Carroll Country Club. Team slots and sponsorship opportunities still available. Prizes on every hole. Not a golfer? Please join us for dinner from 5-8pm. Dinner tickets can be purchased for \$25 each. Call 712-792-2212 to reserve your spot today. Proceeds to benefit the 2018 Friends of Kuemper Ball.

Open Positions: Kuemper has the following positions available for the 2017-2018 school year: Part-time nurse (flexible hours) & various coaching positions. If interested, please contact John Steffes at 792-3313 or jjstefes@kuemper.org.

Kuemper Busing for 2017-2018 school year

Families who ride Kuemper's private bus on either the North Route (Lake View area, Auburn, Lake City, Glidden) or West Route (Denison, Vail, Westside, Arcadia) must fill out and return the registration form to Kuemper. Bus forms can be mailed to or dropped off at Kuemper at 116 S. East Street, Carroll, between 8:00 am-4:00 pm Monday through Thursday or from 8:00 am-1:00 pm on Friday. Forms can also be emailed to jmbuelt@kuemper.org.

New Opportunities & Carroll County Family

Development Center will be distributing school supplies to low-income families in the Carroll area. Please help!

Donations will be taken at 23751 Hwy 30 E (west building) from 8:30am-4:30pm Mon-Fri. Thank you for your support!

RETIRED RELIGIOUS COLLECTION: August 26-27....Your generous contribution helps us to care for our retired sisters and enables our younger sisters to continue in active ministry. Your gift to this collection provides medications, nursing care and more for the many sisters, brothers and religious order priests. The envelope is in your packet...Please be generous!

CCRE (Carroll Catholic Religious Education) is in need of catechists for grades 1 through 10 grade. Young people need to see adults living and proclaiming their faith. All you need to be a catechist is faith to share, be able to care for and relate to kids, and do some preparation. If you're interested in finding out more call Deacon Tim at 792-0513.

CCRE REGISTRATION FORMS for 2017-2018 School Year! Just Google: CCRE Carroll or call 792-0513. Tuition \$60/child. Please register now and pay by the first class! Then relax and enjoy your summer....Registration papers are on the website! Our children need religious education each year, but as a minimum they must be enrolled in 1st and 9th grade to receive the sacraments the following year.

ONLINE GIVING: Now you can contribute your church support & special collection contributions online. Go to our website & click on the online giving logo. Make a one-time donation or set up a recurring donation. Questions? Please phone the parish office.

From the Pastor's Desk:

This weekend, the six priests complete the first rotation through these thirteen parishes of Carroll County. It has been an honor and a pleasure to meet so many of you, and have opportunity to celebrate with the various faith communities. We continue to be very warmly and graciously received by everyone. We are grateful for that! Again, we ask that you be patient with us as we learn the rhythms of each site, and as we try to remember names and faces.

Next weekend, we will begin the second rotation through the parishes, but there will be a modification in how the rotation takes place. Now the priest who has residence in a particular site/cluster will be back in that "home" site/cluster every three weeks. This should help both the priest and the people of those "home" parishes feel more connected with each other. During the intervening two weeks, one of the other priests of the team will visit the "home" site(s) for those two weeks in a row. Thus, we as priests will continue to ensure that we are connecting with all of the parishes throughout the county.

Peace. Fr. Kevin

For the final week, we continue giving each priest on the team an opportunity to provide some background about himself. This week is Fr. Brian Feller:

I was born and raised in Sibley, Iowa (35 miles west of Okoboji, IA), the youngest of four children to Joe and Jane Feller. Mom and dad still reside in Sibley and my siblings are all married, living in Minnesota, Georgia, and Texas. I am a proud uncle of six nieces (so far!). We lived a block and half from St. Andrew's Church and went to Mass as a family mostly on Sunday mornings, along with Thursday night religious ed.

I attended Kindergarten through 12th grade at Sibley-Ocheyedan schools in Sibley. I loved playing with Legos, capture the flag, all sports (football was my favorite), being active in the bands, choirs, and speech, and other school activities. Pick-up games throughout the summer was a staple. I studied engineering at Iowa State University for one year before transferring to college seminary at the University of St. Thomas. I discerned out of the seminary after two years, finished a degree, and worked at St. Mary's Catholic School in Storm Lake and at O'Gorman Catholic Schools in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. God then led me back to seminary formation and I was sent to St. John Vianney Theological Seminary in Denver, Colorado for five years. Ordained a priest in 2015, I covered the parochial vicar role at Cathedral for 7-8 weeks and have been at St. Lawrence, Holy Family, and Kuemper Catholic for the past two years as parochial vicar and chaplain.

We wish Connor Sabatka, our CCYM summer intern, well as he returns to college. His Wednesday 11:00 am summer high school Bible Study is now moving to Wednesday evenings from 7:00 - 8:00 pm in Collision Hall and is followed by Youth Eucharistic Adoration from 8:00 - 9:00 pm in the St. Lawrence Church, with the Sacrament of Reconciliation usually offered. The Bible Study will be led by our adult volunteers. Youth from any parish are invited to join. This is effective August 6, 2017. Please continue to pray for our search to find a youth minister to lead CCYM.