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CATHOLIC YOUTH CONGREGATE

Delegates from the neighboring parishes of the Carroll Deanery met in St. Joseph's Church Hall, Jefferson, Iowa, on Nov. 5, 1950.

Those representing Boone were: Jim Ballantyne, Yvonne Fitzgerald, Miriam Fangman, Tom Fangman, and Paul Harder.

Activities were planned for social gatherings of the youth of the deanery. The first of these was held on Nov. 26, 1950, at Grand Junction, Iowa.

A holy hour at St. Brigid's Church preceded the social party at 7:30 p.m. The dance was held at the Legion Cabin. A very large crowd attended both the holy hour and the dance.

The next gathering will be in January, and a larger crowd is expected.

- C** is for the Christ Child
Who came down to earth.
- H** is for the happiness
He brought here with His
birth.
- R** is for the rays of light
That shone about His head.
- I** is for the innocence
Of the life the Child led.
- S** is for the silence
Prevailing in the night.
- T** is for the tidings
That heralded in the Light.
- M** is for the manger
Of the precious Babe so fain
for Alleluias
- A** That chorused through the
air.
- S** is for our Savior
Descended from the sky.

These letters all spell
CHRISTMAS
Which means that Christ is
nigh.

—Judy Conway

CHILDREN HAVE CANDLELIGHTING AND CAROLS

The students of Sacred Heart School will participate in the traditional Candlelighting ceremony on Friday, December 22, in the school auditorium.

Before the entire student body, a delegate from each room will light a Christmas Candle, asking that its light enkindle in the hearts of men a particular virtue. Following each message an appropriate carol will be sung.

The quiet, serious note of Christmas will give way to one of fun and cheer as Santa Claus arrives distributing gifts to all the children.

Rev. J. J. Ryan and Rev. E. E. Apt will be honored guests at the program.

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Mankind Deified

Disbelief and turmoil prevailed over the earth that night 1950 years ago. Through the snow and wind shone a star which was to lead mankind to God again. Follow that star to the manger cradling a new born babe. Treasured in the small, soft but mighty hands of that Babe is the true worth of each individual soul.

He is the hope and realization of mankind. As our hope, He draws men's eyes away from the slavery of paganism and rivets his gaze on eternal fields. He, himself is the realization of those goals raising humdrum existence to a supernatural living which stamps each action of ours with a divine seal. He places our feet in the path of holiness and develops us in the virtues and graces of Christian living. He crowns our living with the spiritual merits of beatitude won.

Around that manger bed are the guardian spirits of man's dignity, a mother immaculate and a foster father whose virile sanctity urges us to intended heights. Our free wills are God's gifts. In bestowing them He showed us how much He depends on us to use these privileges wisely. Don't betray this trust!

On this Christmas of 1950 let us show God our determination to be faithful. Let us relive again the birth of God by our attendance at Mass and again receive Him into our hearts in the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.

What could be a greater pledge of man's word and of his desire to reach his full Christian stature than the presence of this same Babe in his heart on Christmas morn.

Jan 1.



Again
Resolve



After Jan 1.

Rudolph, the red nosed reindeer - Frosty, the snow man - Christmas trees - stars - tinsel - and stables are the thoughts running through youthful heads these days. But a warning to you — don't wait until the last second to think of those New Year's Resolutions. Start your list! A few timely suggestions

1st grade

Outgrow that shyness and make yourself a real pupil of S. H. S.

2nd grade

Play a few games without a fight about who won. You'll all get your turn sometime.

3rd grade

Study that geography even though you are positive you will never travel any further than the end of Story Street.

4th grade

Yes, you're growing up fast but you're not quite old enough to play football on the big boy's field. Let's all stick to our own play ground.

5th grade

Treat girls as human beings and try to quit pulling their hair even though you know they aren't big enough to beat up on you.

6th grade

Forget the swings and leave them to the small ones, you're growing up now.

7th grade

Try to understand that teachers do know something even though you think you know it all.

8th grade

Review may be difficult but you'd better study hard to measure up to the standards of High School scholarship.

9th grade

Change your green "specks" for some rose colored glasses.

10th grade

Quit picking on the freshmen. You appeared just as scared and dumb last year.

11th grade

Total that bank account, keep the Seniors in mind at its spending.

12th grade

The longest mile is the last mile — don't relax till June is in sight.





← Alice Kay Carver
Susan Ellen Kane →

Each ransomed
her own
pagan
baby



Ann and Delores



Sodality Prefect



Joyce Matt



Problems?

New recruits for altar boys are:
First Row: Larry Fitzgerald,
Larry Conway, Bobby Hunter,
Robert Garvey
Second Row: Jerry Cooper, Dale
Elsberry, Edward Brice
Third Row: Joseph Comito, and
Stanley Genereux



Two Studious Seniors
Studious?



Fifth + Sixth
Graders