

Saint Thomas Aguinas Catholic Church

210 R63 Hwy-Indianola, IA 50125 Weekend Mass Saturday 5:30 pm & Sunday 10:15 am Sunday 8:00 am at Immaculate Conception-St Mary's

Daily Mass: Tuesday -Friday 8:00 am

1st Tuesday of the Month at Good Samaritan Nursing Home 9:30am

St Thomas Aguinas Staff & Committees

ROSARY: Please join us in praying the rosary every Tuesday evening starting at 6:30pm in the church as we pray for peace, families and your special intentions.

June 21, 2015 (Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time)

Liturgies Scripture Reading-Cycle B June 21-28, 2015

Sunday, June 21 (Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time)

Job 38:1, 8-11, Ps 107:23-26, 28-31, 2 Cor 5:14-17, Mark 4:35-41 8:00 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception-Susan Cordner 10:15 a.m. at St. Thomas Aguinas-Shelley O'Meara

Monday, June 22 (Weekday)

Gn 12:1-9 Ps 33:12-13,18-20,22 Mt 7:1-5

No 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, June 23 (Weekday)

Gn 13:2,5-18 Ps 15:2-4b,5 Mt 7:6,12-14

8:00 a.m. Mass -LeRoy Grote

Rosary 6:30pm

Wednesday, June 24 (The Nativity of John the Baptist)

Is 49:1-6 Ps 139:1b-3,13-15 Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66,80

8:00 a.m. Mass -Vivian Elbert

Thursday, June 25 (Weekday)

Gn 16:1-12,15-16 Ps 106:1b-5 Mt 7:21-29

8:00 a.m. Mass -Joe Vorwald

Friday, June 26 (Weekday)

Gn 17:1,9-10,15-22 Ps 128:1-5 Mt 8:1-4

8:00 a.m. Mass -Vivian Elbert

Saturday, June 27 (Weekday)

Gn 18:1-15 (Ps) Lk 1:46-50,53-55 Mt 8:5-17

5:30 p.m.- In honor of the Anniversary of Jo & John Shean Sunday, June 28 (Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time)

Wis 1:13-15;2:23-24 Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13 2 Cor 8:7,9,13-15 Mk 5:21-43

8:00 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception-David Berg 10:15 a.m. at St. Thomas Aquinas-Joe Vorwald

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4:30 pm-5:00 pm or by appointment.

Liturgy of Baptism: Parents are requested to call the Parish Office to arrange for pre-baptism sessions.

and must be registered with the church, one sponsor must be Catholic.

Liturgy of Marriage: Call at least 6 months in advance to make arrangements. Pre-Marriage Program is required. Our parish has a prayer chain for special intentions. Requests can be for a anyone in need. Prayer requests call Kris Gross 961-8077, Jackie Ward 961-3266 or Debbie McDaniel 961-6481. **Prayer Chain:**

Call to request the Sacrament of the Sick, the Eucharist or to be placed on the Prayer Chain.

Care of the Sick & Shut-ins: Register in person; call the Office for Appointment. **Newcomers/Addresses:** Notify the office when you change your address. **Change of Address:**

Information must be in by noon on Wednesday to Steph Bintner. **Bulletin Announcements:**

Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9:00-4:00pm (Closed from 12:00-1:00pm) Parish Office: 961-3026/ Fax: 961-3458 Summer Hours Fri. 9 am - 1:00 Rectory Phone # 962-2063

> **Website:** www.stthomasindianola.parishesonline.com – new one coming soon!! Facebook: St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Indianola

Dear Parishioners:

Today is Father's Day! Happy Father's Day to all of our fathers, grandfathers, great grandfathers and great great grandfathers! We appreciate all the many sacrifices and love you have showed us with your time, hard work, etc. I think of my own father who was there for me as a young boy taking me on his business trips during the summer to various places around Iowa as a food broker, the times we spent golfing together, the summer vacations to Okoboji, Colorado, St. Louis, Chicago, etc. They were all memorable moments that I will not only never forget, but treasure them. I came across some things from the Spiritual Desert Fathers that can help us along our spiritual journey!

Desert Fathers:

- **1. Never stop starting over:** (5th Century): "My God do not abandon me but grant me, in your compassion the power to make a new start."
 - **2. Live intentionally, not aimlessly:** (St. Mark the Ascetic 5th cent.) "To journey without direction is wasted effort."
- **3. Never Despair, Never:** (St. Makerios, Eygpt 5th) "Let us draw eagerly to Christ. For it is a trick of the devil to lead us to despair by reminding us of our past sins."
 - **4. Renounce all self justification:** "We have put aside self-accusation and weighed our selves down with self-justification.
 - 5. Acknowledge our brokenness: "The person who has come to know the weakness of human nature has gained experience of Divine Power. Such a person never belittles anyone. He knows that God is like a good and loving physician who heals with individual treatment each person who is trying to make progress.
 - 6. **Be ruthlessly realistic:** Expect trials and temptation until your last breath. I am convinced that not even the apostles, although filled with the Holy Spirit were completely free of anxiety... Contrary to the view expressed by some, the advent of grace does not mean the immediate deliverance from anxiety.

Blessings and peace! Fr. Chris



Mark your Calendars for Lenny Miller's 80th Bday Open House Date: June 28th Time: 1:00-4:00pm

Where: St Thomas Rooms

Ministry Schedule

Please call someone to replace you if you aren't available to serve

Eucharistic Ministers:

June 27 Dave DeGroote, Cathy Krapfl, Debbie McDaniel, Carol V, Lanny W June 28 Tristan Grover, Dawn Goodale, Karen Harder, Judy & Dave Hutton

Lectors:

June 27 Wayne Jostes June 28 Ed Tormey

Ushers:

June 27 Parker's, Debbie McDaniel, Vivian Winkler June 28 Dave & Judy Hutton, Alan & Karen Harder

Altar Servers::

June 27 Tom & Ben Krapfl, Brooklyn Pottebaum June 28 Logan Grover, Kael Kolarik, Mia Lerseth

> Money Counters: June 28—Jim Carr & Jack Slinker Linens: (June-Peggy Parker)

> > BF \$1,785.00 Tithes \$2855.00 Plate: \$846.00

Spaghetti Dinner & Program



June 28th Immaculate Conception Church Hall Serving Dinner 5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Program 7:00 p.m. Presented by Trevor Chicoine

The Knights of Columbus invite you to an evening of fun and fellowship featuring our own seminarian

Trevor Chicoine

sharing about his life as a seminarian in Rome.

We ask that each family bring a dessert or salad.

A free will offering will be requested with proceeds going to support Trevor's vocation and education.



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Consider going on this pilgrimage with us!

Religious Education

Please remember to sign up for Religious Education, it helps us greatly to have a headcount for ordering and space purposes. (You do not need to send in the payment now). This applies even more so for the Good Shepherd program, if you have a child 3 years old or older and wish to enroll them in the program please contact me at jsayredre@outlook.com but don't delay the classes fill up quickly.

I am in need of teachers for the 2015-16 RE year! Of all the important things you do for your children this is by far the thing that will last for eternity. Please pray about it!

JoAnn

Palmer Hall Receptions:

<u>June:</u> June 20-Larson/Kuhlmann June 27– Robinson/Dorhman

July:
July 11– Hurd/Bussanmas
July 25– Adams/Feeny



Prayer List:

We are offering this list for current parishioners of
St Thomas Aquinas Church Only.

Please call Steph Bintner at the office to add or delete your
name. The names will remain on the list for a month unless
you want it on for an extended time.

Doug Andreasen, Evelyn Halterman,
Richard Golik, Lala Kosman,
Mary Cunningham
Lou Fusco and Darcy Moeller
And, Ruth Dale,
Bill & Arlene Sumpter & Gerald Wadle, Ed Leinen

Please call one of these ladies if you need someone on the Prayer Chain, they will send out an email or call the rest of the group to start immediate prayers for you, your loved one or friend in need. Email Jackie Ward at jjward71@q.com
Kris Gross@961-8077 and Jackie Ward @ 961-3266 and Debbie McDaniel @ 961-6481
We would like to offer a prayer shawl to parishioners who are ill or in need of comfort. The shawls have been prayed over when created. Please make your request through one of the prayer chain leaders.



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