



# ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH IGLESIA DE SAN PATRICIO

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## Welcome Newcomers to Saint Patrick's!

Parish registration gatherings are after 10:00 Mass on each Sunday of the month in the Social Hall, or use the easy on-line form.

## Bienvenido A San Patricio!

¡Bienvenido a san Patricio! Puede registrarse después de Misa en la parte trasera de la Iglesia or llenar la forma en línea.

## Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered and active members of the parish. Parents are required to attend one instructional session, ideally before the child is born. Call the parish office to register for the next class.

## Sacramento del Bautismo

Los padres deben ser miembros activos de la parroquia y asistir a las pláticas bautismales. Para mayor informes, favor de comunicarse a la oficina.

## Sacramento del Matrimonio

Comuníquese a la oficina parroquial para mayor información.

## Parish Staff and Phone 337-2856

### Personal parroquial y telefono

Very Rev. Rudolph T. Juarez, EV, JCL Pastor  
Ted Pacha, Parish Council President  
Lila Scott, Office Manager  
Shelly Conlon, Youth Ministry Director  
Cheryl Schropp, Events Coordinator/Office Staff  
Ed Villhauer, Maintenance/Custodian(Office  
Hours: 8:00 am - 12 Noon /1:00 pm - 4:00 pm)

Father's residence phone number: (319) 930-0890.  
You can reach him at this number after office hours.

## Regina Catholic Education Center Centro Educacional Catolico Regina

Regina High School.....338-5436  
Regina Elementary School .....337-5739  
Regina Religious Education Office .....351-7638  
Regina Business Office .....337-2580  
Regina Pre-School.....337-6189

## Bulletin Deadline:

Submit articles in writing by 9:00 am Monday.

## Fecha límite para el boletín

Entregar artículos por escrito antes de las 9:00 a.m. los días lunes.

## Confessions/confesiones

Todos los sábados de 3:00 pm a 4:00 pm  
Saturday, 3:00 pm—4:00 pm

August 22, 2010

## Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

In my travels I've visited cities like Washington, New York, and Chicago. And while I'm mostly a country person at heart, there is a certain vibrancy in city life. I like walking down the crowded streets of a shopping or entertainment district and watching the people. I suppose I enjoy it, because it is so different from the country road that I usually walk down in the early morning. If I'm taking an evening walk in the city, I'm always intrigued by the long lines that form outside certain clubs. You can hear the thumping of the music, and see the flashing of the lights. As I walk by, the waiting crowd is often trying to convince the bouncers guarding the doors that they know someone on the inside who would surely let them in if the person only knew they were out on the sidewalk. From my cursory observance, the pleading patrons are almost never admitted.

It is probably not fair to compare the kingdom of heaven to the big city club scene, even though people come from the east and the west, the north and the south, to get in on a Saturday night. Like the clubs, the kingdom of God does have an exclusive clientele, and you do have to know someone to get in-and he has to know you.

We get to know Jesus by spending time with him through prayer and by reading the Bible. We get to know him even better by our communion with him when we receive the Eucharist. And we get to know Jesus when we discover him in the hungry, the thirsty, the homeless, the stranger, the sick, and the imprisoned. There's not a line stretching around the corner to meet these kinds of people. But maybe there should be. If we want to get in to the best place ever, then we're going to have to line up to help these least ones.

## Sunday Mass Schedule

### Horario De Misas Dominicales

Vigil/Vigilia Saturday/Sábado 4:30 pm  
Sunday/Domingo 7:30 am - 10:00 am  
Español 12:00 pm

## Daily Mass Schedule City Wide

### Horario De Misas Diarias En La Ciudad

7:00 am St. Wenceslaus M-S  
8:30 am St. Patrick's T-F  
9:00 am St. Thomas More T-F  
12:10 pm St. Mary's M-F  
5:15 pm Newman Center M-F

## Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: Novena a Nuestra Senora del Perpetuo Socorro

Tuesdays, following the 8:30 am Mass.  
Los Martes después de la Misa de 8:30 am.

## Capilla de Adoracion Perpetual

For more information contact Janet Strand at 338-1863.

## St. Patrick Church, Iowa City

### Mass Intentions for Week of Aug. 22, 2010

#### Tuesday, August 24

8:30 am Katherine Brandt, Anne Kramer

#### Wednesday, August 25

8:30 am Harold Greiner, Ben Moore

#### Thursday, August 26

8:30 am David Talbott, Agnes McLaughlin

#### Friday, August 27

8:30 am Allan & Kathleen Hickson, Ann Owen

#### Saturday, August 28

4:30 pm For the Parish

#### Sunday, August 29

7:30 am Veronica Prybil, Kenneth Rogers

10:00 am Fannie Duffy, Mary Keating

12:00 pm John Clear

### Altar Servers for August 28-29

4:30 pm B. Keating, J. Keating, J. Keating

7:30 am Wulf, Wulf, Crossett, Crossett

10:00 am Brandt, Evans, Lincoln, Beck, Beck

12:00 pm

### Lectors for August 28-29

4:30 pm Linda Alt-Farmer

7:30 am Elaine Carmichael

10:00 am Sage Behr

12:00 pm

### Extraordinary Ministers August 28-29

4:30 pm Marlene Frantz, Dan Gockel, Elaine Gockel, Mary Hart, Ann Hilgendorf, Chris Kambhu, Katy Kambhu, Janet Keating, Sandy Pick

7:30 am Rosemary Dalton, Denny Elbert, Aleda Feuerbach, Ryan Lynch, Paula Goetzinger

10:00 am Rosie Bullington, Pat Brandt, Clark Feller Terry Dickens, Jo Dickens, Pete Damiano, Bonnie Doyle, Nate Streb, Rick Streb

### Sacristan for August

4:30 pm Gerry Murray

7:30 am Ken Irving

10:00 am Heather Feller

12:00 pm

### Ushers for August

4:30 pm Kevin Nerad, William Wunder, Joann Page, Carol Peters, Greg Finger, Bev Bowman Jim Goody, Dorothy Goody, Greg Finger

7:30 am Al Lombard, Al Gremm, Nancy Gremm, Bart Schuchert, William Byers, Bob Wisor, Carmela Schuchert

10:00 am Pam Gantz, Jim Whetstine, Scott Nibaur, Dan/Geneva Shannon, Mark Pizzimenti Brian/Mary Beth Shapcott, Tim Schutt

12:00 pm

### First Saturday Mass

First Saturday of each month at 8:30 am.

### Adoration and Holy Hour

First Friday of each month after 8:30 Mass.

### The Rosary

The Rosary is said prior to Daily Mass at 8:10 am, Tuesday through Friday. Please join us.

### Gift Bearers

If you would like to bring up the Gifts at Mass, please contact an Usher before Mass.

### Hospital & Home Visits

Please call if there is someone in the hospital that we can visit. We can also add them to our prayer line.

If you or someone you know is homebound and would like to receive the Holy Eucharist, please contact Jeanne Seaton @ 351-4988 to make arrangements.

### Happy Anniversary from the Bishop

At the request of Bishop Amos, the Faith Formation Office is sponsoring a diocesan celebration for all couples who are celebrating 50 years of marriage this year. The celebration is also for couples who were unable to attend last year's celebration. Please check your *Messenger* for further details. A Mass and informal reception will be held at St. Mary's Church in Fairfield at 2 pm, Sunday, Oct. 10th.

### Marriage Prep Weekends:

Nov. 6-7 Muscatine Bishop Hayes School

Feb 19-20, 2011 Bettendorf St. John Vlanney

Registration form [www.davenportdiocese.org](http://www.davenportdiocese.org).

\$125.00 fee.

### Next Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Take time away from all your worries and spend time focusing on the Lord and your spouse. The next weekend is in Des Moines on Oct. 15-17. To register or for more information contact Roger & Marsha Luensmann @ 563-927-4352.

### Scrip—Help Support St. Patrick Church

Help us clean out some of our Scrip inventory! The Church receives a portion of the proceeds of all Scrip sales made at St. Patrick. Thank you, in advance, for your support of our parish. **Weekly sales of Scrip resume this weekend. Purchase from inventory and pick-up special orders.**

### God's Helping Hands

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, September 2nd in the Social Hall following 8:30am Mass. We meet the first Thursday of each month from April-November. All are invited to join. One of the services we provide is to take the Eucharist to those who are not able to attend Mass. If you would like to help in this activity, please join us! New members are welcome!

### This Week's Stewardship Reflection:

*"For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last." - Luke 13:30.*

The standards in our society are so different from God's standards. We often rate or rank people by what they have, how powerful they are, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards.

**NEEDED EACH WEEK: \$14,558.00**

## TIME TALENT TREASURE

### Church Support

Thank you for your gift of time, talent and treasure.

#### August 14/15

Envelopes .....	\$7780.50
Children .....	\$3.00
Offertory .....	\$1269.50
Additional Appeals .....	\$344.00



Welcome to St. Patrick's! Parish registration will be held after 10:00 Mass in the Social Hall. If you are unable to attend, please register online at [www.stpatsic.com/resources](http://www.stpatsic.com/resources) or call us at the parish office, 337-2856.

### Readings for the Week of August 22

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Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30  
Monday: 2 Th 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22  
Tuesday: Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51  
Wednesday: 2 Th 3:6-10, 16-18/Mt 23:27-32  
Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9/Mt 24:42-51  
Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25/Mt 25:1-13  
Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 25:14-30  
Next Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

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### NO Smoking, Please!

According to fire regulations, insurance requirements (and Ed!), there is to be NO SMOKING anywhere in the building or on the church grounds.

### YOUTH GROUP PICNIC- TODAY!

Sunday, August 22nd, 4-6pm!

Families with kids entering 2nd-12th grades are invited to the Annual Youth Ministry Kick-off Picnic! Join us in the Social Hall for food, games, fellowship and fun! (Previously this was held at Regina.) There will be info about the sacrament classes for First Communion and Confirmation as well as the Elementary, Junior High and High School Youth groups! Fried chicken, table service and drinks provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Call Shelly Conlon @ 341-8561 with questions.

### Parish Blood Drive...

The Social Action Commission will be hosting its final blood drive of 2010 on Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 2-6:30pm. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the Narthex bulletin board. Please consider donating at St. Patrick so we can finish this year with a tremendous response! Thank you.

### DCCW Dues are now payable

Please remember the collection for the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. Dues are \$2.00 annually for each woman in the parish provide financial support for the council. In accordance with the long tradition of the diocese, every Catholic woman in the diocese is a member of the DCCW. Remember to place your dues in the collection basket or bring to the office. We are billed and must pay for every woman in the parish. Thank you.

### In appreciation...

On Sunday, September 5th we are hosting Coffee & Donuts after 10:00 Mass in gratitude for Tom Summy's hard work as Project Manager of our new church and rectory. A tree and bench will be added to our landscape to honor him. Please join us in thanking him!

### We extend our sympathy...

To the family of Tom Denneny, a parishioner, whose funeral was recently held here.

### Mary Jo Loria Benefit

There will be a **benefit breakfast and silent auction** for Mary Jo Loria on Sunday, August 29th from 8am-2pm in the parish hall. Mary Jo was diagnosed with ALS 3-1/2 years ago. With the love and support of many friends and family members, Mary Jo has been fortunate to remain living at home. In the coming months, Mary Jo and her husband Joe will be purchasing a new wheelchair and a wheelchair accessible van. The money raised from the benefit will help offset the cost of these upcoming expenses.

### Next Pantry Sunday is August 29th

Please bring non-perishable food items such as tuna, peanut butter, canned fruits and vegetables, pasta, diapers, etc. to be given to the Crisis Center. Thanks for sharing with those less fortunate in our community. "Whatever you do to the least of my people, that you do unto me." Matthew 25:40

### Please use new address:

Please use our new mailing address on all correspondence and inform your power pay institution: **4330 St. Patrick Dr., Iowa City, IA 52240.**

### Wedding Assistants Needed

Volunteer(s) to help with bridal couples. You would work with the couple the day of the wedding to assist in any way. Contact Lila in the office to discuss further.

### Ride Needed...

Evelyn Conner lives @ Emerson Point on Shannon Drive and needs a ride to 10:00 Mass. Please call her daughter, Rosemary @ 319-325-1046, if you can assist her at any time. Thank you!

### Family update requested

*If there are any changes in status, address, e mail, phone, births etc. please let the office know.* Thank you!

### Attend these Labor Day Celebrations!

The REGINA Annual Fall Fun Festival will be held Sept. 3-5 with kids' games, carnival rides, food, fun, garage sale, dinners, and prizes. Thanks for your support!

ST. MARY'S of Riverside will hold its annual celebration on Monday, Sept. 6th. Smoked pork chop or chicken breast dinners and all the fixin's served from 11am-2pm. Crafts, Farmer's market, games, & raffle.

### Cosgrove Pork Day

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Cosgrove will celebrate Pork Day with a Polka Mass at 11:00am in the Cosgrove Institute and a pork meal served from 11:15-2:30pm by the Altar and Rosary. Entertainment by the Ockenfels Family, with an auction, children's tractor pull, and a \$5,000 cash drawing! All are welcome!

### St. James Fall Festival

St. James, Washington is hosting their Fall Festival on Sunday, Sept. 12th, with turkey or ham dinner served from 11am-1pm. Country Store, Auction and Youth Games, too! Please attend. See bulletin board.

### City Meeting at St. Patrick

Please attend the meeting scheduled for next Thursday evening, Aug. 26th to be held in the social hall to provide your input regarding the development of the City Square across the street. All ideas are welcome!

## Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

### An Invitation

#### Chapel of Perpetual Adoration.

The Chapel has been in existence since 1986 where our Lord is exposed in a Monstrance 24 hours a day, waiting and longing for us to take the time to visit Him day or night. To place before Him our hopes, our troubles and our joys, our fears and our dreams.

There are 168 hours in one week, could you find it in your heart to give one of these hours back to God in the Chapel?

Many spiritual blessings are waiting for those of you who are generous enough to make the extra commitment to return Love with Love to our Eucharistic Lord.

To learn more about the Chapel or to sign up for an hour, please contact Janet Strand at 338-1863.

### Give your child the gift of a faith-based education this year

Regina has openings in almost all grade levels for the 2010-2011 school year. Tuition assistance is available. For more information, contact Carol Trueg at 351-1415 or [carol.trueg@regina.pvt.k12.ia.us](mailto:carol.trueg@regina.pvt.k12.ia.us).

### Regina Tri-Parish Religious Education

Registration packets were mailed earlier this month. If you did not receive one, please contact Carolyn Brandt at the RE Office. It is essential that the registration be returned to us as soon as possible so we can prepare. If you are interested in being a catechist teacher or assistant, please call the RE office at 351-7638. Thank you! Classes begin Sept. 15th.

### Noah's Nursery Bake Sale!

Volunteer staff of the Noah's Nursery ministry are hosting a bake sale after all masses the weekend of Sept. 11&12. Donations of baked goods are welcome to be sold. All monies received will purchase cubbies for Noah's Nursery, which provides child care for the infants 0-3 years of age during 10:00 Mass.

### Diocesan Retreat in Spanish/English

Spirituality for Everyday is the topic of the day retreat to be held here on Saturday, Sept. 18th from 8:30am-3:00pm with Mass presided by Bishop Amos. Cost is \$20 with registration deadline of Sept. 10th. See bulletin board.

### YOUTH MINISTRY DATES/HAPPENINGS

HS YOUTH RALLY, Oct. 24`Marriott, Coralville  
JR. HIGH YOUTH RALLY, Mar. 30, 2011, Regina



### Children's Liturgy

#### Month of August—No Children's Liturgy.

September will soon be here and it's time to start Children's Liturgy again! Below are the upcoming Sunday dates for September and October. Also, if you know of anyone who might be interested in volunteering or wants more information, please contact Mary Murphy at [mg9425@mchsi.com](mailto:mg9425@mchsi.com). (For anyone with kids at Regina, this counts as stewardship; we can be flexible with scheduling.)

#### September 5 – No Children's Liturgy/Labor Day Holiday

September 12	October 3	October 24
September 19	October 10	
September 26	October 17	

### First Communion

Please call the office as soon as possible if your child will be enrolled in 2nd grade in the Fall, or has not yet received the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Packets were mailed recently to families of upcoming 2nd graders. Please let us know if you did not receive a packet and should receive one. Classes for this group will begin September 19th. The Sacrament of First Holy Communion will be on May 1st, 2011 at 10:00 Mass. Be sure to attend the Youth Picnic for more information.

### Confirmation

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be held next year on Sunday, April 10, 2011 at 10:00 Mass.

Youth entering 9th grade or older who have not received this sacrament, please contact Shelly Conlon to register. Classes will begin this fall. Be sure to attend the Youth Picnic for more information.

### Book of the Month

The Mustard Seed Catholic Book Store has a Book of the Month Club. A young person reads a Catholic Spiritual Book...could be a saint or book pertaining to their Catholic faith...and writes a report. Contact the book store at 337-6893 if you have questions.

### Protecting God's Children

Current training sessions:

09/08/210 St. Mary Church, Pella 6:00 pm

You MUST register online at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org).

### A Study of the Psalms

with Jeff Cavins

Mondays, September 13th – November 22nd

Mornings, 9:30-11:00am St. Wenceslaus Church Hall

Evenings, 7:00-8:30pm St. Patrick Church Hall

Facilitated by Dan Teets

Binder with Questions and Responses available for \$20.00

Cash or checks payable to: St. Mary's Adult Enrichment

To reserve materials or if you have questions call

Dan Teets at St. Mary's Office (337-4314, Ext. 105)

### Kids Sharing the Gospel

Heaven will be wonderful. People from all over the world will be there to enjoy God's friendship. No matter how small you feel now, you will always be important to God in heaven. Once you accept the gift of love from Jesus,

you will want to change your life. You will want to spend time with God, and you will want to show love to other people. Then you can look forward to heaven.

#### Prayer

Dear God, help me to do all that I can to grow closer to you.

### Something to Draw

Draw a picture of yourself standing next to Jesus in heaven.

### Mission for the Week

Pray to God with your family, and ask God to change your hearts so that you love him more than anything else.