



Assumption Shrine
Churchville, Iowa
February 2, 2020
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Mass Times:

Norwalk: Saturday 5 pm and Sunday 9 am
Assumption Shrine: First Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m. Holy Days to be determined.
Indianola: Saturday 4:30p.m. Sunday 8 & 10:15am
Winterset: Saturday 5 p.m. and Sunday 10:00am
St. Patrick's: Sunday 8:00 am
Immaculate Conception: Sunday 8:00a.m.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Darlene LaFratte, Mike Hill, Phyllis Brichacek, Tom Bussanmas, Troy Kunze, Mary Echterling, Linda Mack, Barb Olsufka

Tithe Count: January 5, 2020 \$601.00

UPCOMING MASSESS

February 2 10:30 a.m. Blessing of Throats
February 26th Ash Wednesday (time to be determined)

From Fr. Kirby:

The Bishops of the United States have organized a new campaign for the 2020 Election Cycle called "Civilize It". The idea is to create space in our hearts and in our lives for the people with whom we disagree, even about the most important things, and to enable one another to become agents of change and forces for reconciliation in our country which is so divided. There are three key points to the "Civilize It" Campaign: Civility, Clarity and Compassion. The three "C's".

Civility, to recognize the human dignity in every person regardless whether they agree with me or not. To speak and act with kindness and gentleness.

Clarity, to root my views in the gospel and a well-formed conscience, which means prayer, conversation, study and listening. To share my convictions clearly and with humility. I do this while being a good listener to others while trying to understand another person's experience and point of view.

Compassion, to encounter others with a posture and tone that affirms their dignity and invites others to do the same. I will also presume others best intentions as they share their views and strive to be a good listener.

ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER

Our Annual Spaghetti Dinner will be Sunday, February 23rd from 11:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Help is needed at 9 a.m. on Saturday Feb 22nd to set up. All need to bring deserts, pies are especially encouraged, Gift Baskets and /or gift certificates for the Silent auction. Sunday help is needed before, during and after to help with serving and clean up. (see attached flyer)

Please note that beginning on March 2nd and continuing all during Lent Fr. Kirby will say Mass each Monday evening at 5:30 and will also have Mass on Tuesday at 5:30.

Fr. Kirby will be leading a tour to Italy including Assisi, Siena, Orvieto and Rome from October 20th -29th, 2020. There is a brochure on the bulletin board in the back of Church with additional information. Please take some time to look over the itinerary.

Fr. Kirby has posted information on the bulletin board regarding our current seminarians for the Diocese of Des Moines. Let us all pray for these young men as they pursue their vocation to the priesthood.

Altar & Rosary is asking for \$25.00 cleaning dues from each parish family for 2020. These dues help pay for the church's altar supplies, such as candles, as well as cleaning supplies for the church, rectory, and hall. We have not asked for dues payment the past few years, but 2019 has blessed us with the completion of several projects, including much needed new lighting installation at the hall, as well as refurbishing of some altar pieces, new linens, and new Christmas trees and lights. Please make checks payable to Churchville Altar and Rosary Society. Thank you!

Altar and Rosary Society
Judy Johnson, President
Jane Cassady, Vice-President
Karen Spick, Secretary/Treasurer

Parish Website

Please visit the parish website and provide suggestions/ideas to mcassady3421@yahoo.com
www.assumptionshrine.org

February 2nd 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Karen Spick
Eucharistic Min: Donna Hill & Jeff Spick
Ushers: Jim Wiedmann & Robert Bell
Servers: Grace & Mary Hart

February 4th 5:30 p.m.

Lector: Joe Bell
Eucharistic Min: Donna Hill & Karen Spick
Servers: Anyone Available

February 26th **ASH WEDNESDAY (time to be determined)**

Lector: Jane Cassady
Eucharistic Min: Cole & Cael Cassady
Ushers: Jim Wiedmann & Joe Bell
Servers: Conor & Ella Cassady

March 1st 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Doug Volkmer
Eucharistic Min: Jeff & Karen Spick
Ushers: Joe & Robert Bell
Servers: Grace & MaryAnn Hart

UPCOMING EVENTS:

February 23rd – Churchville Annual Spaghetti Dinner
Serving 11:00-2:30

February 26th – Ash Wednesday (Mass time to be determined)

ROSARY – You are invited to join us in praying the Rosary on Sunday's before Mass at 10:10 a.m. We also pray the rosary on Tuesday evenings at 5:10 pm. before Mass. Please join us

Anyone who would like to have Mass said for a special intention is encouraged to do so. You can email Jane ahead of time janeassady4@gmail.com so she can include it in the bulletin, then drop your donation in the collection basket indicating who and when the Mass is for.

Doug Volkmer, a parishioner at Assumption Shrine, has taken on the responsibility of delivering Communion to the home-bound in the area. If you know of anyone who would like to have Communion delivered to their home please contact Doug at 515-689-4564 or dvolkmer49@gmail.com