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25 SEPTEMBER, 2022

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## FROM FATHER CHUCK

### Mass Reminder.

On Octoberfest Sunday, October 9th, **THERE WILL NOT BE A NOON MASS.** The reason for this is that there are no priests available to do the noon mass. Please mark this on your calendars.

### Seminarian Collection.

Many of you have probably received envelopes for the seminarian collection. We have money set aside for this collection so we will not take up a second collection and we will make a donation to the seminarian fund from our regular collection. The cost to educate a seminarian is over \$30,000.00. I always think about this because when I entered the seminary the cost for room, board, tuition and books was \$750.00. We have fifteen seminarians studying for our diocese and any financial help you can give will be greatly appreciated.

### Ignite.

One of the greatest challenges to doing the Ignite Campaign is to find a sufficient number of workers to do the campaign. I am hoping that we will have a sufficient number of workers to complete the campaign.

I spoke about this on Sunday that you will probably be contacted by the Ignite Campaign asking for a specific amount of money. The guideline that we always have to follow is to do your best. One of the greatest challenges and greatest gifts is to show the place of the Lord in our life by being generous to the Lord. The money raised in the Ignite Campaign will help many entities of our Diocese. I spoke about time, talent and treasure in my thoughts last weekend and so I ask you to be generous with time, talent and treasure to this campaign.

### Walk and Bicycle Ride.

Today at 2:00 p.m. at Manawa State Park we will have our bike ride and walk event. This is a wonderful opportunity to get to know members of our parish family and to enjoy the beautiful fall colors in the park. I hope to see you this afternoon.

### Oktoberfest

The sign up for Oktoberfest is going along quite well. We will have the sign up again after mass. One of the areas that we are in need of help is in moving things from the hall to Saint Albert on Saturday morning and returning these things to the social hall on Sunday. We have only two people signed up to help so we could use at least ten more people to help with moving things and helping set up the tables at Saint Albert. Please sign up for a job. I say this every year that when we work together our parish is stronger. I know that when after working Oktoberfest that there is a tremendous feeling of having made a difference in the life of our parish.

### Homeless Man.

For the past several days there has been a homeless man sleeping between the rectory and church. This is always frightening since I never know what the person's state of mind is. We did call the police and have the man's things removed and he hasn't returned since. One of the important things to be considerate of us to have facilities for the homeless so that they can get their life going in the right direction.

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Readings for October 2, 2022  
1st Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4  
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14  
Gospel: Luke 17:5-10

The Altar Society will hold a Rummage Sale In October. Drop off is Thursday, October 27 8am—6pm. Sale is Friday, October 28, 8am-5pm and Saturday October 29 8am-Noon. Reminder-The Altar Society asks for your support by donating craft items and baked goods for Oktoberfest. Drop off at St. Alberts Saturday October 8 between 11am-1pm or Sunday October 9 before 11am.

The Diocese of Des Moines Diaconate Formation office is sponsoring an Information Night Monday, September 26 at St. Patrick Church. Begins 6:30 pm. A short presentation by members of the Permanent Diaconate followed by a Q & A. Spouses welcome but not required. Please RSVP to Chris Holton at 323-1484.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court St Anthony #330 will meet Monday, September 26. Communion Service at St. Patrick's at 5:30 pm followed by dinner and a monthly meeting. GIK items for Joshua Tree, Men's Homeless Shelter of CB. Personal care items such as travel size shampoo, body wash, deodorant, athletic socks, men's briefs, etc. www.cda330.org. All women, 18 years and older, from CB parishes are welcome.

## MASS SCHEDULE

Tue	9/27	8:00 am	Yvonne Hannemann & Lorraine Kealy
Wed	9/28	8:00 am	Phil Spoto
Thur	9/29	5:30 pm	James Gorman
Fri	9/30	8:00 am	Don Slobodnik
Sat	10/1	4:00 pm	Jerome & Margaret Kasperbauer
Sun	10/2	8:00 am	Marilyn Frances Zacccone
Sun		10:00 am	Kenneth Finnegan & Frank Holzer
Sun		Noon	Denny Teymer

SATURDAY, 4PM October 1, 2022  
ALTAR SERVERS: Bianca Cihacek, Jim Beck, Noah Galus  
LECTORS: Nancy Jones, Rod Nuss  
EUCH MINISTER: Pat Shadden  
USHERS: Jack Gross, Linda Bonham, Fred Schaben

SUNDAY, 8 AM, October 2, 2022  
ALTAR SERVERS: Grace & Evan Veit, Lena & Molli Rosloniec  
LECTORS: Amy Higginbotham, Tony Koehling  
EUCH MINISTER: Gabe Evezic  
USHERS: Dennis Coughlin, Steven Evezic, Russ Goesser, Andy Juranek

SUNDAY, 10 AM October 2, 2022  
ALTAR SERVERS: Sarah Lighthipe, Nathaniel Biederman, CarterRossbund, Aiden Gaul  
LECTORS: Devin Menges, John Ross Biederman  
EUCH MINISTER: Barb Nielsen  
USHERS: Dave Bristol, Bryan Carolus, Jill & Zachary Clevenger

SUNDAY, NOON October 2, 2022  
ALTAR SERVERS: Grace Burroughs, A J Smith, Theo Oswald, Mason Olson  
LECTORS: Andrea Barnes, Mike Noon  
EUCH MINISTER: Mike Thomas  
USHERS: Chris Olson, Rob Peters, Trevor Yanovich, Adam Thomas

### FATHER'S THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

**One of the things that happens so often to us is that when we get frustrated our language gets out of control. One thought for the week is that before we ever speak, even when we are frustrated, we should ask ourselves this question: "Would my language be acceptable to the Blessed Virgin Mary?"**

### LIFE ACCORDING TO JEAN.....

- We're all mature until somebody brings out the bubble wrap.
- Those who like my posts are happier, more intelligent, and better-looking than those who don't according to a study I made up.
- In a packed elevator everyone is silent. My stomach: I will now demonstrate the mating call of a whale.
- If you met my family, you would understand.
- My housekeeping skills is best described as "There appears to have been a struggle."
- Don't grow up, it's a trap.
- Leftovers are for quitters.
- Life is short, lick the spoon.
- There are three signs of old age: Loss of memory,.....I forgot the other two.
- I'm really not funny. I'm just mean and people think I'm joking.
- I have kids, you don't scare me.
- I don't have ducks or a row...I have squirrels and they're everywhere.
- I use the smoke alarm for a timer.
- How do I like my eggs? Umm....in a cake.
- I swear it was Friday like ten minutes ago.
- Note to self: Just because it pops into my head does not mean it should come out of my mouth.
- I'm not weird, I'm a limited edition.
- Mr. Rogers did not adequately prepare me for the people in my neighborhood.
- In my defense, there was a full moon and I was left unsupervised.
- Sometimes, I shock myself with the smart stuff I say and do. Other times, I try to get out the car with my seatbelt on.

HAVE A GREAT WEEK, STAY SAFE, BE NICE TO EACH OTHER

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, September 26-Knights of Columbus, 6 pm Social Hall  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9-OKTOBERFEST, SERVING DINNER FROM 11 AM TO 2 PM AT ST. ALBERT  
Thursday October 27-Altar Society Rummage Sale drop off 8 am—6 pm  
Friday, October 28-Altar Society Rummage Sale 8 am—5 pm  
Saturday, October 29-Altar Society Rummage Sale 8 am-Noon

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