



TRINITY CLUSTER

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TRINITY CLUSTER MISSION STATEMENT

We are the Trinity Cluster, a Catholic community of faith united in Christ. We are committed to inviting all people to celebrate God's love through the Holy Eucharist and living the Gospel. We strive to build a unified, loving, compassionate and welcoming cluster by sharing our gifts.
(Approved by the Cluster Leadership 12-04-14)

DECLARACIÓN DE MISIÓN PARROQUIAS AGRUPADAS TRINIDAD

Somos las Parroquias Agrupadas Trinidad, una comunidad católica unida en Cristo. Nos comprometemos a invitar a todas las personas para celebrar el amor de Dios a través de la Eucaristía y vivir el Evangelio. Nos esforzamos por construir un grupo unificado, amoroso, compasivo y acogedor compartiendo nuestros dones.
(Aprobado por el liderazgo de las Parroquias Agrupadas el 04-12-14)



PASTOR'S LETTER ~ CARTA DEL PÁRROCO

Dear Parishioner,

November 22, 2015

With this letter I am pleased to present to you the Trinity Cluster and Parishes' Fiscal Year 2015 Annual Reports. I am ever grateful to all parishioners for your commitment and loyalty to our catholic faith. For many years, you have contributed to the life of the cluster parishes with your talents, time, and treasure, for this I am very appreciative. May God bless you always for your generosity.

This past summer, I concluded five summers of going to school for ten weeks. This was a great opportunity for me to study the liturgy of the Church. I recently completed a first draft of my thesis project that I have been working on for a year. God willing, I will graduate in May 2016 so that I can start my doctorate degree in the Fall 2016.

It has been a great joy for me to be here as your pastor. Parishioners always ask me how can I manage three parishes? My answer is very simple trust, faith and hope. As we look at the three parishes, we find common aspects of our faith because we all have the same believe. We also need to continue to grow in Unity which means collaboration with one another for the common goal which is the worship of our Lord Jesus Christ. There may be temptations to keep each separate for the sake individual parish identity. However, we all need to realize that we are ONE in Christ.

Inside this annual report you will find financial reports and other important information. I hope you find this annual report an informative one. I am very grateful to the Cluster Staff and those who helped to put this report together.

The Jubilee of Mercy will start December 8th and it is going to conclude with the Feast of Christ the King, November 20th, 2016. I look forward celebrating this Jubilee in our cluster. We have planned many spiritual activities and our theme is "Mercy and Unity." These two are very important as we experience Mercy and try to Unify our efforts to become ONE in Christ.

Queridos hermanos y hermanas es un gran honor presentarles este reporte anual de las Parroquias Agrupadas Trinidad. Les agradezco a todos ustedes por su generosidad y cooperacion que han brindado a través de los años y en especial desde que yo llegue como su párroco el año pasado. Les ánimo una ves más a que todos sigamos trabajando por crecer más y más en la Misericordia y la Unidad entre nosotros. Estoy profundamente agradecidos con todos ustedes por su compartir de su tiempo, talentos y tesoros.

Este año estaremos celebrado el Jubileo de la Misericordia y pronto estaremos publicando más información de actividades durante el Jubileo. Dios y la Santísima Virgen les bendigan y acompañen siempre en sus vidas.

Please continue to support our bulletin sponsors. May God bless you for your commitment to our Cluster Family.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Rev. Nils Hdez.

Reverend Nils de Jesús Hernández, Pastor



FINANCES ~ JULY 1, 2014-JUNE 30, 2015

TRINITY CLUSTER

Receipts

Cluster Assessments	
St. Patrick 45%	\$ 57,021
St. Mary 30%	\$ 41,487
St. Bridget 25%	\$ 37,215
Hispanic Ministry	\$ 3,625
Total Income	\$139,348

Note: Priest Expenses are divided 33.3% per parish

Expenditures

Salaries	\$ 77,767
Employee Benefits (Retirement, Medical, Payroll Taxes)	\$ 12,087
Priest Household Expenses	\$ 9,791
Priest Health Insurance	\$ 8,900
Mileage	\$ 11,013
Telephone	\$ 5,194
Office Supplies, Postage, Dues, Publications	\$ 1,080
Continuing Education	\$ 831
Faith Formation (Adult & Youth)	\$ 7,414
Cluster Parish Life & Social Justice	\$ 632
Liturgy	\$ 439
Professional Services	\$ 1,438
Technology	\$ 2,762
Total Expenses	\$139,348

CEMETERY ACCOUNT BALANCES

July 1, 2014-June 30, 2015

St. Mary Cemetery Association

Operating Fund	\$ 2,345
D&L Savings	\$ 27,845
Perpetual Care	\$ 31,300

St. Patrick Cemetery Association

Operating Fund	\$ 19,382
D&L Savings	\$ 20,009
Perpetual Care	\$145,666
Pioneer Cemetery CD	\$ 1,000

St. Wenceslaus Cemetery Association

Operating Fund	\$ 198
Operating Debt	-\$ 1,847
Perpetual Care	\$ 15,014

ST. MARY PARISH

Receipts

Adult Budget	\$ 54,486
Offertory & Sacramental Offerings	\$ 6,053
Christmas, Easter, & Holy Days	\$ 4,456
Donations Restricted & Unrestricted	\$ 31,268
Fundraising Events/Bingo	\$ 35,805
Interest	\$ 7
Faith Formation Income	\$ 1,370
Archdiocesan Collections Exchange	\$ 1,060
	\$ 315
Total Income	\$134,820

Expenditures

Liturgy	\$ 3,215
Faith Formation (Adult & Youth)	\$ 16,184
Office Supplies, Postage, Dues, Publications	\$ 426
Facilities Upkeep (Wages, Benefits, & Materials)	\$ 62,609
Utilities	\$ 8,345
Cluster Assessment	\$ 41,487
TAXA	\$ 11,585
Archdiocesan Collection Exchange	\$ 1,060
	\$ 315
Total Expenses	\$145,226

Assets

General Fund	
Cash Balance	-\$ 5,335
Archdiocesan D & L Savings	\$ 2,862
St. Mary Endowment	\$116,254

WHAT IS TAXA?

TAXA is applied to all income of the parish and parish organizations. Financial information from the previous fiscal year annual financial report is used to determine TAXA. Every parish in the archdiocese pays TAXA. It is our obligation as Roman Catholics to help the Archbishop in his ministry in our archdiocese. This pays all the salaries of the archdiocesan employees and other expenses.

FINANCES ~ JULY 1, 2014-JUNE 30, 2015

ST. PATRICK PARISH

Receipts

Adult Budget	\$100,987
Offertory & Sacramental Offerings	\$ 6,545
Christmas, Easter, & Holy Days	\$ 9,881
Donations Restricted & Unrestricted	\$ 5,973
Interest	\$ 923
Faith Formation Income	\$ 13,167
Archdiocesan Collections	\$ 3,537
Exchange	\$ 1,909
Cemetery Re-imbursement (Wages & Fuel)	\$ 4,350
Capital Campaign	\$ 32,601
Scrip Proceeds	\$ 8,848
Total Income	\$188,721

Expenditures

Liturgy	\$ 2,796
Faith Formation (Adult & Youth)	\$ 28,888
Parish Life & Social Justice	\$ 297
Office Supplies, Postage, Dues, Publications	\$ 516
Facilities Upkeep (Wages, Benefits, & Materials)	\$ 23,054
Utilities	\$ 5,231
Contracted Services	\$ 1,536
Rectory Expenses	\$ 2,954
Cluster Assessment	\$ 57,021
TAXA	\$ 515
Self Insurance	\$ 11,092
Archdiocesan Collection	\$ 3,537
Exchange	\$ 1,909
Land Improvements	\$ 3,770
Debt Repayment	\$ 29,207
Total Expenses	\$172,323

Assets

General Fund Cash Balance	\$ 63,542
Archdiocesan D & L Savings	\$ 92,073
Scrip Balance	\$ 27,967

Debts

Archdiocesan Building Loan \$600,000

Note: There was an adjustment of Cluster Assessment and Faith Formation Expenditures from the original report St. Patrick parishioners received in a previous mailing.

ST. BRIDGET PARISH

Receipts

Adult Budget	\$47,046
Offertory & Sacramental Offerings	\$ 9,775
Christmas, Easter, & Holy Days	\$ 2,603
Donations Restricted & Unrestricted	\$ 9,276
Interest	\$ 294
Faith Formation Income	\$ 540
Archdiocesan Collections	\$ 257
Capital Improvements Restricted	\$ 1,763
Hispanic Ministry	\$12,770
Total Income	\$84,324

Expenditures

Liturgy	\$ 2,238
Faith Formation (Adult & Youth)	\$ 660
Office Supplies, Postage, Dues, Publications	\$ 771
Facilities Upkeep (Wages, Benefits, & Materials)	\$ 5,865
Utilities	\$13,161
Contracted Services	\$ 6,500
Cluster Assessment	\$37,215
TAXA	\$ 5,278
Self Insurance	\$ 6,176
Other	\$ 1,928
Archdiocesan Collection Restricted	\$ 257
Hispanic Ministry	\$12,266
Total Expenses	\$92,315

Assets

General Fund Cash Balance	\$24,746
Archdiocesan D & L Savings	\$ 7,837

WHAT IS D&L?

The D&L is the central bank of the Archdiocese. Parishes and other Archdiocesan institutions invest reserves in the fund earning a stated rate which is currently 1.0 percent effective July 1, 2009. Interest is paid/credited semi-annually on June 30 and December 31. The value of the account does not fluctuate. Parishes needing funds for capital projects, operations etc. borrow from the fund, paying interest quarterly. The interest rate on loans is one half percent higher than the rate paid on deposits. Currently, the deposit to loan ratio is approximately 2 to 1. An independent audit is conducted annually. Profits realized by the D&L remain in the fund.

PARISH CIVIL CORPORATIONS

Each Roman Catholic Parish in the Archdiocese of Dubuque is incorporated as a separate corporation (herein called the Parish Corporation) pursuant to the provisions of the Code of Iowa, as amended. Each Parish Corporation has five members: The Archbishop, the Vicar General, the Pastor, and two lay members appointed by the Archbishop. The five members also act as the Board of Directors of the Parish Corporation. The Archbishop is ex-officio President; the Vicar General is ex-officio Vice-President and the pastor is the Secretary and Treasurer.

Parish Civil Corporations

President: Archbishop Michael O. Jackels, S.T.D.
Vice President: Msgr. Thomas E. Toale, Ph.D.
Secretary: Rev. Nils de Jesús Hernández

St. Patrick Parish Civil Corporation
Ron Berns
Wayne McGlaughlin

St. Bridget Parish Civil Corporation
Dave Koopman
Julie Heitland

St. Mary Parish Civil Corporation
Ashley Simon
Karol Nelson

TRINITY CLUSTER LEADERSHIP

The Nature of the Cluster Pastoral Council is to offer counsel to and collaborate with the pastor to provide the long-range planning which will guide the cluster toward its future.

The Purpose of the Cluster Pastoral Council is to: facilitate a process by which the mission of the cluster is determined, serve as stewards of that mission, build an identity as a cluster, create an atmosphere among the member parishes which values the *common* good, and facilitate among the member parishes the development of a unified community of faith. This council meets the second Thursday of every month at St. Patrick, Monona in the McCauley Center at 7:00 p.m.

Officers

Pastor: Rev. Nils de Jesús Hernández
Chair: Ashley Simon
Vice Chair: Julie Heitland
Secretary: Wayne McGlaughlin

Trinity Cluster Pastoral Council Membership

St. Patrick Parish Rep
Ron Berns
Wayne McGlaughlin

St. Bridget Parish Rep
Dave Koopman
Julie Heitland

St. Mary Parish Rep
Ashley Simon
Karol Nelson

Cluster Liturgy Committee Rep
Deb Smith

Cluster Faith Formation Commission Rep
Vacant

Cluster Social Justice Rep
Lilia Tinderholt

Cluster Stewardship Rep
JoAnn Lang

TRINITY CLUSTER LEADERSHIP

Parish Finance Councils Membership

Directed by the Code of Canon Law, each parish is to have a Finance Council. The Finance Council serves as an **advisory body** to the Pastor and the Cluster Pastoral Council regarding the administration and stewardship of parish resources.

Members

St. Patrick Parish meets 2nd Tuesday
Jessie Moses, Peg Connor, Ron Berns, Dave Sanger

St. Bridget Parish meets 3rd Tuesday
Marty Erickson, Christina Drahos Matt, Mike Kruckenberg, Dave Koopman, Julio Jochola, & John Schlee

St. Mary Parish meets 4th Tuesday
Karol Nelson, Norb Hammes, Joe Milewsky, Brian Young, Stephen Weipert, & Wayne Welch

Standing Committees of the Pastoral Council

Cluster Faith Formation Commission

Its purpose is to develop and oversee a comprehensive catechetical plan for the cluster, provide for the lifelong faith formation and catechesis of all its members. Meetings are the third Thursday of the month at St. Patrick, Monona in the Conference Room at 7:00 p.m.

Members

Rev. Nils de Jesús Hernández (Pastor), Andrew Zeisel (Staff), Mike Erickson (St. Bridget), Vickie Breitbach (St. Mary), Dawn Reardon (St. Patrick), & Kim Carlson (St. Patrick)

Cluster Liturgy Committee

Its purpose is to assist the pastor in facilitating the liturgical prayer of the community, nourish and give direction to the liturgical worship of the cluster. Meetings are the first Thursday of the month at St. Patrick, Monona in the McCauley Center at 6:30 p.m.

Members

Rev. Nils de Jesús Hernández, Deb Smith, Julie Heitland, Barb Ruff, Linda Bacon, Linda Miller, Terri Strutt, Blanca Schroeder, Connie Leete, & Joanne Enyart.

Cluster Social Justice Committee

Its purpose is to continue the ministry of Jesus by service to marginalized persons and those with special needs. Meetings are only when there are five Thursdays in a month at St. Patrick, Monona in the Conference Room at 6:30 p.m.

Members

Kris Sass, Lilia Tinderholt, Mary Pat Voss, Audrey Wedo, Kathleen Keenan, Emily Heying, Sandy McMillin, Mary Erickson, & Linda Roberts

Cluster Stewardship Committee

Its purpose is to encourage parishioners to exercise stewardship as an expression of gratitude to God and as a way of life as Disciples of Christ. The committee is not currently meeting on scheduled basis.

Members

JoAnn Lang, Patty Livingood, & Robing Lang

Hispanic Ministry Committee ~ Ministerio Hispano

Its purpose is to pray, sing, and plan different events for the Hispanic community. Meetings are the fourth Thursday of the month at St. Bridget, Postville, in the Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m. La Junta de la Comunidad Hispana se reúne cada mes para orar, cantar y planear los diferentes eventos de la comunidad hispana. Este comité se reúne el cuarto jueves del mes en el salón parroquial de la Parroquia Santa Brígida a las 7:00 PM.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE PLANNING

Leaving a legacy: *Jesus tells us how being generous to others, helps those who are generous...*

While much of the parishes' attention is on current issues and needs, interested Catholics are providing support for the future of the parishes in the form of planned gifts to ensure that the parishes and the Cluster Mission will continue. There are many ways to make a gift to your parish.

Benefits to you for supporting a long-range plan for the parishes:

- ♣ The spiritual benefit which God Himself repays
- ♣ Knowing you have made an important gift to your parish
- ♣ You can lower your tax bracket or tax-deferment and gift it to your parish tax-free

Please consider these possibilities in your financial planning.

♣ **Estate Planning:** This is an example of a gift that can provide you with a source of income during your lifetime then given away after death.

♣ **Bequests:** Provisions in a will for the distribution or transfer of one's cash or other assets upon death, taken in the form of specific amounts, a gift of stocks or securities, real estate or property, or a percentage of the residue of an estate.

♣ **Memorials:** A wonderful way to honor and remember an individual who was admired, loved, or respected. Your gift is a lasting tribute to the important part that person played in your life or that of the parish or community.

♣ **Endowments:** A great means of honoring a charitable organization, providing financial support to our worthy parishes, receive tax benefits, and continue a project in your name or the name of a loved one long into the future.

♣ **Outright/Current Gifts:** Cash is the simplest way to give and is deductible; Securities such as stocks and bonds can be donated; or real estate property that is fully paid off and appreciates in value. An outright gift may be the simplest solution!

♣ **Charities Gift Annuities:** Pay a fixed lifetime annuity payment to one or more beneficiaries in exchange for the donor's charitable gift to benefit the parish after the death(s) of the beneficiary(ies).

♣ **Gifts of Life Insurance Policies:** Many people own life insurance policies, purchased years ago, that are no longer needed to protect the original beneficiaries. By making a parish the owner and beneficiary of such a policy, you may enjoy current tax benefits.

♣ **IRA's and Retirement Plan Gifts:** Many people have retirement plans that have been growing, tax-deferred, over the years. If you are now required to withdraw from your retirement plan and you do not need the withdrawn amount for personal use, you may consider giving part or all of that withdrawal to the parish, avoiding paying income tax.

We truly appreciate your continued support of your parish and Trinity Cluster. May God repay you for your commitment to your faith and our cluster community of believers.

CLUSTER FAITH FORMATION REPORT

The Faith Formation (FF) program runs through the school year and allows us 30 times to meet with the school-age students for 1 hour sessions. This year we have student enrollment of St. Bridget - 51; St. Mary - 43; and St. Patrick -83. Six active seniors are involved in their parish life within the Cluster.

Faith Formation Meeting Times & Curriculum

St. Mary 6:30pm-7:45pm, St. Bridget 6:30pm-7:30pm, & St. Patrick 6:00pm-7:00pm & 7:15pm-8:15pm.

Sacred Scripture has been our curriculum emphasis this Faith Formation year. Each class period includes a form of "Lectio Divina" or the sacred reading of the Gospels from the Sunday Liturgy.

Catechists

St. Bridget: Jennifer Benda (K-1st); Lori Burns (2nd); Laura Reicks (3rd); Ben Heitland (4th-5th); Lilia Tinderholt (6th); Connie Looney (7th-9th); Julie Heitland (10th-11th)
Adriana Cortes (Site Coordinator)

St. Mary: Heidi Dickman (K-1); Jackie McGeough (2nd); Utoni Ruff (3rd-4th); Adrian McGeough (5th-7th); Robin Lang (8th-9th); Dc. Pat Malanaphy (10th-11th); Ashley Simon (12th); Laura Knott (Site Coordinator); Nancy Hammes & Terri Strutt (Spirited Sprouts Music Directors)

St. Patrick: Chaun'te Drahn (K); Maggie Young (1st); Deb Smith (2nd); Marcia Carroll (3rd); Annette Grau & Candace Drahn (4th-5th); Megan Schellhorn (6th-7th); Catalina Pagaza (8th-9th); Jessie Henkes (10th-11th); Anita Richards (Site Coordinator) Barb Ruff (Youth Choir)

Please pray for our catechists in gratitude for the great service they are providing to the spreading of the Gospel message.

Youth Events

Prayer: We have added Adoration and Masses to the Faith Formation program as well as confession. We are stressing the interior life of the faith to help prepare the youth to live it day in and day out. We are also continually trying to get parents involved by inviting them to classes, Masses, and Adoration.

Action: Our youth have had the opportunity this past year to attend a middle school Rally, a High School Rally, and a Diocese Youth Rally. There have and will continue to be events like the St. Mary Fall Festival, St. Mary Fish Fry, Knights of Columbus Soup and Sandwich Dinner, along with other Cluster Service opportunities. We hope to get our NCYC youth involved in the Liturgy via lecturing, being an EMHC, and Altar Serving.

Vacation Bible Schools: This past summer we had over 35 students participate at St. Mary (5 came from St. Mary). We had over 70 students at the Monona VBS - 13 were catholic.

Totus Tuus: We had over 70 students participate in Totus Tuus 50+ came from within our Cluster. This program allowed for many young people to get involved with their faith. It also included many adults and families. We are very excited to offer the Totus Tuus program again this coming summer in July 2016.

NCYC: 16 students from our Trinity Cluster are attending NCYC in Indianapolis from November 19-22. NCYC has offered many opportunities to get involved - from the monthly gathering to our various fundraisers.

Christmas Programs: Christmas Pageants and Christmas Caroling will be shared by our youth. We will add a

caroling trip for St. Patrick Youth as we have had at St. Mary. This year the "Holy Walk" in Postville is not included.

Youth teaching: We currently have two youth providing ministry as catechists at St. Patrick. We hope to get some of our confirmation students involved in this next year. Our active high school seniors have an opportunity to attend a Teens Encounter Christ Retreat (TEC) this year in the spring.

Adult Faith Formation

We offered different programs for adults in our cluster.

Adult Faith Formation in Spanish: 16 Hispanics are engaged in adult faith formation with Father Nils. This program is intended to prepare men and women to receive different sacraments of the Church. Classes meet once a month at St. Bridget Parish Hall.

RCIA: We had one person enter the Church last year at Easter—Laurie Helgerson from St. Mary Parish.

Vatican II Video Series: During Lent of this past year we used a video series in commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of Vatican II as a spring board for discussion at each of our Parishes after Daily Mass.

Adoration & Reconciliation: We incorporated Adoration into Faith Formation and invited Parishioners to attend. Adoration will be offered during the upcoming Advent and Lenten Seasons.

Archdiocesan Events: Members of our cluster have participated in the Archdiocesan Adult Rally in Waterloo. Currently, we do not have anyone involved in the Impact Adult Lay Formation Program. Our latest Impact participant was Linda Plaht from St. Bridget. She graduated on May 9, 2015.

Liturgical Ministries: Recently, we commissioned all those in the very important role of serving our cluster through liturgical ministry.

Parish Life: Our parish life committees are offering opportunities for our parishioners to actively live out their faith in service of one another.

Jubilee of Mercy: Please see the calendar of events in this report.

Keep posted from the bulletin or website for Faith Formation opportunities for you!

HISPANIC MINISTRY ~ MINISTERIO HISPANO

Hispanic Ministry

Hispanic Ministry has been active again for two years now! With Father's guidance they have continued the kermesse and Posadas. An Our Lady of Guadalupe Procession is planned on Saturday, December 12 at 6:30pm along with an upcoming pilgrimage to the Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine in LaCrosse, WI.

Ministerio Hispano

El Ministerio Hispano continua creciendo en muchas aspectos con la participación de todos los miembros. Tenemos Misas en español todos los sábados a las 7:00 PM. La celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe será el sábado 12 de diciembre empezando con la procesión del restaurante mexicano hacia la iglesia y la Misa será a las 7:00 PM. La Posada será el viernes 18 de diciembre a las 7:00 PM en la iglesia. Los esperamos. Agradecemos la participación de todos los miembros de la comunidad hispana en nuestras parroquias agrupadas. Que Dios les bendiga.

JUBILEE OF MERCY JUBILEO DE LA MISERICORDIA



TRINITY CLUSTER MERCY & UNITY

*"JESUS CHRIST IS THE FACE OF THE
FATHER'S MERCY" POPE FRANCIS*

OFFICIAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2015

Opening Liturgy for the Year of Mercy in the Cluster Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

St. Bridget: Mon., Dec. 7 at 5:30pm
& 7:00pm (Spanish)

Monona: Tues., Dec. 8: Garden View at 10:00am
St. Mary: Tues., Dec. 8 at 5:30pm

Archdiocesan Opening Liturgy for the Year of Mercy St. Raphael Cathedral, Dubuque Sunday, December 13, 2015 @ 5:30pm

† 2nd weekend of the month - Corporal Works of Mercy:
2nd Collection allocated to a charity by Cluster Social
Justice Committee, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be
recited or sung before Masses in the Cluster

† Prayer of the "Year of Mercy" will be recited at the
end of the close of the Mass

2016

(watch for further details)

- † Adult Faith Formation Nights coming in February
- † Lenten 24 hour Eucharistic Adoration: Friday, March 4
- † Cluster Mission: March 9–11 by Jon Leonetti
St. Patrick: Wednesday, March 9: Family Night
at 7:00pm
St. Mary: Thursday, March 10 at 7:00pm
St. Bridget: Friday, March 11 at 7:00pm
- † Stewardship: Mercy Blankets for Baptisms will be
given to each family that baptizes a child
- † Divine Mercy Chaplet (Spanish) March 25, 2016–April
2, 2016 (Divine Mercy Chaplet in homes)
- † Outside Procession for the Feast of Corpus Christi:
May 28 & 29, 2016
- † Concert in Spanish date TBD
Concierto con Ge'La: Parroquia Santa Brígida
- † Cluster Mid-day of Reflection Sunday, November 13 at
St. Patrick. Theme: Reconciliation & Family

Closing Liturgy for the Year of Mercy
Feast of Christ the King
St. Raphael Cathedral, Dubuque
Sunday, November 20, 2016 @ 5:30pm

CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

Feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, clothe the naked,
shelter the homeless, visit the sick, visit the imprisoned,
bury the dead...

SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

Admonish the sinner, instruct the ignorant, counsel the
doubtful, comfort the sorrowful, bear wrongs patiently,
forgive all injuries, pray for the living and the dead...