

# MASS SCHEDULE

## January 6 through 12, 2020

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**Mon., Jan 6:** No Mass Scheduled

**Tues., Jan 7:** 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center  
*Cyrenus Elsinger*

**Wed., Jan 8:** 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg 8<sup>th</sup> Grade School Mass  
*Julius & Verna Steffen*

**Thur., Jan 9:** 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg River Living Center  
*Dick Andregg*

**Fri., Jan 10:** No Mass Scheduled, "Full Moon"

**Sat., Jan 11:** VIGIL FEAST OF BAPTISM OF THE LORD  
4:00 P.M. Garnavillo  
*Malinda Maiers*  
5:30 P.M. Guttenberg  
*Albert 'Chips' & Marie Bieber*

**Sun., Jan 12:** FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD  
8:30 A.M. N. Buena Vista  
*Edward & Richard Hefel*  
10:00 A.M. Guttenberg  
*People of the Parish*

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### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR & DEACON . . .

Thank you for the Christmas cards and gifts to honor us during this Christmas season. May God bless you for your generosity toward us.!!

If you want something you've never had before, you need to be willing to do something you've never done.

**“REDISCOVER THE SAINTS”** Getting started with your new book & *Amazing Possibilities!* Are you satisfied with the direction the world is moving in? Are you satisfied with your life? What does the world need? It needs holy moments. A holy moment is a moment when you make yourself completely available to God. The world needs the-very-best-version-of-you, fully alive and collaborating with God every day to create as many holy moments as possible. Please take the time to read at least one chapter a week from your book. FREE books are still available at church if you did not receive one.

**Upcoming events.....**

- Jan 4/5: Collection for Food Shelf**
- Jan 6: School Resumes**
- Jan 7: KC Mtg, 7:30pm**
- Jan 12: KC Breakfast**
- Feb 19: Scripture Study Session #6**
- Feb 20: Scripture Study Session #6**
- Feb 26: Ash Wednesday**
- Feb 29: Way of the Cross Begins**

Offering envelopes may be picked up at the back of church. If you have had a change of address in the past year, please notify the parish office so we may update our records.



**KC Pancake and Sausage Breakfast**

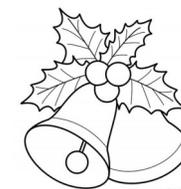
Plan to join us for food and fellowship  
**Sunday, January 12th, 8:00 –11:30 am** in Brinkmann Hall.  
 Serving pancakes, sausage, eggs, hash browns, fruit, cinnamon rolls and coffee/milk/juice. Free will offering.  
 Proceeds will help fund the new LED lighting in Brinkmann Hall.  
 Come “see” the difference!




**‘One and Done’ Winners**

- Dec 27: \$50 winner Lori Horstman**
- Jan 3: \$50**
- Jan 10: \$100**

Want to get in the fun — please stop by the school office to purchase a ticket. There are 21 more chances to win!



The 2020 Men’s Conference will take place on Saturday, March 14, at Xavier Catholic High School, Cedar Rapids. The keynote speaker will be Patrick Madrid, with Archbishop Jackels presiding at Mass. More details may be found at [www.CatholicMenOnline.com](http://www.CatholicMenOnline.com). Registration is now open.

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COMPUTER OR SMART PHONE**

Goto [www.maryicjoseph.org](http://www.maryicjoseph.org); click on the *St. Mary Parish* tab, and then select *Weekly Bulletins and Monthly Schedules*.

**Northeast Iowa Christian Experience Weekend (CEW)  
Co-Ed Weekend, Feb 28, 29, March 1, 2020**

Held at The Bean Farm, Scotch Grove, Iowa. Registration can be done online at: [www.thebeanfarm-iowa.com](http://www.thebeanfarm-iowa.com) and click on CEW.

*Take time to experience this special weekend and grow in your faith.*

**A NEW YEAR and a new involved you!**

Volunteer to be a  
 Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Usher, Greeter, Reader, Choir,  
 Rosary leader or Mass server, to name a few. Call Deacon Jim Pfaffly, 252-3553, or Jerry Balk, 252-2361 for further information.

There are three ways to change the world:

- With your words,
- With your deeds,
- Or with your prayer.

**Pope Francis’ Prayer Intention for January: Promotion of World Peace**

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

I have hands but I can never clap. What am I?

*A clock!*

If you have information for the bulletin, please notify the parish office by Tuesday evening to: [churchlady@smic.pvt.k12.ia.us](mailto:churchlady@smic.pvt.k12.ia.us)

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## **Mass Schedules**

### **St. Mary of Guttenberg**

Saturday 5:30 pm

Sunday 10:00 am

### **St. Joseph of Garnavillo**

Saturday 4:00 pm

### **Immaculate Conception**

North Buena Vista

Sunday 8:30 am

## **Baptisms and Funerals**

Make arrangements at the Rectory.

## **Marriages**

Contact Fr. Bries at least six months prior to the wedding.