

Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:15 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Weekdays: 8:30 am Tues., Wed. & Fri., 7:00 am
Thurs. (Church) & 9:15 am Thurs. (Lake Shore Inn)

Televised Mass on Channel 8: 9:20 am Sunday and
4:00 pm Monday/Mediacom Channel 8 and 107.2
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Reconciliation

Saturday - 4:00 pm and
1/2 hour before Masses on Sunday

Baptism Preparation Sessions

Class for all expectant parents is required.

Marriage

Arrange at least 6 months in advance.

Parish Office Hours

9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
9:00 am to 1:00 pm Friday

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Staff

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Solemnity of our Lord Jesus

November 21, 2019

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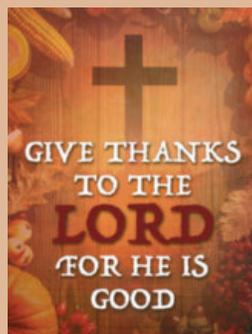
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." - Jn 18:37

Pilato le dijo: "¿Conque tú eres rey?" Jesús le contestó: "Tú lo has dicho. Soy rey. Yo nací y vine al mundo para ser testigo de la verdad. Todo el que es de la verdad, escucha mi voz". - Jn 18, 37

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Thanksgiving Mass will be at 10:00am on
November 25, 2021
Church Office will be closed
November, 25 and the 26, 2021

Last week we talked about the gospel, for the topic of this weekend will be the homily and the creed. We won't be talking in depth about the homily since it is self-explanatory. After the priest proclaims the gospel, the people of God sit and listen to the homily. The homily is used to teach about the significance of the scriptures that were for the Sunday Mass and how they still applied to our daily lives. The homily is a time to listen to our God and our priests, our spiritual fathers, who are guiding us to the path of holiness.

After the homily is done, the priest returns to his chair and sits quietly until the time to profess our faith. Every Sunday, we Catholics stand to profess our faith in a very public way by reciting the Nicene- Constantinople Creed. It is very easy to write this part off as a part where we stand to recite a long prayer that I have no idea of what I am saying.

This Creed is the summary of the main beliefs that we as Catholics hold to be true. This creed was originally very short and was made public in the year of 325 as well as revisions in the year of 381. The bishops of the time held a large council to talk about theological issues that were plaguing the church during the time. The Bishops met in the city of Nicea for the council to draft this creed and to spread it throughout all of the Catholic Church. The creed goes through our history. It talks about how we view God as One Triune God. He is our Heavenly Father who is all powerful and almighty. He is the one that created our whole world and everything that exists in our world. He created the physical world as well as the invisible world. We believe in Jesus who is the Son of God, a divine human being with two natures: human and divine. It goes in depth to all of the three persons within the Trinity. Then it talks about the sacraments which are found within the Catholic Church such as baptism, reconciliation, and the rewards of eternal life made possible through the power of Jesus' Resurrection.

Many martyrs and saints have died for their faith and for this creed. They never just "said" the creed. They prayed with it for about three years if they were in the process of becoming Catholic. They were instructed about the Creed first even before they were exposed to the liturgy.

Let us take our time in praying and professing our faith proudly when it comes to stand our profess our faith. Let the creed be shown through our lives and the way that we live for Jesus.

Sincerely, Fr. The



Offering of First Fruits

May ending 10/31/21	Week	Month to Date	Year to Date
Adult Envelope	\$ 5,418.29	\$ 12,055.51	\$205,656.93
Other Income	\$ 860.20	\$ 865.20	\$234,552.44
Total Income	\$ 6,278.49	\$12,920.71	\$440,209.37
YTD Income/Deficit	\$ 374,914.60		
	\$ 65,294.77		

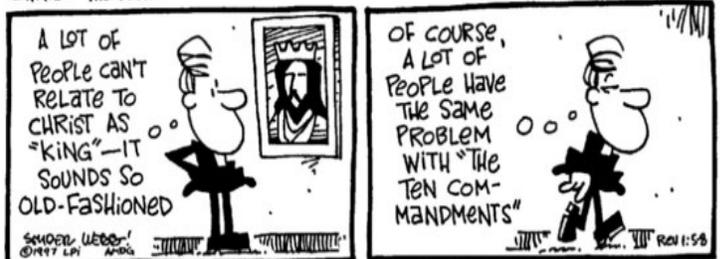
	Goal	Pledged to date
Catholic Ministries Appeal	\$ 49,284.00	\$ 30,115.00
# of Donors	Percent to goal	Remaining Balance
108	61.11%	\$19,169.00



Our sympathy and prayers goes out to families and friends of *Rosemary Britton And Dolores Tuma*



CHRIST THE KING





Readings for the week of November 21, 2021

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37
Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61 [59b]/Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 [59b]/Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-36
Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 [1b]/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Sharing the Gospel with Children
Sharing the Gospel

Everyone who belongs to the truth knows God's voice. When you turn your head and put your hands over your ears, you will not hear God's voice. You will say unkind words. You will do mean things. When you listen to God's voice, you will choose to follow the commandments. You will do for others what you would want them to do for you. Then, God will welcome you to his kingdom in heaven.

Prayer

Lord, help me recognize your voice and do your will.

Something to Draw

Draw yourself listening as God talks to you from a television set.

Mission for the Week

God takes sins away. I will take the trash away for my family.

- LPiResourceCenter.com



We will hold parent-teacher conferences, for grades **K-4**, on Monday, November 22, and Tuesday, November 23, from 3:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. In order to make conferences a profitable one, we would like to suggest some things you may want to ask and things you may want to share with the teacher.

You may want to ask the teacher:

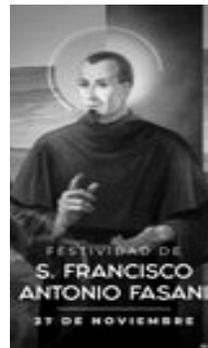
1. Does my child participate in class?
2. Does my child demonstrate self-control?
3. How does my child get along with other children?
4. Does my child seem happy in school?

You may want to share with the teacher:

1. Which school activities your child talks about at home.
2. If anything has happened lately at home/school that might affect your child's performance.
3. What are your child's strengths and weaknesses?

Sharing information about your child with his/her teacher will enable us to provide a learning program that will best meet the needs of your child.

Yours In Christ,
LeAnn Dahle



St. Francesco Antonio Fasani | Feast Day November 27

St. Francesco Antonio Fasani (1681 – 1742) lived his whole life as a loving, devout, and atoning man. He entered the Conventual Franciscans in 1695, and 10 years later taught philosophy to younger friars, served as guardian of his friary, and eventually became provincial minister. When his term of office ended, St. Francesco became master of novices and finally pastor in his hometown of Lucera.

Known throughout his various ministries as being loving, devout, and penitential, he was also a well-known confessor and preacher. St. HeSFrancesco was a loyal friend of the poor and worked tirelessly to find ways to support them. He was a mystic with such a profound prayer life and supernatural gifts that he was known to levitate during prayer. He was canonized in 1986 by Pope John Paul II.



Jesus answered, "My kingdom does not belong to this world. If my kingdom did belong to this world, my attendants would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not here." — Jn 18:36

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GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

November 21, 2021

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

We often come to life expecting all of the pieces of the puzzle to nicely fit together. We want and expect harmony, order, and fairness, the achievement of rewards for good behavior, good health, and happiness. We can more easily accept death when it comes naturally after a good long life, but have a real difficulty comprehending the meaning of it all when it is cut short. Willing to put in a good measure of effort, we desire positive results. When things go wrong and life gets hurtful, unjust, and downright ugly, we become unsettled and can quickly fall into despair. This is especially true if we are people of faith who believe in a God who sees things on our terms and works in favor of our life agenda. What happens to our faith when we find ourselves sitting in a mess?

Does it help to know that God understands and that hardship, failure, disappointment, injustice, confusion, and all of life's ugliness do not make faith irrelevant or irrational? God is wonderfully and surprising creative! He turns the tables on not only our understanding of life, but of what it means to be a king. God sends us a king who is not exempt from life's ills but embraces them. The king that God gives to us knows what it means to be poor, suffer insults, be ridiculed, face rejection, endure suffering, be betrayed, and face a most unjust and horrific death. This is our king. Jesus is not a king of prestige or grandeur but a king who brings light to darkness, hope to despair, sinners to mercy, and new life out of death. Christ dances before us pleading with us to hold on, cling to love, avoid being negative, stop feeling cheated, and be strong in faith! There may be hardship and disappointment now but there are more surprises to come.

Once we understand this truth, we will also understand that we are on a most incredible and awesome universal journey to Christ and becoming one in Christ. We all carry within us the image of God, the image of our suffering king. The One who lives in us also lives in all of our brothers and sisters. Failing to see this universal Divine Presence in all is one of the greatest mistakes we can make, for we also fail to see God, our king, as well. There are many things that can bring hardship to life. If we keep our head about us and do not lose hope, we can persevere and strive for the greatest degree of justice possible. Even though there are ample things that can challenge our faith, we also know that our deepest joy comes from union with God and our brothers and sisters. One day, the fullness of that joy will be ours to have when we are all eternally one with Christ our King forever. ©LP



For the Week of
November 20 -

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20

5:15 pm **Mass** † Evelyn Kahnke

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

8:00 am **Mass** † People of Sacred Heart

10:00 am **Mass** † Lester & Thelma Magee

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22 St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

5:00 am Monday to 5:00 pm Friday Eucharistic Adoration

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

8:30 am **Mass** † David Masberg

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24 St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc, Priest, and
Companions Martyrs

8:30 am **Mass** † Andy Stolach

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25 St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin
and Martyr; Thanksgiving Day

10:00am Thanksgiving **Mass** † Russell Dahnert

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26

8:30 am **Mass** Bill & Shirley Riegert

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27 BVM

5:15 pm **Mass** † Romon Juarez

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28 1st Sunday of Advent

8:00 am **Mass** † Cecilia Johnson

10:00 am **Mass** † People of Sacred Heart

Eucharistic Adoration Notes

You were created to know God and have a close, personal relationship with Him—a life-changing experience that will affect every aspect of your life and bring you joy, hope and purpose like nothing else!

For this and for those we love, "Lord we thank you for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities. We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen." (USCCB) How do we respond to all we are given? Christ the King asks us to look deeply into the eyes and soul of our sisters and brothers, all of them, and see Christ himself. Being a spectator and observing all of the pageantry isn't enough. Jesus wants us to inherit the kingdom and **live the kingdom**. It is built on the blocks of love, mercy, compassion, hope, faith, and blessing. It engages those who want it, changes and informs minds, inspires and transforms hearts, converts and renews souls.

All are welcome to make some time when possible to thank Our Lord, Christ Our King, in His Real Presence, in our adoration chapel on Thanksgiving Day (adoration hours as scheduled).



Waseca
Community Choirs'
Christmas Concert
 Sunday, November 28, 2021
 4:00 pm Sacred Heart Church
 Admission: Free Will Offering for Local Charities

Faith Formation/Youth Ministry News and Notes

Youth Faith Formation Topics: Nov 21st- Nov 27th

Sun. Nov 21st
@ 7:00 PM-8:30 PM

Pre-Confirmation: "The Cross and Altar". Teens will be provided with an understanding of the Mass as the one Sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the cross, and be challenged to unite their own sacrifices with the cross at Mass.

Confirmation: Ministry Night. The candidates will learn about several ministries in our parish and select one in which to serve.

Wed. Nov 24th
 No K-8 classes.

Have a blessed Thanksgiving!

Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, pray for us!

SACRED HEART SCHOOL
Winter Fest
JANUARY 29-30, 2022

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 2022
 Concessions, Raffles, Meat Raffles & More Available Throughout the Day

- Bingo | 2:00 p.m. at The Mill
- Kid's Activities | 2:00-4:00 p.m. at The Mill
- Silent Auction | 2:00-8:30 p.m. at The Mill
- Pork Commercial Dinner | 4:30-7:00 p.m. at The Mill
- Mass | 5:15 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church
- Music | 7:00 p.m. at The Mill

Music Featuring Whiskey Whiskers - Mark Denn, Mike Denn & Brad Wendland

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 2022
 Concessions Available

- Mass | 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church
- Pancake Breakfast | 9:00-11:30 a.m. at The Mill
- Early Bird Bingo | Noon at The Mill
- Super Bingo | 1:00 p.m. at The Mill

Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive



In the month of November and will continue until the weekend after Thanksgiving. Dec 1, bring in a perishable food items and monetary donations will be given to the Waseca County Food Shelf for those in need. Please give generously to those less fortunate. Please donations in the wooden box in the north entrance

Congratulations to Matt Johansen,



pictured in the center here who on Sunday, November 14th during the 10:00 Mass at Sacred Heart church, became a professed Secular Franciscan in the St. John Paul II Fraternity of Secular Franciscans. Secular Franciscans do not take vows but make a public promise during the Mass to live the gospel, of Jesus Christ according to the rule of St. Francis of Assisi. Worldwide there are over 300,000 members with over 12,000 in the U.S. The local Fraternity has members from Janesville, Owatonna, and Waseca. For more information about Secular Franciscans, you may find brochures and contact information in the church entrance.

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