

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

30 SUN Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27
22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
31 Mon 1 Cor 2:1-5/Lk 4:16-30
1 Tue 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Lk 4:31-37
2 Wed 1 Cor 3:1-9/Lk 4:38-44
3 Thu 1 Cor 3:18-23/Lk 5:1-11
Saint Gregory the Great, Pope
4 Fri 1 Cor 4:1-5/Lk 5:33-39
5 Sat 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Lk 6:1-5
Saint Teresa of Calcutta, Virgin
6 SUN Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20
23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LENOX BIRTHDAYS

September 3 Duane Heim
September 3 Florence Maynes

LENOX ANNIVERSARIES

September 6 Roger & Barb Heim

CORNING BIRTHDAYS

September 1 Nancy Amdor
September 3 Emma Amdor
September 5 Lisa Allison
September 6 Doug Hardisty

CORNING ANNIVERSARIES

September 3 Jed & Morgan Palmer
September 5 Matt & Diane Morrison

LENOX

Collection - \$ TITHES - \$1,039.00
July Income - \$5,722.80
July Expenses - \$5,639.22
CORNING
Collection – \$ 1,664.00
EFT - \$ --
July Income - \$ 12,708.29
July Expenses - \$ 135400.00 (\$88,300 roof)
Appeal Balance - \$ 487.00

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

CORNING - SATURDAY, September 5
Rosary: John & Karma G.
Lector: Karma
EM: John & Karma
Ushers: Bill & Kathy Morrison

CORNING - SUNDAY, September 6
Rosary: Shirley
Servers: Monte, Rose, Brinkley
Lector: Lara C.
Em: Doug & Lisa A.
Sacristan: Stacy V.
Ushers: John & Shirley
Gift Bearers: Joel Morrison Family
Musician:
Cantor: Tina H.
Money Counters Sept. 1 : Barb & Bernadine

LENOX - SUNDAY, September 6
Sacristan: Linda N.
Lector: Volunteers
Servers: Volunteers
Ushers: Volunteers
Eucharistic Ministers: Volunteers
Money Counters: Rick & Don
Power Point: Ava
Mowing: Aug 30-Sept 13: Ray & Elaine G.; Steve & Melissa S.; Travis & Michelle W.; Ben & Ag C.
Sept. 13-27: Ivan & Carolina M.; Juan & Ana M.; Juan & Margarita Z.; Ana Z.



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CORNING AND LENOX

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Fr. Livinus Anweting – Canonical Administrator

August 29-30, 2026

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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.
Lenox – Sundays, 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Available anytime upon request
ROSARY
Corning, Rosary Recitation Saturday, 5: 00.p.m. and Sunday at 10:00a.m.

Mass Schedule

C, Sat., Aug. 29	5:30 p.m. Ray Reynolds
L, Sun., Aug. 30	8:30 a.m. Delbert Heim
C, Sun., Aug 30	10:30 a.m. Jill Richenauer
C, Tues., Sept. 1	12:00 (Noon) Theresa Cruise
L, Wed., Sept. 2	8:30 a.m. Jim Wurster
C, Thurs., Sept. 3	12:00 (Noon) Ed Larson
L, Fri., Sept. 4	8:30 a.m. Tom Lynam
C, Sat., Sept. 5	5:30 p.m. Levi & Elizabeth Green
L, Sun., Sept. 6	8:30 a.m. Judy Rychnovsky
C, Sun., Sept. 6	10:30 a.m. Alan Luther

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
EIGHT CATHOLIC THINGS YOU SEE
AT MASS WITH HIDDEN MEANING

1. The priest mixes water with the wine. The water is mixed with the wine in the chalice before the offering. The prayers speak of the mystery of this water and wine. It points to our union with Christ whose divinity we are called to share as humans.
2. The priest washes his hands. This simple washing expresses his desire for interior purification before approaching the Eucharistic sacrifice.
3. We stand, sit and kneel. Our bodies are praying too. Standing expresses the freedom of the risen children of God. Sitting expresses receptiveness to God’s word and kneeling expresses humility before the Almighty.
4. We make three small crosses before the Gospel: On the forehead, lips and heart. In doing these we ask that God’s word remain on our minds, be proclaim by our lips and dwell in our hearts.
5. The bell sounds before and during the consecration. They call the attention of the faithful to what is taking place at the altar. The church is telling us, “Look, listen, adore!”
6. The Paschal candle carries several signs. The cross: alpha and omega, the current year and the five grains of incense proclaims Christ as the beginning and the end, and his victory over sin and death. Its light fills the Church as a sign of the risen Christ overcoming darkness.
7. The little lamb beside the tabernacle remains burning. When the blessed sacrament is reserved there, the lamp indicates and honors the presence of

Christ. Even when the church seems empty, Christ is there.

8. Church building facing east. Many Catholic churches, especially older ones, are built facing east, a practice rooted in early Christian symbolism. This orientation aligns with the rising sun, representing Christ as the "Light of the World" and anticipating His Second Coming, as mentioned in Matthew 24:27. While this tradition was preferred historically, such as by Archbishop Charles Borromeo in the 16th century, modern church guidelines, like the Code of Canon Law, do not mandate a specific direction. Urban planning and land availability often dictate church orientation today, leading to variations, such as St. Peter's Basilica facing west.

COMBINED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mark your calendar--The Christ Our Life Catholic Conference returns on September 26-27 at the Casey's Arena in Des Moines. It is focused on bringing Catholics together, inspiring, celebrating and exploring their faith and bringing souls to Christ. Ticket information is available at www.christourlifeiowa.com.

CORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING
Tuesday, September 1 at 5:00 p.m.

ROOF PROJECT
The fascia is covered and the gutters are installed. Roofing material is being put on the South roof, so we are seeing more progress this week. Pray for continued good weather and safe working conditions for the roofers.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Thank you to all the parents and teachers who attended the meeting last week and got your kids for classes. If you did not register your kids, please contact Jane ASAP so books and supplies can be ordered.

TUESDAY ROSARY
We will be starting the Tuesday rosary group again next month. Watch the bulletin for more information.

PARENTS
RE Classes begin Wednesday, September 23rd. Letters to parents are on the back table for you to take.

YOUTH MASSES
There is a sign-up on the back table for parents to choose which liturgical assignments you can have your children do.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY—September 20, 2026 we will celebrate our Religious Education teachers and Adult Faith Formation participants.

<u>CORNING PRAYER LIST</u>		
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

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

TEACHERS NEEDED
If you are willing to share an hour of your time each Sunday with our youth please let Kathy know.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Classes begin on Sunday, September 13th after mass. Confirmation students will be serving breakfast to parishioners. Free Will Donation.

CONFIRMATION will begin Wed., Sept.16th at 6:15 p.m. Parents need to attend this meeting.

FOOD BAGGING
We are hosting a 10,000 meal event on Wed., Sept. 23rd beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Lenox High School gym. Anyone age 11 & up can come help bag food. Meals stay in Taylor, Adams, Ringgold & Union counties.

ROSES - We wish to thank Ann Moore for taking care of our beautiful rose bushes for so many years. We are looking for someone to lovingly take over this job. Please let Kathy know.

25-26 FINANCIAL STATUS REPPORT - Is attached to the bulletin. Please let Kathy know if you have any questions.

<u>LENOX PRAYER LIST</u>		
Irene Ripperger	Nathan Harms	John Heim
Camilla Perez	Elvira Meny	Rachael Reed
Paul Maynes	Ben Schweers	Sergio Dozier
Leslie Cerda	Brandon Larimer	Jack Wackernagle
David Hale	Ben French	Arturo Villarreal
Mary O'Riley	Wayne Haidsiak	Andrea Rayhons
Margarita Zapata	Debbie Bradley	Colleen Cruise
San Juana Macias		