
MASS SCHEDULE: OCTOBER 2 - 8, 2017 A.D.

Mon. Oct. 2 [No Mass Scheduled]
Tues. Oct. 3 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center
Wed. Oct. 4 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg Grade Mass
"St. Francis of Assisi" Vernon Cherne
Thurs. Oct. 5 10:00 A.M. Guttenberg Care Center
[Sacrament of Anointing] People of the Parish
Fri. Oct. 6 [No Mass Scheduled]
Sat. Oct. 7 VIGIL OF TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY
4:00 P.M. Garnavillo - Anita Schmelzer [1st Anniv.]
5:30 P.M. Guttenberg - Marie & Albert 'Chips' Bieber
Sun. Oct. 8 TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN TIME
8:30 A.M. North Buena Vista - Rex & Bobby Ellsworth
10:00 A.M. Guttenberg
Dec'd of Ulbrich/Ludovissy Family

EVENTS IN THE AREA

Sun., Oct. 1 – Holy Trinity of Luxemburg “45th Annual Oktoberfest” – Menu: broasted chicken (by Noonan’s North) & ham. **Serving:** 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost: Adults/\$11; children 5-10/\$5 and 4 & under/Free

Sat., Oct 7 – St. Joseph of Garnavillo “Hog Roast”
MENU: all you can eat BBQ pork sandwiches, German potato salad, coleslaw, baked beans, desserts. **Serving:** 4:30-7:00 p.m.
COST: Adults/\$9; children under 12/\$5 and preschool/Free
Raffle drawing.

Fri. & Sat. Oct. 13-14 - St. Ann/St. Joseph Annual Fall Rummage & Bake Sale at Harpers Ferry. Friday, October 13, 5:00 - 8:00 P.M. Saturday, October 14, 8 A.M. - noon. Serving rolls & beverages.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA will meet on October 3rd, at St. Mary’s Brinkmann Hall in Guttenberg at 6:00 P.M.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA/WOMEN’S RETREAT - October 6-8 held at American Martyrs Retreat House in Cedar Falls. Register by phone 319-266-3543 or email dbqamrh@dbqarch.org

SMIC SCHOOL SYSTEM “FALL RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE - If you have good reusable items that you no longer need please donate them this week anytime. **Sale dates are**

Thurs. Oct 5 4:00 - 7:00 P.M.

Fri. Oct 6 8:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

Sat. Oct. 7 8:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. Special Note:

Saturday only \$1 bags for clothes from noon-1:00 P.M.

STRONG CATHOLIC MARRIAGE WORKSHOP

Sat., October 14, 2017 at St. Gabriel Church in Reinbeck from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. For couples interested in improving communication, experiencing healing and forgiveness, exploring the role of service and prayer, and cherishing the marriage intended by God. The cost is \$75/per couple with lunch. Register on line <https://dbqarch.org/marriage-event> or call Matt Selby at Arch. of Dubuque 563-556-2580 ext. 233.

CONFIRMATION IS SET FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2018 during 10:00 A.M. Mass at Guttenberg for our linked parishes with Archbishop Jackels.

“OUR LADY OF FATIMA” Conference on Sat., October 14, 2017 at Grand River Center in Dubuque. TIME: 8 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. featuring five quest speakers including Gary Dolphin of the “Voice of the Hawkeyes.” Admission is FREE with RSVP at www.kcrd-fm.org or call 563-231-3545. [Box lunch included]

FAITH FORMATION CONTINUES every Sunday for grades 2-10, starting with mass at 10:00 AM and it will run until 12:00 PM. Students attending a different mass need to summarize the homily in the mass they attended and be ready for class at 10:45 A.M. Juniors and Seniors will be changing to a monthly classes. The dates and times of those classes will be announced soon. If you have questions call Deacon Jim Pfaffly at 563-252-3553.

OCTOBER, RESPECT LIFE MONTH - In honor of Respect Life month, beginning October 1, 2017, the Stewardship Committee will again be taking donations for Birthright and Clarity Clinic in Dubuque, Iowa. We will be accepting new or gently used baby clothing, infant supplies, or monetary donations. There will be a crib set up on Mary's (left) side of altar for drop off of items. **"As the Father loves, so do his children. Just as He is merciful, so we are called to be merciful to each other."** Pope Francis

MEMO FROM FAMILY LIFE OFFICE - You're invited to subscribe to the "Family Matters" e-newsletter, a monthly publication of the Archdiocese of Dubuque Family Life Office that is sent via e-mail around the 15th of each month. The "Family Matters" e-newsletter includes information and inspiration to help you live your faith in your family. You may subscribe by visiting www.dbqarch.org/family-matters-newsletter

PRAY THE ROSARY – ESPECIALLY THIS YEAR - Our Lady has called on all Catholics to participate in the Economy of Salvation through persistent, consistent, insistent prayer—particularly the prayer of the Most Holy Rosary. It's a powerful weapon against evil, of which there is much in this world today. Our Lady has asked us to pray the Rosary for peace, for the Church, for clergy, and as a refuge for those seeking relief. In 1917, Our Blessed Mother appeared to three Portuguese children on the 13th day of each month, from May - October. An exception occurred in August when local officials wouldn't let them visit the site, so Mary visited them on Aug. 19th.

DATE CHANGE -_ST. MARY'S SCRIPTURE STUDY will continue with the remaining 5 lessons of **"Acts of the Apostles"** on Wed., Oct. 11 at 9:15 A.M., and Thurs., Oct. 12 at 7:00 P.M. For further info., contact Jerry Balk, 252-2361 or Jim Pfaffly, 252-3553.

HUMOR - What did the Tin Man say when he got run over by a steamroller? "Curses! Foil again!"