

Welcome to the Stillwater Catholic Parishes

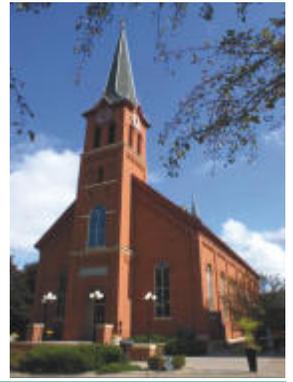


Church of St. Michael

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St. Mary's Church

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 31, 2021



4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" - Mk 1:23-25

Entrance Antiphon: Psalm 106 (105):47: Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

Processional Hymn 932: 1. I rejoiced when I heard them say: "Let us go to the house of the Lord." Our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

Refrain: I rejoiced when I heard them say: "Let us go to the house of the Lord!"

2. Strongly built is Jerusalem, There the tribes of the Lord go up, Seeking their justice and bringing thanks, O Jerusalem. *Refrain*

3. Pray for peace in Jerusalem, May they prosper who love you well; Eternal peace be with your walls, O Jerusalem. *Refrain*

4. For the love of my family and friends And the sake of the house of the Lord, I ever pray for your health and peace, O Jerusalem. *Refrain*

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20: Moses spoke to all the people, saying: "A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you from among your own kin; to him you shall listen. This is exactly what you requested of the LORD, your God, at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, 'Let us not again hear the voice of the LORD, our God, nor see this great fire any more, lest we die.' And the LORD said to me, 'This was well said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kin, and will put my words into his mouth; he shall tell them all that I command him. Whoever will not listen to my words which he speaks in my name, I myself will make him answer for it. But if a prophet presumes to speak in my name an oracle that I have not commanded him to speak, or speaks in the name of other gods, he shall die.'"

Psalm Response 95:1-2, 6-9: *Response:* If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Verses: Come, let us sing joyfully to the LORD; let us acclaim the rock of our salvation. Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us joyfully sing psalms to him. / Come, let us bow down in worship; let us kneel before the LORD who made us. For he is our God, and we are the people he shepherds, the flock he guides. / Oh, that today you would hear his voice: "Harden not your hearts as at Meribah, as in the day of Massah in the desert, Where your fathers tempted me; they tested me though they had seen my works."

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35: Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties. An unmarried man is anxious about the things of the Lord, how he may please the Lord. But a married man is anxious about the things of the world, how he may please his wife, and he is divided. An unmarried woman or a virgin is anxious about the things of the Lord, so that she may be holy in both body and spirit. A married woman, on the other hand, is anxious about the things of the world, how she may please her husband. I am telling you this for your own benefit, not to impose a restraint upon you, but for the sake of propriety and adherence to the Lord without distraction.

Gospel Acclamation: Matthew 4:16: The people who sit in darkness have seen a great light; on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by light, light has arisen.

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28: Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him. All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee.

Preparation

Sanctus: #377B: Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus, Domine Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

Eucharistic Acclamation: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection until you come again.

Amen

Agnus Dei: #384B: Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: dona nobis pacem.

Communion Antiphon: John 8:12: Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the land.

Communion: Hymn 92: *Refrain:* Our blessing-cup is a communion with the Blood of the Lord.

1. How can I make a return to the Lord for all God has done for me? In the presence of all who have called on your name, In the courts of the house of the Lord.

2. Precious, indeed, in the sight of the Lord is the death of the faithful ones; and I am your servant, your chosen one, for you have set me free.

3. Unto your name I will offer my thanks for the debt that I owe to you. In the presence of all who have called on you name, in the courts of the house of the Lord.

Antiphon:

Ave, Regina caelorum,
Ave, Domina Angelorum:
Salve, radix, salve, porta
Ex qua mundo lux est orta:
Gaude, Virgo gloriosa,
Super omnes speciosa,
Vale, o valde decora, Et pro nobis Christum exora.

(Welcome, O Queen of Heaven.

Welcome, O Lady of Angels:

Hail, thou root, hail, thou gate

From whom unto the world, a light has arisen:

Rejoice, O glorious Virgin,

Lovely beyond all others,

Farewell, most beautiful maiden, And pray for us to Christ.)

Spiritual Communion Prayer: My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Recessional Hymn 743: 1. Now thank we all our God, With hearts and hands and voices, Who wondrous things has done, In whom his world rejoices; Who from our mothers' arms Has blessed us on our way With countless gifts of love, And still is ours today.

2. O may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us, With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us; Preserve us in his grace, And guide us in distress, And free us from all harm Till heaven we possess.

3. All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given, The Son, and him who reigns With them in highest heaven—The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore—For thus it was, is now, And shall be ever more.

Bi-Parish News & Events

Candlemas: Tuesday, February 2

Join us in celebration of the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus and the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary! Celebrated 40 days after the Nativity of Our Lord, this day we recall the fourth Joyful Mystery of the Rosary and the prophecy of Simeon in the Temple: *Lord, now you let your servant go in peace; your word has been fulfilled: my own eyes have seen the salvation which you have prepared in the sight of every people: a light to reveal you to the nations and the glory of your people Israel* (Luke 2:29-32).

Our priests will bless special Candlemas candles at the 7:30 a.m. (St. Mary's) and 5:30 p.m. (St. Michael's) Masses this day. We invite you to make a donation of \$3 if you would like to take a blessed candle home for your devotional purposes.

Feast of St. Blaise: Wednesday, February 3

The Blessing of Throats will take place at the 7:30 a.m. (St. Mary's) and 5:30 p.m. (St. Michael's) Masses on Wednesday, February 3. St. Blaise—one of the 14 Holy Helpers—was a bishop and martyr from the 3rd century. Remembered for aiding a boy who was choking, St. Blaise is invoked against ailments of the throat. St. Blaise, pray for us!

Holy Communion for 65+ and Others

Who Have Been Missing the Eucharist: Sunday, February 7

On Sunday, February 7 from 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., Fr. Izen and Fr. Barnes will be distributing Holy Communion in the St. Mary's parking lot. Vehicles should travel North/South in order to turn right into the north entrance of the parking lot. Follow the signs and staff directions through the lot to one of the communion stations. Vehicles then leave through the south exit. This opportunity is primarily for those who have had to miss Holy Mass during this time.

Ash Wednesday: Wednesday, February 17

We enter the penitential season of Lent with a day of fasting and abstinence on Wednesday, February 17. Please feel welcome to join us for the Holy Mass as we *“Remember, man, that thou art dust, and unto dust thou shalt return.”*

7:30 a.m. – St. Mary's

12:15 p.m. – St. Michael's

5:30 p.m. – St. Michael's

7:00 p.m. – St. Mary's



Presentation of Jesus Christ at the Temple, Philippe de Champaigne (1602-1674), oil on canvas from Musée des Beaux-Arts de Dijon

Archdiocesan Events & News



Archdiocesan Synod: Faith & Culture Series
 Inspired by the thousands of participants at the Prayer and Listening Events, this series connects their stories to the story of the Church. Each virtual event includes a talk, testimonials, and a live panel discussion. Registration is required to participate live. Find topics, dates and registration at archspm.org/synod. Recordings of the live events will be posted to archspm.org/synod as a permanent resource.

Synod at Home: Tips and Tools for Growing in Faith
New sessions posted weekly February 18 – March 18

In the Synod process, the Church is taking time to listen to one another, pray, and discuss in order to determine priorities. These steps are also important for every household that wants to thrive. The Synod at Home series takes helpful videos, tips and tools for growing in faith, and pairs them with family-friendly activities based on four pillars: Prayer & Sacraments, Lifelong Learning, Generosity & Service, and Traditions & Fun. Individuals, couples, and families will find their faith and relationships strengthened by Synod at Home. Find weekly videos and materials at archspm.org/synod, sign up for emails (archspm.org/synod/updates) or access through the Synod app: text APP to 88202, then in the app search for "Archdiocesan Synod."

Marriage Encounter Weekend in Farmington at Mt. Olivet: February 13 - 14, 2021

2020 has been incredibly difficult on all of us and marriages have suffered! Commit to 2021 being the year you find enrichment, joy, and hope in your relationship! Register for the February 13-14 Marriage Encounter. Weekend retreats are held at Mt. Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington, MN. Visit www.marriages.org for more details or call 651-454-3238.

 The advertisement for Bethany House features a woman in a white lace top with her hands clasped in prayer. To her right is a group of smiling women. The text includes:

- Bethany House**
- A place set apart.*
- Bethany House Summer Program: June 12 - August 7, 2021
- Bethany House Discernment Program: August 29, 2021 - May 28, 2022
- Women's Discernment House, located in NE Minneapolis, for single Catholic women open to God calling them to consecrated life.
- Just as Mary, Martha and Lazarus sat at the feet of Jesus at their home in Bethany, the women of the Bethany House have an opportunity to do the same. They live in community, pray together, and listen for the Lord to speak to their hearts about their vocations.
- A place of prayer, joy & discernment*

Ministry of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis Office of Vocations and the Handmaids of the Heart of Jesus.



See 10000vocations.org for application / more information

Churches of St. Mary & St. Michael

Fr. Michael Izen, Pastor

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Fr. Austin Barnes, Parochial Vicar

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St. Mary's Church

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

651-439-1270

fharris@costm.org

Parish Council Chair, Mary Wicker

(651-430-3223)

Mass Times

Monday - Saturday 7:30 a.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; 6:00 p.m.

Church of St. Michael

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

651-439-4400

info@costm.org

Parish Council Chair, Dennis Symalla

(952-222-0245); symalla@centurylink.org

Mass Times

Monday - Friday 5:30 p.m.

Saturday (Anticipatory) 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m.; 9:15 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.

Online Mass

Follow us on Facebook and join us live online every day for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass:

Monday - Saturday 7:30 a.m. (Facebook)

Sunday 9:15 a.m. (Facebook & YouTube)

***Updated (10/18):** Our 9:15 Sunday Mass will be

broadcast on Channel 18 (Valley Access) on:

Wednesdays (5 p.m. and 11 p.m.)

Thursdays (5 a.m. and 11 a.m.)

Saturdays (9 p.m.)

Sundays (Live at 9:15 a.m.)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Michael's (Northwest Corner of Church)

Monday - Friday 5:00—5:25 p.m.

Saturday 3:00—4:15 p.m.

St. Mary's (Confessional, Behind Screen)

Saturday 8:00—8:30 a.m.

The Order of Naming and Commending of Babies Who Died Before Birth: Saturday, February 13

Join us at the Church of St. Michael on Saturday, February 13 at 11:00 a.m. for a service to name and commend all babies who died before birth. This service is open to anyone who has lost a baby. Please contact Jackie Valerius, Pastoral Minister, with any questions at 651-379-1266 or jvalerius@costm.org.



The Order of Naming and Commending of Babies Who Died Before Birth

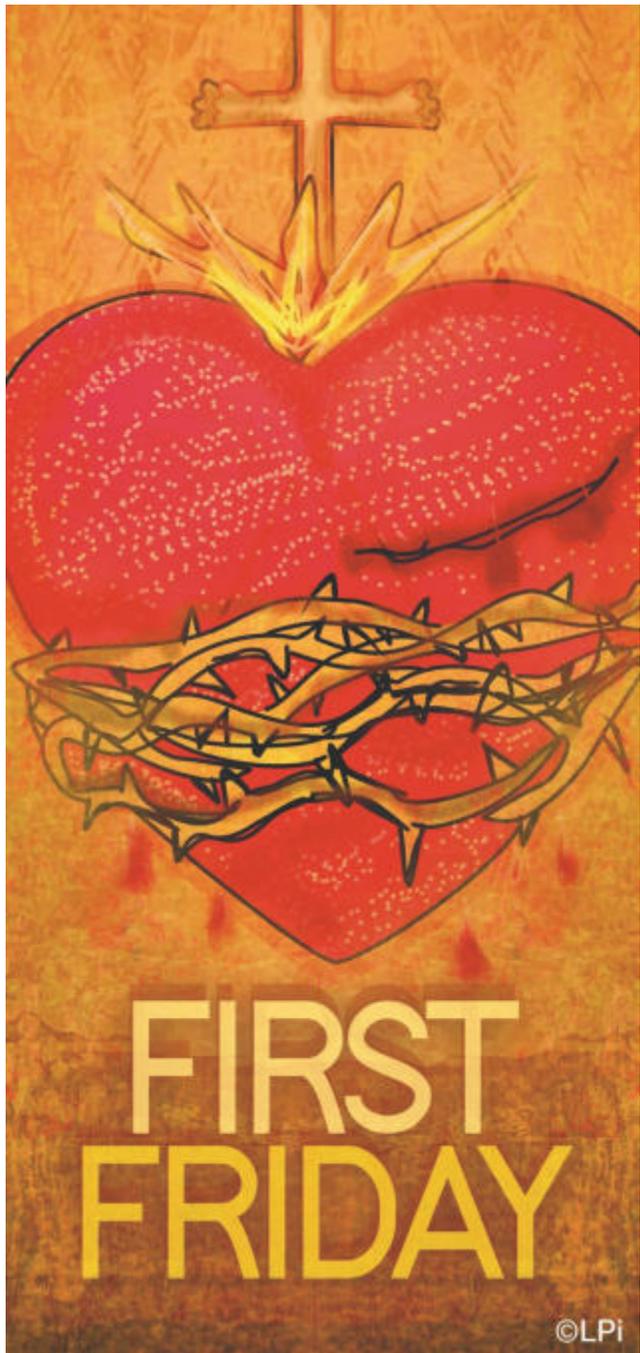
Saturday, February, 13th
11:00 AM

Church of St. Michael
611 S. Third St., Stillwater

This service is open to anyone
who has lost a baby.

**“We shall find our little ones again
up above.”**
-St. Zelig Martin

Bi-Parish News & Events



First Friday Prayers for the Sick: Friday, February 5

Friday, February 5 is “First Friday” where our parishes pray for those in our community who are sick, having surgery, or in the hospital. If you or someone you know would like to be included in these First Friday prayers, please contact Jackie Valerius by Wednesday, February 3 at 651-379-1266 or email jvalerius@costm.org. For the protection of privacy, you must have permission from any individual whose name you are submitting.

If you or anyone in your family is homebound, sick, or in the hospital and would like communion brought to you, please let us know in the Parish Office. For emergency needs outside of regular office hours, please call your Parish Office and choose the priest emergency line to be connected to the priest on call.

Message from Options for Women St. Croix Valley

In lieu of the annual baby bottle fundraiser, we invite you to support our efforts in saving babies, building families and restoring hope. Please text your donation amount to 844-994-1608 or online at www.friendsofowscv.org.

Ash Wednesday Offertory Collection

The collections at the Ash Wednesday Masses will be for our outreach programs which provide assistance to both parishioners and those in our community who are experiencing financial hardships. Thank you for your generous support of these programs.

Knight Notes

Unity: The order is dedicated to the principles (Degrees) of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism. Together we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. As a Knight of Columbus, you can count on the support and encouragement of your brother Knights as you work to make life better in your parish and community. We look forward to working in coordination with other Church men’s groups with guidance from Father Barnes and Father Izen. *Vivat Jesus!*



Operating Funds: (Weekly collection, EFT payments and gifts used only for operating expenses for Fiscal Year July 1, 2020—June 30, 2021). Please contact your Parish Office if you previously received envelopes and no longer need them since switching to online giving! Thank you for your timely response.

7/1 - 1/24/2021	St. Mary's	St. Michael's
Budgeted Collections	\$254,481	\$1,009,448
Actual Weekly Collections	\$258,474	\$1,055,057
Amount Over / (Short)	\$3,993	\$45,609

Respect Life News

Life Matters: Forgiveness and Healing After Abortion

How can we be catalysts to the healing of women who've had abortions, to help all others believe in God's merciful love so that they may find healing from any grave sin? Let us heed the advice of Pope Francis:

"Take up God's offer ... For God, we are not numbers, we are ... the most important thing to him; even if we are sinners, we are what is closest to his heart. ... let us be enveloped in the mercy of God; let us trust in his patience, which always gives us more time. Let us find the courage to ... [allow] ourselves [to] be loved by him and to encounter his mercy in the sacraments. We will feel his wonderful tenderness, we will feel his embrace, and we too will become more capable of mercy, patience, forgiveness and love."

Susan E. Wills, Esq. is Assistant Director for Education & Outreach, USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities.



St. Mary's Parish News

History Display Case

St. Mary's History Committee has purchased a display case for the hallway between the atrium and the Great Hall. They will display items of historical interest to our church and will vary the items a few times a year. They invite you to stop by after Sunday Mass to see the display. We thank St. Mary's History Committee for helping us appreciate our rich history!



St. Michael's Parish News

Welcome, New Parishioners!

Please help us welcome our newest parish family: Aaron and Sarah Jansen with their children Noah, William, Zoe, Abigail, and Matthew.

Congratulations to Newlyweds!

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Michael and Danielle (Krepel) Reding who entered the Holy Sacrament of Matrimony last weekend. May God remain the center of their marriage all the days of their lives!

Worship and Liturgy

Mass Intentions for the Week of February 1-7

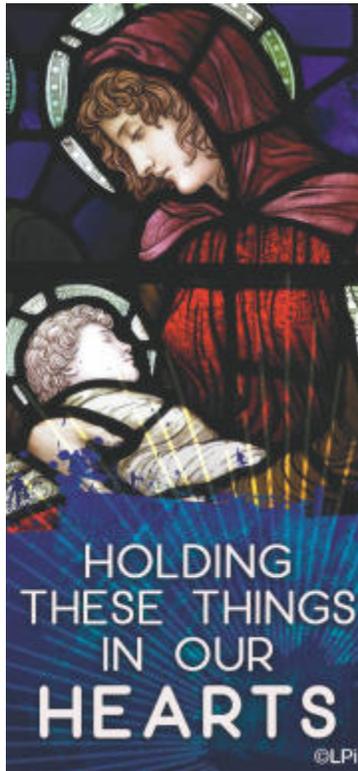
St. Mary's Church

- Mon. 7:30 a.m. Fr. Jack Donahue
 Tues. 7:30 a.m. † Ernesto Argiro
 Weds. 7:30 a.m. Jean Aggerbeck
 Thurs. 7:30 a.m. † Betty Gfrerer
 Fri. 7:30 a.m. Sick of the Parish
 Sat. 7:30 a.m. FOCUS Missionaries
 Sun. 8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Panek Family
 10:30 a.m. † Edward Byerley
 6:00 p.m. The People of St. Mary's

Church of St. Michael

- Mon. 5:30 p.m. † Lucille Clemons
 Tues. 5:30 p.m. † Donald Vizauko
 Weds. 5:30 p.m. † Jim & † Mary Ann Mechler
 Thurs. 5:30 p.m. † Robert Johnson
 Fri. 5:30 p.m. Sick of the Parish
 Sat. 4:30 p.m. Jay Kessler
 Sun. 7:30 a.m. † Joyce Mey
 9:15 a.m. The People of St. Michael's
 11:00 a.m. † Ernesto Argiro

(B) Birthday (A) Anniversary (L&D) Living & Deceased



Request A Mass Intention

To have a Mass said for someone, please contact your Parish Office.

24/7 Eucharistic Adoration at St. Michael's

We are close to covering all hours but the chapel still has some urgent needs! Please prayerfully consider committing to one of the following:

Sunday: Midnight, 1 a.m., 2 a.m.
Thursday: 3 a.m.
Friday: 1 a.m.

Substitutes are also greatly appreciated! Sign up for an account to get notifications of substitute requests and see other—less urgent but still important—hours by visiting stmichaelstmary.weadorehim.com.

Thank you for adoring Our Lord!

"I am the light of the world; he who follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." (John 8:12)

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Daily Readings

Monday, February 1 – Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24 [25]/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday, February 2 – *The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life:* Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [8]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday, February 3 – *St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop:* Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a [cf. 17]/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday, February 4 – Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 [cf. 10]/Mk 6:7-13

Friday, February 5 – *St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr:* Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc [1a]/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday, February 6 – *St. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs:* Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mk 6:30-34

Sunday, February 7 – *5th Sunday in Ordinary Time:* Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39



St. Croix Catholic School

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Two Open Positions

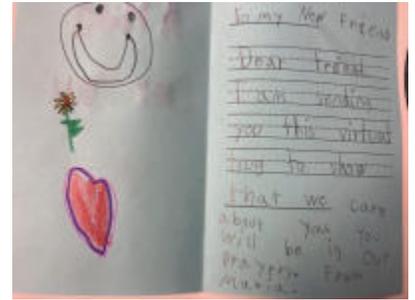
St. Croix Catholic School is accepting applications for a long-term Substitute Teacher for Music (approximately March 1 - June 4, 2021). Interested candidates, please contact Cindi Rutten, Business and Human Resources Manager, at crutten@stccs.com. Stillwater Area School District 834 has posted for a Health Paraprofessional. This position will serve at SCCS, starting February 8 for the remainder of 2020-2021 school year. If interested, please apply through District 834.

Love as Jesus Loves



Stepping into SCCS classrooms, you will often witness how our faith-filled teachers are forming the students into disciples as Jesus intended.

Fourth Graders recently discussed what Jesus meant by His words, "Love One Another as I Have Loved You." Students explored specific Bible passages to learn the many ways Jesus shows His love for us and how we, in turn, are called to love others.



First Graders are learning how to show care to others like Jesus does - to people we know and people we do not know. Our little ones recently created 'Hug' cards to brighten the day of residents at Boutwells Landing.



Tours Underway

Parents of prospective students, Preschool – Grade 8, may schedule a virtual or in-person tour at any time. Contact our Admissions Coordinator, Denise Faust, for more information at dfaust@stccs.com.

While our initial Admissions window for school year 2021-2022 closed on January 13, we are still accepting admissions applications for Preschool - Grade 8, as well as tuition assistance applications. Considerations for acceptance of these applications will be made after acceptance decisions are made for initial applications. Thus, we encourage you to apply as soon as possible: StCroixCatholic.org > Admissions.

Thank You, Mrs. Donlon!

Mrs. Donlon, St. Croix Catholic School's Technology instructor, taught middle school students exclusively from her home during Semester 1 of the current school year. She was able to carry out the traditional role of a classroom teacher: writing instructional plans, delivering lessons, grading assignments, and administering tests. In large part, this was possible and successful because of her "remote right hand," Mrs. Lisa Olsen. In addition to her usual role as SCCS Technology Coordinator, Mrs. Olsen daily prepared the learning environments with the necessary classroom and student technology, oversaw the students as they interacted with Mrs. Donlon, and was available to troubleshoot occasional technology issues.



Mrs. Donlon, renowned for her subject matter enthusiasm, was thrilled that the technology she has been teaching about all these years enabled her to continue teaching, despite the necessary distance she needed to keep this year to ensure her personal health and safety. Mrs. Donlon noted, "It was fun to actually be able to see the students and see their excitement with the assignments."

Mrs. Donlon is retiring as we close out Semester 1 and move into Semester 2. We are grateful for her many years of service and will greatly miss her.

Faith Formation

Serving the parishes of St. Mary and St. Michael | **Faith Formation Office: 651-351-3175**

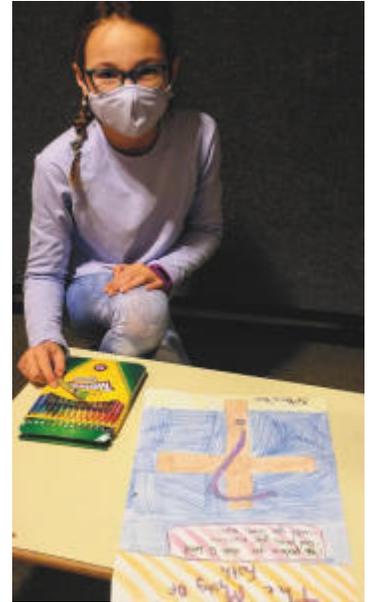
In-Person Sessions: PreK—Confirmation Classes are in session this week!

Art and the Child

In the atrium, after the catechist offers a presentation, the child is invited to further reflect on what he or she has heard by choosing to work with the materials of the presentation. Any of the materials in the atrium in which the child has seen a presentation is available to him whether that is material related to scripture or liturgy, material on practical life, or materials on the art shelf. Artwork is an important way for the child to respond to what they experience in the atrium. In the environment, we offer a few quality art materials for the child to choose for such a response.

Children, whether very young or older, often do not possess the adequate vocabulary to articulate what is in their hearts or in their minds. Art expression allows children of all ages to communicate visually. We know that there are many benefits of art for our children, including the development of fine motor skills, language development, decision-making skills, and for visual learning.

There are some common phrases that the catechist may use in the atrium when speaking to the children about art, and parents may want to use them at home as well. Typically, when children share artwork with adults, we tend to praise the finished product rather than their hard work, with a comment such as “nice job” or “beautiful work.” In the atrium, the catechist might rather say something like, “I saw you working hard,” or “you concentrated for a long time,” to focus on the process, not the product. The child may ask us, “Do you like my drawing?”, and rather than respond with “Yes, I like it,” we may want to ask him or her about their favorite part of the drawing or why they used a specific color, or even “What do you think about your work?” It is important for the children to make their own discovery about their artwork rather than seek the adult’s approval.



What materials are found on the art shelf in the atrium? How can you continue to foster this art expression in your child at home? The Parent Resource page at www.cgsusa.org offers parents a glimpse of this space and how to set up a similar environment in your own home.

An excerpt taken from *The National Association of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd* (2017)

SUMMER PROGRAMS



**July 25 - 30
2021**

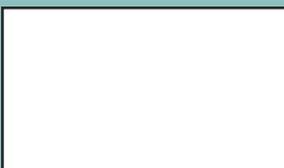
Elementary Gr. 1 - 6 / July 26 - 30, 2021
Jr/Sr High Gr. 7 - 12 / July 25 - 29, 2021



Extreme Faith Camp

This year’s EFC will be June 21-25 at Trout Lake Camps in Pine River. This is an AMAZING opportunity for middle school students to grow deeper in faith while having a fun time with friends! This camp has been the turning point for many youths in our parish, who have now made Our Lord the center of their lives. Please do not miss this opportunity; preregistration coming soon!

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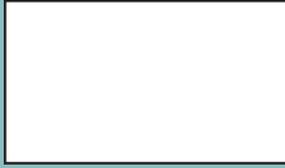
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