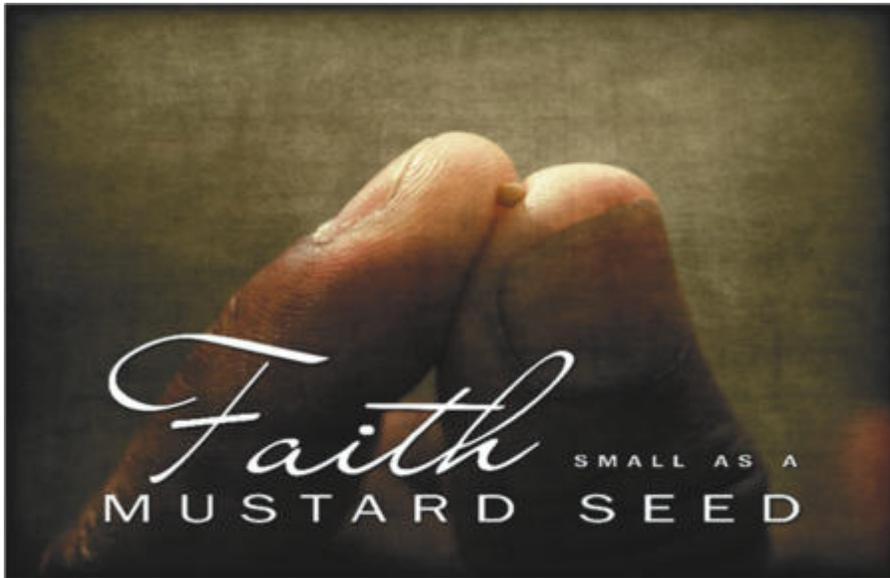




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## SMALL BEGINNINGS

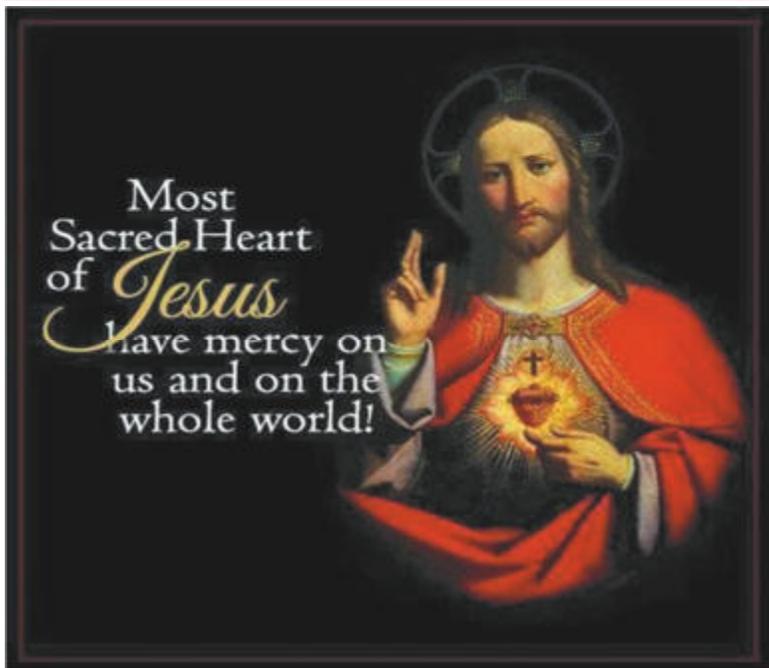
Jesus teaches today about the Kingdom of God which has its own power to grow, written in its nature, unless it is disturbed during this process. Jesus compares it to a man who scattered seed on the land, which in the power of the code, written in it by God, starts to sprout and grow. "Of its own accord the land yields fruit, first the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear. And when the grain is ripe, he wields the sickle at once, for the harvest has come".

**1st READING** (Ezekiel 17:22-24). The prophet foretells the downfall of Jerusalem. At the same time he tells of a restoration that will be brought about by a member of the chosen people (namely, the Messiah), who will set up a universal kingdom.

**2nd READING** ( 2 Cor 5:6-10). St. Paul says that his priority at all times is to please the Lord. Hence he has no fears of appearing before him.

**GOSPEL** (Mark 4:26-34). This contains two parables about the slow but steady growth of the Kingdom of God from insignificant beginnings. It is God who brings about this growth.

**From the reading, we can draw also one important conclusion valid for each of us: when a man does not act to the grace of God in his heart according to its nature, which is supposed to be holiness, he should not expect fruits.**



June 13, 2021

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Mass Schedule****The Church is open week days****7:00 am to 4:00 pm**

Sunday Vigil: Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:00 am, 10:30 am &amp; 7:00 pm

Monday, Tuesday, Friday &amp; Saturday: 7:30 am

Rosary &amp; Mass 8 am

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Friday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm**Reconciliation:** Monday, Tuesday & Friday: 7:30 am -

7:50 am

**Saturdays: 7:30-7:50am and 3:30-4:30 pm****Marriage:** Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the date you wish to request.**Baptism:** Pre-baptismal class for parents, who are contributing members of the parish for at least 3 months, is required. Class is held 2nd Sunday of the month, 9:30 am in Deacon Terry's office. Pre-register at 551-9004. Baptisms held during weekend Masses (your choice of Mass) on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month. Regular Church attendance is required.**Parish Website** [www.stpeterskenosha.com](http://www.stpeterskenosha.com)**Facebook** [www.facebook.com/stpeterskenosha](http://www.facebook.com/stpeterskenosha)**Parish Office** Monday, Tuesday & Friday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm Phone: 551-9004 & Fax: 552-7004**[stpeterskenosha@gmail.com](mailto:stpeterskenosha@gmail.com)****Parish Staff****Pastor:** Fr. Ireneusz Chodakowski, MIC**Deacon & Administrative Assistant,** Terrance Maack

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Fr. Bernard Backiel MIC, Mary Baas, Stefan Bauer, Debbie Beier, Mike Benoit, Fred Biskup, Gerald Bitto, Jackie Branscomb, Darlene Brodjeski, Richard Bulik, Frances Cargille, Diane Formella, Jeff Fraid, Tom Degener, Nancy Fiore, Florence Fliess, Frank Fonk, Marlene Giordano, Lorraine Gott, Waltraud Henry, Ronda Hoening, Sandra Hornung, Lillian Jilk, Agnieszka Jaworska, Shannon Kafura, Kathy Kaminski, Paul Kaminski, Jessica Land, Tom Land, Mary Lindblad, Dennis Massie, Stephen Matelski, Rose Martin, George Mich, Arleen Milligan, Betty Olson, Jack Otahal, Dr. Nora S. Perez, Jude Poplawski, Jacob Reindl, Frank Rhodes, Latzia Rizzitano, Joan Rogowski, Lillian and Philip Romanowski, Arlene Rymes, Marlene Schlecht, Michelle Schranz, Ivana Sebben, Sue Seymour, Stephanie Sucher, Kenneth Dale Swanson, Shirley Swanson, Paul Vagnoni, Sandy Walker, Kathy Walter, Daisy Williams, Leona Werner, Anthony Yust, Florence Zalatoris.

**CITY-WIDE OUTDOOR MASS**  
**AT PENNOYER PARK**The annual City-Wide Outdoor Mass at Pennoyer Park will be held on **Sunday, June 27th at 10:00 a.m.** with Archbishop ListECKI and The Knights of Columbus.**We are in need of singers and instrumentalists to help provide beautiful music for the Mass.**If you are interested, please contact Tami Nelson-Payne, St. Peter Catholic Church at [tnpmusic@yahoo.com](mailto:tnpmusic@yahoo.com) or (262) 930-1067.**We will be selling select baskets in the lobby after Mass on June 26th and 27th!** Check out the basket pictures in the lobby, on St. Peter's Facebook page and website. Contact Joni (262) 818-9124 or Ellen (262) 557-5151 for information or to purchase baskets.**St. Peter's welcomes back Mr. Paul Vagnoni to our family.**sometimes, all you need  
is faith as big as  
a mustard seed, and  
God will do the rest.

enabled-to-love-by-love

**A professor stood before his philosophy class** and had some items in front of him. When the class began, he wordlessly picked up a very large and empty jar and proceeded to fill it with **golf balls**.. He then asked the students if the jar was full. They agreed that it was. The professor then picked up a **box of pebbles** and poured them into the jar. He shook the jar lightly. The pebbles rolled into the open areas between the golf balls. He then asked the students again if the jar was full. They agreed it was. The professor next picked up a **box of sand** and poured it into the jar. Of course, the sand filled up everything else. He asked once more if the jar was full. The students responded with a unanimous 'yes.' The professor then produced **two bottles of spring water** under the table and poured the entire contents into the jar effectively filling the empty space between the sand. The students laughed. 'Now,' said the professor as the laughter subsided, **'I want you to recognize that this jar represents your life. The golf balls are the important things---** your family, Your children, your health, your friends and your favorite passions and if everything else was lost and only they remained, your life would still be full.

**The pebbles are the other things that matter like your job, your house and your car. The sand is everything else ---** the small stuff. 'If you put the sand into the jar first,' he continued, 'there is no room for the pebbles or the golf balls.



**The same goes for life.** If you spend all your time and energy on the small stuff you will never have Room for the things that are important to you. Pay attention to the things that are critical to your happiness. Spend time with your children.

Spend time with your parents. Visit with grandparents. Take time to get medical checkups. Take your spouse out to dinner. Play another 18. There will al-

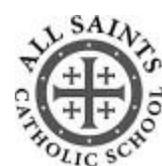
ways be time to clean the house and fix the disposal. Take care of the golf balls first --- the things that really matter. **Set your priorities.** The rest is just sand.

One of the students raised her hand and inquired what the water represented. The professor smiled and said, 'I'm glad you asked. The water just shows you that no matter how full your life may seem, there's always room for few drinks of spring water with a friend or coffee, tea, soft drinks or whatever.

*Thank You*

**St. Peter's Thanks James Parquette** for his years of dedicated service to our parish as a Trustee. We now welcome **Marianne Kraus as the new Trustee.**

Correct  
Gesture to  
Receive  
Holy  
Communion  
on your  
hands.



On June 4, 2021, we completed our **10th year** as All Saints Catholic School. We have much to celebrate and be thankful for as we reflect on these 10 years. **We are thankful** to our parents

and families who see the value of Catholic education, and **we are grateful** for the many sacrifices that are made to provide this education to their children. **We are thankful** for our faith-filled principal, teachers and staff. At 10 years, we remain true to our mission, **"Together we will teach children to see the world through the eyes of Christ and to model the lives of the saints in a rigorous academic environment."**

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### Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, June 13

8:00 †Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. 23)

10:30 †Richard Loewen by wife Suzanne

7:00 †Robert Butera by his wife

#### Monday, June 14 A. Perez (G.M. #17)

†Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. 24)

For the parish & parishioners of St. Peter

#### Tuesday, June 15

8:00 †Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. #25)

#### Wednesday, June 16

†Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. #26)

#### Thursday, June 17

†Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. #27)

#### Friday, June 18

8:00 †Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. #28)

#### Saturday, June 19, St. Romuald, Abbot

8:00 †Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. #29)

5:00 †Raymond & Monica Witt

by Margaret, Nancy & Buffy

#### Sunday, June 20, Father's Day

8:00 Father's Day Octave

10:30 †John Campagna by wife Jo Ann

7:00 †Dr. Leo A. Perez (G.M. 30)

#### Schedule of Lectors

#### June 19/20

5:00 pm—M. Kraus

8:00 am—C. Lytkowski

10:30 am—Hasset family

7:00 pm—K. Apanasewicz



#### May 30, 2021

Regular Collection..... \$3,768.73

Maintenance.....\$ 190.00

#### June, 6, 2021

Regular Collection.....\$4,880.00

Maintenance.....\$1,655.00



The souls of the just are in the hands of the Lord." With this promise **we commend to your prayers, James Conner,** who recently died and was buried from St. Peters.

We welcome **Luca Nash** and **Giovanni Montemurro** who were recently Baptized here at St. Peters.





## Saint Romuald, Abbot

951–c. 1025

Founder of the Camal-  
dolese  
Benedictine Order

Saint Romuald was born in the middle of the tenth century in Northern Italy. He put himself under the tutelage of a wise hermit, then traveled to Spain to live as a hermit on the grounds of a Benedictine

monastery. He subsequently spent about thirty years walking the length and breadth of Italy. He had acquired a great reputation as an ascetic and master of prayer and so founded, or reformed, various monasteries which sought his assistance.

Finally, in 1012, he settled down in Tuscany and established a reformed branch of the Benedictines.

The Camaldolese tradition is more hermit based (eremitical) while allowing some community based (cenobitical) life. Camaldolese monks generally live in individual structures but pray the Mass and Liturgy of the Hours together daily in the Church.

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