St. Boniface & St. Joseph Parishes July 12 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

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DAY	TIME	<u>INTENTION</u>					
ST. BONIFACE							
Monday	NO MASS						
Tuesday	6:30am	Fr. Don Slaven, Mike Mullen, Fr. Bob Schimmer					
Wednesday	6:30am	Bill Clark					
Thursday	6:30am	Flossy Blair, All Souls, Mary June & Wanda Collette					
Friday	6:30am	Darlene Bay					
Saturday	4:00pm	Diane Backman					
Sunday	10:00am	The Members of St. Boniface & St. Joseph Parishes					
ST. JOSEPH							
Tuesday	7:00pm	Lucille Drahota, Anna Johnson					
Saturday	5:30pm	Glen Hansen					
Sunday	8:30am	Duke Lamoureaux					

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

July 14: Eucharistic Adoration; 5:30 - 6:30pm;

Evening Prayer, Rosary & Miraculous Medal Novena at St. Joseph Church; 6:30-7:00pm; Mass 7:00pm

July 15: Eucharistic Adoration at St. Boniface

July 16: St. Joseph Ladies Guild Luncheon; 1:00pm; Golden Corral

Questions of the week:

Adults: What part of the good news of Jesus Christ can I share

this week?

Children: Which of Jesus's stories can I tell this week?

Joke: The Haircut:

A teenage boy had just passed his driving test and inquired of his Father as to when they could discuss his use of the car. His father said he'd make a deal with his son: 'You bring your grades up from a C to a B average, study your Bible, and get your hair cut. Then we'll talk about the car.' The boy thought about that for a moment, decided he'd settle for the offer, and they agreed on it. After about six weeks his father said, 'Son, you've brought your grades up and I've observed that you have been studying your Bible, but I'm disappointed you haven't had your hair cut. The boy said, 'You know, Dad, I've been thinking about that, and I've noticed in my studies of the Bible that Samson had long hair, John the Baptist had long hair, Moses had long hair and there's even strong evidence that Jesus had long hair. You're going to love the Dad's reply: "Did you also notice that they all walked everywhere?"

Summer Mass Schedule Change: Fr. Cosgrove will offer an extra weekend Mass at St. Boniface Church on Sunday evenings at 7:00pm during the months of June, July & August. Hopefully this will make it easier for those with busy summer schedules to get to Mass.

Your will can be a testimony to your faith.
Include your parish.

St. Boniface Ministers: July 18/19

	4:00pm Mass Saturday	10:00am Mass Sunday	
USHERS	Jeff Peck Joe Lillie Gordie Sitzman Kevin Smith Mike Feisel	Florencio Macias Doug O'Brien Patty Bortscheller Robert Paul	
LECTORS	Cindy Duncan John Hildman	Larry Bruyer Tom Stolen	
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	Bob Duncan Chuck Meyers Donny Smith Randy Vogt Deb Vogt	Dean Garvin Sheila Garvin Joy Russell John Stewart Jeanne Stewart	
ALTAR SERVERS	Duncan Morgan Keyan Fulton	Bailey Weeks Sidney Weeks	

Sanctuary Volunteers: Mary Jayne Mousel, Donna Smith, Cindy Duncan, Gina Mullins, Theresa Vandengerg, Kris Brown, Bob Duncan, Heidi Grimaldo

Thank you to these people who have volunteered to form a crew to help clean the church. If you would like to form a crew or join an existing crew, we would love to have you. Call Audrey in the parish office. 255-3577 ext. 10

St. Joseph Ministers: July 18/19

	5:30pm Mass Saturday	8:30am Mass Sunday		
USHER	M. Morley G. Reinert D. Shoultz	M. Rodriguez C. Vore M & W. Hansen P. Walding		
GREETERS	D & D. Shoultz	M & W. Hansen J. Breyfogle K. Froelick C. Vore		
LECTORS	J. Mansfield	B. Hess		
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	Bread: J. Goettsch Wine: G. Reinert C. Jorgensen	Bread: R. Hess Wine: B. Walding P. Walding		
ALTAR SERVERS	Lori Johnson Lisa Schindler	Caleb Trierweiler Tessa Trierweiler		

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:

ST. BONIFACE (643 Households)	
Adult envelopes received Loose money received Electronic Giving TOTAL Special Envelopes – Major Projects Dollar Collection	\$ 3657.00 \$ 406.90 \$ 920.00 \$ 4983.90 \$ 258.00 \$ 257.40
ST. JOSEPH (411 Households)	
Adult envelopes received Loose money received Electronic Giving TOTAL P.I.F.	\$ 2500.00 \$ 289.00 \$ 1723.00 \$ 4512.00 \$ 30.00

The Eucharist Unifies the Church

Of all the sacraments, the Eucharist is essential for the Church. According to an expression handed down by tradition: "The Church makes the Eucharist, the Eucharist makes the Church." Through the ministry of the priests, the Eucharist is a celebration of that unique sacrifice in all places and for a variety of different communities and religious assemblies. This celebration, which is a concentrated version of what God has done for us and what he continues to do, creates and maintains Church unity.

<u>Parents of Children Going Into Second Grade</u>: PLEASE, PLEASE make sure to let Fr. Michael (255-3577 x11) or Michelle Rethman, director of religious education (233-1652) know your child is intending to receive First Communion in 2016. We do our best to find all of you, but sometimes a name is missed.

<u>Parents of Children Going Into Ninth Grade</u>: PLEASE, PLEASE make sure to let Fr. Michael (255-3577 x11) or Michaelle Rethman, director of religious education (233-1652) know your child is intending to receive Confirmation in 2016. We do our best to find all of you, but sometimes a name is missed.

<u>Ladies of St. Boniface Church</u>: Do you occasionally have a few hours available that you could spare to help a grieving family? We need a team to serve funeral lunches at St. Boniface. For more information or to volunteer, please call Wanda Thibodeau at 712-239-3401. Your reward is out of this world!

Attention Cyclists: Fr. Michael will bless your bicycle after Masses on the weekend of July 18/19, for RAGGRAI will be in town that weekend. Meet him at the main entrance of the church after Mass.

Annual Mission Co-op Appeal: A missionary from the Missionary Fraternity of Mary of Guatemala will be speaking at all masses next weekend describing the work of and requesting support for his society. Begun in 1981 as a youth ministry with seven young men, the Fraternity was subsequently established as a Society for Apostolic Life in 1990. Since then it has grown to over 200 ordained priests serving 64 missions in 31 dioceses in 11 countries. Currently there are approximately 170 seminarians in various stages of formation at the seminary in Guatemala. Fraternity mission sites are established where there are no clergy available to fulfill pastoral needs, difficult economic areas, and among the poor and marginalized. Fraternity priests also evangelize youth, taking young men and women on a faith journey do develop their spiritual lives and strengthen their Catholic faith to help them positively impact the community or village in which they live. Please welcome him and be as generous as you can in support of the work of the Fraternity. Visit them on the web at www.missionaryfraternityofmary.org.

The Summer Series, "The Mystics: Prayer and Practice", continues this week at Trinity Heights Queen of Peace (33rd and Floyd Blvd Sioux City). Father David Hemann will present on the mystic, St. John of the Cross, in the Marian Center on Wednesday evening after the 7:00 family rosary at the Mound of Mary (about 7:20 p.m.) The series will continue on Wednesday evenings until August 12th. All are welcome to attend. There is no charge.

National Family Planning Awareness Week will be celebrated this year during the week of July 19-25. It is a national educational campaign to focus our attention on Natural Family Planning and the Catholic Church teachings regarding marriage and family life. The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Weed draw our attention to the anniversary of the Blessed Pope Paul VI's encyclical "Humanae Vitae" promulgated on July 25, 1968 which expressed again, clearly and without change, the Catholic Church teachings on marital love, procreation and responsible parenthood. The dates are also near the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, the parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, on July 26.

Would you like more money in retirement? Consider a Charitable Gift Annuity. No other donation can help you earn money with your gift! Annuities may be written for those 65 years and older with a minimum gift of \$10,000. Participants receive reliable, fixed income payments for life, partial tax-free payments, favorable income rates up to 9.0% (depending on age) and immediate income tax deduction. Charitable Gift Annuities can be designated for several diocesan entities including any diocesan parish or school, seminarian education fund, priest pension fund, Catholic School Foundation or the Diocese of Sioux City. For more information, call the Office of Communication & Stewardship 712-233-7513.