

MASS SCHEDULE

March 9 through March 15, 2020

Mon., Mar 9: No Mass Scheduled, **Full Moon**

Tues., Mar 10: 8:30 A.M. – Garnavillo Tower Living Center
Noreen Rowland

Wed., Mar 11: 8:30 A.M. – Guttenberg 2nd Grade School Mass
Julius & Verna Steffen

Thur., Mar 12: 8:30 A.M. – Guttenberg River Living Center
Gary Randall

Fri., Mar 13: 4:30 P.M. -Garnavillo – Way of the Cross/Mass
Dec'd of Kann/Berns Families

Sat., Mar 14: VIGIL OF THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
3:40 P.M. – Garnavillo – Way of Cross
4:00 P.M. – Garnavillo, - Mass
Paul Puelz (Months Mind)
5:10 P.M. – Guttenberg – Way of Cross
5:30 P.M. – Guttenberg - Mass
Veryl Voss (1st Anniv.)

Sun., Mar 15: THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
8:10 A.M. – N. Buena Vista – Way of Cross
8:30 A.M. – N. Buena Vista - Mass
Rosie Boge
9:40 A.M. – Guttenberg – Way of Cross
10:00 A.M. – Guttenberg—Mass
People of the Parish

Confessions during Lent – before Mass at Garnavillo & after Masses at Guttenberg – Please say “Act of Contrition” before coming to confession.

Consider joining your faith community in The “**Way of the Cross**” which will start 20 minutes before Mass during Lent. Booklets available at church entrances.



“OVERCOMER”: A Christian school teacher-coach, loses his basketball team after several families move due to the town factory closing. Since Hannah Scott is interested in doing cross country, the school assigns the teacher to be the coach for a 1-person cross country team. The movie takes you on Hannah’s journey toward understanding her identity and innate value as God’s creation. The movie will be presented in Brinkmann Hall by the **“Parish Life Committee”** after the 10:00 AM Mass on March 15 with a **“FREE” lunch** and the movie starting approximately at 11:30.

Needed: We need substitute Faith Formation leaders for K-8th grades. If you have an interest in sharing your faith with our youth, please contact Stephanie: 563-568-1772 or stephanie.k.horns@gmail.com

Easter Lilies: If you would like to remember family members, our three linked parishes would appreciate these wonderful gifts for our Easter celebration. Please place gift in envelope and mark in memory or honor of. Donations should be made by April 6th. You may also contact Blooming Branches directly.



ADULT CONFIRMATION – if you would like the Sacrament of Confirmation and did **not** receive it in high school, Holy Saturday liturgy gives you an opportunity to be confirmed in the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Also an opportunity to become Catholic as an adult is part of Holy Saturday liturgy. Please contact the pastor for a hour instruction.

Heavenly Father, As I enter another week of my Lenten journey, guide me to the path that leads to you. Fill my heart with gratitude, patience, strength, and peace as I strive to become the-best-version-of-myself, honestly admitting my shortcomings and sins. As I renew my resolve each day to become a better person, let me hear your voice in the deepest reaches of my heart. Give me rest in you. Help me to accept others, showing them your great love instead of casting judgment. Stay with me through the busy days this week and remind me that when I need comfort, solitude, wisdom, or guidance, I can always turn to you. Help me develop discipline and generosity through fasting and almsgiving, and come closer to you through prayer this Lent. In your name I pray, Amen.

ADULT MASS SERVERS & STUDENTS: Our parish needs your services as a “Mass server,” please give it some consideration. Training will be provided. Please contact Jerry 252-2361 or Gail 880-2192.

Upcoming events.....
Mar 7/8: Food Shelf weekend
Mar 11: Scripture Study Session #9
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Mar 12: Scripture Study Session #9
Mar 15: Parish Life Movie, Overcomer”
Mar 18: Faith Formation, 6:30pm
Apr 1: Faith Formation, 6:30pm
Apr 5: Palm Sunday
Apr 8: Faith Formation, 6:30pm
Apr 12: Easter
Apr 18-19: CDA “Life Saver” collection
Apr 19: 1st Communion

Raffle Winners

Feb 28: \$300, Cindy Kluesner
Mar 6: \$50
Mar 13: \$100
 Tickets can still be purchased at the school office.

Benefit for the **Mike and Bert Behrend Family**
 Sunday, March 15, 11-4pm;
 Lakeside Ballroom, Guttenberg.
 Free will donation meal, silent and live auctions

SCRIP available at Peoples State Bank from the following vendors: Benders, Stadium, Blooming Branches, Essers, Kwik Star, Subway, Dicks, Old Navy, Old Chicago, Applebees, iTunes, Kohls, Menards, Papa Murphys & Olive Garden. **Purchase a gift card at face value and 2% of the amount will be applied to an SMIC student of your choice to reduce their tuition fee.**

Prime Rib Dinner
Sunday, March 22nd
 I.C.Hall, North Buena Vista
 Social 5:30pm, Dinner 6:30 pm
 Reservations Required: Call Pam or Amy @ 563-870-4605

Clayton County Womenade Gathering
 Norie’s RestoBar
 7 Schiller St.,Guttenberg IA
 Tuesday, March 10, 2020; Noon

What do you get when you cross a four-leaf clover with poison ivy?
A rash of good luck on St. Patrick’s Day!

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

Lenten Fish Fry 

St. Joseph’s Parish Center, Garnavillo
 Friday’s during Lent:
 Mar 6, 13, 20, 27,
 Apr 3, 10
 Adults: \$10;
 Children 5-12 \$5;
 under 5 free
 All you can eat batter fried fish, french fries, potato salad, coleslaw, Jello, dinner roll, dessert, milk/coffee

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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.