

SCRIPTURE

MASSES

CALENDAR

Sunday August 5	Eccl 1:2, 2:21-23 Col 3:1-5, 9-11 Lk 12:13-21	8:00	+Cleone Fay +Clementine Strabala +Deceased members of the Andrew and Ella O'Neil family	
		9:30	Parishioners	
		11:00	Special Intention— Jean Louise Larew +Ed and Florence Chaloupka	
		Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time		

Monday August 6	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 2 Pt 1:16-19 Lk 9:28b-36	12:10	Special Intention— Patrick Hopson +Don Woodhouse +Al Grady	6:30 PM Evangelization and Stewardship meeting	
		The Transfiguration of the Lord			7:30 PM Widowed/Separated/Divorced

Tuesday August 7	Nm 12:1-13 Mt 14:22-36	12:10	+Dorothy Cannon +Holy Souls in Purgatory	7 PM Liturgy Commission

Wednesday August 8	Nm 13:1-2, 25— 14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35 Mt 15:21-28	12:10	Special Int. —Erin Wagner +Richard Kron +Dave Cahill			
				St. Dominic		

Thursday August 9	Nm 20:1-13 Mt 16:13-23	12:10	+Deceased members of the Giblin family +Marcel Anglin	1 PM Youth Service Day (church)			
				Weekday			5:15 PM Catholic Ministries Commission (at St. Thomas More)

Friday August 10	2 Cor 9:6-10 Jn 12:24-26	12:10	+Olin Gingerich +Velma Waldschmidt +Brendan Fisher	12:05 PM Angelus for Life			
				St. Lawrence			12:50 PM Prayer at Emma Goldman Clinic
							5:00 PM Legion of Mary 6:00 PM Sacrament of Marriage— Myleena Rockafellow and Brock Grenis

Saturday August 11	Wis 18:6-9 Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Lk 12:32-48	5:10	Special Int.—anniversary +Dick Miller +Bernice Kron	3 PM Sacrament of Marriage— Erin Hargrave and Nick Grady		
				Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time		

Sunday August 12	Wis 18:6-9 Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Lk 12:32-48	8:00	Parishioners	
		9:30	Special Int.—Sarah Gilbaugh +Cyril Osweiler +Joyce Schnell	
		11:00	+Jake, Phyllis, and David Roskup	
Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time				

FAITH FOCUS QUESTION

How am I sometimes greedy or selfish, wishing I had what others have? Am I willing to share my gifts?

Wedding Banns

Myleena Rockafellow and Brock Grenis	III
Erin Hargrave and Nick O'Grady	III
Lindsay Wagner and Art Pronk	II

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Rebecca Blaylock and Matthew Johnson who were married this weekend at St. Mary's!

Rest In Peace

We pray for the repose of the soul of Ralph Bopp. *May he be welcomed into everlasting life!*

Stewardship Gifts of Talent

- **Bill Roush, Mark and Rosemary Fiagle, and Tim Sullivan**—set up tables and chairs in the parish hall as needed
- **Alice Kasper and Wilma Buckingham**—sew white garments for baptisms at St. Mary's
- **Anna Stranieri**—coordinates the laundering of the altar linens

Stewardship Opportunities

- Clean the baptismal font and the brass candle followers in the church (weekly).
- Straighten the missals and replenish the visitor envelopes in the pews (weekly)
- Trim the bushes on the parish grounds (as needed).

Call the parish office (337-4314) if you are interested in helping.

ATTENTION ALL YOUTH!

In need of a service privilege? St. Mary's needs your help! Come and help with pew polishing this Thursday, August 9th, from 1-3 PM in the church. The more the merrier—the quicker it gets done! Refreshments to follow. Contact Patti at 337-4314 if you are able to assist.

Baptism Class

Our next Baptism class will be held on Saturday, August 11th, at 9:30 AM in the parish hall. *NOTE: This is a change in date from the original schedule.* It is not necessary to register for this class.

Inquiry Sessions

Inquiry Sessions for those wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith are coming up! Each session is the same, so you only need to attend one.

Sunday, August 19th, from 11 AM to noon (rectory)
 Tuesday, August 21st, from 7-8 PM (parish hall)
 Thursday, August 23rd, from 7-8 PM (parish hall)

Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity is an ecumenical Christian organization that builds simple, decent housing in partnership with those in need. Their non-profit, no interest mortgage makes the homes affordable for working families. St. Mary's has joined in partnership with other churches to build Iowa Valley Habitat for Humanity's 50th house. This home will be for Joe and Cherie Cool and their three children. Construction and hospitality volunteers are needed. More information will be available in next week's bulletin, or call Kathy Maxwell at 351-6230.

Why Catholic?

Why Catholic? groups are open to everyone. You may wish to set up your own group or simply be assigned to a group. We will have a group this fall limited to high school age students. Encourage your son or daughter to sign up. It's only six weeks long!

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

REGINA HAPPENINGS

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 at the Regina Wrestling Room, but only when someone is there to accept them! The last donations will be accepted on Thursday, August 30th. The garage sale will start on Friday, August 31st and run through Sunday, September 2nd. If you have any questions, please contact Nina Bahl at 626-6071 or Stephanie Menietti at 339-4533.

REGINA HAPPENINGS (cont.)

The new school year is almost here! Please bring your rakes and shovels and join the Home and School Association on Saturday, August 11th, from 8 AM to noon (or whatever time you can give) to help get the elementary playground ready. WE NEED YOUR HELP! We will primarily be spreading woodchips and pulling weeds. This activity is a great way to share your stewardship of talent! For more information, call Connie Haneline at 354-3199.

HAPPENINGS ELSEWHERE

Notre Dame Club Student Send Off

Tuesday, August 7th, from 6-9 PM
Cedar Rapids Country Club

The club will be recognizing our area's freshman to be at the University of Notre Dame this fall and current students. Join us for hors d'oeuvres, raffles, and door prizes. Tickets are \$20.

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 for more information.

Kids Against Hunger

Sunday, August 12th at 9 AM and 12 PM
Zion Lutheran Church, Iowa City

Come observe volunteers pack an amazing amount of meals to be sent around the world to combat hunger. Volunteer teams will package 1,600-2,000 meals per hour at a cost of \$0.25 per meal. Anyone interested in starting their own Kids Against Hunger program is encouraged to attend to learn more about the program.

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

ST. MARY'S FINANCE COUNCIL

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

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:

Rick Larew, Patrice Carroll, and Greg Williams

DIRECTOR OF EVANGELIZATION & STEWARDSHIP

Sr. Laura Goedken, OP, 338-0939

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 29, 2007

Envelopes	\$	10,723.00
Offertory (loose cash)	\$	1,688.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	11.05
Total	\$	12,422.05
Amount needed each week:	\$	18,500.00
Amount received last week:	\$	12,422.05
UNDER budget:	\$	6,077.95
Amount needed year to date:	\$	92,500.00
Amount received to date:	\$	86,655.14
OVER budget:	\$	-5,844.86

Stewardship of Treasure Goal: 5% GIVEN IN
 GRATITUDE

Choose Life Prayer – We pray for an increase in generosity to aid the pro-life movement in achieving their life respecting goals.

Vocation View – Grow rich in the sight of the Lord. Pray to know God's will. (*Luke 12:13-21*)