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St. John Vianney Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil) 5:00pm and Sunday 10:00am Holy Family Weekend Mass Schedule Sunday 8:00am May the peace of the Risen Lord be with you, Thank you to all those who have helped in preparing our students for first Holy Communion and also for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Thanks especially goes to Angie Nagel, Tamarae Schmidt, and Lisa Woll for coordinating the faith formation programs, as well as all the faculty and staff at St. John Vianney school. Please continue to keep in your prayers those who will be Confirmed in the faith, that they may continue to grow stronger in their relationship with Christ.



The Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist are known as the Sacraments of Initiation since by them we become initiated into full communion with Jesus Christ as a member of his Church.

In 1943, Pope Pius XII wrote an encyclical letter about the Catholic Church and titled it "Mystici Corporis" or the Mystical Body of Christ. Our human bodies have many parts and members to it, but all of these parts are united as one by the soul which is the principle of life and unity of our body. Once the soul leaves the body at death, the body begins to fall apart, or decay and return to the natural elements from which it was made.

In a similar way, the Church is the body of Christ, with many members (each human person) but it is unified as a single body by the "soul" or source of life and unity, in this case, the Holy Spirit. We are first joined to the body of Christ by means of baptism in which we are filled with the Holy Spirit, who comes to dwell in our souls as in a temple. After baptism we can allow the Holy Spirit to live in us and act through us, accomplishing greater things than Jesus himself did while on earth. "I say to you, whoever believes in me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these, because I am going to the Father. If you ask anything in my name, I will do it. If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you always, the Spirit of truth" (John 14:12-17). By receiving Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion, we become "another Christ" capable of doing whatever Christ can do, because he now dwells in us and has promised to do what we ask in his name. The power to accomplish great things is not by our own abilities, but by the power of the Holy Spirit dwelling within us. The Holy Spirit is God, who is almighty or all-powerful. There is nothing beyond his ability. All we are called to do is to believe in Jesus Christ. To believe means the same as to trust in him. The opposite of belief in this sense could be several things, which are sins against faith.

There is doubt which is a refusal to hold as true what God has revealed and the Church proposes for belief. Doubt also can happen by disregarding what God has revealed. Involuntary doubt refers to hesitation in believing, difficulty in overcoming objections connected with the faith, or anxiety aroused by the obscurity of faith (CCC 2088-89). There also is a type of unbelief which refuses to assent to what God has revealed through the teaching of the Church which must be held with divine and catholic faith. Schism is the refusal of submission to the Roman Pontiff or of communion with the members of the Church subject to him. Pride can get in the way of faith or trust, when we think that our plan is the best, and even question or challenge God and his plan. Pride also occurs when we distrust God or when we expect him to operate according to our plans and our will. Let us have the attitude of Jesus Christ, who said to the Father, "Not my will, but yours be done."

Act of Faith: O My God, I firmly believe that You are one God in three divine Persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. I believe that your divine Son became man, died for our sins, and that He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths which the Holy Catholic Church teaches, because You have revealed them, who can neither deceive nor be deceived. Amen.

In next week's gospel, we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord, Mark 16:15-20.

God Bless you, Fr. Andrew Beerman



Mon. May 10.....St. John of Avila 10:30am Funeral Mass for Diane Hendricks at SJV

Tues. May 11 Easter Weekday

8:30am Mass at St. John Vianney Church *†Chuck Neusch*

Wed. May 12.....Sts. Nereus & Achilleus, St. Pancras 8:40am School Mass (gr.1) at St. John Vianney Church

†Darleen Fedderson

Thurs. May 13.....Our Lady of Fatima

8:30am Mass at St. John Vianney Church †Joseph Szuberski

Fri. May 14.....St. Matthias

8:30am Mass at St. John Vianney †Baby Lutterman

Sat. May 15.....Vigil Mass

5:00pm Mass at St. John Vianney Church For the People

Sun. May 16.....The Ascension of the Lord

8:00am Mass at Holy Family Church †Clara Wolters

10:00am Mass at St. John Vianney Church *†Edwin Reischl*

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St. John Vianney Parish Center Hours

St. John Vianney Parish Center Hours Monday & Wednesday 10am-3pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10am-12, 1pm-3pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at St. John Vianney 4:00-4:50pm

> Sundays at Holy Family 7:30-7:50am

or by appointment anytime

Baptism

Baptism classes are held quarterly. Call the parish office for more information on classes and to schedule a baptism.

Matrimony

Arrangements for Catholics, even those marrying outside the parish Church, must be made with the pastor at least six months in advance.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

This Sunday, May 9

3:30pm Spanish Prayer and Music—SJV Church

Monday, May 10

Tuesday, May 11

Wednesday, May 12

12:00pm Women's Bible Study **6:00pm** Confirmation Rehearsal—SJV Church

Thursday, May 13

Friday, May 14

Saturday, May 15

11:00am Confirmation—SJV Church

Sunday, May 16

3:30pm Spanish Prayer and Music—SJV Church

Hay música y oraciones en español todos los Domingos de 3:30 a 5:30pm en la Iglesia de St. John Vianney. Todos están invitados.

There will be music and prayer in Spanish every Sunday from 3:30-5:30pm at St. John Vianney Church. All are welcome!

Open House Bridal Shower

honoring

Macy Petrowiak

bride-to-be of Chris Kahler

Saturday, May 22

10:30am—1:00pm (gift opening begins at noon)

Fairmont Yacht Club

405 Interlaken Rd

Bring your favorite recipe and join us for brunch and fun!

Reflexión Española

9 de mayo de 2021 6º Domingo de Pascua



La sociedad actual tiene muchos sufrimientos y sinsabores; la pandemia ha dejado secuelas que no se curan tan fácilmente. Existe mucho por hacer, a pesar de que tenemos grandes héroes que arriesgaron su vida por la salud de otros. Tanto en el ambiente de la salud y la comida, hubo amor y esperanza de parte de mucha gente. Las personas eligieron hacer el bien en lugar de hacer el mal. La Iglesia misionera reza incansablemente por la salud y el bienestar de todos. ¿Qué hiciste tú, y que haces para aliviar el dolor de los demás? ¿Dónde pusiste tu amor durante el tiempo que estuviste en casa?

Hoy, la Liturgia nos presenta a Jesús con el mandato de vivir la alianza del amor. "Ámense los unos a los otros: esto es lo que les mando" (Juan 15:17). Tener amor es un don que solo el Espíritu de Dios puede encender en los corazones. Bien decimos al invocar al Espíritu Santo: Ven, Espíritu Santo y enciende mi corazón con el fuego de tu amor. Este Espíritu de Dios habita en nosotros desde nuestro bautismo. Solo falta abrirle el corazón para que crezca su llama. De ese modo estaremos listos para la misión. Quien se sabe amado lleva hasta el extremo el mandato de Jesús. ¡Amar hasta el extremo! Sus buenas obras son silenciosas pero llenas de misericordia. Con estas obras se da razón de la esperanza, concretamente la esperanza cristiana. Señor, ayúdanos a querer lo que tú haces y que sepamos hacer lo que tú quieres de nosotros, especialmente en este momento de la historia.

Calendar Raffle Winner:

May 9: David Lutz—\$70

Congratulations!!!

Check here every week to see who the next winner is!

Readings/Las Lecturas for the week of May 9, 2021

Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/

Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 [cf. 2b]/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/

Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 15:26—16:4a **Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/

Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/ Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/

Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8]/

Jn 15:9-17

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-10, 10 [8a]/

Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/ Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20

Stewardship & Service

Holy Family Stewardship May 2, 2021

Adults	\$1,140.00
Maintenance	\$1,190.00
Easter	\$10.00
Ascension	

TOTAL\$2,345.00

Weekly/monthly automatic giving options are available please call the office for more information

Holy Family Finance Council

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Holy Family Council of Catholic Women

Leadership Team: Julie Petrowiak Desiree Jensen Laura Spitzer

Holy Family Cemetery

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St. John Vianney Stewardship May 2, 2021

Weekly support needed	\$11,346.16
Received last week	\$9,391.00
This week we are <i>short</i> by	\$1,955.16
Support needed to date	
Total received to date	\$446,437.58
To date, we are short by	\$52,613.30
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Special Donations:

Assistance to the Poor	\$530.00
Easter	\$65.00
Ascension	\$65.00
Canital Improvements	\$160.00
Memorials	\$25.00

Special Collections:

Holy Land......\$25.00 Catholic Charities.....\$120.00

Please call the church office if you would like to conveniently contribute to St. John Vianney Church through automatic monthly or weekly electronic fund transfers.

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Your generosity to the Catholic Ministries Appeal from year to year is so greatly appreciated! You are making a difference in our Catholic community through faith-enriching ministries that take place throughout each year. Your gift makes a direct impact in supporting these ministries that are leading people closer to Christ. **Thank you for your generosity!**



If you haven't already contributed, please return your CMA pledge card today, or give online at www.catholicfsmn.org/Appeal.

2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal Update as of 4-29-2021

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			Total		Total	Donor
	Parish	Goal	To Date		Goal %	Participation
	HF	No Goal	\$2,660.00		N/A	9
	SJV	\$42,073.00	\$27,350.00		54.58%	74

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St. John Vianney Youth Ministry

Check out our website: www.sjvhf.org

St. John Vianney/Holy Family Parish News and Community Events

There is a printing error on the St. John Vianney envelopes for May and June. The Endowment Fund envelope says, "Please make checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul." This is incorrect, it should read "Please make checks payable to SJV Endowment Fund." Our publisher states that the correct wording should appear on the July envelopes. As a reminder, the SJV Endowment Fund and the St. Vincent de Paul Society are separate organizations from St. John Vianney Church. Therefore, all check donations directed toward either of those organizations should be written directly to that organization and not St. John Vianney Church, even when the donation is included in a church envelope. If you have any questions about this, please call the church office. Your generous support of the SJV Endowment Fund and St. Vincent de Paul Society is greatly appreciated!

The parishioners of St. John Vianney and Holy Family Churches together donated \$1,969.82 to the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl collection this year. Thank you for your generous support of this collection!

Exposition of Sacred Relics St. John Vianney will be hosting a teaching and exposition of over 150 sacred relics, including relics of St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux, St. John Vianney and more. There will also be a piece of Our Lady's veil and one of the largest remaining pieces of the Cross of Christ. Mark your calendar for **May 17th at 6pm** to hear Fr. Carlos Martins give a presentation and have the opportunity to venerate these relics.

PENTECOST MISSION: RECEIVE THE HOLY SPIRIT

MAY 23 | MAY 30 | JUNE 13 | JUNE 20 8-9:15 p.m. ET









All Parishioners are invited to join us for a four-part Pentecost Mission that will celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit and help participants welcome Him more deeply into their lives! Each session will include dynamic preaching and teaching, followed by a time of worship and prayer for greater activation of the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

We look forward to journeying with you closer to the heart of Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit!

Mission sessions will be held in the Hospitality Area from 7:00 – 8:30pm on May 23, May 30, June 13 and June 20, 2021. Please plan to be there no later than 6:55 pm so that we can start on time.

Call Deacon Steve with questions and to register at (507) 848-3968. There is no cost for these events but there will be a free will offering. Please register by Thursday, May 20th.

Sponsored by the St. John Vianney Charismatic Prayer Group and Renewal Ministries.

St. John Vianney & Holy Family Youth News

Confirmation Reminders:

Great job on interviews! Thank you Fr. Beerman!

Take Home Retreat: Return by Monday, May 10th

Wednesday, May 12:

6:00 pm Pictures at church (candidates)

6:30 pm Prayer service/Rehearsal/Confession (candidates, parents, & sponsors)

*Bring your confirmation candidate's baptismal candle if you have it.

Saturday, May 15

10:00 am Arrival time for candidates

10:45 am Arrival time for parents & sponsors (or earlier)

11:00 am Mass for Confirmation families (8 people counting candidate & sponsor)

*A reception will follow for all those in attendance at Mass.

Catechist Materials:

Please return books, binders, and DVD's to the Parish Office.

You can place them in the "other" mailbox. Thank you for your faith and service!

Graduate Reminders:

Last chance to send in photos for the slide show. Drop off or email sjv-tamarae@midconetwork.com
Baccalaureate Mass is Sunday, May 23 at 1:00 pm for the seniors and their families

*Families can have a total of 8 people (counting the graduate)

*A reception will follow for only the graduate and parents.

Happy Mother's Day!

Liturgy and R.C.I.A.



Holy Spirit Novena begins May 14

The novena in honor of the Holy Spirit is the oldest of all novenas since it was first made at the direction of Our Lord Himself. This is the prototype of all novenas. It commemorates the nine days between the Ascension of Our Lord and the descent of the Holy

Spirit on the first Pentecost Sunday. During this time Our Lady and the twelve Apostles prayed in the upper room for the coming of the Paraclete. It is still the only novena officially prescribed by the Church. This Novena begins on the day after the Solemnity of the Ascension, Friday of the 6th Week of Easter, even if the Solemnity of the Ascension is transferred to the 7th Sunday. Pick up a copy of the novena and begin praying the novena on May 14.



American
Red Cross
Blood Drive

Monday, July 12, 2020 2 - 6 PM

Volunteers needed contact: Bridget Becker 235-2451, bbecker@sjvhf.org

To schedule a donation: Redcrossblood.org 1-800-Red-Cross

St. Vincent de Paul – Helping Friends in Need

May 9 - Sixth Sunday of Easter: In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "This is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you... You are my friends if you do what I command you." By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you fulfill this commandment.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at 507-399-8255 so that together we can help the suffering and poor to celebrate Easter hope and joy. If you're interested in helping those in need in our community please join us!

Our next St. Vincent de Paul Conference meeting will be held in the hospitality area on May 19 at 5:30 PM.



Did you miss Fr. Beerman's or Fr. Parrott's homily? If you missed any homilies this past year I would remind everyone that you can still watch past Masses online and read the past bulletins. Either "like" St. John Vianney Church Fairmont on Facebook where we livestream the Mass every weekend and most daily Masses along with other church happenings, or go to sjyhf.org and select communication-> 'Mass and homilies' or

'bulletins.' We also post each weekend's Mass to our YouTube channel.

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St. John Vianney Catholic School

We are holding our first ever virtual book fair until May 14th and **you are invited to shop!** St. John Vianney School is partnering with Good News! Book Fairs to offer an online book fair for our students, families, and friends. Anyone can order! The purchase that you make will be delivered directly to you within 7 days of placing your order. All purchases made over \$25 will receive free shipping. The school will earn a portion of each sale to be used to stock the shelves of our library! It's very easy to order!

Virtual Book Fair site: www.goodnewsbookfair.com/virtual-fair

Online School Code: SJV2021 (enter at checkout)

St. John Vianney School was well represented at the Regional Science Fair this year! We had some very successful participants!!

Brooklyn Stone (5th grade) – Second Place in the category of Biology

Tyler Slama (5th grade) – First Place in the category of Engineering

Michael Hamlet (5th grade) – Second Place in the category of Chemistry

Congratulations to Brooklyn, Tyler, and Michael!!! We are very proud of you!!!







SJV School Board

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SJV School Mission Statement:

The mission at St. John Vianney School is to provide a quality Catholic education based on the teachings of Jesus Christ.

FAITH JOURNEYS

New Members



Baptisms

Marriages

To Eternal Rest

Lambert "Junior" Zimmer—November 28, 2020 Diane Hendricks—April 30, 2021

For he commands his angels with regard to you, to guard you wherever you go. ~Psalm 91:11



Donna Arkell, Janet Atkinson. Amy Bacon, Andres Benes, Kathy Benes, Kenya Birkle, Jim Bittenbinder, David Bulfer, Sandy Bulfer, Jessica Caldwell, Deanna Cassem, Melinda Chambers, Toby Close, Donna Determan, Donna Duffey, Tom Eiden, Amber Eriksen, Jessica Erickson, Shirley Erickson, Joe Fitzpatrick, Lee Freeman, Sam Frisch, Scott Fulmer, Zac Gerhardt, Elaine Gilmore, Matt Gullett, Pam Hansen, Pat Hardt, Lorri Harris, Rich Harris, Cyndi Johnson, Juli Johnson, Robert Johnson, Betty Krueger, Dave Krueger, Jane Kruse, Karen Jarrett, Danny Kennedy, Millie Lang, Bonnie Larson, Marcia Leverson, Mitzi Lockwood, Janette Loe, Gary Maday, Malcolm Maday, Ron Maday, Virginia Maday, Joe Marushin, Loretta Mathiowetz, David Mau, Judith May, Tim Mee, Marty Minetto, Mike Newville, Lauren O'Donnell, Heather Olson, Linda Osmundsen, Uriah Pierce, Clayton Pytleski, Breck Remus, Anne Reutzel, MaryAnn Rieland, Sandy Roberts, Pat Samlaska, Joe Schissel, Sue Schissel, Joyce Schultz, Don Severson, Cindy Shank, Ed Sherwood, Larry & Betty Siegler, Karen Smith, Tony Stadler, Mason Streiff, Delores Style, Diane Sukalski, Kelly (Collins) Thompson, Anne Timmerman, Mark Trembley, Darrell Wannarka, Cole Wensel, Susan Wensel, Abbie White, Daniel Wilcox, Kate Winzenburg, Pat Witty, Mollie Wolter,

.....and any others in need of our prayers.

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