

St. Mary's Church of Iowa City

April 1, 2007

| | SCRIPTURE | | MASSES | CALENDAR |
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| Sunday April 1 | <i>Palms:</i> Lk 19:28-40 <i>Mass:</i> Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Lk 22:14—23:56 | 8:30 10:30 | +Lyle Donohoe +Frank Donchez +Richard Kron +Dick Zahradnek +Juanita Usovsky | 2 PM Communal Penance at St. Patrick's 3 PM City High Cathedral Choir Concert at St. Mary's 6 PM City High Cathedral Choir Concert at St. Mary's |
| Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion | | | | |
| Monday April 2 | Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11 | 12:10 | +Mary Rohret +Jim Muller | 7:30 PM Widowed/Separated/Divorced |
| Monday of Holy Week | | | | |
| Tuesday April 3 | Is 49:1-6 Jn 13:21-33,36-38 | 12:10 | Special Intention (anonymous) +Father Robert Brownfield | |
| Tuesday of Holy Week | | | | |
| Wednesday April 4 | Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25 | 12:10 | Special Intention for the Driscoll family Special Intention for Roger Burlingame | 6-6:40 PM Children's Choir Practice 6-7 PM Adult Choir Practice |
| Wednesday of Holy Week | | | | |
| Thursday April 5 | Ex 12:1-8, 11-14 1 Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15 | 7 PM | NO 12:10 PM Mass +Margaret Ann Murray +Mary Gannon +Helen Rudowsky | Adoration following Mass until 11 PM |
| Holy Thursday | | | | |
| Friday April 6 | Is 52:13-53:12 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 Jn 18:1—19:42 | 12:10 3 PM | NO MASS Good Friday Service | 9 AM Morning Prayer 12:50 PM Prayer at Emma Goldman Clinic 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross |
| Good Friday | | | | |
| Saturday April 7 | Gen 1:1-2:2 Gen 22:1-18 Ex 14:15-15:1 Rom 6:3-11 Lk 24:1-12 | 8:30 PM | No 5:10 PM Mass Parishioners | 9 AM Morning Prayer NO CONFESSIONS |
| Easter Vigil | | | | |
| Sunday April 8 | Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Col 3:1-4 Jn 20:1-9 | 8:00 9:30 11:00 | +Mary Agnes Brack Soukup +Rex Fleming +Deceased members of the Melving Dvorsky family +Jake, Phyllis, and David Roskup +Deceased members of the Giblin family +Marjorie Chan | |
| Easter Sunday | | | | |

FAITH FOCUS QUESTION

What things have I said or done that show others that I am a follower of Jesus Christ?

Rest In Peace

We pray for the repose of the souls of Carol McCabe; Glenn Mastalio, father of Craig Mastalio; and Maxine Hotka, wife of Phil Hotka.

Wedding Banns

Heidi Kriegel and Ryan Dunlay I

INCENSE NOTICE

Incense will be used on Holy Thursday and at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. Incense will also be used on Easter Sunday and throughout the Easter season at the 9:30 AM Mass.

Thank You!

Sincere thanks to all who are making the Pilgrim Icon and Chalice Program a success! Because our numbers continue to grow, we are adding a second icon and chalice. Watch for information in the bulletin on what this program is and how to become involved.

Stewardship Opportunities

- A volunteer is needed to unlock the church weekday mornings around 7:30 AM. This would be an easy task for someone to do on their way to work! Please call the parish office if you are interested in helping (337-4314).
- We are in need of additional money counters for Sunday collections. We currently have six couples and six individuals on our committee who share the workload throughout the year. Our schedule assigns three people to the activity each Sunday, thus members usually count an average of ten times throughout the year. The counters are very accommodating about trading assignments when personal activities conflict with the schedule. If you are interested in sharing your stewardship gift of talent, please contact Karla Peiffer (351-5501) for more information.

City High Cathedral Concerts

The City High School choirs will have their annual Cathedral Concert today at 3:00PM and 6:00PM here at St. Mary's. All are welcome to come and hear beautiful sacred music performed by high school youth!

REGINA HAPPENINGS

Fish Dinner

Sponsored by the Regina High School Booster Club
Friday from 5-8 PM at Regina's Cafeteria.
Cod or catfish \$8. Shrimp, salmon, tilapia \$9.

Regina Tuition Scholarships

Scholarships are available for Regina students and Regina college-bound seniors. Contact the Catholic Community Foundation at 354-5866 for more information. **Applications must be turned in to the Regina Elementary office no later than Tuesday, April 17th, at 3 PM.**

Regina Alumni Awards

The Catholic Community Foundation will be awarding distinguished Regina alumni at graduation in May. Awards will be given in the following categories: Distinguished Alumnus, Alumni Appreciation, Outstanding Young Alumni, and Distinguished Honorary Alumni. **Nominations must be received by April 30th.** Please call 354-5866 for nominations.

Regina Jr./Sr. High School has the following teaching positions available for the 2007-2008 school year:

- Geometry/Applied Algebra
- Government/Economics
- US History
- Business/Accounting
- Scripture

Interested individuals should mail a letter of application, resume, credentials, and three references to: Regina High School, 2150 Rochester Avenue, Iowa City, Iowa, 52245.

Regina is accepting applications for a second shift custodian.

Candidates will vacuum, dust, remove trash, mop, perform basic maintenance functions, event set-up, and a host of other janitorial services. Ability to work with people and within time demands is required. Repetitive motion work and the ability to lift 50 pounds is required. A background check is necessary. Virtus training will be provided. Preference will be given to a candidate who can also be a supervisor. Send a letter of application or resume to Custodial Search, c/o Alan Opheim, Regina Education Center, 2140 Rochester Ave., Iowa City, Iowa, 52245.

HAPPENINGS ELSEWHERE

Knights of Columbus Lenten Dinner

Friday, April 6th

KC Family Center from 5-7:30 PM

Prices range from \$5-\$12.

Johnson County Right to Life's

Celebrate Life Spring Breakfast

Sunday, April 1st, from 8 AM to 1 PM

Knights of Columbus Family Center

All-you-can-eat pancakes, sausage, & eggs,

Adults \$7 Children \$4

There will be lots to see and do, including a silent auction, featuring a heart-shaped ruby necklace!

Iowa City Young Catholics

Iowa City Young Catholics (ICYC) meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of every month at 6:30 PM at the St. Thomas More parish center lounge to enrich our spirituality, deepen our faith, serve the community, and have fun! For more information, contact Tony Wissink at 430-0097, or visit our website at www.ic-yc.org.

Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

Call to Annual Meeting

April 12th, 2007 at 9 AM

St. Joseph's Parish Center

DeWitt, Iowa

2007 Knights of Columbus

James Cook Memorial Scholarships

The Iowa City Knights of Columbus, Council 842 is offering two scholarships for 2007, one for \$1,000 and another for \$500. The scholarships can be used for any post-secondary education—vocational or college. To be eligible, one must be a senior graduating from high school in the spring of 2007, and be a member of an Iowa City parish. For an application and study materials, please contact the parish office (337-4314). If you have any questions, please call Bill Roush 354-2177 or Jim Doorley at 338-2083.

The Iowa City Senior Center needs your help!

We are collaborating with Cellular Recyclers to collect unwanted cell phones in the community. This is a great fundraiser for the Senior Center and a way to keep harmful materials like lead and cadmium that are found in cell phones out of our landfills. Donated phones are either recycled for their precious metals or refurbished for use in developing countries. Ninety percent of the proceeds from the fundraiser will go directly to the Iowa City Senior Center. The remaining funds will be used by the National Council of Aging. You may donate your unwanted cell phones in the drop box located in the parish hall.

Legal Notice Required by Bankruptcy Court

You may have a claim against the Diocese of Davenport, Iowa

- If while you were under the age of 18, you had sexual contact with or were sexually touched by a Catholic priest, employee, volunteer, or other person associated with the Diocese of Davenport in Iowa or for a Catholic parish, school, orphanage, or other institution served by the Diocese; or
- If you believe the Diocese is responsible for causing you injury or harm at any age; or
- If the Diocese owes you any money or
- If you assert a right to payment from the Diocese, whether or not you know the amount owed; or
- If you assert a right to an equitable remedy (e.g., the right to require the Diocese either to do or not do something) which would result in the Diocese owing you money for its failure to do as required.

You must act now to preserve your rights.

Your claims must be filed by July 16, 2007.

On October 10, 2006, the Diocese of Davenport (“Diocese”) filed for bankruptcy protection under chapter 11 of the United States Code. If you have a claim against the Diocese, you must file a proof of claim so that it is received by July 16, 2007. If you have a claim and your proof of claim is not received by July 16, 2007, your claim may be disallowed. If your claim is disallowed, you will be forever prevented from asserting your claim against the Diocese.

For more information, or to receive a proof of claim form and associated documents, please visit the following website: www.davenportcommittee.com, or contact Hamid B. Rafatjoo or Gillian N. Brown at Pachulski Stang Ziehl Young Jones & Weintraub LLP, counsel to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, at 310.277.6910.

LAST WEEK’S FINANCES

March 25th, 2007

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| Envelopes | \$ | 12,086.00 |
| Electronic Funds Transfer | \$ | 2,732.00 |
| Offertory (loose cash) | \$ | 811.00 |
| Total | \$ | 15,629.00 |
| Amount needed each week: | \$ | 16,800.00 |
| Amount received last week: | \$ | 15,629.00 |
| UNDER budget: | \$ | 1,171.00 |
| Amount needed year to date: | \$ | 655,200.00 |
| Amount received to date: | \$ | 700,725.00 |
| OVER budget: | \$ | +45,525.00 |
| Number of envelopes used last week: 385 (out of 1700) | | |
| Average per envelope: \$38.48 | | |
| Stewardship of Treasure Goal: 5% GIVEN IN GRATITUDE | | |

Thoughts on Stewardship

Stewardship is an expression of discipleship, with the power to change how we understand and live our lives.

Choose Life Prayer – We pray that we may always speak the truth about the sanctity of human life.

Vocation View – Blest are they who come in the name of the Lord. Am I being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother, or sister?