

**St. Joseph Church**  
1026 N. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
October 3, 2010

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Sacramental Schedule & Policies:

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays or by appointment.  
**Sacrament of Baptism:** By appointment following baptism preparation program.  
**Sacrament of Marriage:** 6 months notification & after completion of marriage program.

<b>St. Joseph's Mass Intentions: Oct. 4–Oct. 10<sup>th</sup></b>				<b>Reservations or Concerns</b>	
Mon	Oct	4	No Mass	<u>Parish Hall Reservations:</u>	
Tue	Oct	5	No Mass	Church Office: 462-1083	
Wed	Oct	6	No Mass	<u>Maintenance:</u>	
Thurs	Oct	7	No Mass	Harvey Eivins: 462-2642	
Fri	Oct	8	<b>8:00 am</b>	Dick Tracy	<u>St. Joseph Prayer Line:</u>
Sat	Oct	9	<b>5:00 pm</b>	For the Parish	Patricia Corkrean: 462-4251
Sun	Oct	10	<b>10:00 am</b>	Rosemary Schon	Rosemary Stuchel: 462-4152
<b>St. Patrick's Irish Settlement Sunday Mass: 8:00 a.m.</b>					
<p align="center"><b>Weekly Tithing:</b> \$1,416.46    <b>Capital Campaign:</b> \$689.95  <b>August Income:</b> \$10,500.23    <b>August Expenses:</b> \$9,158.61  <b>Remember, your will can benefit your family and your church!</b></p>					

**\*\*Coffee and Rolls October 10<sup>th</sup> Lopez Families, Harvey & Marianne Eivins\*\***

	Saturday, Oct. 9 <sup>th</sup> 5:00p.m.	<b>Sunday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> 10:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Majorie Petersen, Randy Ripperger	Dave Sullivan, Jim Pottebaum, Jose Lopez, Linda Hermanstorfer, Larry Lantz, Vickie Williams
<b>Lector</b>	Mike Drysdale	Jim Sparks, Savannah Farrell
<b>Altar Server</b>	Britton Gibson, Anne Marie Swenson	Nick Benes, Evan Corkrean
<b>Usher</b>	Mike Teno, Joe Moore, John Watts	Heather & Jeff Honkomp, Terry Cowman, Gary Kiernan

New Mass Times  
 Beginning October 2 & 3  
Saturday - 5:00 PM at St. Joseph,  
Sunday - 8:00 AM at St. Patrick Irish Settlement and  
10:00 AM at St. Joseph

**Fall Workshop:** The annual Fall Workshop for the priests of the diocese is this week, October 3-7, in Omaha, Nebraska. If there is an emergency, Fr. Chris can be reached by his cell phone (515)-689-5373.

**\*\*The new housekeeping schedule is located in the gathering space.\*\***

**On A Journey Together:** If you have not turned in your sign-up cards please do so. Session 1 is a potluck and will begin at 5:00 pm on Sunday, October 3rd in the Parish Hall. Please bring an item for the potluck. Beverages will be provided. If you have any questions, or would like more info, contact Sharon Lawson at 462-4677 or Sami Heithoff at 462-4792.

**Tootsie Rolls:** the Knights will be passing out tootsie rolls following Mass on Oct 16/17th of which proceeds will go the Madison County Association for Special People.

**RCIA** begins again this fall at St. Joseph Catholic Church. **RCIA** is the **R**ite of **C**hristian **I**nitiation of **A**dults. It is through this **RCIA** process that we invite adults to learn more about the Catholic Church and to invite those that so desire to join the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil in 2011. Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Thinking of joining the Catholic Church? We invite you to attend our Inquiry Classes. The first session is Tuesday October 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in our Parish Hall. If you have any questions call Fr. Chris Hartshorn at 462-1083.

**Sign and Bell:** We are planning for a new sign out by N.8<sup>th</sup> Ave and a stand outside for our bell. The total cost of these projects is approximately \$4000-\$7800 (depending on the sign we choose). Thanks to the \$1,000 Dennis Baur Memorial gift, \$1000 commitment from the Knights of Columbus, and \$1,000 gift from Altar & Rosary we are \$3,000 closer to completing the project. Please consider helping us make both of these projects a reality this fall.

**Natural Family Planning Classes:** The next three-part series of classes on the sympto-thermal method of natural family planning is scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 14, 6:00-8:30 p.m. at St. Pius X Church in Urbandale. Cost is a one-time fee of \$135 for all course materials, classes, one year of consultation with certified instructors, plus a one-year subscription to Family Foundations magazine. On-line registration is required at [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org). For more info, call Mark and Patty Conway 515 276-0313 or send an email to [conirish@mchsi.com](mailto:conirish@mchsi.com).

**Pro-life pilgrimage:** Are you looking for an opportunity to grow in your Catholic faith and understanding an important teaching of our Church- the Life and Dignity of the Human Person? If so, then plan to join hundreds of Iowans across the state who will attend the annual March for Life in Washington D.C. The bus will leave from various locations throughout Iowa on Sat. Jan. 22nd. The march will take place on Mon. Jan. 24th, and arrival back in Iowa on Wed. Jan. 26th. The cost of the trip is \$325 per participant. Payments and registrations received before 11/01/10 will be secured. Registrations will be taken after 11/01/10 until the buses are full. For more info, contact Maggie DeWitte, @ 515-201-8281 or [iowansforlife@msn.com](mailto:iowansforlife@msn.com) or visit our web site at [www.Iowansforlife.org](http://www.Iowansforlife.org).

**Reflection Questions:** (Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4, 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14, Luke 17:5-10) What is your attitude toward the next good thing asked of you? Is it to stand around and quibble about it? Or do you say, "I'll get it! I'll do it! I'm on it!"? All Jesus asks is that we love one another, not that we just stand around *and talking about* loving one another!