



PRESENTATION OF MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 17, 2022 | 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcoming our Greatest Guest

Our families need to ask for the gift of the Spirit! Through prayer, even in the busiest times, we give time back to God, we find the peace that comes from appreciating the important things, and we encounter the joy of God's unexpected gifts. Through daily prayer may our homes become, like the house of Martha and Mary, places where Jesus always finds a warm welcome (Pope Francis). "While it is necessary to attend to the details of hospitality, learning how to be present to people, experiences, and God is sometimes more important. Creating homes that are welcoming environments requires not only organization and structure but members who truly enjoy being there and celebrating life with one another.

Details can often get the best of us. While attending to details is important to success, our obsession with them can be problematic. Whether wanting to make a good impression, fear of failure, insecurity, or emotional immaturity, throwing ourselves into the "details" of hospitality can distract us from being present to those we want to serve. Conversely, focusing exclusively on being present without any attention to detail also sets our attempts at hospitality up for disaster! We need a balance of both. But creating a truly welcoming space in our homes and within ourselves requires still more.

We have to be empty of ourselves. Becoming a welcoming, hospitable person is not possible in someone focused on their own needs and desires. If the one we serve is the one who looks back at us in the mirror, then there is no space for anyone else. While Martha and Mary had different ideas of what it means to serve, they both had the inner space and freedom to do so. They were detached from themselves. Detachment becomes the challenge to hospitality and creating a God-centered, open-hearted space in our lives. When we impulsively act out of our personal agendas, violence, abuse, pride, greed, lust, power, control, passion, and self-aggrandizement encroach upon the space needed to be present to another human being. Not only can others not find a home in us, but even God cannot find a home in us!

May we all take time this week to make space in ourselves for the most important guest of all, Jesus our Lord.

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Worship & Prayer

Go to: facebook.com/PBVMChurch

Weekend Mass Times

Saturdays: 5:00pm

Sundays: 9:30am

Daily Mass Times

Tues-Thurs @ 8:00am; Fri @ 8:45am

Adoration: Mon-Fri, 2pm-12am

Sacraments

Reconciliation

Tues & Thurs, 5:00-5:45pm

Sat, 4:00-4:45pm

Baptism, First Communion,

Confirmation, Matrimony,

Anointing & Funerals: Contact Parish Office.

Find Us

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Email: mail@presentationofmary.org

Office Hours: 8:30am-4:30pm M-F

School Office: 651.777.5877

Preschool Office: 651.770.3093

CHURCH NEWS

Kenney Hall & Gym Rental

We are opening Kenney Hall & the School Gym up for rental opportunities. If you are interested in renting either space for an event please contact the Parish Office at 651-777-8116 or mail@presentationofmary.org.

Thank you! Thanks to everyone that helped make our Sunday Fun Day Parish Picnic possible and to all of you that came to enjoy good food and fellowship. We certainly are blessed with a wonderful community!



Raffle Tickets for the Parish Fall Festival are available to pick up in the Kennard Street entrance. Don't forget to grab yours to start selling and buying!!

WE did it!

Thanks to the incredible generosity of our families, friends, alumni, and parishioners, we not only met the \$75,000 matching gift challenge, we surpassed it! The total amount raised as of June 30th was just over **\$80,000!**

Thank YOU for **Raising Your Hand** for Presentation of Mary School, and please **keep it raised!** Share our story with others and let them know that our enrollment is open and to contact us so we can give them a personal call and tour of our beautiful school.

*Saint Pope John Paul II and Mother Mary, please continue to **raise your hands** for Presentation School!*



UPCOMING EVENTS

National Night Out Celebration!

We will be hosting a National Night Out celebration on Tuesday, August 2nd from 6-8pm in the Lower Parking Lot. Mark your calendars for this fun, family event and stay tuned for further details.

Grief to Grace is a powerful 5-day overnight healing retreat for the wounds of abuse. It is for anyone who suffered degradation as a child, adolescent, or adult. Facilitated in safety by lay, clerical, & mental health professionals using trauma-informed therapies, and centered on Christ, it will help you overcome the pain and grief of past abuse and reclaim your dignity!

Website: <https://www.griegtogracesn.org/>

Now REGISTERING for retreats in AUGUST 24-29 or NOVEMBER 6-11. Contact Diane at 612-440-7247 or diane@griegtogracesn.org.

As a reminder there will be no Reconciliation offered on Thursday, July 14th or Tuesday, July 19th.

Spend time with Jesus!

"Good friends find pleasure in one another's company. Let us know pleasure in the company of our best Friend, a Friend who can do everything for us, a friend who loves us beyond measure. Here in the Blessed Sacrament we can talk to him straight from the heart."

-St Alphonsus de Liguori

New adoration hours are now open Monday through Friday, 2:00 p.m. to Midnight.

Contact Barb Kleiter at 651-774-1172 or log on to <https://presentation.weadorehim.com> to sign up for an adoration hour or scan the QR code below.



PANTHER NEWS



You're invited to a DJ Dance Party! Get ready to bust a move! This is a fun, FREE, family event. We will have a DJ on hand in our Lower Parking Lot playing great music as well as dinner, beverages, and treats to enjoy. Bring your friends, family, and a chair or blanket for seating. Please RSVP at <https://presentationofmaryschool.org/dj-dance-party/> or by scanning the QR code to the right. **Everyone that RSVP's and comes to the event will be entered into a prize drawing!**



We need YOU to help at Maintenance Nights! There are some maintenance/remodeling jobs to work on in the school building over the summer and we need as many families as possible to lend a hand! Our July dates are **Wednesday, July 20th & Thursday, July 21st**. Meet at door S4 on Kennard Street at 5:30 to begin work. Bring your friends and family and earn some service hours for the upcoming school year!

Do you know anyone looking for a welcoming community and an excellent academic environment for their children? Presentation of Mary School welcomes children from infancy through eighth grade. Visit our website at presentationofmaryschool.org for more information.



Let's be friends!

Facebook: pbvmschool | **Instagram:** presentationschool

MASS INTENTIONS AND CALENDAR

Sunday, July 17 - 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:30am Mass Intention († Katie McNeeley)

Monday, July 18 - St Camillus de Lellis

Tuesday, July 19

8:00am Mass Intention († Bill Sandercock)

No Reconciliation today

5:30pm DJ Dance Party (Lower Parking Lot)

Wednesday, July 20 - St Apollinaris

8:00am Mass Intention († Harry & Fran Bauer)

5:30pm Maintenance Night (Meet at Door S4)

Thursday, July 21 - St Lawrence of Brindisi

Mass Intention († Jane Patock)

10:00am Visitation for Vivian Forsberg (C)

11:00am Funeral Mass for Vivian Forsberg (C)

12:00pm Funeral Luncheon for Vivian Forsberg (KH)

5:00pm Reconciliation (C)

5:30pm Maintenance Night (Meet at Door S4)

6:00pm SAC Meeting (Mary's Room)

Friday, July 22 - St Mary Magdalene

8:45am Mass Intention († Deceased Members of the Sachi Family)

Saturday, July 23 - St Bridget

4:00pm Reconciliation (C)

5:00pm Mass Intention († Tom Nichols)

Sunday, July 24 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am Mass Intention (For the People)



Rest In Peace

Please remember in your prayers
Vivian Forsberg.
Our sympathy to her family and friends.

HEO Welcomes Food Donations

Donations of canned and dry goods can be brought to church or the parish office to help feed those in need. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

JULY 18TH - JULY 24TH

Monday, July 18

Mi 6:1-8/Ps 50:5-9, 16-23/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday, July 19

Mi 7:14-20/Ps 85:2-8/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday, July 20

Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1--6, 15, 17/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday, July 21

Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-11/Mt 13:10-17

Friday, July 22

Sg 3:1-4 or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday, July 23

Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3-11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday, July 24

Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-8/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13



Divine Word Missionaries

Fr. Akizou Gerard Kamina SVD will be at Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary parish this weekend to speak about the many ministries of his religious community, Divine

Word Missionaries. They are an international religious community of missionary priests and Brothers serving in 79 countries helping to build chapels, celebrate the sacraments, and spread the Word of God in remote mission communities.

Nearly 6,000 active Divine Word Missionaries minister in the far corners of the world. They build hospitals to care for the sick and schools to educate the poor. They teach the hungry to farm, and they provide life's necessities - water, food, and shelter - in impoverished communities. These priests and Brothers help those neglected and forgotten by society to build a better future. They also foster vibrant Catholic communities of service and faith around the world.

This mission appeal is part of the Missionary Cooperative Program of our Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis. Please be generous with your prayers and contribute to the second collection to help support the work of Divine Word Missionaries. To meet some of the people Divine Word Missionaries help, please read the stories at <https://missionimpact.svdmissions.org/mission-update>.



The Loaves & Fishes Collection will be taken **next weekend**. Please drop donations in the canisters located at all the entrances. Your support allows us to purchase the food which we prepare and serve monthly at Dorothy Day.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend contributions for July 9 & 10, 2022

	<u>WEEKLY</u>	<u>YEAR-TO-DATE</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$7,940	\$14,424
Electronic Contributions	\$3,960	\$8,977
Total Contributions	\$11,900	\$23,401
Budget	TBD	TBD
Variance	TBD	TBD

Renew Funds Collected \$456

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