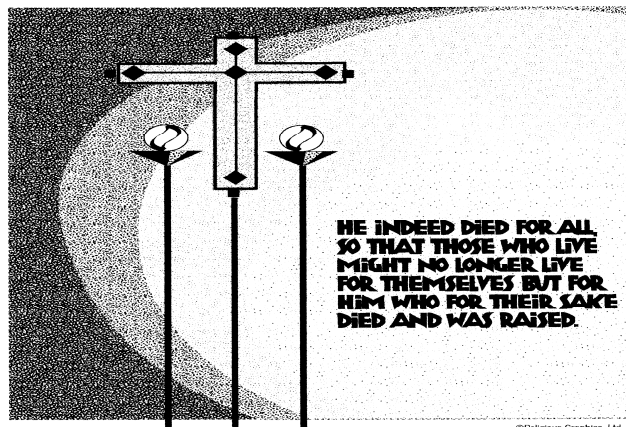


HOLY SPIRIT/ST. EDWARD

June 9/10 & 16/17, 2018 Bulletin

Tenth & Eleventh Sundays in Ordinary Time



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SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Call the priest for an appointment.

Reconciliation: Holy Spirit: Saturday, 4:30-5:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:15-8:45 a.m.

St. Edward: Sunday after Mass

First Saturday of the month 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Marriage Preparation: Contact priest at least six months before making marriage plans.

Newcomers: Call the parish office to register.

FROM FR. KEN

Summer is here! The kids are gone from the school, the contractors are working hard, the summer project list is growing, the air conditioners are running (well... kind of) and the summer storms are popping up. While I tend to be more of a cold weather person, I know that is kind of sick, but summer is really a beautiful time because the flowers are blooming, the grass is growing, the crops have come out of the ground, and the trees are green. With the long list of summer projects that we have going on, it is nice to start seeing some of them going and some of them finishing up. It is wonderful to see the new cement around both St. Edward and Holy Spirit. While some of them are being completed, some of them are getting started, you may have noticed some items missing at St. Edward, they have been taken so that they can be painted, and soon, they will be coming in later to do the altars later. The school is continuing and the office is going as well. While all of these material projects are wonderful to see happening, I would also recommend during the summer to do a "spiritual project." What this means is to find something spiritual in your life and do a remodel of it. If you have a sin that you do over and over, maybe do something to really focus on it. For example, say gossiping is something that you do often, spend some time in prayer to revamp how and what you talk about. Something that we can do is to expand our knowledge of other things, so that we will have something to bring up if we get into a gossip session. We often have a to-do list hanging around, do one for our spiritual lives as well and as we see the progress, it will encourage us to do better in other ways as well.

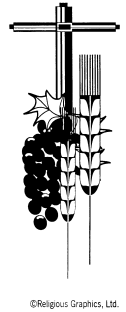
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St. Edward Church, 104 W. Union Street, Afton

St. Malachy School, 403 W. Clark Street, Creston
Holy Spirit Church, 107 W. Howard Street, Creston

MASS SCHEDULE

Mon. June 11	5:00 p.m. Adoration/6:00 Mass, Holy Spirit
Tue. June 12	9:00 a.m., Afton Care Center
Wed. June 13	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Thu. June 14	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Fri. June 15	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Sat. June 16	5:15 p.m., Holy Spirit
Sun. June 17	9:00 a.m., Holy Spirit 10:45 a.m., St. Edward

Gene Miller
All Souls
Mary Baird
Chris Burlingame
Henry Falk
Mert Link
For the People
Deceased Members of Henry & Alzada Brown Family
Gene Dunphy
Lana Weis Gossman
Dorothy Peak
Jessica Moeller
Henry Falk
Ray Griffith
Dale & Anita Thomas
For the People



Mon. June 18	5:00 p.m. Adoration/6:00 Mass, Holy Spirit
Tue. June 19	7:30 a.m. Adoration/8:30 a.m. Mass, St. Edward
Wed. June 20	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Thu. June 21	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Fri. June 22	7:00 a.m., St. Malachy Chapel
Sat. June 23	5:15 p.m., Holy Spirit
Sun. June 24	9:00 a.m., Holy Spirit 10:45 a.m., St. Edward

MISSION APPEAL FOR THE DIOCESE OF KOTTAPURAM

This weekend (June 9/10) we welcome our visiting guests from the Diocese of Kottapuram in India. This region is full of islands and villages with about 25,000 Catholic families out of a population of 100,000 families — Christians, Muslims and Hindus. With an economy based on fishing and with monsoons and other fluctuations of weather, the people experience great hardships. We will be taking a second collection to help financially assist this region.



MASSTIMES.ORG

Don't take a vacation from God this summer. Go to Masstimes.org and find the nearest Catholic church and Mass times while you're traveling.

BULLETIN/OFFICE NOTES

- ♦ Next bulletin: June 24th. Please plan accordingly.
- ♦ Parish Office: During the summer months Kay will be out of the office Friday afternoons.

PRAYER TREE

If you would like to be part of the prayer tree or wish to place a name on the prayer tree, please email or call:

- ♦ Mary Wichhart, 782-2289, or dmwichhart@iowatelecom.net or Pat Pokorny, 782-4291, or ppokorny@windstream.net. (for Holy Spirit)
- ♦ Patty Bradley, 347-8812 (for St. Edward)

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Catholic Daughters of Americas will meet for their annual Ladies Night Out at A & G Restaurant, 6:00 p.m., on Tuesday, June 12th. The committee: Kathy Tapken (chr.), Kay Raymond, Susie McCall and Betty Bradley. We look forward to seeing you.

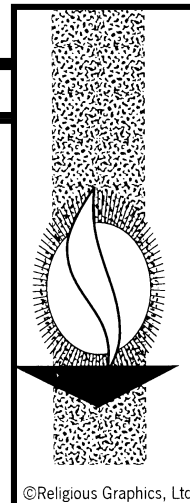
CD OF A: WHO CAN JOIN?

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas is an organization open to all Catholic women, cradle Catholics and converts. The Catholic Daughters have joyfully and faithfully served God since 1903. We give our time and treasure to alleviate the suffering of those affected by natural disasters. We perform Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy and affirm the dignity of every human. We continue to make a difference in our parishes and communities. We seek to live life as authentic Christian witnesses. If you are interested in becoming a part of this wonderful organization, please contact Retta Ripperger at 641-782-0918 or retta@realestateismy.name.

News from Holy Spirit Parish

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday	June 10	Coffee and Rolls after Mass, Hall
Monday	June 11	Sorting, 9:00 a.m., ReRun Shop
Tuesday	June 12	ReRun Shop, Noon-5:00 p.m. CD of A Our Night Out, 6:00 p.m., A & G Restaurant
Wednesday	June 13	ReRun Shop, Noon-5:00 p.m. Parish Picnic, 5:30 p.m. Gather/6:00 p.m. Eat, McKinley Park Parish Council Meeting to follow Picnic
Friday	June 15	ReRun Shop, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Saturday	June 16	ReRun Shop, 9:00 a.m.-Noon
Monday	June 18	Sorting, 9:00 a.m., ReRun Shop
Tuesday	June 19	ReRun Shop, Noon-5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	June 20	ReRun Shop, Noon-5:00 p.m.
Friday	June 22	ReRun Shop, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Saturday	June 23	ReRun Shop, 9:00 a.m.-Noon Paint Fence at Calvary Cemetery, 9:00 a.m.



GIFTS TO GOD

Weekly tithes needed	\$6,837.50
June 3rd tithes received	\$7,496.00

COFFEE AND ROLLS

The Family Life Committee will serve coffee and rolls after Mass June 10th. Please join us!



The annual parish picnic will be held Wednesday, June 13th. We will gather at 5:30 p.m./eat at 6:00 at McKinley Park (shelter #4/up by the bear and across from the historical village). Hamburgers/hot dogs, buns, tableware, drinks, and condiments will be provided. Bring a side dish or dessert to round out the menu. Bring a lawn chair if you desire! We will meet at St. Malachy School gym in case of inclement weather.

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

Return your Baby Bottle (filled with coins, currency or a check) to church the weekend of June 16th/17th. Bottle proceeds go to support pro-life ministries. Contact Pat Pokorny, 782-4291, or Betty Baker, 782-7998, if you have questions.

COLORED PENCILS

Once again Holy Spirit will be collecting colored pencils for the annual ecumenical backpack ministry. We need to collect 475 packages of pencils by mid-July. Donations of pencils may be placed in the back of church. If you wish to make a monetary donation, please place in an envelope marked "colored pencils" and you can place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office.



CRESTON COMMUNITY CHORUS

There will be an organizational meeting for a Creston Community Chorus on Sunday, June 10th, 1:00 p.m., at the First Christian Church on Townline. The chorus will sing a patriotic concert at 4:00 p.m. on the 4th of July at McKinley Park. We hope to have a large group of singers. There will be a medley of service songs with corresponding flags. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please call Midge Scurlock, 782-4591, to reserve a packet of music.

JUST A LITTLE BIT SHORT!

We are so, so close to reaching our Annual Diocesan Appeal goal. We are \$859.00 short. If you haven't made a donation, please consider doing so. Pledge cards are available in the back of church or from the parish office. THANKS to all who have given!

FENCE PAINTING

Volunteer help is needed to paint the fence at Calvary Cemetery on Saturday, June 23rd. Work will begin at 9:00 a.m. All help appreciated!!

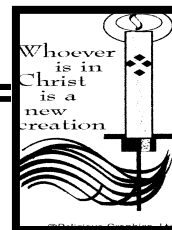
MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 16/17	5:15 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	June 23/24	5:15 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
Lectors	Dennis Nelson Paul Somers	Al Pokorny Pat Pokorny		Phyllis Allen Steve Heffern	Steve McCann Bill Mullin
Eucharistic Ministers	Dennis Nelson Lois Nelson Betty Baker	Mary S. McDonald Dean Schulte Paul Baker Karen Fries Missy Sickels		Tim Root Linda Root Terri Koets	Randy & June Huewe Bob & Lisa Miller Virginia Aguilar
Ushers	Dick Baker T. & L. Root Joni Taylor Monte Neitzel Paul Johnson	Virginia Aguilar Jamie Hayes Elaine Haines Terri Koets Dennis & Kay Kinsella		T. & C. Sevier D. & B. Baker L. & MJ. Dorgan	J. Eblen Family Joni Taylor
Servers	Keely Coen Carly Green	Mallory Tallmon Abby Tallmon Ashlyn Baker		Hope Woods Hannah Woods	Braylee Pokorny Jersey Foote Ayden White
Greeters	T. & L. Root	Virginia Aguilar Ben Brightwell		T. & C. Sevier	Ryan & Mandy Mohr
Rosary Musicians	Ted Willets No Music	Al Pokorny Lynn Baker Larry Rayhons		Bob Jansen No Music	Kelsey Bailey Linda Taylor Jolene Griffith
Money Counters	Syd Hudek, Mary McElroy, Bob McKee			Tom, Todd, TJ. Dunphy, Luke Baker	

Please be at church 10 minutes before Mass begins. If you cannot be there, please find a substitute.

News from St. Edward

Tuesday	June 11	CD of A Our Night Out, 6:00 p.m., A & G Restaurant
Wednesday	June 13	Devotions, 6:30 p.m.
Sunday	June 17	Parish Council following Mass
Wednesday	June 20	Adoration, 6:00-7:00 p.m. + Confession



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

10:45 a.m.	June 17	June 24
Lector	Alex Pettit	Randy Pettit
Eucharistic Minister	Deb W.-Ripperger Sydney Weis	Ellie Fry Karen Jones
Ushers	Kathy Simmerman D. & M. Moore Family	Darren Moore T. & L. Smith Family
Servers	Hayden Waigand Logan Findley	Steven Fry B. Hopkins
Money Counters	Phil Bradley Carol Waigand	Phil Bradley Carol Waigand

NEW SCHEDULE: It's time to make a new ministry schedule. Please contact Sheila Brown with any changes that need to be made by June 19th. New ministers are always welcome!

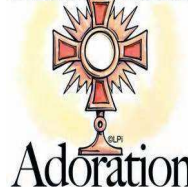
GIFTS TO GOD

Weekly tithes needed	\$ 844.86
June 3rd tithes received	\$1,080.00

THANK YOU.....

A huge thanks to everyone who has contributed to our Annual Diocesan Appeal. We are just \$365.00 short of reaching our goal. All donations, no matter the size, are greatly appreciated.

Eucharistic



June 20th: The third Wednesday of each month we hold Adoration from 6:00-7:00 p.m. Confession is also available during this time.