



Saint Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church

210 R63 Hwy-Indianola, IA 50125

Weekend Mass Saturday 5:30 pm & Sunday 10:15 am
Sunday 8:00 am at Immaculate Conception-St Mary's
Tuesday- 6:00 pm mass

Daily Mass: WEDNESDAY-Friday 8:00 am
1st Tuesday of the Month at Good Samaritan Nursing Home 9:30am

St Thomas Aquinas Staff & Committees

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Worship/Liturgy: Joyce DeGroot	783-3890
Palmer Hall Committee: Steph Bintner, Steve Mc Ginnis, Kristen Hanes, Kevin Parker and Leasa Garrett	

ROSARY: Please join us in praying the rosary every Tuesday evening starting at 6:30pm in the church as we pray for peace, families and your special intentions.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4:30 pm-5:00 pm or by appointment.
Liturgy of Baptism: Parents are requested to call the Parish Office to arrange for pre-baptism sessions and must be registered with the church, one sponsor must be Catholic.
Liturgy of Marriage: Call at least 6 months in advance to make arrangements. Pre-Marriage Program is required.
Prayer Chain: Our parish has a prayer chain for special intentions. Requests can be for anyone in need. Prayer requests call Kris Gross 210-0169, Jackie Ward 961-3266 or Debbie McDaniel 240-2029
Care of the Sick & Shut-ins: Call to request the Sacrament of the Sick, the Eucharist or to be placed on the Prayer Chain.
Newcomers/Addresses: Register in person; call the Office for Appointment.
Change of Address: Notify the office when you change your address.
Bulletin Announcements: Information must be in by noon on Wednesday to Steph Bintner-bintners@msn.com/ Leasa Garrett-lcs3garr@yahoo.com

April 15, 2018

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Liturgies Scripture Reading- Cycle B
April 15, 2018- April 22, 2018

APRIL 15 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

47: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48
8:00 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception - Darcy Moeller
10:15 a.m. Mass at St. Thomas- Deannie McQuillen
5:00 p.m. Mass at Smith Chapel Simpson College

APRIL 16

273: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
6:30 p.m. Rosary at Immaculate Conception
7:00 p.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception-Mary Cunningham

APRIL 17

274: Acts 7:51-8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6ab, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
6:00 p.m. Mass at St. Thomas-
For The Intentions Of The Clancy's
6:30 p.m. Rosary at St. Thomas

APRIL 18

275: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Thomas-Konard Elliott

APRIL 19

276: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Thomas-Gary & Vivian Elbert
6:00 p.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception-
Mary Cunningham

APRIL 20

277: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1-2; Jn 6:52-59
8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Thomas- Donna Sereg
7:00 p.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception- Robert Cooney

APRIL 21

SAINT ANSELM

278: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
4:30 p.m. Reconciliation at St. Thomas
5:30 p.m. Mass at St. Thomas-Sister Mary Antoine Murphy & Mary Jo Schreck Mother of Amy Jo Naughton

APRIL 22

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

50: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 9; 1 Jn 3:1-2 ;
Jn 10:11-18
7:30 a.m. Reconciliation at Immaculate Conception
8:00 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception -
For The Intentions Of The Gavin Family
10:15 a.m. Mass at St. Thomas- William Ross
NO 5:00 p.m. Mass at Smith Chapel Simpson College

Office Hours: Mon.- Fri. 9:00-4:00 p. m. (Closed from 12:00-1:00 p.m. Mon.-Thurs.)
Parish Office: 961-3026/ Fax: 961-3458
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FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

I want to congratulate all of our 34 confirmandi who received the Sacrament of Confirmation. It was truly a privilege to be able to Confirm them. I ask that you continue to keep Bishop Pates in your prayers as he recovers from surgery. Please pray for our seven candidates for Holy Communion this Sunday April 15th. They are: Austin Croat, Isabella DiCesare, Ira Hawk, Laura Knedler, Maxx Nelson, Alex Palacios, and Sam Worsham. Next week, 28 will be receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion at St. Thomas Aquinas. Please keep them in your prayers! Finally, I want to remind our St. Thomas Aquinas staff and committee heads that we need their budgets in BY NO LATER THAN May 1. If you need help with this, contact the office for past budgets and templates. Any budgets submitted after May 1 WILL NOT BE RECEIVING FUNDING FOR THEIR PROJECTS! Thanks to all who have worked hard in preparing their budgets and have submitted to the parish office to Steph.

Blessings and peace! Fr. Chris



CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE YOUNG MEN AND WOMAN THAT RECEIVED CONFIRMATION THIS PAST WEEKEND!!!!

Support the Annual Diocesan Appeal

Goal: \$67,050.00
Raised to Date: \$25,427.00

Amount Still to be Raised: \$44,818.00

Pledging to the Diocese today helps St. Thomas by supporting:

- Priest's Retirement
- Marriage & Family Life Programs
- Catholic Charities
- Catholic Schools
- Vocations



"When you give to the poor, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing". Mt.6:3

The Annual Diocesan Appeal is upon us again. We ask that you be as generous as possible. A suggested amount per family would be \$123.71 if everyone gave this amount it would assure that we make our goal, however we ask that you give what you can.

God bless you!

Ministry Schedule

Please call someone to replace you if you aren't available to serve

5:30 p.m. Mass April 14th

Lector: Adam Naughton
Eucharistic Ministers: Amy Jo Naughton, Carol Proctor, Carol VanAernam, Lanny Ward, Mike Schenfeld, Matt Coenen & Mary Kling
Ushers: Slinkers, Vivian Winkler & Derry Butler

10:15 a.m. Mass April 15th

Lector: Ryan Whitesitt
Eucharistic Ministers: Cindy Whitesitt, Larry & Darla Vanderpool, Kelly Stone, Dave & Judy Hutton & Kathy Timmerman
Ushers: Williams & Ormbys

Money Counters: Kathy & Jack Slinker

Linens: Peggy Parker, Mary Menke & Judy

Building Fund: \$ 1,185.00
Sunday Tithe: \$ 3,263.00
Plate: \$ 680.42
Capital Campaign: \$ 790.00

PALMER HALL REMINDER

IF YOU USE THE HALL IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO WIPE DOWN THE TABLES, PUT THE TABLES BACK 9 TO A POB 7 CHAIRS TO A TABLE, VACUUM AND TURN OFF LIGHTS. IF YOU USE THE KITCHEN PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELVES!!!!

THANK YOU, STAFF

GATHERING TABLE

It is time for The Gathering Table Monday April 16th 5:30-6:30. Attached is the google doc. if you are not able to access it, please let us know how you would like to help and we can fill in the spots for you.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1dnUmAcQjtIIDKoRmS_OuCNxVH3kQn5Jskd4HRTzFdNo/edit#gid=0

If you have not been able to help in the past, please prayerfully consider helping out in some way. If you know of anyone that could use a good hot meal or friendly fellowship, please invite them to come. We find we get so much more out of it then we give. We are also in need of empty containers, and nonperishable's.

Thank you and God Bless
The Gathering Table committee



SAVE THE DATE

Christ Our Life Catholic Regional Conference



September 29th & 30th
O for one of the largest Catholic Conferences of its kind in the United States. Watch for the colored flyer in your parish.

ChristOurLifeIowa.com

REFUGEE FURNITURE PROGRAM 2018

Spring Furniture Collection for Refugee Program—

May 5 , 9-noon at St. Thomas Aquinas Garage.



We are just doing two collections—Spring and early Fall.

 <p>David & Heidi Klodd 15110 Hwy 92 Indianola</p>	 <p>400 S. J. Indianola, Ia. 515-961-2781 Tim McConnell</p>	 <p>Propane • Heating • Cooling P.O. Box 95 Milo, Iowa 50166 (641) 942-6320</p>	 <p>1512 E. 1st Avenue -Indianola Finish Carpentry Steve Bintner, Owner Cell # 515-229-9605</p>
 <p>Kim Tierney Keller 453-5320</p>	<p>Palmer Hall (St Thomas Pastoral Center) Available for your wedding receptions, family reunions, fundraisers. Call Steph Bintner 961-3026</p>	<p>LOREY COMPANY Carl M Lorey, Jr. Your Paperman 914-28th Street Des Moines, IA 50312 515-255-7190 Email: LOREYPAPER@MCHSL.COM</p>	 <p>Dr. Cory R. Drees C.S.C.S. Chiropractic Physician 214 West Salem Avenue Phone (515) 961-5202 Indianola, IA 50125 FAX (515) 961-0998 email: chordrees@aol.com</p>
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 <p>Matt DeWall, M.P.T., C.S.C.S. 1507 N. 1st Street (515) 961-7435</p>	 <p>Layne R. Henry 'FLOORING' Laying-Sanding-Finishing-Refinishing 1416 E. Euclid Ph: 515-961-6424 Indianola, Ia. 50125 Cell: 988-0705</p>	<p>Palmer Hall Volunteers needed to help to clean the hall, bartend, pour wine etc Call Steph Bintner 961-3026 It's an easy way to give back to your church!</p>	 <p>1203 North E Street-Indianola (515) 961-7458 www.wesleylife.org Join us for Mass at the Village Every third Tuesday 9:30am</p>
 <p>Legacy House RCF Christian Assisted Living 207 E Salem Ave Indianola, IA Ph# 971-9367 Cindy Brummer, RN</p>	 <p>Andy Leech Financial Advisor 223 South Howard Indianola, IA 50125 Bus. 515-961-5367 Fax 888-663-8117 TF: 800-288-5368 andy.leech@edwardjones.com www.edwardjones.com</p>	 <p>Grocery: 961-5643 Market: 961-5872</p>	 <p>501 N. Jefferson- Indianola 961-2315 2nd location in the Indianola Wal Mart</p>
<p>Heartland Computer Company 515-961-6326 Winston Sayre, Owner Sales, Service, Repairs Free In shop diagnostics</p>	 <p>110 E Boston Indianola, IA 50125 KURT E. WELLS Owner (515) 961-4924</p>	<p>Palmer Hall (St Thomas Pastoral Center) Available for your wedding receptions, family reunions, fundraisers. Call Steph Bintner 961-3026</p>	<p>Wiegert Disposal Inc. Trash Service for Residential-Commercial-Industrial Dumpsters-Roll Offs Call for Free Estimates 515-764-2389 800-728-4908</p>