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SERRA CLUB OF DAVENPORT

JUNE 2017

MISSION STATEMENT: *To foster and affirm vocations to the Ministerial Priesthood and vowed religious life in the USA and through this ministry, further our members' common Catholic faith.*

Letter from Bill Barrett, President

Greetings and thank you for your Vocations!

We have one priestly ordination this weekend and will have another next week. Thanks to all for your support for our seminarians. Next year's group has the potential of 17 seminarians, the highest that I can ever remember!

We would like to thank Bishop Amos for his years of guidance and our special First Friday masses. I believe we are the only Serra club in the country who has had such great support from their Bishop on a monthly basis. Thank you Bishop Amos.

We also have the installation of our new bishop, Thomas Zinkula, this month and look forward to working closely with him on vocations.

Thank you for your support
Bill Barrett, President
Serra Club of Davenport

Letter from Fr. Thom Hennen, Director of Vocations

Dear Serrans,

I have always felt that May is one of the busiest months of the year. This May has been no exception. Between wrapping up the school year, graduation parties, end of the year seminary visits, seminary applicant interviews and a few other things thrown in, the month has flown by.

And we're not done yet! On May 27, Deacon Dan Dorau will be ordained to the priesthood at Prince of Peace Parish in Clinton. The following week, June 3, Deacon Chris Weber will be ordained. Then, on June 22 Bishop-Elect Zinkula will be ordained and installed as the ninth bishop of Davenport. Finally, on July 8 we will celebrate the ordination of nine new permanent deacons.

It truly is a "banner year" for the diocese with ordinations to all three orders in the Sacrament of Holy Orders taking place this summer. Please keep all of these men in your prayers. I know that tickets for the bishop's ordination will be hard to come by, but I hope that some of you will be able to attend either of the priesthood ordinations or the diaconate ordination.

Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us!

In Christ,
Fr. Thom

LEADERSHIP

- Ex Officio** Bishop Martin Amos
- Chaplain** Fr. Thomas Hennen
- President** Bill Barrett
- V.P. Programs** Jim Tiedje
Thom Hart
- V.P. Membership** Dr. Larry Huber
Bill McAfoos
- V.P. Vocations** Charles Missel
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- V.P. Communications** Peg Beaudry
- Secretary** Peg Beaudry
- Treasurer** John Stratman
- Trustees** Charles Missel
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Sandra Frericks
John Stratman

FIRST FRIDAY MASS – JUNE 2, 2017

Rosary for our Bishop's intentions & Serra Club's prayers: 6:40 a.m.
Leader of the Rosary: John Stratman

Mass: 7:00 a.m.
Celebrant: Bishop Martin Amos
Reader: Peg Beaudry

CATHOLIC MESSENGER NEWS

- Marking priesthood milestone anniversaries: <http://www.catholicmessenger.net/2017/05/marking-priesthood-milestone-anniversaries/>
- Two to be ordained to priesthood: <http://www.catholicmessenger.net/2017/05/two-to-be-ordained-to-priesthood/>
- Lifelong Victor parish member celebrates 100th birthday: <http://www.catholicmessenger.net/2017/05/lifelong-parish-member-celebrates-100th-birthday/>
- National Shrine makes 100 years: <http://www.catholicmessenger.net/2017/05/national-shrine-marks-100-years/>

ORDINATION ANNIVERSARIES – JUNE

Phil Ryan, 6/1/57;	Charles Fladung, 6/5/92;	Paul Appel, 6/14/03;
Robert Schmidt, 6/1/57;	Steve Ebel, 6/6/70;	Jeff Belger, 6/14/03;
Dave Hitch, 6/1/68;	Andy Kelly, 6/6/70;	Troy Richmond, 6/14/03;
John Hyland, 6/1/68;	George McDaniel, 6/6/70;	Robert Walter, 6/16/45;
Michael Volkmer, 6/1/68;	Richard Beyer, 6/6/81;	Dennis Hoffman, 6/16/90;
Lou Leonhardt, 6/2/56;	Bill Roush, 6/6/15;	Rich Adam, 6/17/88;
Tom Doyle, 6/2/62;	Guillermo Treviño, Jr., 6/6/15;	Stephen Page, 6/19/87;
Tom Reilman, 6/3/61;	Kevin Anstey, 6/7/14;	Jack Gallagher, 6/21/80;
Denny Martin, 6/3/67;	Bob Cloos, 6/7/14;	Bernie Weir, 6/21/86;
Tom Spiegel, 6/3/67;	Dave Steinle, 6/7/79;	Denis Hatungimana, 6/21/09;
Ed Dunn, 6/3/72;	Chris Young, 6/7/14;	Scott Lemaster, 6/22/85;
Gary Beckman, 6/3/95;	Rob Lathrop, 6/9/01;	Tom Parlette, 6/23/89;
Frank Henriksen, 6/4/55;	Bill Hubmann, 6/9/79;	Corey Close, 6/23/12;
John Hynes, 6/4/55;	Dave Wilkening, 6/9/79;	Jason Crossen, 6/24/00;
Robert Spiegel, 6/4/66;	Bruce DeRammelaere,	Joseph Phung Van Phung,
Vitolds Valainis, 6/4/66;	6/10/06;	6/24/00;
Bill Wiegand, 6/4/05;	Paul Connolly, 6/11/83;	Jim Betzen, 6/26/81;
Ron Hodges, 6/4/06;	Tim Sheedy, 6/12/76;	John Spiegel, 6/26/76;
Ross Epping, 6/4/16;	Bill Kneemiller, 6/12/99;	Chuck Adam, 6/27/86
Bob Harness, 6/5/82;	Bill Reynolds, 6/13/81;	

SAVE THE DATE

Business Meeting

June 21, St. Vincent's, 7PM.

Priestly Ordinations

May 27th, Dc. Dan Dorau, Prince of Peace, Clinton, IA. 10AM

June 3rd, Dc. Chris Weber, SS. Mary & Mathias, Muscatine, IA. 10AM

Episcopal Ordination

June 22nd, Bishop-elect Zinkula. Attendance by invitation only. Vespers with the bishop-elect will be June 21st at St. John Vianney, Bettendorf, IA, 7PM. This event is ticketed but open to the public.

Diaconal Ordination

July 8th, Deacon Class VII. Attendance by invitation only.

Please keep all the ordinands in your prayers!