

SS. JOSEPH & CABRINI PARISH

Nov. 2-All Souls' Day & Nov. 9, 2025-Dedication of the Lateran Basilica



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WELCOME VISITORS: All visitors are welcome to share with us the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Your presence with us is always a blessing. If you would like to become a registered member, forms are located at entrance of the church or please call the Parish Office and we can send one to you.

Mass Schedule: 8:30am, Sunday at St. Joseph Church

Sacramental Life:

- Reconciliation available before Sunday Mass (8:00-8:20am)
- Please contact the Parish Office for baptism and marriage preparation, anointing of the sick, illness and hospitalization, deaths and funerals.

Prayer List: If you wish to be added to the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office.

Food Pantry Collection: First Sunday of the month.

Coffee & Rolls Sunday: First Sunday of the month following mass.

Mission Statement

We, as children of God and members of Saints Joseph and Cabrini Catholic Parish, are a welcoming faith community rich in our rural heritage. Called by our baptismal commitment to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ, we are dedicated to our Catholic faith and embrace all those in our world.

**##MASS SUNDAY Nov. 2 at SJ 8:30 am
ALL SOULS' DAY**

**Mass Intention: Jeff Dickinson
Lector: Rosemary Pacha
Eucharistic Minister: Rosemary Pacha
Greeters/Gift Bearers: Steve/Betty Burgmeier
Ushers: Steve Burgmeier, Ed Drzycimski,
Paul Fritz, Don Kaska**

AM Prayer Service Nov. 4 at 8:00 am-MC

AM Prayer Service Nov. 6 at 8:00 am-SJ

##MASS SUNDAY Nov. 9 at SJ 8:30 am

**Mass Intention: Beverly & Roy Lamansky
Lector: Pat Drzycimski
Eucharistic Minister: Greg Ledger
Greeters/Gift Bearers: Karen Horras/
Rosemary Pacha
Ushers: Bob Kiefer, Phil Kurtz, Kurt Ledger,
Kevin Clark**

AM Prayer Service Nov. 11 at 8:00 am-MC

AM Prayer Service Nov. 13 at 8:00 am-SJ

##MASS SUNDAY Nov. 16 at SJ 8:30 am

**Mass Intention: Jacob Weber & Family
Lector: Suanne Dickey
Eucharistic Minister: Suanne Dickey
Greeters/Gift Bearers: Kurt/Kim Ledger
Ushers: Mike Adrian, Steve Burgmeier, Jeff
Ledger, David Pacha**

**Condolences to Rosemary Hammes and family on the
loss of her sister, Luanne Brown on October 12th. A
Celebration of Life was held October 17th in Fairfield.
May she rest in peace.**

**Condolences to the family of Wayne Kneeskern, who
passed away on October 20th. Funeral services will be
held at 11:00 Wednesday Nov. 5th at Mother Cabrini,
visitation taking place from 9-11:00 am. Burial will be
at Friends Cemetery in Richland. May he rest in peace.**

Please Pray For:

**Terry Schone, Georgia (Bush) Suzu, Helen Adam,
Laurie Moore, Anne Martin, Janice Ledger, Charlotte
Kessel, Kameron McCoy, Laverne & Judy Weber, Jim
Adam, Nathaniel Schadt, Nancy Dickinson, Richard
Pepper, Joe Adam, Linda Zelinski, Lucy Dietzman,
Lloyd Thola, Mark Hagist, Pam Horras Riley, Dan
Weber, Fr. Jim Betzen, Judy Dickey, Emily Ledger,
Chuck Anderson, Doug Howard, Juston Lamb, Bob
Sobaski, Chuck Kaska, Jared Greiner, Shirley Van
Dee, Jeff Weber, Karen Morgan, John Adam, Colleen
Adam, Kathy (Fritz) Fray, Ron Fritz, Dick Pohren,
Ryan Marie, Kyle Sobaski.**

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November Birthdays

10-Mary Wolcott	13-Myron Greiner
14-Patty Adam	14-Len Hersh
18-Celeste Hora	19-Richard Pepper
21-Diana Weber	28-Lisa Clark
30-Betty Burgmeier	

November Anniversaries

**28-Andy & Patty Adam 28-Bob & Marie Kiefer
30-David & Kierston Pacha**

Contributions for Oct. 19, 2025

**Offertory \$855.00
Rosemary's Apple Donations \$25.00
Total Apple Donations to date, \$921.00
****Attendance-Oct. 19—#43**

Contributions for Oct. 26, 2025

**Offertory \$2,978.00
World Mission Sunday \$36.00
****Attendance-Oct. 26—#54**

**Any items that you are wanting inserted in the bulletin
for weeks of Nov. 16/Nov. 23, please have to Lisa by
Friday, Friday, Nov. 7th at toots85_52654@yahoo.com or
call 319-750-2118. Thank you!**

**Condolences to the family of Evelyn Pacha, who passed away on
October 22nd. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 Monday,
November 3rd at St. Mary's in Fairfield, with burial at St.
Joseph Cemetery following. Visitation will be from 2-4:00 on
November 2nd at Cranston Funeral Home in Fairfield. May she
rest in peace.**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 2-Potluck Brunch at SJ following 8:30 Mass

Nov. 2-All Souls' Day

Nov. 2-Holy Trinity Parish, Keota, Harvest Dinner, 11:00-1:00.

Nov. 2-Daylight Savings Time

Nov. 4-Election Day

Nov. 5-Parish Council, 7:00 pm at SJ

Nov. 9-Anointing of the Sick @ 8:30 Mass

Nov. 11-Altar & Rosary, 1:30 at SJ

Nov. 26-Thanksgiving Eve Mass, 6:00 pm @ MC

NOVEMBER ALTAR & ROSARY GROUP:

Chairperson: Kierston Pacha; Tympest Hora, Colleen Adam, Kathy Hixson, Suanne Dickey, Rosemary Pacha, Annette Redlinger, Pat Hagist.

November 2-All Souls' Day

All Souls' Day is a special time when we remember and pray as a parish community for our deceased loved ones.

A book of remembrance is at the main entrance of the church, so that you may list your loved ones who have gone before us. They will be remembered in prayers of the faithful and during Sunday Masses in the month of November.

Please remember the following that have passed since December, 2024: Darlene Baldosier, Tony Sobaski, Marilyn Mineart, Geraldine Weber, Virgil Ledger, Wayne Kneeskern, Evelyn Pacha.

Make an offer: Church wood splitter as is! Approx. 20 plus years old. Place offer in collection basket. Deadline is 11/16/25. We have the right to accept or reject a bid. Thank you.

November 9th is the collection for "Serving those who Serve". This collection benefits those who serve in all six branches of the U.S. Armed Forces, Veterans, and their families.

LET US REMEMBER: On Tuesday, Nov. 11th, our country honors & remembers all Veterans, who have served to protect our nation's freedoms and values, and to those who have died for our country. We ask Lord's blessings on all veterans who have made this ultimate sacrifice.

Readings for week Nov. 2 thru Nov. 15

Sunday: 668:Wis3:1-9/Ps23:1-6/Rom5:5-11 or Rom6:3-9/Jn6:37-40

Monday: 485:Rom11:29-36/Ps69:30-31,33-34,36/Lk14:12-14

Tuesday: 486:Rom12:5-16b/Ps12:3-13/Jn10:11-16

Wednesday: 487:Rom13:8-10/Ps112:1b-2,4-5,9/Lk14:25-33

Thursday: 488:Rom14:7-12/Ps27:1bcde,4,13-14/Lk15:1-10

Friday: 489:Rom15:14-21/Ps98:1-4/Lk16:1-8

Saturday: 490:Rom16:3-9,16,22-27/Ps145:2-5,10-11/Lk16:9-15

Sunday: 671:Ez47:1-2,8-9,12/Ps46:2-3,5-6,8-9/1Cor3:9c-11,16-17/Jn2:13-22

Monday: 491:Wis1:1-7/Ps139:1b-10/Lk17:1-6

Tuesday: 492:Wis2:23-3:9/Ps34:2-3,16-19/Lk17:7-10

Wednesday: 493:Wis6:1-11/Ps82:3-4,6-7/Lk17:11-19

Thursday: 494:Wis7:22b-8:1/Ps119:89-91,130,135,175/Lk17:20-25

Friday: 495:Wis13:1-9/Ps19:2-5b/Lk17:26-37

Saturday: 496:Wis18:14-16;19:6-9/Ps105:2-3,36-37,42-43/Lk18:1-8

Sunday: 159:Mal3:19-20a/Ps98:5-9/2Thes3:7-12/Lk21:5-19

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS-NOVEMBER

The month of November you may donate anything that will go towards food or supplies. **The food pantry is now located in The H.U.B. in Brighton. There are many that utilize the food pantry for items in need. Checks can now be made out to THE HUB, with "pantry" in the memo; cash donations will also be accepted. We are continuing to be a drop off site as we have in the past and donated items will be taken to the food pantry at The H.U.B.**

In September our diocese officially began the Annual Diocesan Appeal, the theme being, "Celebrating Our Faith, Lifting Our Voices." This year our parish assessment for the ADA is \$11,279; to date received is \$3,140.00, which is 27.84% of the goal. There are envelopes available at church entrances. All gifts are important and supports the missions and ministries that serve parish communities across our diocese. You may return your gift in our weekend collection baskets or mail them directly to the Diocese of Davenport in the envelope.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; You anoint me head with oil; my cup overflows."
Psalm 23:5

God has given us everything we have. Truly our cup overflows. Real stewardship is a generous and loving response to all the God has give us. It is our thank you to God.

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GROW CLOSER TO GOD-NOVEMBER ISSUE

Pick up a copy of the devotional publication " The Word Among Us" and spend time reflecting on the word of God for your life. In the November issue, let the Spirit teach you about the kingdom of God. Let him fill you with a great longing to see Jesus, your King, face-to-face in heaven!

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Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to be held at St. Mary Church in Grinnell on Sunday, Nov. 16th from 3-4:00 pm. The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Eucharistic Adoration will be celebrated.

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Brighton Community Church this year will again be promoting/participating in a Christmas Cantata. Rehearsals are every Sunday at 2:00 at BCC and last approximately an hour. The Christmas Cantata is Sunday afternoon, December 14th. They are looking for more voices and may contact Pete Peterson at 319-855-3537.

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The Ss Joseph & Cabrini picture/address directory has arrived! Please make arrangements to pick up your directory or have someone get this for you, as these will not be mailed out. Please contact Lisa or Carol for information or to pick up your book. Thank you to Carol Robison for getting these labeled and placed at the church entrance.

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Mass counts will be taken on Sunday, Nov. 2nd and Sunday, Nov. 9th.

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Why do Catholics do that?

History of the Rosary

Question: What is the history of the rosary? Where did this prayer come from?

Answer: Although a longstanding tradition attributed the rosary to Saint Dominic and the Dominican Order, the practice of using beads to count prayers predates the Dominicans by a few hundred years. In fact, it seems that what we now think of as the rosary (which means "garland of roses") was first developed by illiterate peasants and religious brothers and sisters as a way of offering 150 "Our Fathers" to replace the praying of the 150 psalms in the Divine Office. The practice of reciting 150 Hail Marys (which was later subdivided into 15 decades of 10 Hail Marys) arose during the late Middle Ages. Devotion to the rosary began to flourish in the nineteenth century, especially as new devotions to Mary began to spread throughout Europe and the New World. An annual liturgical celebration of Our Lady of the Rosary was introduced into the Church calendar in 1573 and it has been observed on the date of October 7 since 1913.

In the apostolic letter On the Most Holy Rosary, Pope Saint John Paul II not only added five new mysteries to the traditional fifteen, but he also reminded Catholics that the rosary is, at its core, an opportunity to go deeper into the life of Jesus: "The rosary, though clearly Marian in character, is at heart a Christocentric prayer ... It has all the depth of the Gospel message in its entirety, of which it can be said to be a compendium. It is an echo of Mary's prayer, her perennial Magnificat ... With the rosary, the Christian people sit at the school of Mary and are led to contemplate the beauty of the face of Christ and to experience the depths of the rosary. Copyright LPi

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Anointing of the Sick will take place at Mass on Sunday, November 9th at St. Joseph Church.

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The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available Sunday from 8:00AM to 8:20AM, before Sunday Mass

To report child abuse contact: Iowa Dept of Human Services Child Abuse Hotline 800-362-2178. If it involves clergy or church personnel also notify Alicia Owens, Victim Assistance Coordinator 563-349-5002; vac@diodav.org or P.O. Box 232, Bettendorf, IA 52722-0004

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