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February 24, 2019



7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you." Lk 6:38

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Love God, Love Others, Make Disciples

MASS SCHEDULE

Mondays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Tuesdays	8:00 am - St. John the Baptist
Wednesdays	5:30 pm - Holy Family
Thursdays	6:00 pm - Adoration 7:00 pm - St. Columbkille
Fridays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Saturdays	4:30 pm - St. Katharine Drexel 6:00 pm - St. Columbkille
Sundays	8:00 am - Holy Family 10:00 am - St. John the Baptist

Reconciliation: Currently available by request, Thursday evenings during 6 pm Adoration hour at St. Columbkille or 9:30 am Saturday mornings at St. Katherine Drexel Church.

Sacrament of the Sick: Given privately upon request. For pastoral emergencies you may contact Fr. Mike Erwin at (262) 206-6987.

Baptism: Active parishioners should call the Tri-Parish Center to arrange a date/time. First time parents who are active parishioners need to attend a "Pre-Baptism" conference. This conference can take place even before the child is born.

Marriage: Active parishioners are to contact Fr. Mike Erwin at his Beaver Dam Office at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding. Couples must attend an Enrichment Day for the Engaged, and submit to a Pre-Marital Inventory.

St Vincent DePaul Society: Those in need may contact the SVDP by calling the Tri-Parish Center at any time and leaving a message.

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Gospel Reflections...

Treat others as you want them to treat you

In days past, after a bad accident, one of the victims commented : "Why does this have to happen to me?" and claimed that for many years he had been driving, never had something like it. I asked him how many accidents he had seen in his life, and he responded, "I don't know, probably thousands." And then I said to him, "Why can everyone except you be in an accident?"

It is an attitude that we often adopt in life; we are special, we must have privileges, we should be offered the first places, we want to overtake others... And We are not aware that in order to climb, we use others as steps. There are many of our brothers who are discriminated against, who are insulted, who are not taken into account... And we were so quiet because it's not happening to us. Today Jesus invites us to look at all people as our brothers and Sons of the same God and offers us the so-called "golden rule": "Treat others as you want them to treat you". It seems very simple but when we put it into practice we discovered that if we put ourselves in the shoes and in the situation of the other, all things change.

In the background is to discover the depth of the Gospel: Look at the person with the loving eyes of the father. Is someone in a difficult situation? How would you like to be helped? Well, that's what you have to do because he's your brother. Someone has failed and nobody has to take care of him? And if it were you, how would you feel? What would you expect from those who are close to you? We could do today the exercise of looking at ourselves with the eyes of those around us. How do your children see you and what do they expect from you? How do you see your attitudes and your answers? How would you like them to be?

Jesus proposes to us that the heart of our brothers can be the mirror where our desires are reflected and that we act towards them according to the desires that we have discovered. How do you want to be treated? Treat others like that.

From: Catholic.net

Fr. Erick Cassiano

PARISH NEWS

1. Our next **Pastoral Council Strategic Planning Mtg** is Feb. 26th, 7:15 pm in Holy Family Church basement.
2. **Ash Wednesday** is March 6th, masses will be at HF - 7 am & 5:30 pm. Join us after Mass for Soup N Rolls & our Small Faith Community Fair.

HOLY FAMILY NEWS

The next **Holy Family Altar Society** meets this Thurs., Feb. 28th, beginning at 7:15 with praying the rosary.

ST. COLUMBKILLE NEWS

1. The **Altar Society** meets again on Tues., March 5th 7pm at the church. All women of the parish are invited to come.
2. **Lenten Fish Fry** will be Fri., April 12th. Call Elaine Parpart at 920-319-0901 to donate an item of \$25 value for the small raffle. Tickets & schedules coming soon!

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

1. Classes for **K5-10th grade** meet this Wednesday from 6:15 - 7:30 pm at the Tri Parishes Center.
2. **Confirmation Students:** Practice is scheduled for March 10th, 2 pm at SKD Church.
3. Confirmation is coming! Please show your support for our growing youth by congratulating them the next time that you see them, and keeping them in your prayers! If you would like to join them at the Ceremony, it will be held on **March 13th at 7pm**, at Saint Katharine Drexel.
4. **Youth Group** meets this Sunday! Feb. 24th, 6 pm students in grades 6-12 are invited to join in the activities and fun at SKD REC.
5. **Attention High Schoolers:** March 16th, there will be a group attending the WI Catholic Youth Rally at Carroll College with hundreds of other youth from around the state. Please contact John Pryme if you would like to go along. He can be reached by email: prymej@stkatharinedrexelbd.org or by calling (920) 887-2082, ext.
6. **Adult Scripture Study:** 2nd/4th Wednesdays, 6 pm @ St. Columbkille, Tuesdays, after 8 am Mass at St. John's.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

The Tri Parish Conference is always looking for donations for the food pantry. March is typically a month with lower donations. Please consider picking up a few items for our neighbors in need.

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 25, 2019

8:20 am at St. Katharine Drexel

Tuesday, February 26, 2019

8:00 am at St. John the Baptist

For: †Francis Richter

By: Family

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

5:30 pm at Holy Family

For: Living & Deceased members of the Holy Family Altar Society

By: Holy Family Altar Society

Thursday, February 28, 2019

For: Open Intention

Friday, March 1, 2019

8:20 am at SKD

Saturday, March 2, 2019

6:00 pm at St. Columbkille

For: The good of the people of the Tri Parishes

Sunday, March 3, 2019

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am at Holy Family

For: †Peter Krebs

By: Roger & Betty Statz

10:00 am at St. John the Baptist

For: Deacon Bill Van Wagner

By: Jeff & Karen Wagner

Liturgical Roles 3/3/2019	St. Columbkille 6 pm Saturday	St. John the Baptist 10 am Sunday	Holy Family 8 am Sunday
Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Readers	Craig Murphy		Bob DePover
Ushers	Jerry Gaska & Steve Rhode		Dan Caine & Volunteer
Greeters	Elaine Parpart & Bernie Zandler	Ushers	Mary Goldbach & Jean Kohn
Money Counters	John & Deb Merfeld		Pam Schumann & Jeff Caine
Church Cleaners	Kathy Lenz & Linda Guenther	-	-
Contributions 2/17/19	St. Columbkille 6 pm Saturday	St. John the Baptist 10 am Sunday	Holy Family 8 am Sunday
Envelopes	\$ 315.00	\$ 395.00	\$ 315.00
Offertory	\$ 141.26	\$ 65.00	\$ 51.00
Donations	\$ -	\$ 40.00	\$ -
Building Fund	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 456.26	\$ 500.00	\$ 366.00
Please remember your parish in your will			

Pick up a copy of Matthew Kelly's latest book, *The Biggest Lie in the History of Christianity*, available at our churches. Many of our small faith communities and groups at the Tri Parishes will be reading and discussing the book.



Weekend Mass Schedule Changes Next Weekend.

The Schedule from March-June is:

6pm Saturday at St. Columbkille

8am Sunday at Holy Family

10am Sunday at St. John the Baptist

God's Word Readings for the Week February 24, 2019

Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 [8a]/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38

Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 [cf. 5]/Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Sir 4:11-19/Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175 [165a]/Mk 9:38-40

Thursday: Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35 [35a]/Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 17]/Mk 10:13-16

Next Sunday: Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45

RELEVANT RADIO: Are you familiar with Relevant Radio? Relevant Radio assists the church in the new evangelization by providing relevant programming through media platforms to help people bridge the gap between faith and everyday life. We are fortunate to have it available on the radio at 1640am or with their app. They feature catholic experts and priests all day long to pray, bring truth, and answer questions about our Catholic faith. Give them a try!

Adult Baptismal Renewal Retreat: Friday, March 8th, 6 pm/Saturday, March 9th ending with 4:30 pm Mass at St. Katharine Drexel. Come take a break with us and focus on your Baptismal Call! 100% parishioner led, hear about the real-life stories from fellow believers. RSVP to Kristin Adsit by Friday, March 1st. (920) 887-2082. Babysitting available upon request.

Reflection for the Week

"But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend expecting nothing back; then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High, for he himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." - Lk 6:35-36



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