

Monday, August 26

No Mass - pray for Vocations Tuesday, August 27 10:00am † Paul & Margaret Mayer **SCNH**

Wednesday, August 28

10:00am † Dennis Rake

SH Thursday, August 29 8:30am † Ralph & Mildred Thome

Friday, August 30 VIS

8:30am † Phillis & Carl Schmidt

Saturday, August 31 5:15pm † Tom, Darlene & Fred Foth

Sunday, September 1

8:30am † Donna Marreel VIS 10:30am For the People SH

Rosary Leaders on August 27

Faith Home, 9:45am: Dorothy Niess Osage Rehab., 10:00am: Vera Kasel

Stewardship Quote

Today's reading from Isaiah describes the Israelites bringing their offering to the Lord "in clean vessels." The gift of myself---my patient endurance and fidelity to the will of God---is as important as the monetary gift I offer.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT August 17 & 18, 2019

SACRED HEART, OSAGE

Adult Budget	\$1,794.00
Offertory	
Candles	\$30.00
Assumption	\$384.00
SH Building Fund	\$25,425.00
Total	\$27,846.11

VISITATION, STACYVILLE

Total	\$5,223.50
VIS Building Fund	\$2,030.00
Assumption	
Candles	\$14.00
Offertory	\$177.50
Adult Budget	\$2,933.00

August 25, 2019

2nd Collection // August 31/September 1 // Social Justice

Our 2nd collection for September will be for the Baby Pantry located at Epiphany Parish in Mason City. We will do a monetary collection but if you wish to purchase items, following are the items that are in most need right now: Girls and Boys FALL clothing – all sizes up through 5T; Diapers and Baby Wipes. (Clients are able to pick up diapers and wipes each month.) There will be a box at the entrance of each church throughout the month of September and monetary donations can be made throughout September.

Time & Talent

This weekend, August 24/25, there will be a Time & Talent sheet in the bulletin and on the website. Please take the time to fill these out. We desperately need volunteers in several areas. We need EVERYONE to participate in one way or another.

2019-2020 Faith Formation Registration

Registration is open online. Go to the church website at www.stisidorecluster .com and click on Faith Formation Pre-K-High School. Click the appropriate parish (Sacred Heart Registration Link or Visitation Registration Link). Payment **CANNOT** be made online, so stop in and see Barb or Tammy.

Visitation Fall Festival

Visitation Fall Festival will be September 15.

Auction Items: Let's try to make the auction an extra good one! Start digging and find some good gently used items to donate or come up with something new to donate this year! Call Elaine Landherr at 710-2421 with items you want to donate!

Raffle Baskets: The Raffle Baskets for Visitation Fall Festival donated by our units have been a popular fund raiser at our Fall Festivals. The donation of a basket isn't limited to just the units. A basket from any individual, organization or group will be gladly accepted and appreciated. They may be brought to the Community Center (gym) on Saturday, September 14 or the morning of September 15.

Sweet Corn Needed for Visitation Building Fundraiser

If anyone has any extra sweet corn we could use some for the Scalloped Turkey Building Fund Raiser to be held in the spring, please let Ronnie Pitzen know how much you have done.

Knights of Columbus - Career Opportunity

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact, Jon Beebe, General Agent, at 605-882-8689 or jon.beebe@kofc.org.

Upcoming Events

August 25 — Osage KC Breakfast

Osage KC breakfast at the Columbus Club in Osage on Sunday, August 25 from 8:30am -12:00pm. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children. All are welcome!



St. Isidore invites you to pray with us for: Lori Cimoyotti, Willie Puettmann, Pat Neeley & Hallie Koenigs

August 25 — Kid's Choir Camp

Kid's Choir Camp will be held on Sunday, August 25, from 11:30am-3:00pm The Choir Camp is FREE and all participants receive a Camp T-shirt.

There will be a short performance by the kids at 2:30pm in the Sacred Heart Church. Everyone is welcome.

August 25 — Ice Cream Social

1st United Methodist Church in Osage is having an Ice Cream Social on Sunday, August 25, from 11:00am-1:00pm.

August 27 — St. Theresa Circle Meeting

There will be a St. Theresa Circle meeting at 7:00pm on Tuesday, August 27, at the home of Nancy Malmin.

August 27 — Mitchell County Mobile Food Pantry

This mobile food pantry provides fresh and frozen produce, meats, poultry and milk products as well as canned and packaged foods to consumers one evening a month.

The next food pantry will take place on August 27 from 5:30-6:30pm at Prairie Lakes Church, 2011 Hwy 9, west of Osage. The pantry will continue each month on the 4th Tuesday of the month.

August 30 - September 2 — Young Adult Nature's Call Campout Young adults, Nature's Call Campout in Missouri! You and other young adult Catholics from across the Midwest will enjoy a getaway to Lake Pomme de Terre. To learn more, please visit www.naturescall.camp.

September 5 — Thursday Morning Bible Sharing

Thursday Morning Bible Sharing will begin on September 5 at 9:00am in the Sacred Heart Meeting Room. All are welcome.

September 6 — Friday Morning Bible Sharing

Friday Morning Bible Sharing will begins September 6 at 9:00am at Evergreen Senior Living. All are welcome.

October 26 — Archdiocesan Women's Retreat: Fearless. Faithful. Feminine.

Saturday, October 26, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. St. Mary, Waverly. This daylong retreat will help women reflect on their lives as fearless, faithful disciples of Christ in the home, the workplace, and the public square. Women will have time to pray together, hear amazing talks, discuss ideas, and create a plan for living more fearlessly and faithfully in today's world. Please invite your sisters, friends, parishioners to attend this day designed for women.

Sponsored by ACCW. Cost is \$35. Registration: https://www.dbqarch.org/event/archdiocesan-womens-retreat-fearless-faithful-feminine/? instance id=1492

Upcoming Meetings

August 27 - Sacred Heart Pastoral Council meeting at 7:00pm in Osage

Faith Formation Catechists Needed!

Visitation is in need of a Pre-K-K Catechist.

Sacred Heart is in need of: Kindergarten, 3^{rd} , 4^{th} , 5^{th} , 6^{th} , 7^{th} , 8^{th} , and 9^{th} Grade Catechists.

Please contact Barb 710-2441 or Tammy 732-3428 if interested.

Readings for the Week of August 25, 2019

Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/

Lk 13:22-30

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/

Mt 23:13-22

 Tuesday:
 1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26

 Wednesday:
 1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32

 Thursday:
 1 Thes 3:7-13/Mk 6:17-29

 Friday:
 1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13

 Saturday:
 1 Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30

 Sunday:
 Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/

Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/

Lk 14:1, 7-14

First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21

They shall bring all your brothers and sisters from all the nations.

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

Those whom the Lord loves, he disciples.

Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

They will come from east and west and recline at table in the kingdom of God.



Pavers for "Hearts to Heaven Courtyard" at Sacred Heart

We are taking orders for new Pavers. Please have your order to Annette by August 31. The cost is \$100 per paver. Ask your relatives if they are interested. There will not be another chance to order for a few years.

Counseling through Catholic Charities in Mason City.

Please call Sister Rita at 319-210-3854 to schedule an appointment.

Televised Mass on Sunday Mornings

Weekend Mass is televised on OMU Channel 14 on Sunday mornings at 9:30.