

### 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 8/107.2

### 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

**Pastor** Fr. Thê Hoáng **Email** thoang@dowr.org

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# Church of the SACRED HEART

Sixth Easter Sunday

May 22, 2022

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## Congratulations on your CONFIRMATION...

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*Jose Johansen*

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*Anna Mulcahey*

*Evelyn O'Brien*

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*Caitlin Slattery*

*Ethan Stenzel*

*Kyrie Walker*



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Thank you to those who have responded generously to my announcement of our short fall last week! May God bless you for all that you do and all of your sacrifices for this parish and this school!

We continue to pray and believe in the goodness of God with greater zeal because He works miracles everyday. He also has given us a great treasure in our blessed mother, Mary. Last week, I talked about the powerful prayer of Our Lady Undoer of the Knots. For this week, I want to talk about the beautiful prayer of the rosary. We had our first rosary procession in a long time on the evening of the feast day of Our Lady of Fatima. It was a beautiful day for it as well. A great thank you to those who were involved in making it happen.

I wanted to take the time to talk about how powerful the rosary is when we pray it. The rosary is a prayer that leads us through the life and death of Jesus Christ. It helps us to see Jesus through the eyes of His Mother Mary. She was a model of continual prayer and humility. She was always discerning the Will of God and we see this concretely how she often said yes to God. She said yes to God with great faith even when things seem to be impossible. She said yes to God to become the Mother of God and she was faithful to him in every aspect. I recall those powerful words of Mary at the wedding feast of Cana, she tells Jesus that they have run out of wine and proceeds to tell the servants to do whatever He tells you. This is the lesson of the Holy Rosary that we are able to submit our will to God. We are asking for Mary's help to aid us in this process. The rosary consists of 4 prayers: Apostles Creed, Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be followed by the Fatima Prayer. The reason for the repetition of these prayers is that it allows our mind to move to contemplation and meditation. We can engage in a conversation with Mary and ask her to present these needs to Jesus just like we saw with the miracle at the wedding feast of Cana.

It is also a powerful weapon against Satan and Mary made it known when she appeared to St. Dominic with the rosary. St. Padre Pio has been quoted saying that the rosary solves all problems because we are being taught to pray with faith that all will be well when God is in control.

Sincerely,

Fr. Thê Hoang

Updates around the Parish

We will have activities coming up for the parish such as on June 18, 2022 after the 5:15pm Mass we will have a bonfire. Please bring your own beverages, snacks and s'mores and lawn chairs to sit. We will meet in the parking lot of the school but the playground area.

June 25, 2022, We will have our parish retreat and Sister Marie Dey will be speaking on Grace. We will begin with 9am Mass, then we will have breakfast. We will also have some quiet time for prayer before and after the talk. Then we will have a talk from Sister Marie Dey about Grace.



Offering of First Fruits

5/10/22 - 5/16/2	Week	Month to Date	Year to Date
Adult Envelope	\$ 23,512.91	\$40,062.62	\$617,117.00
Other Income	\$ 4,270.53	\$ 60,489.60	\$769,226.28
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 27,783.44</b>	<b>\$100,552.22</b>	<b>\$1,386,343.28</b>

Church Expenses Year to date \$ 653,475.21  
 School Expenses Year to date \$ 602,551.87

Catholic Ministries Appeal	Goal	Pledged to date
	\$ 49,337.00	\$16,285.00
# of Donors	Percent to goal	Remaining Balance
60	33.01%	\$ 33,052.00

Catholic Ministries Appeal Shortfall for 2021 \$13,159.00



Please remember in your prayers all those of our parish who are ill or injured, especially, **Jean Byron, Marlene Robinson, Darcy Barnes, Donna Harguth, Richard Olsen, Tom Collins, Lowell Denn, Lorelle Sexton, Harold Schleppe, Jeanne Hofmeister, Loraine Smith, Russ Ingram, Theresa Neigebauer, Angel Teran, Carol Anthony, Esther Quevedo, Rich Perreault, Norma Bonnie-Baffoe, Marilyn Smith, Max Lande, Alice Waligoski, Greg Pittman, Bea O'Brien and Sam Baidoo.** Call the parish office at 835-1222 if you or anyone you know is in need of prayers.



Knights of Columbus Calendar Winners  
 May 23-29,

May 23, 2022	Violet Hughes	\$50.00
May 24, 2022	Helen Kleaver	\$75.00
May 25, 2022	Barb Feist	\$50.00
May 26, 2022	Lisa Hayes	\$50.00
May 27, 2022	Marty Roeker	\$100.00
May 28, 2022	Keith Johnson	\$50.00
May 29, 2022	Norman Johnson	\$50.00



The parish has a need for 3-4-Drawer locking steel filing cabinets that holds standard size paper. If anyone has any to donate please call the rectory Office 835-1222.

Thank you in advance for your help.



Readings for the week of May 22, 2022

**Sunday:** Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

**Monday:** Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

**Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/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/ Jn 16:16-20  
Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/  
Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53

**Friday:** Acts 18:9-18/ /Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

**Saturday:** Acts 18:23-28/ Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28

**Next Sunday:** Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/ Eph 1:17-23 or

Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53 Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 7:55-60/

Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

**Sharing the Gospel with Children**

**Sharing the Gospel**

Jesus wants you to love him so much that you will always do what he asks. Jesus knows that if you put God first, you will have peace. Instead of wanting more toys, you will be happy to share them. Instead of wanting to get your own way, you will enjoy taking turns. You will feel good helping other people.

**Prayer**

Dear God, change my heart so that I want to put you and other people first.

**Something to Draw**

Draw a picture of yourself giving one of your own toys to a child who has none.

**Mission for the Week**

I will invite a friend over to play. I will share and take turns.

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Jesus said to his disciples: “The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.” — Jn 14:26-27a

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The students are excited about spring, the end of the school year and summer break. We will celebrate the end of our school year with Mass and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation on Friday, May 27, at 1:30 p.m. I find this time of year exciting as well because it gives me the time to reflect on all the wonderful things that have happened with the students. I know my own faith is stronger because I had the opportunity to share experiences with your child and the rest of the students in the school.

Report cards and final bills will be mailed on Friday, June 10, 2022. **All final bills for registration and SHARP need to be paid by the end of our fiscal year Thursday, June 30, 2022.**

Sacred Heart School is accredited by MNSAA (Minnesota Non-public School Accrediting Association). The school is required to complete an annual report in June and every seven years a self-study to develop a school strategic plan for renewal of accreditation status. The School Strategic Plan and Annual report is available for parishioners to review on the school website [www.sacredheartschoolwaseca.com](http://www.sacredheartschoolwaseca.com). Copies are also available in the school office upon request.

We recognize the sacrifice parishioners have made to support our Catholic school and again thank you for the gift you have given our children of Sacred Heart. Your continued support and prayers are appreciated.

Yours in Christ,

LeAnn Dahle

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Sacred Heart School in Waseca, Minnesota is seeking a full-time Fourth Grade Teacher. Applicants must hold a Minnesota State Teacher License in Elementary Education. Applicants should send a letter of interest, a resume with credentials and references to LeAnn Dahle, Principal of Sacred Heart School at 308 West Elm Avenue, Waseca MN 56093, or email [dahle@sacredheartschoolwaseca.com](mailto:dahle@sacredheartschoolwaseca.com)

6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER





**GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**

**May 22, 2022**  
**6th Sunday of Easter**

Jesus tells his disciples, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you." The peace that Jesus gives is far different than the kind that comes from the absence of war, conflict, or affliction. The peace that God offers is found alongside suffering and hardship, not necessarily in their absence. St. Teresa of Avila offers us a bit of wisdom regarding peace: "May today there be peace within. May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be. May you not forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith. May you use those gifts that you have received and pass on the love that has been given to you. May you be content knowing you are a child of God. Let this presence settle into your bones and allow your soul the freedom to sing, dance, praise, and love. It is there for each and every one of us."

In order for us to experience the divine peace that Jesus offers, we have to allow God's presence to settle into our bones! It is only when this happens that we can be truly taught by the Holy Spirit to discern the true path to peace and find ourselves with untroubled hearts. The world and our lives are so unpredictable and changeable. If we look for a source of lasting and real peace only there, our search will never be satisfied. Something will always unsettle and disturb us. The Jewish disciples could really relate to what Jesus was saying about peace (shalom). They already knew that it was more a matter of achieving wholeness and wellbeing than anything else.

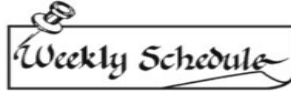
Wholeness and wellbeing are precisely what is uncovered when we begin to really see and know the height, depth, and breadth of God's presence and promise. The elegance of God's Divine life flows through our blood and the marrow in our bones. It is that close and deep. As we breathe in and exhale God's life, peace becomes what we know within and what is exhaled out. This remains in the midst of intense conflict, persecution, suffering, rejection, and even death. ©LPi



**St. Rita of Cascia | May 22**

St. Rita of Cascia (1381 – 1457) had the opportunity to live her life as a wife, mother, widow, and eventually, member of a religious community. Born in central Italy, St. Rita felt the calling to become a nun, but was pressured at a young age into marriage. During her 18-year marriage to a cruel man, she raised two sons. When her husband was killed in a brawl and her sons died, St. Rita decided to go back to her first love and attempted to join the Augustinian nuns in Cascia. Her status as a widow

caused some complications to her entering, but she eventually succeeded in professing vows. Throughout her lifetime, St. Rita of Cascia was known for her prayerfulness and charity. She also experienced stigmata on her forehead, meditated frequently on Christ's passion, and cared for the nuns of her religious community and those in the lay community who came to her for counsel.



**For the Week of ....**  
**May 21– 29**

**SATURDAY, MAY 21**

5:15 pm **Mass** † Shirley Frederick

**SUNDAY, MAY 22** 6th Sunday of Easter; St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

8:00 am **Mass** † Dale Schons

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

**MONDAY, MAY 23**

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

**TUESDAY, MAY 24**

8:30 am **Mass** † Jose Teran

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 25** St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin

8:30 am **Mass** † Jeff Dahle

**THURSDAY, MAY 26** St. Philip Neri, Priest

7:00 am **Mass** † Art & Alice Hutchens Family

**FRIDAY, MAY 27** St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

8:30 am **Mass** † Philip Langr

**SATURDAY, MAY 28**

5:15 pm **Mass** † People of Sacred Heart

**SUNDAY, MAY 29** 7th Sunday of Easter; The Ascension of the Lord, St. Paul VI, Pope; World Communications Day

8:00 am **Mass** † Rhea Palm

10:00 am **Mass** † Mildred, Karen and Jack Harguth

**Eucharistic Adoration Notes**

**PRAYER FOR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:** Lord, You send out Your Spirit to touch the hearts of all people, so that they may believe in You and in Jesus whom You sent. Look kindly on all candidates for Confirmation as they listen to Your voice. Open their hearts to Your Spirit and bring to fulfillment the good work that You have begun in them. As they prepare for Confirmation, make each of us an instrument of Your love. Teach us to appreciate what is holy in others, and to be patient with what we do not understand. Deepen our faith in the Gospel and help us to pass it on by our example. We pray that You will continue to guide us and sustain us. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

We hope and invite all candidates, sponsors, and families to continue their faith journey in Eucharistic Adoration. With the completion of the school year and the beginning of summer vacations, it would be a wonderful blessing if more people can dedicate an hour to be with Jesus in adoration. Check the sub needed book at the chapel bookshelf and sign in to sub for a specific date/hour as much as you can. Adorers are needed on a regular basis Mondays 1:00 pm; Tuesdays 4:00 pm; Thursdays 10:00 am and 1:00 pm. Thank you!! Contact 461-3123



**Faith Corner**

If you would like to have a question answered in the Faith Corner email father Thê at [thoang@dowr.org](mailto:thoang@dowr.org)





**Baccalaureate Mass**

**Sunday, May 22, 10:00 am Mass**

All graduating seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend so that we may honor their accomplishments.

*Congratulations Class of 2022*



*Thank You*

The Knights of Columbus wish to thank everyone for the help with our recent fundraisers! The 40 cans for 40 days food drive brought in over 1,500 pounds of food for the local food shelf. Thank you to all who donated!

The Tootsie Roll fundraiser at Walmart and after Masses raised \$2,378 for the 2 local Special Olympics groups!

We truly appreciate the continued generous support of our council!

**Faith Formation/Youth Ministry News and Notes**

**Summer Youth Events**

Register at <https://sacredheartwaseca.org/faith-formation>



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