

# St. Mary's Church of Iowa City

## July 22, 2007

	SCRIPTURE		MASSES	CALENDAR
Sunday July 22	Gn 18:1-10a Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42	8:00	Special Int.—Lauren O'Donnell +Lavina Miller +Anthony Timmer	Pantry Sunday
		9:30	Parishioners	
		11:00	+Thomas and Frances Anglin +Mary Gannon	
<b>Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>				
Monday July 23	Ex 14:5-18 Mt 12:38-42	12:10	+Regina Aschenbrenner +Bill Schneider	
			<b>Weekday</b>	7:30 PM Widowed/Separated/Divorced
Tuesday July 24	Ex 14:21—15:1 Mt 12:46-50	12:10	Special Int.—Driscoll family +Clementine Strabala +Maxine Hotka	6:30 PM Regina Board of Education meeting
			<b>Weekday</b>	
Wednesday July 25	2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28	12:10	+Mary Agnes Brack Soukup +Ray Burlingame	
			<b>St. James</b>	
Thursday July 26	Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b Mt 13:10-17	12:10	Special Intention (anonymous) +Pat McCarney	9 AM-5 PM Youth Trip to Lost Island Water Park
			<b>St. Joachim and St. Anne</b>	6:30 PM Victim Assistance meeting (hall)
Friday July 27	Ex 20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23	12:10	Special Int.—Vanessa Shiu +Lyle Donohoe +John Schnoebelen	12:05 PM Angelus for Life 12:50 PM Prayer at Emma Goldman Clinic 5:00 PM Legion of Mary
			<b>Weekday</b>	
Saturday July 28	Gn 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14 Lk 11:1-13	5:10	+Ray Scheetz +Mary Wai-Hing	10-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation 3 PM Sacrament of Marriage— Lisa DeReus and Ryan Braheny
			<b>Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	
Sunday July 29	Gn 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14 Lk 11:1-13	8:00	+Deceased members of the Altar and Rosary Society +Dave Cahill	8 AM Mass—Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Honor Guard
		9:30	Special Intention (anonymous) +Mary Rohret +John Swenka +Elizabeth Lepovitz	
		11:00	Parishioners	
<b>Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>				

**FAITH FOCUS QUESTION**

What can I do this week to show someone a special welcome and friendship?

**Wedding Banns**

Lisa DeReus and Ryan Braheny	III
Rebecca Blaylock and Matthew Johnson	II
Myleena Rockafellow and Brock Grenis	I
Erin Hargrave and Nick O'Grady	I

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Recently we welcomed the following new members through the Sacrament of Baptism:

- *Katherine Fiona Andersen*, child of Brett and Margaret
- *Robert Dylan Bacon*, child of John and Michelle
- *Michael Scott Bender*, child of Scott and Beth
- *Paisley Ann Brown*, child of Will and Dawn
- *John Paul Couch*, child of Richard and Jennifer
- *Matthew Russell Dunlay*, child of William and Lynn
- *Emma Lynn Fish*, child of Ben and Jennifer
- *Clara Madeline Gilliam*, child of Mark and Kathy
- *Mitchell Robert Grider*, child of Joe and Kathie
- *Brody Lee Heddens*, child of Paul and Jenny
- *John Carson Klag*, child of John and Megan
- *Paul Walter Lenkowski III*, child of Paul and Margaret
- *Katelyn Claire Malin*, child of Andrew and Mary Edith
- *Ava Marie Nicknish*, child of Tom and Amy
- *Tasha Kay, Trevor Michael, and Tyler Andrew Schepanski*, children of Robert and Susan
- *Isaac Michael Skopec*, child of Andrea
- *Lila Rose Stanton*, child of Sam and Kristen
- *Brady Van Vang*, child of Biane and Ha

We congratulate these families and promise them our continued prayerful support. Many thanks to the Confirmation students who videotaped the baptisms.

**Congratulations!**

Congratulations to Heather Tippie and Dylan Whitney who were married this weekend at St. Mary's!

**Rest In Peace**

We pray for the family of Bailey Parker, granddaughter of Jean and Pat Harney. *May she be welcomed into everlasting life!*

**Are you interested in being a deacon? If so, please contact Fr. Ken (337-4314) or Deacon Frank Agnoli (563-324-1911).**

I am most grateful for your wonderful gift of treasure to our parish. As we grow in gratitude, we also grow in generosity. We give because God has given so much to us. God has blessed St. Mary's Parish in many ways. I am confident you will continue to demonstrate your commitment to the stewardship of treasure as we begin a new fiscal year.

**Thank you,  
Father Ken**

**Stewardship Gifts of Talent**

- *Marie Matthes*—cleans the baptismal font, polishes the candle followers, and straightens the missals and envelopes in the pews weekly
- *Jim Schnoebelen and Karla Peiffer*—volunteers who give of their time to do our parish bookkeeping

**Knights of Columbus**

4th Degree Honor Guard  
Sunday, July 29th, at the 8 AM Mass  
Refreshments will be provided by Co 842.

**Clergy Sexual Abuse: How Does It Affect You?**

Thursday, July 26th, at 6:30 PM in the parish hall

Following in the footsteps of Jesus, the role of the Church is to be a support to all those who suffer, to initiate dialogue and to develop better relationships between people. Even those who have not been sexually abused have suffered from this scandal. The goal is healing for all within the Catholic family. A question box will be available this weekend on the table in the vestibule for any questions you may want to be addressed by the facilitators.

**Children's Summer Bible School**

**When:** July 30th—August 2nd  
8:45 AM-11:45 AM

**Where:** Regina Education Center  
(Elementary Gym)

**Who:** Anyone three years old and older including those entering fifth grade in the fall

**Cost:** \$20 per child or \$25 per family

It's not too late to register! Registration forms are available at the parish office (337-4314). Summer Bible School happens because of many generous volunteers. Child care for volunteers will be provided for anyone under three years of age.

## **REGINA HAPPENINGS**

**A special thanks** to Jan Donohoe and all the parishioners who helped make over 300 pies for the food booth at the 4-H fair. The Boosters appreciate your time and pie making talent!

**The Catholic Community Foundation** would like to thank everyone for their generosity in helping us exceed the 2007 Annual Appeal goal of \$250,000! Your individual and collective gifts of treasure are truly appreciated by the learners and leaders of tomorrow.

### **Regina Food Booth at the 4-H Fair**

Please join the Regina Boosters for breakfast, lunch, and dinner at the 4-H fair, July 23rd-26th. Breakfast starts at 6:30 AM!

*Monday:* Chicken & Noodle

*Tuesday:* Pork

*Wednesday:* Roast Beef

*Thursday:* Chicken & Noodle

### **Back-to-School Packets**

Parents of Regina students grades K-12 may pick up their Back-to-School packets in the parish hall on July 28th/29th and August 4th/5th. After these weekends, the packets will be available at Regina.

### **Regina Garage Sale**

Start saving your finest "junk" for the annual Regina garage sale. Donations will be accepted starting Monday, August 20th-August 27th, from 1-8 PM. Please drop off items only when someone is there to accept them!

## **HAPPENINGS ELSEWHERE**

### **BACK TO SCHOOL DISTRIBUTION**

Saturday, August 11th, from 9-11 AM  
Coralville United Methodist Church

Please help children in need prepare for school!

***We need donations*** of kids' clothes—sorted by gender and size. Clothes must be clean and in good condition. Clothes must be appropriate for school.

***We need donations*** to purchase school supplies. Each student gets a new set of school supplies.

***We need volunteers*** to pack school supply kits on Thursday, August 9th, 7-9 PM; set up on Friday, August 10th, 9-11 AM; and for distribution Saturday, August 11th, 8 AM to noon.

Please contact Beverly Jones at 338-2879 or [bajones@inav.net](mailto:bajones@inav.net) for more information.

**ST. MARY'S PASTORAL COUNCIL**

Torie Hefel – Chairperson  
 Kevin Mellen – Chairperson Elect  
 Karla Peiffer – Secretary

**PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES**

Jane Doucette – Family Life  
 Ann Elsbecker – Peace & Justice  
 Marty Shafer – Liturgy  
 Torie Hefel – Christian Formation  
 Kevin Mellen – Property Management  
 Mary Loops – Fellowship & Communications  
 Cathy Sharp - Evangelization & Stewardship  
 Megan Myers – Youth  
 Jean Harney and Karla Peiffer – At-Large

**ST. MARY'S FINANCE COUNCIL**

Anne Hargrave (Lay Director)  
 Vince Maurer  
 John Maxwell (Lay Director)  
 Mike Pugh  
 Bob Squires

**THE ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY**

Anna Stranieri – President

**EDUCATION****Regina Catholic Education Center:**

Ray Pechous – High School Principal, 338-5436  
 Celeste Vincent – Elementary Principal, 337-5739  
 Sr. Mary Frances Michalec, ND, Religious Education  
 Director, 351-7638  
 Alan Opheim – Regina Business Office, 337-2580  
 April Rouner – Executive Director of the Catholic Community  
 Foundation, 354-5866

**Regina Board of Education Representatives:**

John Gilroy, Rick Larew, Patrice Carroll

**DIRECTOR OF EVANGELIZATION & STEWARDSHIP**

Sr. Laura Goedken, OP, 338-0939

**LAST WEEK'S FINANCES**

July 15, 2007

Envelopes	\$	17,335.00
Offertory (loose cash)	\$	1,202.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	2.00
Total	\$	18,539.00
Amount needed each week:	\$	18,500.00
Amount received last week:	\$	18,539.00
<b>OVER</b> budget:	\$	39.00
Amount needed year to date:	\$	55,500.00
Amount received to date:	\$	57,260.84
<b>OVER</b> budget:	\$	+1,760.84

Stewardship of Treasure Goal: 5% GIVEN IN  
 GRATITUDE

**Choose Life Prayer** – We pray that we all may come to see each child—no matter how tiny or how challenged—as a gift from God.

**Vocation View** – We are like Martha. There is plenty to be anxious about, but only one thing is required of us. For five minutes today, be like Mary. Rest with Jesus; ask him what he requires of you. (Luke 10:38-42)