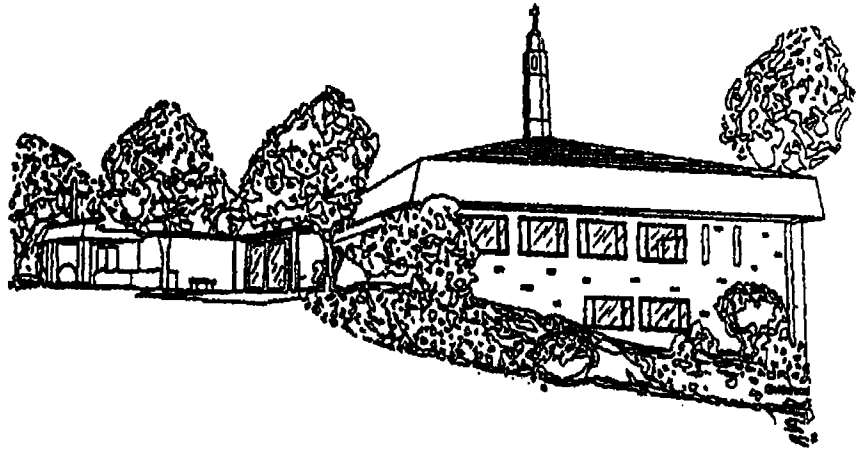


Our Lady of the River

CATHOLIC
CHURCH



28200 226th Street Place • LeClaire, Iowa 52753 • 563-289-5736

Le Claire • Princeton

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 16-17, 2009

Parish Staff:

Father Joseph Wolf, Pastor
Jan Lewis, Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper
Roberta Pegorick, Director of Faith Formation
Cheryl Brogla-Krupke, Director of Music Ministry
Jim Puck, Parish Maintenance

Mass Schedule:

Vigil on Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m.
Weekday: See Daily Schedule inside
Holy Day: See schedule inside

Sacraments:

BAPTISM: Contact Pastor

RECONCILIATION: Saturday afternoon 4:30 - 4:45 p.m.
or anytime by appointment;

MARRIAGES: Arrangements are to be made at least nine months before the wedding.

Parish Services:

SICK CALLS: Anyone who cannot attend Mass or receive the sacraments in Church because of illness or age please contact the Pastor.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to our parish family!
Please register in the sacristy after Mass.

PRAYER CHAIN COORDINATOR: Linda Heaton
332-0746

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Classes for 3 year olds—9th grade students are held.

ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY: Meets at noon on the second Wednesday of each month in the parish hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of every month in the parish hall. Rosary prayed at 7:15 p.m. before the meeting.

PARISH COUNCIL COMMISSIONS

Commissions meet the third Wednesday of February, April, June, August, and October at 7:00 p.m. or as announced.

PARISH COUNCIL

Council meets the third Thursday of January, March, May, July, September, and November at 7:00 p.m.

Parish Information:

PARISH MAILING ADDRESS:

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Le Claire, IA 52753

CHURCH E-MAIL: leclaireolor@diodav.org

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CHURCH WEB PAGE: www.ourladyoftheriver.com

Meetings:

Our Mission

Our Lady of the River Catholic Church is both a quiet oasis of serenity and an energetic center for worship. We are a community of Christians guided by the Holy Spirit, associated with the diocese and served by a pastor. Our mission is to promote the Kingdom of God through prayer (primarily our Eucharistic celebration), education and service, and to exemplify Christian life in seeking holiness and the promise of salvation through Christ Jesus.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions

Mon.	May 18	8:00 a.m.	Harold Ehrecke
Tue.	May 19	8:00 a.m.	Joe Fick Family
Wed.	May 20	8:00 a.m.	Joan Wales
Thu.	May 21	8:00 a.m.	Msgr. Leo Feeney
Fri.	May 22	8:00 a.m.	Mark Fray Hill
Sat.	May 23	5:00 p.m.	Millie Nelson
Sun.	May 24	8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish

Liturgical Roles

Date May 16-17	5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Lector	Sarah Moore	Robert Majchrzak
Commentator	Penny Souhrada	Cathi Betts
Eucharistic Ministers	Steve Fye, Rita McRoberts, Pauline Moench, David-Phyllis Gould	Jean Moeller, Heidi-Wiley Plummer, Cyndi Smith, Helen Chostner
Cantor	Mary Anna Parris	Jan Davis
Organist	Sharon Mazak	Cheryl Brogla-Krupke
Altar Servers	Bill-Jacque Moore	Riley Pegorick
Date May 23-24	5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Lector	John Jungk	Robert Majchrzak
Commentator	John Miller	Wendy Kelley
Eucharistic Ministers	Tom Kamp, Steve Fye, Barb Arland-Fye, Sharon Hermie, Jan Davis	Mary Hill Sutherland, Joan Puck, Mary Jo Godwin, John Fitzgibbon, Tom Molumby
Cantor	Joanne/Shane Rumpza	Adult/Youth choir
Organist	Ladonna Czachowski	Cheryl Brogla-Krupke
Altar Servers	Bill-Jacque Moore	Stephen Bellig, Andrew Lamfers

CONDOLENCES

Eternal rest grant unto Jessie Rasso (sister of Rose Gill), O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

PARISH NEWS

Let us remember those on the prayer chain.

Let us remember those who are in the nursing home: Clinton Crawl, Richard Eichberger, Joan Flesher, and Antionette Griffin.

Let us remember those who are sick and/or recuperating at home: Nathan Brandt, Billie Brogla, Beth Calabotta, Joyce Ekstrand, Eileen Ewers, Katie Grady, Ann Holiday, Elnora Martin, Dave Miller, Trudy Rodger, Cheryl Thompson, Melody Tolley, Kristin Vanduyne, Randy Wehrman, and Mike West.

Let us pray for those who are serving in the military: Seth and Monica Coussens, Aaron & Matthew DePorter, and Jacob Messmer.

<i>Parish Diary</i>	
<i>Commencing the Week May 17th</i>	
Sunday, May 17th	
8:10 a.m.	Rosary
8:30 a.m.	Mass
9:30 a.m.	Religious Education
9:30 a.m.	Adult choir
10:30 a.m.	Youth choir
Tuesday, May 19th	
7:00 p.m.	Bible Study
Wednesday, May 20th	
7:00 p.m.	Knights of Columbus
Thursday, May 21st	
6:00 p.m.	Finance Council
7:00 p.m.	Parish Council
Saturday, May 23rd	
4:40 p.m.	Rosary
5:00 p.m.	Mass
Sunday, May 24th	
8:10 a.m.	Rosary
8:30 a.m.	Mass
9:30 a.m.	Religious Ed Class

Weekly Collections
May 9/10

Building Fund	---\$161
Envelopes	-----\$2193
Offertory	-----\$204.75
Diocese Volunteer	---\$5.00
Birthright	-----\$104
Assumption	-----\$30

Since May is the month of Mary we will be praying the rosary before Masses during the month of May. Please come 20 minutes early and join us.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School (VBS) dates have been set. July 12th– July 16th 6:00-8:00 p.m. VBS will be held at the Princeton Presbyterian Church. Our theme this year is Wildwood Forest! Many volunteers are needed. Watch the upcoming bulletins for additional information.

Altar & Rosary will be sponsoring a one day retreat on August 11, from 9:30 to 3:30 at Our Lady of the Prairie. Fr. Robert Miller will be the presenter and his theme is "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled." The fee is \$15 and lunch is provided. We will plan to car pool leaving about 8:30 a.m. Please contact Linda Heaton 332- 0746 if you plan to join us. Since people from other churches also are invited we need to act quickly. The limit is 30.

Memorial Day Mass

Loras Council # 532 of the Knights of Columbus is inviting the Catholics of Scott County to join them for their special Memorial Day Mass on Monday, May 25, at 8:30 a.m. at Mount Calvary Cemetery. The other Knights of Columbus Councils of Scott County and all the priests of Scott County have been invited to come celebrate the Mass with Bishop Martin Amos as the main celebrant. The Mass will be at the Priests' circle and we advise people to come early to find parking and get their lawn chairs into position. There will be the roll call of deceased members of the various K of C Councils as well as the roll call of priests and deacons of the Diocese of Davenport who have died since last Memorial Day. In case of inclement weather, the Mass will be held at St. Paul the Apostle church, 916 E. Rushholme Street, at 9:00 a.m. A sign indicating such change would be posted at the Cemetery entrance at 7:00 a.m.

Music Notes:

Youth Singers: We have rehearsal this Sunday, May 17th following religious education classes

Adult Choir:

We will have rehearsal following the 8:30 Mass this weekend. Both choirs will be singing for the Mass on May 24th.

Musical Thoughts:

"Where Charity and Love Prevail" is our hymn that we will be singing as the gifts are brought to the altar. Since the melody contains only two lines, it is an easy piece to sing. The lyrics and the minor key with which it is written are what make this hymn so endearing. Simplicity is apparent in the melody that is over 100 years old yet lyrics such as, "Forgive we now each other's faults as we our faults confess; and let us love each other well in Christian holiness." "Where charity and love prevail, there God is ever found: brought here together by Christ's love, by love are we thus bound." You have just read two entire verses of this favorite hymn – there is so much "thinking material" within those few words. Let this song become our sung prayer today.

St. Paul the Apostle will once again host it's Annual May Rosary Campaign. We invite you to come to pray the Rosary with us at 6:00 a.m. each Friday in May. Stay for Mass at 6:30 a.m. and join us for breakfast immediately after.

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church
916 East Rusholme St.
Davenport, Iowa 52803

Attention Graduates

On May 31st we are honoring college and high school graduates at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. If you are graduating, or have a child that is, please fill out the form in the vestibule and put in the collection basket.

Altar & Rosary Society is looking for lots of assistance with the upcoming garage sale. Help will be needed June 8 through June 13. There are sign up sheets in the vestibule. Men, women and teens are all encouraged to help out. Thank you.

The A & R church wide garage sale will take place on June 11, 12 and 13. Items may be dropped off at the church hall on June 8 & 9 from 8:30 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Women of the Parish:

Find your purpose...Feed your soul!

This summer– A powerful Catholic study just for you! "Full of Grace: Women and the Abundant Life." In a group study format with video lectures, you will delve into prayer, Sacred Scripture, Catholic Church documents & teachings, the Catechism, the lives of 16 women saints, and examples of our Blessed Mother! You'll be nurtured and fed spiritually, mentally, and emotionally, learning how to embrace your gift of authentic femininity and your dignity as a daughter of God! You will be equipped to fulfill your call and mission as a women of grace in the world today!

9 sessions on Wednesdays from 7-9 p.m. starting June 10th through August 5th

Located at St. Paul the Apostle catholic Church, 916 Rushholme Street, Davenport. Cost of the study \$40 – includes the book *Full of Grace* & accompanying study guide. Please register by Wednesday, May 20th. Contact Jill Kliver at (563) 271-9672.