

**Garments to Go 2.0** On behalf of the MercyIC Pastoral Care Dept., Father Terry Ball requests that our cluster churches continue to collect **NEW** clothing items to help meet the ongoing basic clothing needs of referred patients who are unable to leave the hospital without proper attire. Items needed: **Unisex Sizes Medium, Large, XL and 2XL** sweatpants, crew neck sweatshirts, long-sleeve t-shirts. Clothing can be dropped off in the box at your church.

**Plases continue your prayers** for those from our cluster community who are sick and suffering from other illnesses at this time. Remember to pray for them and their caregivers during this time of challenge.

**If you know someone who is homebound** in the Hills, Lone Tree or Nichols area who would like to have Holy Communion brought to their home, please call the cluster office 319-679-2271.

**Congratulations** to these cluster graduates and First Eucharist students. We will acknowledge them **on Saturday May 14** at the 4:00 p.m. Mass at St. Mary Church, Lone Tree. Please join us after the Mass for pizza, cake, and beverages at the Lone Tree church hall to honor both First Eucharist students and the cluster graduates!

Sts. Mary and Joseph Cluster Graduates

Lone Tree

Anthony Hurlbut - son of Christina and Richard Hurlbut  
Cade Patterson - son of Mike and Lisa Patterson



Iowa City Regina/Hills

Parker Pilkington-Smith - son of Angela Pilkington



Sts. Mary and Joseph Cluster First Eucharist Students

Lucy Burke      Cael Finn      Joseph Koele      Owen Rundlett  
Lane Eiben      Abby Hotz      Landon Parrish

Lone Tree Fire and Rescue Drive Thru Chicken Dinner  
Thursday, April 28, 2022 5 - 7 p.m.  
at the Lone Tree Fire Station

Meal includes choice of 2-piece meal \$12.50, 3-piece meal \$13.50.  
Menu: broasted chicken, hash brown casserole, coleslaw, roll and a cupcake.

Liturgical Ministers—Lone Tree St. Mary      Saturday 4:00 pm      Cycle C Reading

	4/23/2022 Fr. Hai	4/30/2022 Fr. Hai	5/7/2022 Fr. Hai	5/14/2022 Fr. Hai	Lone Tree	
Greeter	Elaine Kout	Elaine Kout	Nancy Ford	Joel&MaryEllen Yedlik	Parish Support	
Lector	Jill Welter	Trudi Westfall	Jerry Ford	Judy Grothe	Envelopes 4/17	\$170.00
Servers	Jill Welter	Trudi Westfall	Jerry Ford	Carol Kaalberg	Holy Land	\$81.00
Eucharist (Blood)	Sherry Nicola	Trudi Westfall	Jerry For	Carol Kaalberg	Easter	\$629.00
Collection	Mike Parker	Betty Forbes	Nancy Ford	Mike Parker		
	Lucy Parker	Judy Viner	Nancy Viner	Lucy Parker		
Gifts	Judy Grothe	Barb Dinsmore	Barb Dinsmore	Judy Grothe		
Commentator	Jill Welter	Trudi Westfall	Jerry Ford	Carol Kaalberg		

Liturgical Ministers—Nichols Church of St. Mary      Sunday 8:00 am      Cycle C Reading

	4/24/2022 Fr. Hai	5/1/2022 Fr. Hai	5/8/2022 Fr. Lou	5/15/2022 Fr. Lou	Nichols	
Greeter	Adam Gauger	Bruce&Margaret Matt	Bruce &Margaret Matt	Bruce&Margaret Matt	Parish Support	
Lector	Mary Lenz	Tom Barr	Tom Barr	Carol Kaalberg	Envelopes 4/17	\$125.00
Cross Bearer	Adam Gauger	Wayne Mengel	Adam Gauger	Wayne Mengel	Holy Thursday	\$101.00
Eucharist	Carol Kaalberg	Carol Kaalberg	Tom Barr	Tom Barr	Easter	\$1,504.00
Collection	Marv-Wilson	Adam Gauger	Kory Kaalberg	Marv Wilson		
	Bill Lenz	Steve Lahey	Bill Lenz	Joe Harper		
Gifts	Rhonda Meredith	Wayne &Jon Mengel	Brian & Alyssa Moran	Dave&Dede Ollendick		
Commentator	Carol Kaalberg	Carol Kaalberg	Tom Barr	Carol Kaalberg		

Liturgical Ministers—Hills St. Joseph      Sunday 10:00 am      Cycle C Reading

	4/24/2022 Fr. Hai	5/1/2022 Fr. Hai	5/8/2022 Fr. Hai	5/15/2022 Fr. Hai	Hills	
Music Ministry	Lily Westemeyer	Lily Westemeyer	Lily Westemeyer	Lily Westemeyer	Parish Support	
Greeter	Mike&Nancy Waldschmidt	Mike&Lora Sieverding	Karen Karr	Helen Marnier	Envelopes 4/17	\$160.00
Lector	Joyce Gauger	Joyce Gauger	Bob Jenn	Lora Sieverding	Holy Land	\$37.00
Server	Weston Waldschmidt	Weston Waldschmidt	Carol K/Jean Burr	Weston Waldschmidt	Easter Flowers	\$25.00
Eucharist (Blood)	Emy Rivera	Emy Rivera	Deanne Eden	Deanne Eden	Hall Rent	\$75.00
Eucharist (Blood)	Ann Draker	Ann Draker	Mike Sieverding	Mike Sieverding	Easter	\$1,672.00
Collection	Mike Waldschmidt	Mike Waldschmidt	Marty Boeckenstedt	Marty Boeckenstedt		
	Matt Waldschmdt	Matt Waldschmidt	Jim Frantz	Jim Frantz		
Gifts	Cole Family	Jim&Louella Schneider	Matt Waldschmidt Fam	Barbara Mahanna		
Commentator	Judy Stebral	Judy Stebral	Judy Stebral	Judy Stebral		

If you are unavailable for the above ministry assignment, please find your own replacement. Thank you.

## **Cluster Parish Announcements**

**Bulletin deadline Tuesday at 10:00 am.** Contact Judy Stebral at 319-331-8727, jbstebal@hotmail.com or Carol Kaalberg at 319-330-5324 or kaalbergc@diodav.org.

## **Cluster News**

For your information: Fr. Hai will be out of the office April 18 through April 22. There will be no Atrium Masses during that week. Fr. Lou will be traveling to Canada April 20 through May 6.

## **St. Joseph Church, Hills**

**Parish Council Nomination forms are included** with today's bulletin to elect two women and two men to replace outgoing Parish Council members Karen Karr, Arlene Johnston, Mike Sieverding, and Jim Schneider. Please submit your nominations at Mass next weekend. Voting will take place at Mass on May 15. Details are included on the form.

**The Rosary will be prayed before Mass** at all cluster churches during the month of May, the month of the Rosary.

**Sunday, April 24, 2022** Coffee Hour following the 10:00 a.m. Mass today hosted by Altar and Rosary. All are invited to come as we resume Coffee Hour fellowship following Mass on the second and fourth Sundays.

**Congratulations to Jim and Louella Schneider** as they celebrate 40 years of marriage on Sunday, May 1, with a special Mass on that day at St. Joseph, Hills church. May God bless them with many more years together.

**Monday, April 25, 2022** 6:30 pm. Parish Council Meeting in the Parish Hall.

**Saturday, April 29, 2022** we will welcome through the waters of Baptism Edgar Auggie Hunerdosse to the St. Joseph parish family. Hunter is the son of Eric and Erika Hunerdosse of Hills. God's Blessings on this family on this holy occasion.

**Saturday, May 7, 2022** First Saturday Mass with Confessions at 8:00 am, Mass at 9:00 am and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until noon at St. Joseph, Hills church.

**Rice Bowl donations** can be placed in the Rice Bowl container at any cluster church.

**Please signup** on the sheet at the church entrance to take the traveling statue of St. Joseph to your home for a one or two week period of private prayer.

**The St. Joseph Food Pantry is open** each Wednesday morning from 10 A.M. to noon. For your safety and for our workers' safety, boxes of groceries are brought to you for pick up at the East church entrance. Thank you for your continued generosity to the St. Joseph Food Pantry.

## **St. Mary Church, Lone Tree**

**Saturday, April 23, 2002** Parish Council meeting following Mass.

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**The signup sheet** for the traveling Blessed Mother statue is at the church entrance. Please sign up for one week (or for two weeks, if you wish) to take St. Mary to your home for special prayer during that time.

## **St. Mary Church, Lone Tree, cont.**

**Pioneer Park Masses announcement:** Pioneer Park Masses are now scheduled on all Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10:00 am. Fr. Hai will preside on Tuesdays and Fr. Lou on Thursdays and the Mass intention on both of those days will be for our Cluster Parishioners.

**Lone Tree/Nichols Food Pantry** is open every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00 to 11:00 a.m., and Wednesday afternoons from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the UP Church, 110 West Elm Street, Lone Tree. No appointment needed. This local food pantry is a cooperative effort of UP Church, St. Mary Church, Lone Tree and The Church of Saint Mary, Nichols. Call Laurie at 319-621-0955 if urgent.

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## **The Church of St. Mary, Nichols**

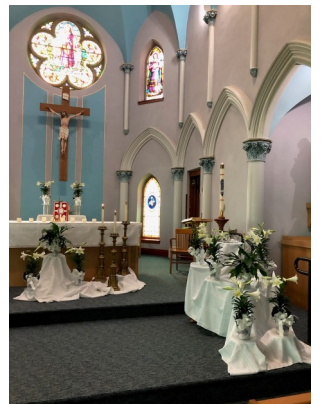
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Easter 2022 Sts. Mary and Joseph Altars  
St. Joseph, Hills; St. Mary, Lone Tree, and Church of St. Mary, Nichols