

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.

Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father. Mt 5:16



February 9, 2020

Fifth 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

Welcome to Our Lady of Victory Catholic Parish

A Message from Fr. Jake....

In my bulletin article this weekend I need to talk about a recent event and give everyone several updates.

Last weekend, a person was placing materials on cars in the parking lot during the 11:00AM Mass. I am sorry if something was left on your car last weekend. It is the policy of the parish that no one can place any items on cars in our parking lot. The parish would never give permission for this activity to happen. If someone is caught doing so, this person will be asked to remove the items and leave our property immediately. In this case, no one was able to stop this person because he, after looking at footage on our security cameras, was purposely trying to avoid the attention of parishioners coming in and out of church on Sunday. If you see someone placing anything on cars in the future, please either ask the person to leave our property or you are free to call the emergency line (319-321-5452) to let me know about this situation. Together we can make sure that similar events do not happen in the future on our property.

On a positive note, I appreciate everyone taking the time to return the pledge cards for our parish's annual Stewardship of Treasure Renewal. I appreciate your continued support of the parish and its mission of preaching, teaching, and healing in the name of Jesus Christ. A summary of responses to the renewal will be available in an upcoming bulletin. Again, thank you very much for your continued support of OLV!

Next weekend Bishop Zinkula has asked every parish in the diocese to launch the "Called by Name" campaign. This two week event is designed to help parishioners identify people in our community who they believe are called to the religious life, the permanent diaconate, or priesthood. There is shortage of ministers to address the many and various needs within the Catholic Church, so the goal of this campaign is to help the Bishop, the diocesan vocation director, and me to identify and invite people to reflect on a vocation of ministry within the Catholic Church. You know each other. You know each other's gifts and strengths. Therefore, please prayerfully consider who among us might have a call. Again, the names of these individuals will then be used to ask each individual to discern and pray about a possible vocation to the religious life, permanent diaconate, and priesthood. Thank you in advance for your help and support of Bishop Zinkula's new initiative.

Finally, thank you for your prayers for the candidates and retreat staff, leading up to Women's CEW that is going on this weekend. As I am writing my article, there are currently 19 candidates! Thank you for your prayerful support, but I would also ask that you continue to pray for the participants after this weekend. As many of us know, a retreat experience is very powerful and wonderful, but the reentry into our daily lives can be hard. We might forget about the graces we have received. People around us might not understand the experiences that we have gone through, the days of prayer and reflection, so this dynamic could cause tension. Furthermore, some of us even become frustrated that we are returning to some of the sins and actions that we promised to God at the retreat that we would stop. Your continued prayers will help these women remember that our lives are a marathon not a sprint. The graces God has given are not going away, so they simply need to be patient with themselves and others as they draw closer to God. All good growth is slow growth as my spiritual director told me several times over the years. Again, your prayers will make a difference.

Have a blessed week, everyone! Our Lady of Victory, pray for us!

Happenings in the Parish Family

Please continue to Pray for Our Sick and their Caregivers: Jeanne Bacon, Larry Barnett, Michael Bihl, Deloris Blake, Cindy Boboth, Sue Boboth, Debi Bossch, Tracey (Dietz) Carlson, Gregg Dietz, Mick Clark, Kim Clary, Shannon Colemer, Thee De Cook, Trudy Dells, Mark Deppe, Amy Earnest, Tim Fox, Julie Gacke, Rosina Gerardy, Tate Green, Angie Harris, Ben Hochstatter, Chuck Husted, Steve Jackley, Joe Janeczko, Martha Jones, Loretta Kelley, Carolyn Kuebler, Miguel Lopez, Robert Mack, Pat Maring, Jim McCarthy, Nick Miller, Janie Mitchell, Gary Neece, Mary Neece, Melinda (Siskoff) Neumann, David Nitzel, Fran Riley, Colleen Ryan, Kenneth Scodeller, Latricia Straight, Christian Tilkens, Tom Simmons, Jennifer Van Speybroeck, Melba Torres, Vincent Welk, Jim Yackley

Bands of Marriage: Ill Jordan Sinkler & Samantha Stichter

Rest in Peace: Sr. Mary Edith Daley, CSC, aunt of James (Teeresa) Salisbury
May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Mass Schedule and Parish Events



Saturday, February 8, 2020

8:00 AM † Pat Moe
4:30 PM For the Parish

Sunday, February 9, 2020

7:00 AM † Adam Herrig
9:00 AM † Lawrence & Rosemary Nolan
11:00 AM † Clara Speth

Monday, February 10, 2020

7:00 AM † Joe & Elma Micklewright

Tuesday, February 11, 2020

7:00 AM † DeClerck & Dietz Families

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

7:00 AM † Randy Boever
7:40 AM † Mary Thobe

Thursday, February 13, 2020

7:00 AM † Sherm Weber
10:30 AM (RC) † Joe Van Camp

Friday, February 14, 2020

7:00 AM † Frances Childs

Saturday, February 15, 2020

8:00 AM † Carol Schlichting
4:30 PM For the Parish

Sunday February 16, 2020

7:00 AM † Leo Huber
9:00 AM † Mildred Marietta
11:00 AM † Marilyn Zeimet

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.

PARISH LIFE

Your Gifts Make A Difference

Fiscal Year runs July 1 to June 30

As of 1/31/2020	
Adult Envelopes	\$480,136.22
Electronic Giving	\$249,613.00
Offertory	\$24,959.94
Total Contributions	\$754,709.16
YTD Budget Needed	\$749,349.00
Overage/(shortfall)	\$5,360.16

This Week

Saturday

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Women's CEW Weekend
8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Confession (CH)
9:00 AM CPR, AED, Stop the Bleed Training (GSMR)
3:30 PM - 4:10 PM Confession (CH)

Sunday

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Women's CEW Weekend
9:00 AM RCIA (GSMR)
11:00 AM American Sign Language for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing (CH)
12:00 PM Deaf Community Social Hour (GSMR)
12:15 PM GriefShare (GS)
6:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study (GSMR)

Monday

10

6 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry (PC)
6:30 PM Music Committee (CH/GS)
7:00 PM Stewardship Committee (GSMR)

Tuesday

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7:00 PM Liturgy Committee (GSMR)

Wednesday

12

7:40 AM All School Mass (CH)
9:30 AM Bible Study (GSMR)
6:00 PM Faith Formation (JFK School/Gym/CAF/PC)
7:00 Choir (CH)
7:00 PM High School Youth Night

Thursday

13

9:30 AM Queen of Heaven (GSMR)
10:30 AM Ridgecrest Mass (RC)
6:00 PM The 99 Masterclass (GSMR)
7:00 PM Holy Hour (CH)

Friday

14

3:00 PM Sweetheart Dinner Set-up (PC)

Saturday

15

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Confession (CH)
3:30 PM - 4:10 PM Confession (CH)
5:30 PM Sweetheart Dinner (PC)
5:30 PM Social Saturday (GS)

Sunday

16

9:00 AM RCIA (GSMR)
10:00 AM Social Sunday (GS)
12:00 PM Food, Fun, Fellowship (PC)
12:15 PM GriefShare (GSMR)
6:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study (GSMR)

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

February 9, 2020



Guardian Angel Pre School registration is now open!

To register your child for pre-school, please stop into the JFK School Office. We have 3,4 and 5 year old programs, and wrap around care with ECLC.

If you have any questions, please call Angie at 391-3030. God Bless!



Faith Formation classes meet February 12 and 19. February 26 is Ash Wednesday, please attend the 6pm Mass that evening as a family.

Remember if the Davenport schools cancel on a Wednesday or dismiss early because of inclement weather, Faith Formation will also be cancelled.

Don't knock the weather; nine-tenths of the people couldn't start a conversation if it didn't change once in a while! --Kin Hubbard, Humorist

Challenge: Done with winter? Today, spend 5 minutes listing out what you're looking forward to this spring.



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

All high school youth are invited to join us this Wednesday for youth night. We'll be preparing for the Sweetheart Dinner this Saturday, and during February we'll be exploring the topics of love, sexuality, relationships, and more.

Sweetheart's Dinner is coming up! It's your last chance to reserve your seats for a beautiful and romantic Valentine's dinner hosted by OLV youth ministry on February 15th. Youth, sign up for service hours or fundraising opportunities with Evan Brankin davolvym@diodav.org!

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!

Grow with God. Love your neighbor. Share your faith.



Please pray for all of the women participating in the 2019 Christian Experience Weekend (CEW) being hosted by OLV this weekend. The faith experiences they are having will ignite and inspire a newfound strength in their faith and relationship with God - your prayers are appreciated for them! MEN, just a reminder that the men's weekend will be hosted February 21-23. There is still time to register and experience this amazing retreat for yourself! Brochures are available in the gathering space or online at olvjfk.com. If you have any questions, please contact the Men's Lay Director - Chris Olds (563) 449-4216. We pray you will say YES to our 2020 CEW!



Confirmation Mass date - April 25th, 10:30am.
Confirmation practice will be on April 23rd, at 6pm in the gathering space and church.

*Our Lady of Victory Youth Ministry
Cordially Invites you to*

The Sweetheart Dinner

Catered by: Smokin' Butt BBQ
When: February 15, 2020 (following 4:30 Mass)
Where: The Our Lady of Victory Parish Center
Cost: \$60.00 per couple - BYOB
Childcare will be provided!!

Contact Evan Brankin at davolvym@diodav.org or 563-391-8384 for Reservations (payment is due at time of reservation). Seating is limited....make your reservation today! All proceeds will help support OLV Youth Ministry missions and trips.



Diocese of Davenport



Cathedral Sunday

This Sunday is Cathedral Sunday, and across the Davenport Diocese we recognize that the Cathedral is the Bishop's Church and pledge our support to help in the preservation and maintenance of our Diocesan Home. Please use the Cathedral Sunday envelope sent with your monthly envelopes and return in the offertory or go

online to: www.olvjfk.com and click on the E-Giving button on the homepage.

Your help and support of our Cathedral is truly appreciated!

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Happy belated birthday to the Foundation! Did you see the article in the Victory Voice? We celebrated 30 years in December of 2019! Check out the article recapping the history of YOUR OLV Foundation. The article may

answer any questions you have on the purpose and progress of YOUR OLV Foundation. If you missed the article, the Victory Voice is also on the parish website under Bulletins and Newsletters. If you ever have question, you can email us at: olvfoundation@gmail.com and we can put you in touch with the board member with the answer you need!



The following information has been taken from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH) websites:

The weekly Influenza surveillance activity level for Iowa is elevated and spread across the state. The number of school absences due to illness are running higher than last year, more consistent with the flu seasons of 2016-2017 and 2017-2018. Cover coughs and sneezes, wash your hands frequently, stay home when you are sick!

Stewardship Moment

In reality, stewardship is our decision to build the parish through participation and financial support. There is no minimum gift, nor a maximum. Extra Intention Cards for this year's renewal of treasure are available at the doors of church.



Food, Fun and fellowship is Sunday, February 16th right after the 11am Mass in the Parish Center. Come, enjoy a good meal complete with desserts. Teresa Pangan will be our guest speaker and she will talk about how to eat healthier and cardiac disease. Teresa Pangan, PhD, RDN is a professional speaker, culinary educator, entrepreneur

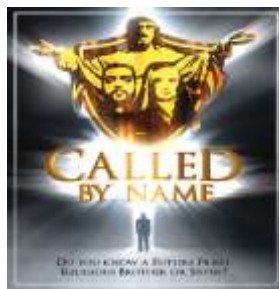
and registered dietician focusing on empowering people to eat food that is both delicious and nutritious. At Unity Point Trinity as part of their Cardiac Rehab staff she created and currently leads their community cooking series called "Cooking with Heart".

Each day nearly 3,000 deaths occur from heart disease or stroke. This is preventable, if you know what to do. We hope you can join us to learn new ways to eat healthier, and become a savvy health consumer.

Called By Name, a program to promote vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, will begin in our parish next weekend. Please pray for vocations. More details to come next Sunday!

Prayer for Vocations

God, in Baptism you called me by name and made me a member of your people, the Church. Help all your people to know their vocation in life, and to respond by living a life of holiness.



For your greater glory and for the service of your people, raise up dedicated and generous leaders who will serve as sisters, priests, brothers, deacons, and lay ministers.

Send your Spirit to guide and strengthen me that I may serve your people following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ, in whose name I offer this prayer.

Amen.

There are seven different coronaviruses known to infect humans. Four of the seven coronaviruses are very common, more mild (similar to the common cold) and most people will be infected with at least one of them in their lifetime. Three of the seven coronaviruses are rare and can cause illness leading to pneumonia and life-threatening illness. This includes the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (the current outbreak in China).

People infected with the common coronaviruses, influenza and many other respiratory infections can avoid passing them to others by covering their coughs and sneezes, cleaning their hands frequently and staying home when sick!



Befriender Training

Are you interested in sitting with a parishioner while they are alone in the hospital? Trinity Unity Point is having a "Befriender" training beginning March 31st. Please contact the Parish Office at 563-391-4245 for more information.



Must-read coverage in the Catholic Messenger

The Catholic Messenger provides Meaningful, must-read coverage in a reader-friendly format - print or E-Edition. It is the communication tool that Bishop Zinkula uses to reach thousands of households. It is an inexpensive investment in adult faith formation and education. It is an aid in spiritual formation and evangelization. And it costs just \$29 per year for 50 issues---print and/or e-edition. Subscribe now by using *The Catholic Messenger* envelope in your monthly envelopes or online at www.olvjfk.com,



Wellness Ministry Family Bingo Night

Sunday, March 1st

4 PM to 6 PM in the Parish Center

Bring your families, have some fun, win some great prizes and help raise FUNds for the Wellness Committee Scholarship Fund!

Registration forms are in the Gathering Space or call Becky at 563-650-0820 to reserve your spot.





A WEEKEND FOR MARRIED COUPLES

I love you - How do you communicate your love to your spouse? Have you said "I love you" to them in a way they can understand today? This week make it a point to let them know you love them every day...and pay attention to how they might be telling you of their love. When is the last time you and your spouse held hands? Talked about things that were important to you both? Spent some time deepening your love for each other, and spent some time as a couple together with God? Want to see that love light in your spouse's eyes again? Then Marriage Encounter is for you! This year it is in Clinton, Iowa, at Prince of Peace Church from February 14-16, 2020. WE have room for all!! Best gift you will ever give your spouse! For more information, or to make reservations, call [Deacon John or Cheryl Wagner, at 563-391-2805](tel:563-391-2805). Applications are also in the back of church! Love to see you both there!

"Forgiveness"

Join this six week scripture study by Stephen Binz.

Register by calling Trish Gallagher at [563-508-8377](tel:563-508-8377).

Books are \$13 and money is due at the first session.

Two sessions are available:

Mondays - starting February 17, 10 AM
Gathering Space meeting room.

Thursday evenings - starting February 20,
7 PM at Trish's House (Call for directions)



Prairie Trivia Night

Get ready for a good time while raising funds needed for Our Lady of the Prairie Retreat! Saturday, February 29th at St. John Vianney in Bettendorf. Doors open at 6 pm, trivia begins at 7 pm. Reserve your table for up to 8 people for \$80. Prizes and fun! Bring your own food and drink. Please call [563-336-8401](tel:563-336-8401) or visit: theprairieretreat.org to register.



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Church/Parish Office

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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

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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 Nurse.....(563)391-4724

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

Ann Marie Rowe, BS, MT, ASCP, Health Advocate..(512) 626-2293

Jan King, RN, BSN, MBA, CRRN, Parish Nurse..(563) 343-3134

Parish Nurses email - davolvnurse@diodav.org

Choir Director

Sharon Ehlers.....(563) 940-2418

Baptisms

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Pre-Baptismal welcoming and information class 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 : davolypa@diodav.org or call (563) 391-4245. Bulletin deadline is Monday at 3 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:
Carol Reyhons - (563) 386-1816
Vicki Schlue - (563) 391-1519

