

ST. JOHN'S



CATHOLIC CHURCH

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Are you new to our community? Or, have you been attending Mass here for awhile?

We welcome you to St. John's!

Registration packets are in the front entry or on-line at www.stjohnsadel.org. Please register with our parish so we can get to know you better!

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Friday 9 am to Noon

HOLY SACRAMENTS & PRAYER

Mass Schedule

Tuesday: 5:30 pm

Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday: 8:30 am

Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday: 9 am - 3 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet/Benediction: 3 pm

Second Tuesday of the Month: 6 pm-7 pm

Reconciliation

Friday: 9-10 am/1:30-2:30 pm

Saturday: 3:30 - 4 pm

Rosary

30 minutes before Weekend Mass

Monday: 7:30 am

Wednesday: 8:00 am

Liturgy of the Hours

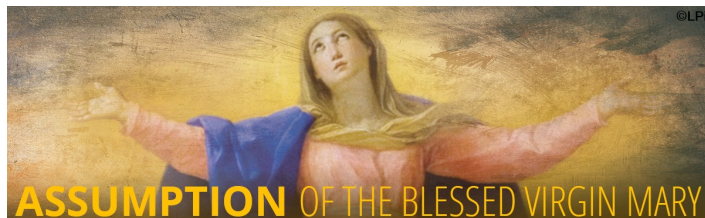
Monday: 7:00 am

Baptism

Call the office for class and scheduling.

Marriage

Call the office at least 6 months in advance.



Friday, Aug. 15 is a Holy Day of Obligation. We celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mass times at St. John's are 8:30 am and 6:00 pm. Friday adoration, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm, will continue as scheduled.



Save the Date - November 8th is St. John's Fall Dinner

We have a small volunteer group that is starting to plan the event. If you are available to help with the planning please contact the office. This is a great time to work along with members of our church family. We will have additional volunteer opportunities the day of the event so mark your calendar!

"Fellowship for Developing Families" -New meeting time between the 8:30 and 11:00 AM Masses-

The "Fellowship for Developing Families" is for **YOUNG ADULTS both with or without children**. The purpose of this group of faith community is both social and spiritual. We will begin and end with a prayer. We usually meet the **3rd Sunday of every month** in the parish lower level. We will be changing our meeting time to **9:45-10:45 AM** beginning in August. **The next meeting is August 10th. Please note this is the 2nd Sunday.** If you plan to attend, please email either Marsha or Maria with your name and contact information and number of children for planning child care. *Child care will be provided by other St. John's parishioners at no charge in the lower level.* If you would like to volunteer to provide childcare for the Developing Families group, please contact either Marsha or Maria via email. Thank you!

Maria Steele msteele300@yahoo.com

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If you happen to see Mary Duffy this week, wish her a Happy 90th Birthday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Aug. 5th) She has been a member of St. John's for 62 years. Happy Birthday Mary!



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ENCOUNTER NIGHT

**Tuesday, August 12th
6-7:00 PM**



(after 5:30 Mass)

**Theme-
Eucharist:
The Presence of Christ**

prayer, meditation,
silent reflection, and song

**-stay to share a small meal
following adoration-**

**St. John's Catholic Church
24043 302nd Pl. Adel, IA 50003**



**Would you like to pray the rosary with other
St. John's parishioners without leaving your
home?**

Every Monday morning at 7:30, as part of Liturgy of the Hours (which starts at 7:00), the rosary is said. It's easy! At 7:25, simply dial 1-605-313-5777, you'll then hear "welcome and thanks for joining, please enter your access code." You then enter the following numbers: 1547594#. (Yes you need to enter the # as well.) You will then hear, "please announce yourself." HOWEVER, you do NOT need to say your name, simply MUTE your phone and listen to whomever is leading the rosary from St. John's Church. You can say the response back, but, as you are muted, the people at church will not be able to hear you. If you have any questions, please ask Maria or Pat Steele or Chris Oberreuter.
(All are welcome to pray with us in person on Mondays too!
7 am Liturgy of the Hours/7:30 am Rosary)

Back to School- Persons with Disabilities and the Sacraments



As the school year begins, so does our parish religious education program! Persons with disabilities are called to the fullness of sacramental life, even in the presence of severe disorders. The sacraments are gifts from God, and the liturgy, even before being rationally understood, needs to be lived: therefore no one can refuse the sacraments to persons with disabilities. The community that is able to discover the beauty and joy of faith which these brothers are capable become richer. In fact, they are not only recipients of catechesis, but participants in evangelization. If you have a loved one with a disability, and would like to learn more about how they can receive the sacraments. Please contact the parish office at 515-993-4482 Diocese of Des Moines Disability Ministry 515-237-5073

www.dmdiocese.org/disabilityministry

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The Caring Hearts Library is in the Flex Room/Parish Library and shelves are marked with a red heart. If you or someone you know is dealing with a serious illness, please check out these resources.

Here are some of the books available.

In Sickness and Health: Strengthening Your Marriage When Your Spouse is Ill by William & Susan Rabor

"An illness can rend the very soul of a marriage, especially when one of the spouses has been sick for a long time. Things may start to seem unbearable, problems totally unsolvable. Who do you turn to at that point? You turn to God and to each other," said Agnes.

Library Open House-a special Library Open House will be held on September 6th and 7th. Save the Date for this special event. BTW-Whenever the church is open-so is the library. Check it out!

St. Patrick School is seeking a licensed educator to fill our late vacancy in 3rd grade for the 2025-26 academic school year. The position is available full time with benefits. Questions regarding the position can be directed to Dr. Kandice Pattillo at kpattillo@stpatricks-perry-ia.org or 515-465-4186. The position is posted to the TeachIowa website.