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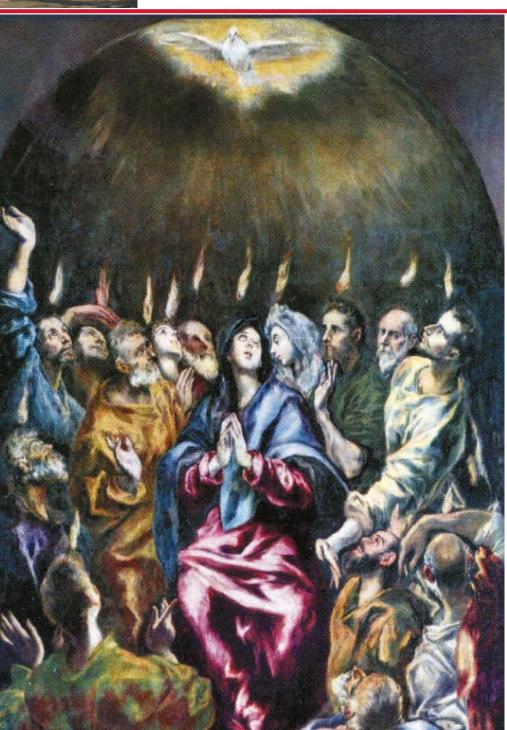
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#### Solemnity of Pentecost | June 5, 2022



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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM -Closed Fridays through August 19 fharris@costm.org | 651-439-1270

#### **Mass Times**

Monday - Saturday at 7:30 AM Sunday at 8:00 AM; 10:30 AM; 6:00 PM

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#### **Mass Times**

Monday - Friday at 5:30 PM Saturday (Vigil) at 4:30 PM Sunday at 7:30 AM; 9:15 AM; 11:00 AM

#### Sacrament of Penance

#### St. Michael's

Monday - Friday 5:00 - 5:25 PM Saturday 3:00 - 4:15 PM

St. Mary's

Saturday 8:00 - 8:30 AM

## Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

See <u>stmichaelstmaryweadorehim.com</u> to commit to a regular Holy Hour the St. Faustina Adoration Chapel at the Church of St. Michael.

Samantha Bertrand Adoration Chapel Coordinator sjkbertrand@gmail.com | 612-615-4393

#### **Televised Mass**

Our 9:15 Sunday Mass will be broadcast on Channel 18 (Valley Access) on: Wednesdays (5:00 PM and 11:00 PM) | Thursdays (5:00 AM) | Saturdays (9:00 PM) | Sundays (Live at 9:15 AM)

Judy Greenwood Safe Environment Coordinator jgreenwood@costm.org | 651-439-4400

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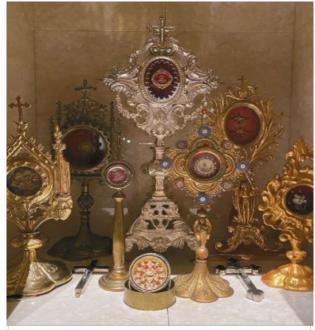
#### **Parish Events**

#### Vigil Mass for Pentecost: Saturday, June 4

Fifty days after the greatest Feast of the liturgical year—the Resurrection of the Lord—the Easter season concludes with the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. All are invited to join us for the extended form Vigil Mass for Pentecost at 7:00 PM this Saturday, June 4 at the Church of St. Michael. (This Mass will replace the 4:30 PM Anticipatory Mass, though confessions will still be heard from 3:00-4:15 PM). Dating back to the early Church, this exquisite form of the Pentecost Vigil refers back to the Easter Vigil with additional readings and responsorial psalms highlighting the Holy Spirit's role in the life of the Church. We will pray for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit while celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for RCIA Candidates at this Mass. Please join us!

#### Corpus Christi Eucharistic Procession: Sunday, June 19

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has announced a 3-year Eucharistic Revival, beginning on Corpus Christi Sunday, June 19, 2022 and concluding with a national conference in 2024. To mark the beginning of the Revival locally, please join our parishes in a Eucharistic procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi. We will process around St. Mary's block after the 10:30 AM Mass and around St. Michael's block after the 11:00 AM Mass.



New relics on the St. Joseph Altar at the Church of St. Michael include Saint Sebastian, Saint Bernadette, and Blessed Mary of the Apostles. All you holy men and women, pray for us!

Modern Catholic Pilgrim invites you to join the

## **BL. SOLANUS CASEY PILGRIMAGE**

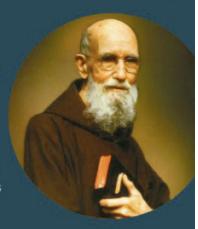
A walked pilgrimage to St. Michael's Catholic Church in Stillwater on Bl. Solanus's Feast Day

July 30th, 2022

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5 Mile Option Starts at 2pm

Concludes with Vigil Mass at St. Michael's



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#### **Blessed Solanus Casey Pilgrimage:** Saturday, July 30

Modern Catholic Pilgrim is excited to lead any and all on a pilgrimage for the Feast of Bl. Solanus Casey on Saturday, July 30th to St. Michael's in Stillwater where the young man who was to become the future beatified Capuchin friar was confirmed.

We will begin with 8:00 AM Morning Mass and Pilgrims' Blessing at the Church of St. Peter in North St. Paul. Pilgrims will walk in prayer along the Gateway and Brown's Creek Trails to Stillwater (stopping to eat lunch on the trail). Around 2:00 PM, the group will meet up with more pilgrims at the Lift Bridge to walk out to the gates of MCF-Stillwater where Bl. Solanus worked before entering the Capuchins. The pilgrimage will conclude at the 4:30 PM Saturday Vigil Mass at St. Michael's.

All pilgrims will be asked to make a goodwill contribution to reserve their spots on the pilgrimage. We will work together to coordinate rides as necessary after the pilgrimage concludes. Pilgrims are responsible for their own lunches and snacks.

Please visit moderncatholicpilgrim.com/bl-solanus or email Mr. Will F. Peterson, the pilgrimage leader, at will@moderncatholicpilgrim.com for more details.

#### Parish Events & News

#### **Parish Office Summer Hours**

Please note, both parish offices will be closed on Fridays throughout the summer from June 10 through August 19. We will hold regular business hours Monday-Thursday and return to normal Friday hours on August 26. We hope all of our parish families have a most blessed summer!

#### Helping the Priests Who Have Helped Us

Did you know there is a home for retired priests of the Archdiocese? This is an opportunity to share your gratitude by supporting the men who have ministered to you and your family for many decades!

The Leo C. Byrne Residence offers 29 individual apartments for priests who have reached retirement age, most of whom continue to actively serve parishes and organizations around the Archdiocese.

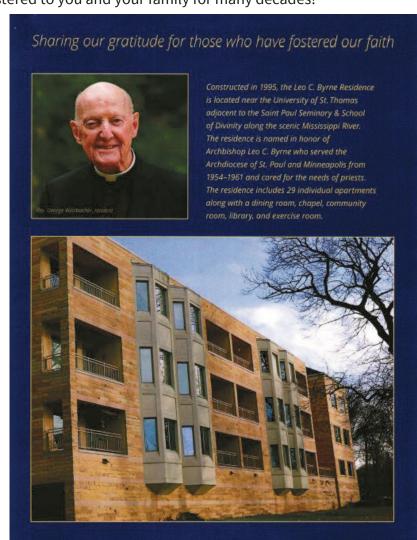
The GRATITUDE Capital Campaign Renovation Project (coordinated by the Catholic Community Foundation) will fund work required to bring the entire Byrne Residence to a level of security and efficiency suitable for the safety and well-being of each resident priest.

We ask for your support of this much needed renovation. Please make your check payable to: CCF / Byrne Residence and mail to:

CCF / Byrne Residence Renovation Fund Court West Suite 500 2610 University Ave W St. Paul. MN 55114

To donate online, visit the CCF website at <a href="https://www.CCF-MN.org/ByrneResidence">www.CCF-MN.org/ByrneResidence</a>.

Please note, we will not run pledges or donations through our parishes. We encourage anyone who wishes to participate to pick up an envelope at your parish this weekend and mail your donation directly to CCF or donate online. Thank you for your generosity toward our beloved retired priests!



#### **Operating Funds:**

(Weekly collection, EFT payments and gifts used only for operating expenses for Fiscal Year July 1, 2021—June 30, 2022).

7/1/2021 - 5/22/2022	St. Mary's	St. Michael's
Budgeted Collections	\$396,650	\$1,568,310
Actual Weekly Collections	\$450,083	\$1,667,856
Amount Over / (Short)	\$53,433	\$99,546

#### **Parish News**

**Employment Opportunities** 

Please visit careers.archspm.org for more details, and share with someone you think might be a good fit for these opportunities!

- Custodian, Full-Time 3-10 PM
- Faith Formation Administrative & Communications Assistant
- Music Teacher, K-8

What Would You Like to Tell Pope Francis?

In spring 2021, Pope Francis announced that the Catholic Church would engage in a synodal process that includes "listening to all of the baptized" in every diocese around the world. What would you like to share with Pope Francis? Now is your chance to say what you think the Catholic Church needs to focus on today. Take the survey at archspm.org/vaticansurvey

Fr. Larry Richards - Be A Man: Thursday, June 16

A gifted and captivating speaker, preacher, and author, Fr. Larry Richards will be at St. Thomas Academy (Mendota Heights) on Thursday, June 16, at 5:00 PM. Fr. Larry will challenge and inspire you to become the man God created you to be. All men and boys 13+ are welcome to join. \$20 in advance; \$25 at the door; students free. Register at cadets.com/larry.

## Blessing of a Child in the Womb

#### Saturday, June 4



First Saturday of every month after the 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Church All expectant parents, families and others are invited to Pray with us

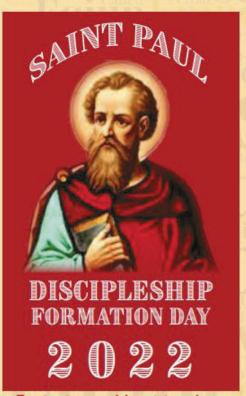
As we celebrate the

Rite of the Blessing of a Child in the Womb

Please come to the front near the St. Mary's statue after Mass. Our clergy will pray this blessing for all expectant parents, their families and others.

Clergy will also bless items such as Rosaries, medals and other religious objects at this time.

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Join fellow volunteer catechists, core team, small group leaders and parents for a day filled with valuable inspiration, encouragement, prayer, training, breakout sessions and more.

This is an exciting opportunity to come together to learn and share how to best serve the faithful in our parishes. For more information contact Madeline Olson at olsonm2@archspm.org or 218.526.0875.

Saturday September 17 • 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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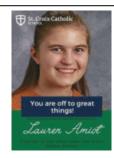


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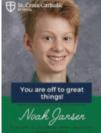




























#### **Faith Formation**

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On Sunday, May 22, 73 of our youths received the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Cathedral of St. Paul. It was a beautiful ceremony and joyous occasion, with Bishop Joseph Williams celebrating the Mass. During his homily, Bishop Williams emphasized the importance of belief in the power of the Holy Spirit. "Do we actually believe in the powerful graces the Holy Spirit gives to us in the Sacrament?" He shared his own experience of doubt in the Holy Spirit at a young age. When he was 23 years old, Bishop Williams felt the outpouring of the

Holy Spirit in prayer at the March for Life which eventually led to his vocation.

Bishop Williams concluded, "Don't make the mistake I made. Believe in the power of the Holy Spirit, and open the gifts He will give you as soon as possible." What a gift it was to have Bishop Williams with us, especially for him to anoint his two nieces, Rose Droske and Annika Williams. Please keep all our Confirmands in your prayers, that they may open the gifts they received and serve the Church.



#### **Worship and Liturgy**

#### June 6 - 12 Mass Intentions

Mon. 7:30 AM



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

## St. Mary's Church † John & Pauline Junker

Tues. 7:30 AM † Bill O'Brien
Weds. 7:30 AM † Harlem Duden
Thurs. 7:30 AM † Bernie Larson
Fri. 7:30 AM † Carol Sawyer
Sat. 7:30 AM † Dick Bailey (A)
Sun. 8:00 AM † Hermann Lamers

10:30 AM Dennis Milotsky (Thanksgiving)

6:00 PM The People of St. Mary's

#### **Church of St. Michael**

Mon. 5:30 PM † Steven McCarten
Tues. 5:30 PM † Michael Thiets
Weds. 5:30 PM † Warren Bovee (A)
Thurs. 5:30 PM Jack Kessler (B)
Fri. 5:30 PM † Debbie Sampica

Sat. 4:30 PM Charlie & Maria Andrews (A)

Sun. 7:30 AM † Earl Trent

9:15 AM The People of St. Michael's

11:00 AM † Donald Vizanko



Please hold our parishioners in your prayers:

RCIA Candidates
Receiving the Sacrament
of Confirmation
on the Vigil
of Pentecost

St. Croix Catholic School Staff, Students, & Families

Father Sam Gilbertson & All Newly Ordained Priests

#### **Family Matters**

#### Resources for Family and Friends of Those Struggling with SSA

There is much confusion concerning the Catholic Church's response to persons who experience same-sex attraction and gender dysphoria. We know our call and mission to love, to will the good of the other. What does this look like in real life, especially in these situations? This question is especially relevant for parents with children struggling with these topics. As a parent, you don't have to choose between the Church and your child. It is possible to have a loving and supportive relationship with your children or young adults while not embracing beliefs contrary to the Faith. Please reach out to <a href="missiontolove@costm.org">missiontolove@costm.org</a> for resources, prayer, and support. All communication will be kept confidential.

#### Archdiocesan Marriage Day: Saturday, June 11

Join us at 10:00 AM on Saturday, June 11 to celebrate the beautiful mystery of the mutual self-gift between a man and a woman in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony with Holy Mass, celebrated by Bishop Joseph Williams, at the Cathedral of Saint Paul. Those celebrating their silver and golden anniversaries in the 2022 calendar year will be honored in a special way. To submit your request for a special certificate, please contact the Office of Marriage, Family and Life at mfl@archspm.org or 651-291-4488. Deadline for requests is May 30.

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