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## Upcoming 2018 Events:

**Friday, March 30th, (5-6): Stations of the Cross**

**Wednesday, April 18th (7 pm): Red Cedar Concert**

**Thursday, May 31st (6 pm): Corpus Christi with Mass in cemetery followed by potluck in the Hall.**

*Public invited to these events. No admission fee.  
More Events to be added*



# Join us!

# Community News Spring 2018

**Recite the *Stations of the Cross*  
Good Friday (March 30th) at 5 pm**

**Join us for an informal  
& relaxing hour with the Lord.**

*Visit with Luann if you'd like to read one of the Stations.*



Red Cedar Chamber Music presents ***HarpStrings***

Did you know that the harp is one of the oldest instruments in the world? Neither did we. As the 2016 USA International Harp Competition Gold Medalist, Katherine Siochi has spent the last year performing all over the world - Red Cedar brings her home for this concert program. Katherine and her brother Jeremiah (composer), both former students of the Preucil School of Music in Iowa City, have collaborated on many new works featuring the harp. Our program includes a new commission by Jeremiah Siochi for harp, violin and cello, as well as the iconic *Trio* by Henriette Renié.



***Wednesday, April 18th at 7 pm.***

***Stay for the social time after the performance.***



## President's Corner

Dear Friends and Sts. Peter & Paul Historical Foundation Family,  
As I sit down to write a note for the Sts. Peter and Paul newsletter this month, I can't help to think of Spring! This last week I've seen robins and several red wing blackbirds. I've been told the red wings are the "real" sign of spring. The March winds will melt and help dry up the late snow if we have to have some more.

We have March weddings going on at Sts. Peter and Paul starting this weekend. The warm sunshine is welcome at those events.

We are in the "Lent Season" now and we are planning the traditional "Good Friday" service. Luann Pisarik is always so good about helping with this event. It will start at 5 pm, Friday, March 30th. We appreciate Luann's help with organizing and leading the event. Thank you Luann and all your helpers for continuing the family tradition.

We are planning the "Red Cedar Chamber Music" event on April 18th and Corpus Christi Celebration on May 31st.

Hope you know you are invited to these events—come enjoy our special place and have a visit. God Bless you all with a Happy Easter.

Sincerely,



Sts. Peter & Paul Historical Foundation President

# Memorials

In memory of: Tom Ipsan  
From: Jean Litts  
Elizabeth Kroul

In memory of: Doris Divoky  
From: Elizabeth Kroul

In memory of: Pat Pisarik  
From: Darlene Klouda  
Michael & Joleen Woods

*Memorials maybe submitted by mailing a check (written out to Sts. Peter & Paul Foundation) include the following:*

1) *In memory of* 2) *How you'd like the 'from' listed.*

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# Christmas Sing-A-Long

The Annual Christmas Sing-A-Long was well attended with over 125 youth and adults. On a very warm and clear December evening the Chapel was filled with Christmas music and fellowship. After about an hour of singing, guests made their way to the Hall to enjoy cookies and hot chocolate. Then a visit by Saint Nicholas topped off the evening. Each child that visited with Santa received a gift bag with fruit & a treat. Then they had their picture taken with a polaroid camera. Most were amazed to see their picture 'magically appear' before their eyes.

Thank-you to all who helped to make this event a huge success!

*Top: Beverly Poduska and daughter, Cheryl Kuhlman warm-up before the guests arrive.*

*Bottom: The children prepare to sing 'Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer' for the audience.*



## Thank-you to those who helped with the Christmas Sing-A-Long!

- ◆ Bill Faoro & Leona Smith for restoring the Nativity statues
- ◆ Beverly Poduska & Cheryl Kuhlman for playing the accordions
- ◆ Holubar Ladies for leading the songs.
- ◆ Those who helped decorate and pick-up afterwards
- ◆ Kitchen Team & those who brought goodies to share
- ◆ Carol Martin for her photo skills and special camera.
- ◆ Donations of items for the Santa bags.
- ◆ Those who attended
- ◆ The children for helping us all see Christmas through the eyes of the youth.

