

**READINGS FOR THIS WEEK**

7 SUN Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/  
Jn 6:51-58

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)**

8 Mon 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12

9 Tue 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16

*Saint Ephrem, Deacon*

10 Wed 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Mt 5:17-19

11 Thu Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (580)/Mt 5:20-26

*Saint Barnabas, Apostle Memorial*

12 Fri Dt 7:6-11/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30

**THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

13 Sat 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37

*The Immaculate Heart of the*

*Blessed Virgin Mary;*

*Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest*

14 SUN Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8

**11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**LENOX BIRTHDAYS**

June 7 Brooklyn Ramirez  
June 11 Juan Martinez  
June 12 CeCe West

**LENOX ANNIVERSARIES**

June 10 John & Karlene Stephens

**CORNING BIRTHDAYS**

June 6 Arnold Maynes  
June 7 Makenna Ramsey  
June 7 Morgan Palmer

**CORNING ANNIVERSARIES**

June 14 Dave & Maria Fuller  
June 14 Allen & Leah Stalcup

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT**

**LENOX**

Collection - \$ 937.00  
April income - \$14,261.30  
April expenses - \$6,567.69  
ADA Goal - \$16,235 Balance - \$4,680.00

**CORNING**

Collection - \$ 670.00  
April Income - \$ 12,012.26  
Expenses - \$ 9,360.91  
Appeal Balance - \$ 6,666.00

**LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS**

**CORNING - SATURDAY, June 13**

**Rosary:** No Mass  
**Lector:** No Mass  
**EM:** No Mass  
**Ushers:** No Mass

**CORNING - SUNDAY, June 14**

**Rosary:** Kris R.  
**Servers:** Ryder, Brylie & Brinkley  
**Lector:** Wayne R.  
**Em:** Wayne & Jane  
**Sacristan:** Stacy V.  
**Ushers:** Doug & Lisa Allison  
**Gift Bearers:** Confirmation Students  
**Musician:** Marilea  
**Cantor:** Nancy  
**Money Counters June 2:** No money count

**LENOX - SATURDAY, June 13**

**Sacristan:** Linda N.  
**Lector:** Brian & Sarah  
**Servers:** Monserrat & Camila  
**Ushers:** Juan Martinez Family  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Judy, Joyce, Sarah  
**Money Counters:** Rick & Don  
**Power Point:** Brayden  
**Mowing:**  
June 7-21: Brian & Jen, Isaias & Kathy, Arturo & Merlis, Richard and Linda  
June 21-July 5: Wayne & Donna, Duane H. & Nancy H.



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**June 6-7, 2026**

**THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST  
Corpus Christi**

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**Visitation of the Sick** - Please call the parish office in Corning - 641-322-3363 or Lenox - 641-333-2565 - to arrange for Communion in your home.

**CONFESSIONS:**

**Corning** - Saturday, 5:00p.m.-5:30 p.m.

**Available anytime upon request**

**ROSARY**

**Corning**, Rosary Recitation Saturday, 5: 00.p.m. and Sunday at 10:00a.m.

**Mass Schedule**

C, Sat., June 6 5:30 p.m. Alan Luther  
L, Sun., June 7 8:30 a.m. Louis & Arlyne  
Knueven  
C, Sun., June 7 10:30 a.m. Albert & Clara  
Hogan  
C, Tues., June 9 10:30 a.m. Debbie Hogan  
L, Wed., June 10 8:30 a.m. Jim Votava  
C, Thurs., June 11 10:30 a.m. Theresa Cruise  
L, Fri., June 12 8:30 a.m. Gloria Anderson  
C, Sat., June 13 5:30 p.m. NO Mass  
L, Sat., June 13 5:30 p.m. George Sweeney  
L, Sun., June 14 8:30 a.m. No Mass  
C, Sun., June 14 10:30 a.m. John Hogan

**EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Corning**, First Thurs: 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

**Lenox**, First Friday: 9.00.m.-10.00 a.m.

**SACRAMENTS**

**Marriage** - Arrangements should be made ASAP and at least six months before the wedding.

**Baptism** - Baptisms are held on the 3rd Sunday **Lenox**, Rosary recitation every Wednesday and Friday after mass at 9:00 a.m. and Sunday at 8:00a.m.

## REFLECTION

The solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*), which the Church celebrates today, reminds us of the beautiful gifts of God to us through Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. While the primary focus of this solemnity is on the spiritual nourishment that Christ gives us, its secondary focus is on the Body of Christ, which is the Church.

The Body and Blood of Christ (the Eucharist) are most excellent gift ever given to us by Christ. It shows how much God loves and cares for both our temporal and spiritual welfare. Therefore, what we celebrate today is the sacramental presence of Christ in his Church.

Today, virtually all the readings touched on one issue – giving or offering something. The first reading succinctly tells us that “Abram offered Melchizedek a tithing of everything.” He did not give it to receive something in return. Instead, he did it out of his own free will.

Of course, Melchizedek blessed him and offered thanks to God on his behalf with bread and wine. These were offerings of oneself in the form of material items. Abram is a specialist in self-donation (cf. Gen 22:1-18).

Today, Christ offers himself sacramentally to us. This is simply a way of expressing his unconditional love for us. He commands us: “Do this in memory of me!” Here Jesus draws us to become one with God through his meal. In all religion, holy meals are seen as means of participating in the life of divinity. It’s in the Eucharist that Jesus fulfills this longing. In the Eucharist, his flesh and blood enter into us and permeates everything. Nothing in us is any longer excluded from union with God. The body is indeed the memory bank of all experiences of our life.

Hence the church teaches us: “The command of Jesus to repeat his actions and words until he comes does not only ask us to remember Jesus and what he did. It is directed at the liturgical

celebration, by the apostles and their successors, of the memorial of Christ (CCC 1341).

So, when we re-live the experience, we truly eat His Body and drink His Blood. Also, at another level, “Do this in memory of me” positions us to be ready to offer ourselves ultimately and for the salvation of others as Christ did for our salvation. So, when we re-live this experience, we are nourished spiritually to offer ourselves too to and for others.

In one of the gospels, Jesus says to Andrew and his colleagues, “Give them something to eat!” Today also, Christ is asking us to offer something. We, fed with the Body and Blood of Christ, are not being asked to give what we do not have. However, the truth is that although we live in a “highly religious world,” many are yet to receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

## COMBINED ANNOUNCEMENTS

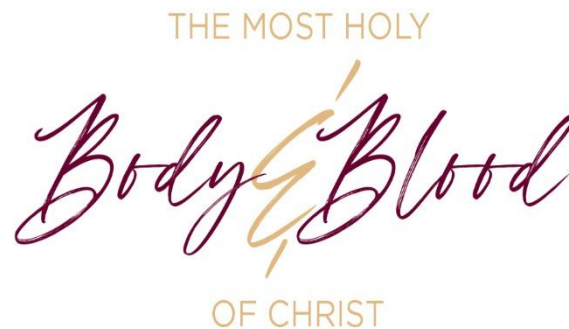
### MASS TIMES NEXT WEEKEND

Lenox—Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m.

Corning—Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m.

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS

**Couples-** If you enjoy the warmth of summer, why not sign up for the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and bring some more warmth and intimacy to your marriage. For more information call Denise and Greg at 563-920-9419 or sign up at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org).



## CORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONFIRMATION NEXT WEEKEND

Confirmation students will have confession on Wednesday during their class time to prepare them to receive the sacrament of Confirmation next weekend. Sean Hogan, Addy Morgan, Nora Paul and Makenna Ramsey are our Confirmands. They will be Confirmed into the Catholic Faith Community on June 14<sup>th</sup>.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There is an opening for the position of Religious Education Director in St Patrick Parish, Corning IA. Interested persons can apply. Reach out to Fr. Livinus at 641-322-3363 or [lanweting@dmdiocese.org](mailto:lanweting@dmdiocese.org).

### NO MASS ON SATURDAY, JUNE 13<sup>th</sup>

There will be no Saturday evening Mass at 5:30pm in Corning on June 13. Kindly attend the 10:30am mass on Sunday to welcome the Bishop to our parish.

### CATHOLIC FOUNDATION GRANT

We received word this week that we have been awarded a grant for \$2,029.00 for Church/Rectory Security. A ring camera has been installed at the Rectory door and Dawn/Dusk lighting will be added to the front door of the church and office doors. Work will begin soon on getting those installed.

### CORNING PRAYER LIST

Liam Morstorf	Mary Moore	Cathy Luther
Catie Hunter	Casey McKee	Doug Hardisty
Ben Schweers	Hank Sorensen	Dash Burr
John Hawks	Kathy Hogan	Deborah K Piper
Marcella Gearheart	Christopher Black	

## LENOX ANNOUNCEMENTS

**VBS** - Will be at the United Presbyterian Church.

Dates are Sunday, August 1 - Tuesday, August 3, 2026. Watch bulletin for further details.

**NEEDED** - We need musicians, lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers. Please see Kathy if you are interested in any of these ministries.

### DAILY MASS

Beginning July 1, 2026 we will have mass every Wednesday, but only the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Friday's of the month.

### SUNDAY MASS TIME CHANGE

There will be Saturday evening 5:30pm mass at Lenox on June 13. This replaces the 8:30am mass on Sunday June 14.

### CATHOLIC SUMMER READING BUCKET LIST

This new activity is for children kindergarten and older. There are books in the parish center on tables according to grade level. Also, on the table can be found a book list for you to take to keep track of the books you read. When you read five books or your parent reads five books to you, bring your book list back and you will receive a prize. Enjoy reading and learning this summer about your Catholic faith.

### LENOX PRAYER LIST

Irene Ripperger	Nathan Harms	John Heim
Camilla Perez	Elvira Meny	Rachael Reed
Paul Maynes	Ben Schweers	Sergio Dozier
Leslie Cerda	Brandon Larimer	Stacy Callahan Brown
Jack Wackernagle	David Hale	Ben French
Mary O'Riley	Wayne Haidsiak	Andrea Rayhons
Cyrila Roberts	Debbie Bradley	Colleen Cruise
Arturo Villarreal		