

SCRIPTURE

MASSES

CALENDAR

Sunday February 7	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8	8:00	+Dorothy Donohoe	Welcoming of Newcomers (all Masses)
	1 Cor 15:1-11	9:30	+Charlotte K. Fisk Thompson	
	Lk 1:11	11:00	Parishioners	
	<b>The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>			

Monday February 8	1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13	12:10	+Millicent Noble	Zach turns 2!
	Mk 6:53-56		<b>Weekday</b>	5 PM Property Management (at Pagliai's) 7:30 PM Widowed/Separated/Divorced

Tuesday February 9	1 Kgs 8:22-23,	12:10	+Jean Dill	7-8:30 PM Inquiry Session (parish hall) 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus meeting (KC Family Center)
	27-30		+George Gartner	
	Mk 7:1-13		<b>Weekday</b>	

Wednesday February 10	1 Kgs 10:1-10 Mk 7:14-23	12:10	+Howard Villhauer <b>St. Scholastica</b>	6 PM Choir practice
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Thursday February 11	1 Kgs 11:4-13	12:10	+Holy Souls in Purgatory	7 PM Christian Formation Commission
	Mk 7:24-30		<b>Our Lady of Lourdes</b>	

Friday February 12	1 Kgs 11:29-32,	12:10	+Wayne and Barb Chadima	12:05 PM Angelus for Life 12:50 PM Prayer at Emma Goldman Clinic
	12:19		<b>Weekday</b>	
	Mk 7:31-37			

Saturday February 13	Jer 17:5-8	5:10 PM	+Jean Dill	9:30 AM Baptism class (parish hall)
	1 Cor 15:12,		+Joanne Hemingway	10-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation
	16-20		+Earl and Emily Howe	
	Lk 6:17, 20-26		<b>The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	

Sunday February 14	Jer 17:5-8	8:00	+John O'Neill	11 AM Inquiry Session (rectory)
	1 Cor 15:12,	9:30	+Joe Meade	
	16-20		+Rosemary and Joe Manjoine	
	Lk 6:17, 20-26	11:00	Parishioners	
<b>The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>				

**THE STEWARDSHIP**   
**"GIFT T.A.G."**

**Thankful, Accountable, Generous**

**Stewardship of Time**

Come to daily Mass whenever possible.

**Stewardship of Talent**

Thank you to the Family Life Commission for coordinating and hosting the annual Chili Supper with the Iowa Women's Basketball Team!

**Stewardship of Treasure**

January 31st, 2010

Envelopes	\$	9,274.00
Offertory (money not in envelopes)	\$	1,135.00
Electronic Funds Transfer	\$	5,384.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	5.00
5% for Peace & Justice allocations	\$	831.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>16,629.00</b>
Amount needed each week:	\$	20,300.00
<b>UNDER budget:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,671.00</b>
Amount needed year to date:	\$	630,000.00
Amount received to date:	\$	553,014.00
<b>UNDER budget:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>-76,986.00</b>

Stewardship of Treasure **Goal: 5% OF INCOME**  
**GIVEN IN GRATITUDE**

**Stewardship Thought**

Stewardship means making the world a better place.

**Rest In Peace**

We pray for the repose of the soul of Lewis Hess (father of Mary Merkel-Hess). May he be welcomed into everlasting life!

**Baptism Class**

Baptism class will be Saturday, February 20th, at 9:30 AM in the office. There is no need to register.

**Inquiry Sessions**

Inquiry Sessions for adults wishing to find out more about the Catholic faith will be Tuesday, February 9th and Thursday, February 11th, from 7-8 PM in the parish hall. There will also be one final session on Sunday, February 14th, from 11AM to noon in the rectory. Each session is the same, so you only need to attend one session. It may be just where the Holy Spirit is leading you!

**Do You Know Someone?**

The Church is in need of dedicated, capable, and holy priests.

If you know a young man who, in your opinion, would make a good priest, please send his name and address to Father Ken.

Many priests today (including Father Ken and Father Jeff) say that they first thought about a vocation to the priesthood after someone suggested it to them. God may be using you to extend His call to a future priest. Please give this your serious and prayerful consideration. Thanks!

**The Catholic Messenger**

The time has come to subscribe to our own diocesan newspaper, The Catholic Messenger. Bishop Amos has asked that every household in the every parish of the diocese receive this weekly publication. The cost is just \$26 per year. If you would like to receive The Messenger but can't afford it—give whatever you can. The parish will subsidize your subscription. Subscription envelopes are in your monthly packets.



**The Year for Priests**

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in Word and Sacrament. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom and give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.

*CLIP AND PRAY DAILY!*

**The subscription rate for *The Catholic Messenger* has increased from \$25 to \$26.**

## **REGINA HAPPENINGS**

**Regina Boy Scout Troop 218**

**Chili Dinner**

**TODAY, Sunday, February 7th, 11AM-4 PM**

**St. Wenceslaus Church**

All you can eat!

Traditional, spicy, white, vegetarian,  
and mac & cheese. Dine-in or carry out.

Adults—\$5 Children—\$3

**Regina Spring Pops Concert**

Friday, February 12th, at 7 PM

Regina High School Gym

Admission is \$5 per person. Pie will be served and is included in the admission price.

**Kindergarten Round-Up**

**for the 2010/2011 School Year**

**Tuesday, February 16th, at 6 PM**

**Regina Elementary Gym**

If you are interested in placement,  
please contact the office at 337-5739

## **OTHER HAPPENINGS**

**The Salvation Army Needs Your Help!**

The Iowa City Salvation Army serves dinner to hungry people in our community 7 days a week. Right now, there is a shortage of volunteers to serve on Saturdays. If you are interested in helping, please contact Mark Decker at 319-457-1585.

***“Roses and Chocolates”***

**St. James Royal Ball**

**Saturday, February 13th, 5:30 PM to 12 PM**

**at the KC Hall in Washington, Ia**

This fundraising event is sponsored by the St. James Home and School Association of Washington, Ia and will support the students and staff of the school. Tickets are \$60. Contact Kathleen Brinning for reservations (863-3806).

**Annual Pancake Breakfast**

**Sunday, February 14th, 7 AM-12:30 PM**

**St. Mary's Church, Riverside**

All-you-can-eat pancakes, sausage, eggs, juice, and coffee. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$3 for kids, and children age 5 and under are free. The proceeds will benefit religious education programs.

## **Christian Experience Weekends**

Now is the time to register! The weekends will be Feb. 19-21 (for women) and March 5-7 (for men). Pick-up a registration brochure at the entrance of the church to reserve your spot!

### **Choose Life Prayer**

We pray for those in the pro-life movement, that they may not weary in their struggle.

### **Vocation View**

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to ordained or religious life, do not be afraid! Jesus calls *and* leads the way.

*Would you like to join our parish? We'd love to have you as part of our St. Mary's family! Please stop by or call the parish office at 337-4314.*

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#### **ST. MARY'S FINANCE COUNCIL**

Anne Hargrave (Lay Director)  
Vince Maurer  
John Maxwell (Lay Director)  
Mike Pugh  
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#### **EDUCATION**

##### **Regina Catholic Education Center:**

Carol Trueg—President, 351-1415. ext. 153  
David Krummel – High School Principal, 338-5436  
Celeste Vincent – Elementary Principal, 337-5739  
Sr. Mary Frances Michalec, ND, - Religious Education  
Director, 351-7638  
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