

# Holy Family - St. Isidore Parishes

## PARISH SERVICE SCHEDULE

<b>Saturday Apr. 6 4:00 pm</b>	Lector Eucharistic Ministers	Pat Elliott Cheryl Chandler Chris Chandler
	Servers Usher Team	Alex Houska Gary Hrncharik
<b>Sunday Apr. 7 11:00 am</b>	Lector Eucharistic Ministers	Pam Morgan Sue Ladisky Ed Ladisky Vivian Durling Rachel Spitzley Joe Tejkl
	Server Usher Team	
<b>Saturday Apr. 13 4:00 pm</b>	Lector Eucharistic Ministers	Renee Cooper & Cindy Broome Pat Latz Leonard Mitchell
	Servers Usher Team	Bob McCiue Gary Hrncharik
<b>Sunday Apr. 14 11:00 am</b>	Lector Eucharistic Ministers	Mike Chapko & Elaine Bartholic Ed Ladisky Sue Ladisky Diane Mysinger Alexis Spitzley Frank Quine
	Server Usher Team	

## Counting Schedule

April 7 - Team #4  
April 14 - Team #5



**5TH SUNDAY OF LENT.** . . As we continue our Lenten journey, the next installment from the book, "Practicing Love".

*" 'Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life.' John 12:25*

One of the mysteries of love is that the more we love, the more we give away. Love has open hands that easily receive people and easily let them go. Love has a heart that is grateful for what is and does not cling to it. Love enjoys a cookie, but doesn't try to hoard the whole box. Love reads a beautiful book and passes it along to the next reader without wishing it wasn't over yet. If we love this life, we make peace with the fact that it will end and give way to something even more beautiful. And if we hate this life, if we cling to every good thing, we will kill the good things. Then we will find ourselves surrounded by death and attached to the mess of it. Practice letting go of the things you love.

*PRAY. . . Jesus, I give you my heart with my acts of love today.*

**PRACTICE LOVE.** . . Choose something that you love and enjoy it today: an activity, a food, a piece of clothing. Then, give it up with love for the rest of the week. How do you feel about that thing? In what way does it help you to find God? In what ways is it unnecessary?"

The time is flying by and Lent, 2019 is almost over! Hard to believe that it is coming to an end. Have you grown in your faith this Lent? Have you been able to start a new faith practice? Will you continue it after Lent is over? If we have faith, that is exactly what will happen! Continue your Lenten journey with God by your side!



A merging Catholic Parish serving the Communities of Ovid, Elsie, and Laingsburg. Come join and worship with us.



## FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT April 6 & 7, 2019

**Rev. Robert Bacik, Pastoral Administrator** -frbob@stisidorechurch.org  
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**Deacon John Marsh**

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**Parish Secretary:** Sharon Gillespie

**Dir. Of Faith Formation:** Ginger Kusnier

**RCIA, Altar Server, EM & Lector Training:** Vivian Durling

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 3 to 3:30 pm

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Contact Fr. Robert Bacik

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Contact Deacon John Marsh

**Parish Nurse:** Pat Latz

**Director of Music:**

## MASS SCHEDULE:

**Holy Family**

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 11:00 am

Tuesday: 12:10 pm

Thursday: 8:30 am

Holydays: As Announced

**St. Isidore**

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am

Wednesday: 6:30 pm,

Thursday & Friday: 8:30 am

## OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday, 8 am to 3 pm

Wednesday, 8 am to 3 pm

Friday, 8 am to 3 pm

**Website:** www.stisidorechurch.org/hf/ - Bulletins posted weekly

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday - April 6 - 4:00 pm**  
Special Intentions for Tamara Smith

**Sunday - April 7 - 11:00 am**  
Charolette Csapos  
By Geri Len

Monday - No Mass

**Tuesday - April 9 - 12:10 pm**  
Bishop James s. Sullivan  
By Greg & Margaret White

Wednesday - No Mass

**Thursday - April 11 - 8:30 am**  
Rev Thomas J. Brennan

Friday - No Mass

**Saturday - April 13 - 4:00 pm**  
Anne Byrnes  
By Dan & Vickie Csapos

**Sunday - April 14 - 11:00 am**  
Amelia Tejkl  
By the Family

**Weekly Offertory Envelopes  
March 30 & 31, 2019**

Adult (55) Envelopes	\$2,735
Loose Collection	\$265
Total Offertory	3,000

**PRAYERS FOR . . . . .**

.. those who long to be delivered from illness and pain especially: Fr. Ray, Shirley Palatka, Pamela Morgan, Jean Raber, Sylvia McKay, Sandy VanGeertruy; Sister Rosalyn Seda, OP (Sister of Joe Tejkl), Craig & Caren Henning (Nephew & Niece of Leonard Mitchell), Sharon & Deanna Darling, (Sister-in-Law & Niece of Art & Karen Kelley), Jennifer Feltman, Justin Cole, (nephew of Courtney & Andy Bates); Val Thelen, Connie Weller, Roberta Stanton, Shelby Porubsky, Mike Heeg, Charles Waddell Family, John Olinger, Larry Martin, Beverly Delaney, Jeanne Alaga, Theresa Heeg (Daughter of John & Sandy VanGeertruy) Randy Bowles (Son of Ellie Bowles), Maria Jones, Sue Nethaway (Sister of Adrienne Bocek), Bill Haywood (Friend of RoseMarie Thering), Nick Dunay, Jeff Wason, Barb Rewerts, (Ginger Kusnier's Mother), Gene Schoendorf

**PRAYER CHAIN**

The Prayer Chain is now in place. If you have someone you would like prayers for, or would like more information, please call Betty Sloat at 989-506-2073



Drop your DSA pledges/donations into the weekly collection baskets.

This years goal for Holy Family \$10,405  
**Pledges so far: \$4,285**

Thank you for your contribution!

Remember: 50% of donations over our goal will come back to the parish.

**Mark your calendars with the following events. . . .**

~Tuesdays - AA Meeting - 7 pm - Church Hall

~Wednesday - April 10 -REF Classes - 6:00 - 7:00 PM

~Thursday - April 11 - Quilting Ministry - 9:00 AM

~Friday - April 12- Lenten Fish Fry - 4:30 - 7:00 PM

~Sunday - April 14- Confirmation **LAST** Class - 9:30 AM

~Sunday - April 14 - Finance Council Meeting before Mass - 10:00 AM

~Wednesday - April 17 -REF Classes - 6:00 - 7:00 PM

~Thursday - April 18 - **NO Quilting Ministry**

~Thursday - April 18 - **NO 55 & Better**

**HOLY WEEK / EASTER SCHEDULE**

**Stations of the Cross**

7:00 pm—Fridays of Lent-St. Isidore  
April 12—(Outdoor Stations at Mt. Olivet Cemetery)

**Seder Meal, April 17 - St. Isidore**

6:30 pm Large Hall (Bring a dish to pass)

**Holy Thursday, April 18 - St. Isidore**

6:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper  
8:15 - 11pm Adoration

**Good Friday, April 19 - St. Isidore**

1:30 pm - Liturgy of the Lords Passion  
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet  
7:00 pm - Interdenominational Service - (Laingsburg United Methodist Church)

**Holy Saturday, April 20**

12:00 pm - Blessing of Food (St. Isidore)  
1:00 pm - Blessing of Food (Holy Family)  
8:30 pm - Easter Vigil Mass (St. Isidore)

**Easter Sunday, April 21**

9:00 am - Mass (St. Isidore)  
11:00 am - Mass (Holy Family)

April 12  
4:30 - 7:00 PM



**MANY, MANY THANKS** to everyone who came out to help with the 3rd fish fry! We had another record breaking crowd — served 312 hungry people! The clean up was a breeze, thanks to all the extra hands. If you're free on April 12th, come on over and join in. We really like to see new happy faces! Thanks again to everyone who helped in any way!



**ARE YOU MISSING . . .**  
A black pair of gloves, a sweater, or a Barbie Doll? If so, check out the Lost & Found box in the church entryway. It is on the coat rack shelf! These items and a few others are waiting to be picked up.