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## FULL CIRCLE

*"AND WHATEVER YOU ASK IN PRAYER, YOU WILL RECEIVE, IF YOU HAVE FAITH." –MATTHEW 21:2*

The vision of getting the Holy Angels Church tuckpointed has finally come full circle. The deterioration was evident and to prevent further damage, the tuckpointing needed to be done. It was decided during our 150<sup>th</sup> celebration planning that all funds from the celebration would go towards the tuckpointing project. Between Angels Forever, Inc.'s donations and the celebration, we were able to pay the full tuckpointing costs. This summer C&D Masonry, Rippey, Iowa finished the tuckpointing. They did an excellent job matching grout color, painting the decorative trim and the crosses on the north and south side. He will return this year to finish the steeple repairs.

While the lift was here for the tuckpointing, we removed the clock faces on all four sides. The faces were painted, repaired and some gears were reworked. The numbers stand out a lot more with the light color behind. Also, one of the stained-glass windows in the bell tower broke. Another stained-glass window was made to match the broken window and replaced.

There has been some progress on cleaning the limestone tombstones in the cemetery. Next year we plan to get more done. If you would like to help, please let us know.

The Angel Holy Water statues are getting refurbished and painted with donation money designated for it. Other projects in the works are to pour cement under our propane tanks, getting an easier-to-use handicap ramp and a cemetery memorial index.



## COMMUNITY & UNITY

*"FOR WHERE TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED IN MY NAME, I AM THERE AMONG THEM." – MATTHEW 18:20*

We are excited to have Christmas Eve Mass at 6 pm. Please make plans to join us! Fr. Roder has been gracious to alternate between closed Churches during the Christmas season.

Mark your calendar for April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026 at 6:30 pm for the Annual Angels Forever Inc. meeting in the Holy Angels Church. Prayer Services are Wednesday mornings at 8:30 am and Saturday evenings at 5 pm. Following Wednesday morning's service, there is coffee and goodies at 4R's Tavern. All are welcome and appreciated!

This year we had three weddings and have two planned for 2026. In March we had an Anniversary Mass and held our Pot-Of-Gold raffle that same night. Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> we had our Namesake Mass with doughnuts and juice following.

Angels Forever, Inc. continues to grill for Memorial Day services, Car Show and Memorial Tractor Show out of our garage. A Veteran's Mass was held on June 14. A meal was served to the Veterans following Mass.

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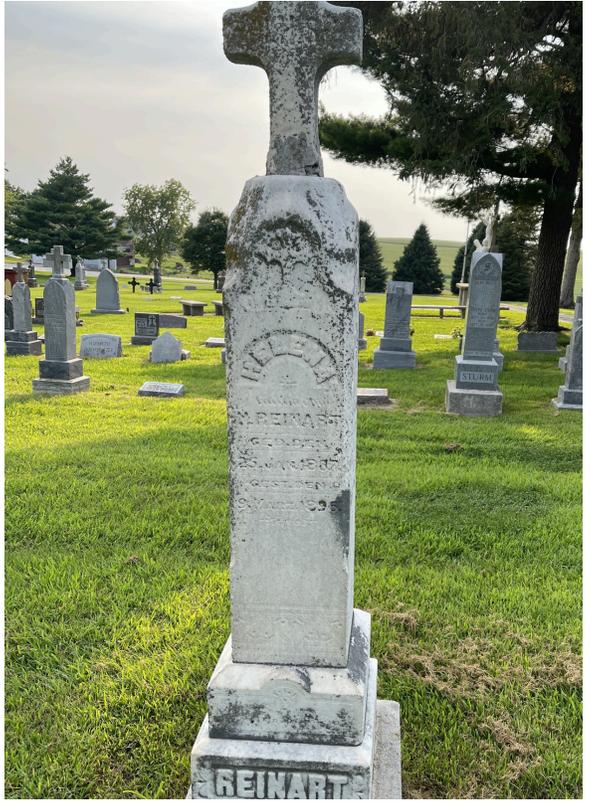
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