

WELCOME TO THE FAITH COMMUNITY OF

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

-Mission Statement-

We are a community that lives and shares the preaching, teaching and healing of Christ.



August 25, 2019

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 7 AM, 9 AM & 11 AM

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 7 AM
Saturday 8 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30-9:00 AM; 3:30-4:10 PM

Holy Hour: Thursday 7 PM in Church

Visit our website at: www.olvjfk.com

Welcome to Our Lady of Victory Catholic Parish

A Message from Fr. Jake....

School is Starting

School begins this week! It is truly hard to believe that the summer has passed so quickly, but I am sure that many parents (and even a few students) are ready to get back into the routine of the school year. Please know of my personal prayers for all of the students, faculty, and staff of JFK and the other neighboring schools who will begin their year this week. May God bless all students, parents, faculty, and staff abundantly in the coming year!

Pastor Evaluation

Since I have now completed my third year here at OLV, I am again asking for feedback from staff members and parishioners about how I am doing in my role as Pastor. With the help of the Parish Trustees (Judy Johnson and Bernie Mack), a survey was created with some questions to help the Parish Council evaluate my job performance. If you would like to participate in this survey, you can access it through our website www.olvjfk.com. There will also be paper copies of the survey in the Gathering Space kiosk and at the winter entrance for those who do not have access to the internet. Please complete the on-line survey or return a paper copy to the Parish office by **September 13th**. The results of this survey will be presented to the Parish Council at their September meeting, and I will use the feedback from the Parish Council to become better in my role as Pastor. Thank you very much in advance for your willingness to participate in this survey.

Thank You from the OLV Foundation

On behalf of the OLV Foundation, I wanted thank all of the people who have provided financial support to the Foundation, especially through the current Legacy Campaign. The OLV Foundation is a tremendous blessing to the parish because it provides an ever growing perpetual source of revenue to the ministries that we offer here at OLV. Therefore, thank you to past donors, current donors, and future donors who have helped the Foundation accomplish its mission of supporting OLV!

As you have seen in the Gathering Space, the Foundation was able to provide \$45,000 in support to the parish this year. **A new record for the Foundation!** The annual report for the Foundation will be mailed to donors, and will be available to anyone else in the parish office. You can learn more about the events that have happened over the last year, see a list of donors, and find out how you can further support the Foundation. We are still taking pledges and gifts for our Legacy Campaign, so again, please see the Annual Report or any member of the OLV Foundation board for more information on this important way you can support the future of our parish.

Our Lady of Victory, please guide and protect all students during this academic year!

Happenings in the Parish Family

Please continue to Pray for Our Sick and their Caregivers: Jeanne Bacon, Jeannie Barnett, Larry Barnett, Michael Bihl, Tracey (Dietz) Carlson, Jack Clark, Mick Clark, Kim Clary, Thee De Cook, Trudy Dells, Mark Deppe, Amy Earnest, Tim Fox, Julie Gacke, Denny Hammill, Angie Harris, Ben Hochstatter, Chuck Husted, Joe Janeczko, Martha Jones, Loretta Kelley, Shirley Kilfoy, Carolyn Kuebler, Miguel Lopez, Pat Maring, Jim McCarthy, Lois McGregor, Nick Miller, Janie Mitchell, Nancy Moore, David Nitzel, Darlene Nolan, Ruth Petersen, Colleen Ryan, Kenneth Scodeller, Christian Tilkens, Vincent Welk, Suzie Yackley.

Baptisms: Cal Joseph, son of Eric & Sarah (Larew) Schebler; Elliot Joseph and Noah Joseph, sons of Jeffrey & Stacey (Lange) Schebler. Congratulations on their spiritual birthday!

Bans of Marriage: I Austin Miller & Marinda Clauson

Mass Schedule and Parish Events



Saturday, August 24, 2019

8:00 AM † Jeffrey, Joey & Joshua Dietz
4:30 PM † Al & Mary Langfeldt

Sunday, August 25, 2019

7:00 AM † Kimberly Normoyle
9:00 AM For the Parish
11:00 AM † Mindy Karwath

Monday, August 26, 2019

7:00 AM † Bev McCarty

Tuesday, August 27, 2019

7:00 AM † Louetta & Leonard Slattery

Wednesday, August 28, 2019

7:00 AM † William Kelly Jr.
7:40 AM † Pat Hogan

Thursday, August 29, 2019

7:00 AM † Dr. John & Mary Bishop

Friday, August 30, 2019

7:00 AM † Carolyn Boyer

Saturday, August 31, 2019

8:00 AM † Pat Moe
4:30 PM † Kevin Kavanaugh

Sunday September 1, 2019

7:00 AM † Jim & Mark Ellison
9:00 AM † Mildred Marietta
11:00 AM For the Parish

If you would like to have a Mass said for someone, please contact the parish office at 563-391-4245 to request available dates and times.

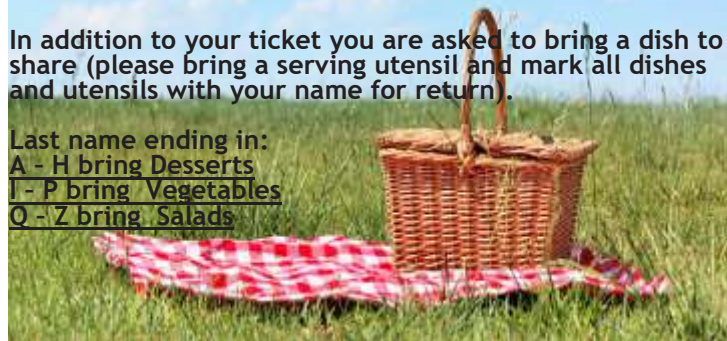
The OLV parish picnic is Saturday, September 21st after 4:30 PM Mass. Golf carts will take people from the parking lot to the school grounds and handicap seating will be available.

Bring your lawn chairs and your appetite as we will be serving up BBQ catered by Smokin' Butt BBQ, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Coffee and Water will be provided. Beer and Wine Coolers will be available for purchase. Music and Fun for all!

Tickets are \$1 each and Free for children 5 and under (children need to pick up tickets) Tickets sold each weekend until September 14 in the Gathering Space. Tickets may also be purchased at the Parish office and JFK school office.

In addition to your ticket you are asked to bring a dish to share (please bring a serving utensil and mark all dishes and utensils with your name for return).

Last name ending in:
A - H bring Desserts
I - P bring Vegetables
Q - Z bring Salads



This Week

Saturday

24 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Confession (CH)
3:30 PM - 4:10 PM Confession (CH)

Sunday

25 7:45 AM RCIA Open House after all Masses (GSMR)

Monday

26 **First day of School** - Welcome Back JFK Students and Staff!
6:00 PM Prayer Shawl (PC)
6:30 PM Finance Council (GSMR)

Tuesday

27 7:00 PM Parish Council (GSMR)

Wednesday

28 7:40 AM All School Mass (CH)
9:30 AM Bible Study (GSMR)
7:00 PM HS Youth Night

Thursday

29 7:00 PM Holy Hour (CH)

Friday

30 Visit www.OLVJFK.com for a monthly calendar of parish/school events.

Saturday

31 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Confession (CH)
3:30 PM - 4:10 PM Confession (CH)

Sunday

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CH-Church
GS-Gathering Space
GSMR-Gathering Space Meeting Room
JFK SR-JFK Staff Room
MC-Media Center

PC-Parish Center
RC-Ridgecrest
SC-Silvercrest
YR-Youth Room

Please pray for Nick Marie (Brother Matthew Nick Marie, O.S.B.) as he makes the solemn profession of monastic vows at Conception Abbey in Conception, Missouri on September 7, 2019.

Liturgical Roles– September 2019

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:30 PM Bernie & Cathy Mack, Tom Nykoluk,
Fran & Marilyn Riley
7:00 AM Tom Kelly, Kathy Learn, George & Sharon Meister
9:00 AM Kathy Burman, Jeff Miller, Chris Sigwarth,
Vern Vondera, Thelma Wulf
11:00 AM Carol Burns, Liz Casillas, Mary Kaisen, Deb Meyer

Cup Bearers

- 4:30 PM Christina & John Tigges, Larry & Sharon
Windschitl
7:00 AM Marty Menster, John & Karen Nagy, Laurie Reed
9:00 AM Connie Creen, John Velky, Chris & Jennifer
Wemhoff, Jacob Menster
11:00 AM Mike Mallon, Char McGovern, Jan Tappa,
Cheryl Wagner

Altar Servers

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c48aba92cabfc1-september1>

Lectors

- 4:30 PM Steve Frank, Betty Werthmann
7:00 AM John Friederich
9:00 AM Bob Allen, Margie Ridder
11:00 AM Marie Atwater, Tom Simmons

Hospitality Ministers

- 4:30 PM Taffy Brown, Deb & Mark Hammes, Denny Prior,
Janet Spaeth, Elizabeth Van Speybroeck
7:00 AM Jim Boever, Dave Green, Nicholas Miller,
Norm Miller, Dave Oberbroeckling, Skip Schlue,
Dwayne Johnston
9:00 AM Brenda Fox, Ann & Scott Jevyak, Julie Kilburg,
Karen Kilburg
11:00 AM Rose Haas, Kathy Hathaway, Mariano & Cecilia
Magalhães

Money Counters

- 09/01 Bernie Mack, Marty Menster
09/08 Karon Husted, Chris Lotspeich
09/15 Vern Vondera, Larry Windschitl
09/22 Julie Gill, Sue Oberhaus
09/29 Don Hancock, Ken Ruefer

Victory Voucher Captains

- Saturday Captain - Cheryl Zimanek
09/01 NO SALES LABOR DAY
09/08 Ruth Peterson
09/15 Nancy Iossi
09/22 Randy Petersen
09/29 Hollie Matthys

Captains-Pick up all supplies for the weekend from the Parish Office on Friday by 4:00 PM.

Blood Pressure Checks- September 7-8

- 4:30 PM Maureen Mosse, Kerri Nykoluk
7:00 AM Mary Ann Fahrenkrug
9:00 AM John & Cheryl Wagner
11:00 AM Susan Herman, Carol Burns

Whenever you are unable to fulfill your assigned role, it is your responsibility to find a substitute.

Church/Parish Office

4105 N. Division Street Davenport, IA 52806

Phone: (563) 391-4245

Emergency: (563)-293-1177

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday.....7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

Business Manager, David Mattke - davolvbiz@diodav.org

Pastor Rev. Jacob M. Greiner - greinerj@diodav.org

Deacon Frank Agnoli

Deacon Al Boboth

Deacon Marc Mosse

Deacon John Wagner

Parish Center: (563) 391-3030 ext:#143; after hours option #4

John F. Kennedy Catholic School and Guardian Angel Pre-School

1627 W. 42nd Street Davenport, IA 52806

Phone: (563) 391-3030 Fax: (563) 388-5206

Principal, Chad Steimle - Chad.steimle@olvjfkmail.com

Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Office:

(563) 391-8384

Director of Religious Education

Jennifer Wemhoff - davolvrek6@diodav.org

Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Evan Brankin - davolvym@diodav.org

Parish Nurses

Nurses can answer your questions, present health information, facilitate access to services, listen to your concerns, and pray with you. Please let us know your needs.

Carol Burns, RN, Parish Nurse563-391-4724

Char McGovern, RDMS, Health Advocate ..563-508-3890

Choir Director

Sharon Ehlers.....940-2418

Baptisms

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Pre-Baptismal welcoming and information is held on the 3rd Monday of the month.

Marriage in the Lord

Please contact the Parish Office before setting a desired wedding date.

Holy Communion for Homebound

We'd love to serve you. Please call the Parish Office in advance to make arrangements.

Send bulletin announcements to - Lisa davolvpa@diodav.org.
Bulletin deadline is Monday at 12 PM.

When you have a special need or wish to know that someone cares, the Communion of Saints Circle will join their prayers with yours.

Please call:

Beverly McCreary - 563-391-1394

Georgette Menster - 563-391-1317



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Welcome Back to School!

JFK Open Positions

School Counselor: We have a full-time school counselor position available for the 2019-20 school year. Iowa licensure is required. To apply for this position, please send a copy of one's license, resume, letter of interest, and references to: chad.steimle@olvjfkmail.com.

Open Teaching Positions (can be combined and/or combined with Aide Position):

Part-time elementary school teacher for 5th grade and/or reading intervention. Iowa teaching license with K-8 Reading preferred, but others considered. To apply, please send the following via email - chad.steimle@olvjfkmail.com: letter of interest, resume, copy of IA teaching license (with endorsements noted), and references.

Approximately 6 hrs per week **Title I interventionist** to provide math support to elementary-age students during the school day. Iowa K-6 elementary license required. Can be combined with above position. Contact Kitty Temming at 563-391-3030 for more information.

Instructional Aide: PT or FT instructional aide position to assist students and teachers in elementary classes. Send resume to school office or request application from the school office.



We are disciples of Jesus making faith matter and sharing God's love to make more disciples!

School begins this week, and that means it is time for COLOR WARS! Our high school youth ministry blowout to start the year will be this Wednesday. Weather permitting, we'll be outside and getting messy! Bring a change of clothes, a towel, and wear (white) clothes you don't mind getting very colorful!

Middle school ministry will kick off in September. We'll have more information for parents soon!

This year is going to be a year where we try new things for youth ministry, so stay tuned!

For High School Youth:

Parents and HS teens: Sign up for our Remind text service by texting "@olvh" to the number 81010. We'll be using these texts to let families know about youth ministry events all year and special summer events as well!

Confirmation Information

Confirmation Parent Meetings are set for Thursday, September 5th. Both meetings will be held in the carpeted side of the parish center. Seventh grade parents are invited at 6pm, and Eighth grade parents are invited at 7pm.

8th Grade NET retreat will be October 8th, from 4:30-8:30pm.

7th Grade Holy Fire Conference will be October 18th, all day.



If you have not registered your student for Faith Formation yet, please do so as soon as possible. Registration forms are available at the school office, parish office, in the kiosk in the Gathering Space, and online.

Classes are held Wednesday's from 6:00-7:00pm beginning on September 4 with a family event. Families are encouraged to attend with their students for a fun filled hour to kick off the year.

Instructions for living a life: Pay attention. Be astonished. Tell about it. -Mary Oliver

Challenge: Today, tell a friend about the last thing that left you in awe.



Altar Server Training

All boys and girls of the parish (4th grade and up) interested in serving at Mass are invited to attend Altar Server training in the church on Saturday, September 14th from 9:30 am - 11:00 am.

At least one parent is needed to complete the necessary paperwork. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish office at 563-391-4245.

Wisdom - Adult Bible Study

Our Lady of Victory will begin Wisdom: God's Vision for Life on Sunday September 8 from 4:00-5:30pm in the Gathering Space Meeting Room. Participants of Wisdom will receive a journal (cost of the journal is \$20) and will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The eight 30-minute videos, presented by Jeff Cavins, will guide you through a variety of themes drawn from the wisdom literature of Scripture. Jeff will explain Scripture's wisdom on decision-making, finances, relationships, peace of mind, and speaking to one another and will look at the beauty of wisdom gained through age and at how Christ himself is the embodiment and fulfillment of all wisdom.

For more information or to register, (registration due by August 26) contact Jennifer at 563-391-8384 or davolvrek6@diodav.org. You will not only benefit personally from being part of this study; you will also help us to grow in fellowship as a parish as we grow closer to Christ together.

Surviving Divorce: Hope and Healing for Catholic Families

A new 12-session program will begin meeting September 10, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Church in Iowa City. Material cost is \$20. Scholarships for this program would be available. Please contact the parish office for more details. To register contact [Stephanie Zeising, 319-530-5487](mailto:Stephanie Zeising at 319-530-5487) or joyingratitude@gmail.com. Additional resources for individuals and families affected by divorce or separation are available on the Times of Challenge webpage.



Foundation Building Time

Prayers and blessings to everyone starting new adventures that include building individual foundations. Step by step at college, high school, middle school, elementary and preschool. May God walk with you and guide students, parents and instructors throughout the years to come.

Stewardship Moment

"For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." *Luke 13:30*
There is no guarantee that we'll get credit for our hard work. A steward's job is to sow the seeds, not to worry about who harvests the crop.

Hospice Cookies

It's time again for donating cookies to the Clarissa C. Cook Hospice House. For those who wish to take part in this ministry, please bring one or two dozen cookies, on a paper plate placed in a zippered bag, to the Gathering Space counter by 11:00 AM Sunday, September 1st. Because of potential allergy issues, could you please label the bags if the cookies contain nuts or nut products. We are very grateful for all of our wonderful bakers! Contact [Barb at 563-349-7407](#) with any questions.



Change Your Routine!

The start of a new school year brings many changes and new routines. This year the OLV Adult Choir would like you to consider changing things up and adding us to your new routine. We meet for practice Wednesday nights from 7-8:30 pm in the church, and sing Sunday at 9:00 am Mass.

Our first practice is Wednesday, September 4th at 7:00 pm in the church (use the winter entrance). If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call [Sharon at 563-940-2418](#).



GriefShare® begins Sunday, September 8th at 12:15pm-2:30pm in the Gathering Space Meeting Room. Come have a light lunch and begin your journey from grief to joy. "I the Lord do not change" (Malachi 3:6). If you have experienced a loss, want a faith-filled program to help you manage your grief, please join us! If you have any questions, please call [Char 563-508-3890](#).



Rave Cinema gift cards are here! There's still time to grab a card, your family, and enjoy one final outing before all the school activities kick in! They come in \$25 denominations, enough for a ticket and some concessions.



AED LOCATION

It is vital that everyone knows where the AED (Automated External Defibrillator) is located in the church and the parish center in case of a sudden cardiac event. AED's save lives! The Parish Center AED is located right next to the stairs. The church AED is located in the Gathering Space on the wall next to the Gathering Space Meeting Room. Next time, you are in church please take notice of the AED's location in case of an emergency.



Study St. Paul's 1 Corinthians: Proclaiming Christ Crucified by Stephen J Binz.

"As the young church in Corinth discerns how to be disciples in their distinct context, Paul teaches how a living faith in Jesus Christ must be grounded in his saving cross. He addresses multiple issues concerning the church's identity and conduct, offering inspired wisdom that lasts through the ages and guides local churches today. Discover how Paul transformed the imaginations of the Christians of Corinth so that they could live their lives in radically new ways."

Join this six week bible study, good for beginners and advanced students alike.

2 sessions:

- September 16 (Monday's) - 10 AM - 11:30AM in the Gathering Space Meeting Room
- September 19 (Thursdays) - 7 PM - 8:30PM at Trish's house.

Books cost \$13, paid at first meeting.

To register or request information contact:

[Trish Gallagher. galtrish@gmail.com](#) or [leave message/voicemail at 563-508-8377](#)



September's Topic: Roles in Caregiving And Decisions We Face.

Thursday, September 5th at 12:30 PM (GSMR)

Caregiving is doing God's work. As we are able to embrace this concept, we are able to move with joy and fulfillment in all the tasks and responsibilities associated with caring for another. We become the hands and feet for our Lord to our loved one.

Christian Service-Social Action

Racism comes in many forms. It can be seen in deliberate, sinful acts. In recent times, we have seen bold expressions of racism by groups as well as individuals. The re-appearance of symbols of hatred, such as nooses and swastikas in public spaces, is a tragic indicator of rising racial and ethnic animus. All too often, Hispanics and African Americans, for example, face discrimination in hiring, housing, educational opportunities, and incarceration. Racial profiling frequently targets Hispanics for selective immigration enforcement practices, and African Americans, for suspected criminal activity. *USCCB 2018*