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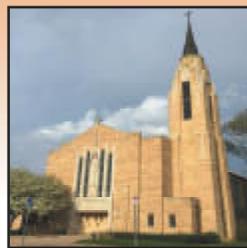
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BAPTISM: Please call the rectory.

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Notary Services please call the rectory to set up an appointment,
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13th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

So he went in and said to them,
“Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep.” - Mk 5:39

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PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our tribulation, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also. Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving Father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness. As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven. Amen.

Mass Program —13th Sunday of Ordinary Time – June 26-27, 2021

OPENING HYMN: “Alleluia – Love is Alive”

1. People of God, see the morning is new; rise from your sleeping and run to the tomb.
Come and see! Come and see! He is alive! A grave that is empty, a promise fulfilled.
God who was with us is here with us still. He is here! He is here! He is alive!

Refrain: Alleluia! Love is alive; conquered the grave and defeated the night.

Alleluia! Love is alive! The Son has arisen for all. Your people sing alleluia!

2. People of God, let your fear fall away. Your chains have been broken; abandon your shame.
Lift your hearts! Lift your hearts! He is alive! Here now is mercy embracing your soul;
Here the fulfillment that once was foretold. It is true! It is true! He is alive! **Refrain:**

PENITENTIAL ACT (*Confiteor*)

I confess to Almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, God, Almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

— LITURGY OF THE WORD --

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Responsorial Psalm: R. *I will praise you Lord, for you have rescued me.*

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

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— LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST --

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (*Sanctus*)

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD (*Agnus Dei*)

COMMUNION HYMN “Rain Down”

Refrain: Rain down, rain down, rain down your love on your people.

Rain down, rain down, rain down your love, God of life.

1. Faithful and true is the word of our God. All of God's works are so worthy of trust.

God's mercy falls on the just and the right; full of God's love is the earth. **Refrain:**

2. We who revere and find hope in our God, live in the kindness and joy of God's wing.

God will protect us from darkness and death; God will not leave us to starve. **Refrain:**

3. God of creation, we long for your truth; you are the water of life that we thirst.

Grant that your love and your peace touch our hearts, all of our hope lies in you. **Refrain:**

ANIMA CHRISTI (*Prayer After Communion*)

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O Good Jesus, hear me. Within your wounds hide me.

Separated from you, let me never be. From the evil one protect me. At the hour of my death, call me,

And close to you bid me that with your saints I may be praising you for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

CLOSING HYMN “Give Thanks To The Lord”

1. Give thanks to the Lord who does wondrous deeds, who masters the winds and the raging seas,

Refrain: whose love is for ever, whose love is for ever, whose love is for ever more!

2. Give thanks to the God who has blessed our land, who guards ev'ry step with a mighty hand, **Refrain:**

3. O, bless the Lord for ev'ry gift that comes to grace our way. And praise the God of faithfulness,

who comes to light our day. **Refrain:**

4. Give thanks to the God of the summer rains, who spreads out the hills and the golden plains, **Refrain:**

A Note AFTER Surgery:

What I thought was going to be a 3 to 5 day hospital stay turned into five. The operation was just about four hours long as predicted. I don't remember much after that except that when I was being wheeled into my room I muttered that it sure could use some redecorating. Well, it could. The medical and nursing staff at the Nebraska Spine Hospital within Immanuel Health Center was attentive and kind. The food was actually quiet good. I was, of course, put on quite a regimen of pills, steroids and morphine injections which were discontinued after a couple of days. Now everything is delivered orally.

The wound is a good 6" long considering three vertebrae are now joined together. It remains quite tender but there are no signs of infection. It is very painful when I try to get out of bed but I try to make a special offering of each inconvenience. Walking is very painful for the most part right now but I am able to offer Mass sitting down in a small room on the first floor of the rectory now serving as a chapel. I can sit up for about 30 minutes at a time to try to catch up on a few things. My concentration is a bit limited. I prepared and froze many different kinds of single servings of things in advance.

I don't know when I will be able to get back out into the gardens at both places but am grateful to those who are. I am particularly grateful for the continued remembrances many of offer for me your prayers. I'm sure the anointing of the sick I received before the surgery has helped a great deal.

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What does the Catholic Church teach about cremation? Part 1

(This information is taken from The Rite of Christian Funerals, the ritual book used for all Catholic funeral services in the United States. It is a repeat of something I put in this column a couple of years ago that bears repeating.)

The practice of cremation has grown and become more commonplace in the United States, and it is often presented as a more affordable alternative to traditional burial. What is often overlooked is the Church's teaching regarding the respect and honor due to the human body. This week's installment is taken from the Introduction to the section for cremation.

"The Christian faithful are unequivocally confronted by the mystery of life and death when they are faced with the presence of the body of one who has died. Moreover, the body which lies in death naturally recalls the personal story of

faith, the loving family bonds, the friendships, and the words and acts of kindness of the deceased person. Indeed, the human body is inextricably associated with the human person, which acts and is experienced by others through that body. It is the body whose hands clothed the poor and embraced the sorrowing."

"The body of a deceased Catholic Christian is also the body once washed in baptism, anointed with the oil of salvation, and fed with the Bread of Life. Thus, the Church's reverence for the sacredness of the human body grows out of a reverence and concern both natural and supernatural for the human person. The body of the deceased brings forcefully to mind the Church's conviction that the human body is in Christ a temple of the Holy Spirit and is destined for future glory at the resurrection of the dead. **This conviction in faith funds its expression in a sustained and insistent prayer that commends the deceased person to God's merciful care so that his or her place in the communion of the just may be assured. A further expression is the care traditionally taken to prepare the bodies of the deceased for a burial that befits their dignity, in expectation of their final resurrection in the Lord."**

"A joyful heart is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones!"
Proverbs 17:2

Some Practical Advice from St. Gregory of Nyssa on Christian Perfection:

The life of the Christian has three distinguishing aspects: deeds, words and thought. Thought comes first, then words, since our words express openly the interior conclusions of the mind. Finally, after thoughts and words, comes action, for our deeds carry out what the mind has conceived. **So when one of these results in our acting or speaking or thinking, we must make sure that all our thoughts, words and deeds are controlled by the divine ideal, the revelation of Christ. For then our thoughts, words and deeds will not fall short of the nobility of their implications.**

What then must we do, we who have been found worthy of the name of Christ? Each of us must examine his thoughts, words and deeds, to see whether they are directed toward Christ or are turned away from him. This examination is carried out in various ways. Our deeds or our thoughts or our words are not in harmony with Christ if they issue from passion. They then bear the mark of the enemy who smears the pearl of the heart with the slime of passion, dimming and even destroying the luster of the precious stone.

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(When you examine your conscience, if you bother to do so, do you ask yourself "How does God see the 'pearl of my heart?")

On the other hand, if they are free from and untainted by every passionate inclination, they are directed toward Christ, the author and source of peace. He is like a pure, untainted stream. If you draw from him the thoughts in your mind and the inclinations of your heart, you will show a likeness to Christ, your source and origin, as the gleaming water in a jar resembles the flowing water from which it was obtained.

For the purity of Christ and the purity that is manifest in our hearts are identical. Christ's purity, however, is the fountainhead; ours has its source in him and flows out of him. Our life is stamped with the beauty of his thought. The inner and the outer man are harmonized in a kind of music. The mind of Christ is the controlling influence that inspires us to moderation and goodness in our behavior. As I see it, Christian perfection consists in this: sharing the titles which express the meaning of Christ's name, we bring out this meaning in our minds, our prayers and our way of life.

Fr. Sanderson

ST. STANISLAUS NEWS



Pierogi Making Schedule for the week of June 28:

Monday, June 28 8:30-9am Bag frozen pierogi
 Monday, June 28 6pm-8pm Chop Kraut & Cabbage
 Tuesday, June 29 9am-11am Make Kraut filling
 Tuesday, June 29 6-8pm Make pierogi balls
 Wednesday, June 30 4pm Make dough
 Wednesday, June 30 5-8pm Pinch, cook, freeze

Schedules for this year are located by the doors of the church. Please join us. Your help is appreciated! For info call Tom 402-699-8312.

Grocery Booth donations are needed! We are collecting non-perishable items such as canned goods, pastas, cereals, boxed foods, and paper products. Please be sure the expiration date is well beyond August 15th or we cannot use them. You can drop off at all Church entrances. For anyone who needs donations picked up, please call Marge Depa at 402-932-6899.

The plant booth needs plants for the festival. Drop off is Saturday, August 14th in the rectory garage. **The grocery booth and cake walk booths** are asking for donations of cash to buy cakes & groceries as needed festival weekend.

HOLY GHOST NEWS



For Sale! Holy Ghost's Famous Fish Fry London broil Baked Cod fish Loins A 10lb box of 65 -70 pcs. (2-3oz. per piece) is \$65 per box. Please contact Holy Ghost parish during regular business hours, 8am – 4pm Monday—Friday, 402-731-3176.

Thank you to all that have already donated to our landscaping project! If you would like to help with this project you can find envelopes on the tables next to the bulletins. Any questions please feel free to call the rectory 402.731.3176 .

Congratulations to Mia Childers who is the recipient of the Anne Deloske Fedde Memorial Scholarship for 2021!



The following members of our Parish, or loved ones of our Parishioners are now or recently have been in the hospital. May our Lord grant them a speedy recovery and return them to their families in perfect health:

Frank Barone	Marita Grebl	Becky English	Donna Hansen	Erin Lewis	Ender Pitman	Oliver Albert Smith
Mary Ann Barrett	Carol Cheloha	Deacon Paul and Jackie	Ken Knott (uncle of	Jessica Linhart	Bailey Pofahl	James Vickers
Allan Beam	Dee Clapp	Eubanks	Carrie Kaczmarek)	Kristine Makara	Diane Quaiver	Evelyn Vogler
Jan Brinck (sister-in-law of Marita Grebl)	Ron Coniglio	Ed Hahn	Cheryl Koziel (daughter of Jackie Peroutka)	Mike Makara	Jon Ricci (nephew of Nellie Hadley)	
Mark Broich (brother of	Dcn. Jason Dorwart (Father of Tom Dorwart), Marcia Halac	Larry Hahn	Cookie Lane	Pat McNeil	Suzanne Mertlik	Ray Sempek

Let us also remember in our prayers those who in care centers or homebound:

Rick Becerra	Patty Dworak	Kim Hall	Bernie Krawczyk	Joanne Leutzinger	Janet Nicholas	Shirley Stodolka
Jean Buechler	Grant Flott	Dorothy Kazor	George Lacroix	Pat Makara	Larry Petersen	Richard Van Sant
John Casey	Jacob Fraser	Debra Iwanski	Joyce Lacroix	Darlene McKinley	John Skocpol	

Please also pray for our loved ones who are currently serving our Country:

Lenny Arenas V.	Robert Blume	Dane Flott	Daniel Homan	Tyler Moen	Timothy Robertson	Richard J. Vickers
Jacob Aulner	Nick Burton	Stephen Gonifas	Suzie Homan	James Newell	Gary Smith	Jim White
Michael Aulner	Sean Byers	Tim Gouger	Ryan Loftus	Lexi Oropeza	Becky & Zach Spurgeon	Eli Wyskowski
Michael J. Baker	Ty Campbell	Greg Graham	Nick Lokamas	Mike Pihlgren	Ashley & Josh Stumpf	

HOLY GHOST & ST. STANISLAUS CCD NEWS

Religious Education is combining with and moving to St. Bernadette's Parish.

Our Registration is open for the 21-22 RE Year! You will find a registration form on the HG Website. Holyghostomaha.org. There are some hard copies in the Parish offices as well. **Please make checks payable to and mail to St. Bernadette.** For your convenience, you may also drop the form and payment in the collection baskets during mass and Pati and Carrie will make sure I get them. **Registration and payment are due no later than August 2nd.** We encourage and welcome early registration, if possible, to help us with planning for the newly combined program.

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HOLY GHOST

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, June 26
5:00 pm † Ray Kaminski – Cheryl & Robert Flakus

Sunday, June 27
9:15 am † Deceased Members of the Bidrowski Family

Monday, June 28
7:00 am Communion Service

Tuesday, June 29
7:00 am † James Jarecki - Family

Wednesday, June 30
7:00 am Communion Service

Thursday, July 1
7:00 am † Helen Bidrowski & Lottie Benis – Family

Friday, July 2
7:00 am Communion Service

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 3
5:00 pm † Richard, Roberta, & Laurie Stevens – Kathy McCandless

Sunday, July 4
9:15 am † Jim Hinrichs – Women's Club

LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, July 3, 5:00 pm

Deacon: Tom Schulte
Sacristan: Kathy Schulte
Lector: Marie Savine
EMHC: Fran McLaughlin
Altar Server: Jerry Koraleski
Greeter: Sandy Johnson

Sunday, July 4, 9:15 am

Deacon: Al Aulner
Sacristan: Terri Aulner
Lector: Lacey Merica
EMHC: Kim Tweedy
Altar Server: Deb Ray
Greeter: Tom Dorwart

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: JUNE 20

WEEKLY NEEDS.....	\$	3,600.00
COLLECTION.....	\$	4,092.00
YTD NEEDS.....	\$	183,600.00
YTD COLLECTION.....	\$	195,552.16
OVERAGE.....	\$	11,952.16

ST. STANISLAUS

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, June 26
5:00 pm † Dolores Krzycki

Sunday, June 27
8:00 am † Dan Kinsella

Monday, June 28
8:00 am † Chuck Bogus

Tuesday, June 29
8:00 am Communion Service

Wednesday, June 30
8:00 am † Mary Stillmock and Family

Thursday, July 1
8:00 am Communion Service

Friday, July 2
8:00 am † All Souls

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 3
5:00 pm † Sr. Charlene Stuczynski

Sunday, July 4
8:00 am † Chuck Bogus

LITURGICAL ROLES:

Lectors

Saturday, July 3 5:00 pm Mike Miller
Sunday, July 4 8:00 am Juli Lukowski

Mass Servers

Saturday, July 3 5:00 pm Jordyn Perez
Sunday, July 4 8:00 am Volunteer Needed

JUNE 20 COLLECTION--THANK YOU!

WEEKLY NEEDS.....	\$	4,423.00
COLLECTION.....	\$	2,715.00
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS.....	\$	75.00
PLATE.....	\$	97.00
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