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Father John Meyer, Pastor

Meet Our New Parochial Vicar

Hello parishioners,

I've been here in Maple Lake and Annandale since July 1 but have not had the opportunity to properly introduce myself. My name is Fr. Kevin Magner and I am the new parochial vicar for the parishes of St. Timothy and St. Ignatius. I have been ordained for 18 years and have served in many parishes in the Archdiocese, most recently at St. John the Baptist in New Brighton.

I am originally from Delano so I am a Wright County native. It is good to be back here in familiar territory. I come from a large family with nine children. I am right in the middle at number five. My dad is deceased and my mom, age 88, is in an assisted living care center. Most of my siblings still reside in Minnesota except for two brothers who live out of state.

For those of you in Maple Lake: yes, I am Irish. Magner is actually an Irish name although some people have told me it sounds German. That's okay because I am also German from my mom's side of the family.

Before entering the seminary I worked as a funeral director for ten years at Gearty-Delmore Funeral Home in Robbinsdale. Although I didn't realize it at the time, it was good training for a life of ministry. I enjoyed my work but God had other plans for me. At age 32 I entered the St. Paul Seminary. Two years later I was sent to study in Rome at the North American College. In 2002 I was ordained a deacon at St. Peter's Basilica by Archbishop Timothy Dolan, who had been our former rector at the seminary. A year later I was ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis by Archbishop Harry Flynn.

As I said, it is good to be back here in Wright County. Fr. Meyer and Msgr. Callaghan have been very welcoming. I look forward to serving in your parishes and getting to know all of you during the coming years we spend together.

Sincerely yours,
Fr. Kevin Magner

Synod Scoop

Small Groups: How will Synod small groups work?

Purpose: Small groups of approximately 8 people will gather to learn, pray, and discuss the Synod focus areas.

- **Learn:** Discover what the Church teaches in today's cultural context.
- **Pray:** Listen and reflect upon how the Holy Spirit is guiding you and your small group.
- **Discuss:** Share insights into the focus areas from your own prayer and experience.
- **Facilitation:** A trained facilitator will promote a meaningful and charitable dialogue between groups members.
- **Feedback:** A trained scribe will document the group's reflections on the Synod focus areas, which then will be provided to your parish and Archbishop Hebda.
- **Location/Dates:** Small groups will meet weekly for 6 sessions between September 19 and November 14. Each meeting will last 2 hours.

WATCH FOR DETAILS ON HOW TO SIGN UP IN AUGUST!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 17th

5:00 p.m. † Jim Bruns

Sunday, July 18th

8:30 a.m. Parishioners

10:30 a.m. † Joyce Bartels

Monday, July 19th

No Daily Mass

Tuesday, July 20th

No Daily Mass

Wednesday, July 21st

8:00 a.m. † Russell & Mabel Johnson

Thursday, July 22nd

8:00 a.m. Parishioners

Friday, July 23rd

8:00 a.m. † Ann Meuwissen

Saturday, July 24th

5:00 p.m. † Judith Bissonnette Thomas

Sunday, July 25th

8:30 a.m. † Dick Barthelemy

10:30 a.m. Parishioners

*"The secret to happiness is not in doing
what one likes to do,
but is liking what one has to do."*

Ministry Schedules

Saturday, July 24th @ 5:00 pm

Celebrant: Msgr. Callaghan

Altar Server: Ethan Millner

Eucharistic Minister: Marie Taylor

Greeter: Audrey Roth

Lector: Greg Roth

Sacristan: Mark Logeais

Ushers: Al Jude - Ron Mares

Sunday, July 25th @ 8:30 a.m.

Celebrant: Msgr. Callaghan

Altar Server: Nora Millner

Eucharistic Ministers: Pat Athman - Peggy Jo Fortner

Greeter: Jerry & Deb Goodale

Lector: Jan Braun

Sacristan: Renee Logeais

Ushers: Zachery Millner - Sam Millner

Sunday, July 25th @ 10:30 a.m.

Celebrant: Msgr. Callaghan

Altar Server: Wessen Reich

Eucharistic Ministers: Roger & Karen Millner

Greeter: Chad & Jennifer Filek

Lector: Susan Oie

Sacristan: Shelly Naaktgeboren

Ushers: John & Christine West

Community News

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Great News for Care Center Residents

St. Ignatius Catholic Mass will return to the Annandale Care Center the first Friday of every month starting August 8th at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome to attend! Care Center Rosary volunteers needed every Tuesday, starting August 4th at 10:30 a.m. Guide Book provided. Please call Sandy Holthaus at 320-236-5604 and leave a message if interested in doing this for the residents. Thank you.

Meals on Wheels during August

We are looking for Meals on Wheels volunteers for the month of August - Wednesday's only. There are two routes at 11:15 am and two routes at 11:30 am. Please call 320-236-5604 if you are interested and can help. I will call you back to confirm date and times. Thank you. Sandy Holthaus.

Free COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic—Annandale City Hall—July 17th & 24th.

Appointments available 10 am-2 pm. Second dose August 7th and 14th.

Appointments bookable at:

<http://vaulthealth.com/covid/start/?var c=vaccination MINNESOTA OPEN>

St. Francis Xavier Fall Peach Sale - Buffalo, MN

The Knights of Columbus #6608 and St. Francis CCW are having a Fall Peach Sale with tree ripened peaches grown by Colorful Sunburst Fruit in Washington, sold by approx. 32-44 peaches per crate for \$40.00 - arriving late July, early August. We will contact you with the two designated pickup dates at St. Francis Xavier Education Center, 219 - 19th St. NW, Buffalo 55313. To place an order go to our website www.stfxb.org and click on the "Peach Orders" link at the top of the page. The deadline to order is Monday, July 18th. Thank you for your support! Questions? Call Wayne Shamlra 612-889-5370 or Lois Pahl 612-532-8516.

Gospel Meditation - July 18, 2021

There's an ordinary pine grove located on a tree farm not too far from town where life's stresses and demands seem to melt away. It is here that all that seemed so important out there no longer is and one can get lost in the rows of trees and majestic beauty. God is here and all is good. We need to connect with the Divine Source of all that is in order to understand what it is we are doing and why we are doing it. Otherwise, things stop making sense and bitterness can overcome one's spirit. It's okay to play once in a while and to discover that place of profound life and peace. People always have needs and there is constantly something to do. And while all of that is necessary and we are needed, there is also that inner solitude within that needs to be celebrated and released.

We all need a pine grove. It's that little place we can go and leave all that consumes us behind. It's a place where technology can be set aside and wonder, and awe given some time. We don't have to text, calculate, or orchestrate anything in the pine grove. It is a somewhat deserted place where all of that can be set aside and we can just be. The anger, frustration, exhaustion, discouragement, helplessness, and occasional apathy, all can fall to the ground like all of those pine needles that once held their place on the branch of a Fraser Fir. The needles can let go. We can let go. We are beings connected with Being and we all need to remember what really matters, who really matters and what life is truly all about. We need to find that place where we can rest and let go of all of the barnacles we accumulate. Rest, breathe, seek, and love.

The world will need us again when we leave the pine grove. It will all be waiting for us, beckoning for our attention. But we will have prayed and will have marveled at the silence and the beauty of goodness. We can go back, ready, and eager to listen, to help, to heal, to cry, to embrace, and attend to all that is asked of us. But, having let go of the distractions in that deserted place we will have a renewed sense of purpose. We will know better Who it is we serve and what we are meant to do. It will all be clearer now that we have been Divinely touched and refreshed. ©LPi

Catechetical Institute

Do you have questions about your faith? Have you ever wondered why the Catholic Church teaches something? The Catechetical Institute is a formation program for adults wishing to deepen their faith starting this fall at St. Timothy's in Maple Lake.

It is the intention of The Church of St. Ignatius that all parishioners who wish to attend the Catechetical Institute have the opportunity to do so. If there are financial barriers that may affect your ability to participate, please contact Father Meyer or the parish office to seek assistance.

Moments with Mother Teresa

Well, sort of! Come learn about Monsignor's close, personal friendship with our beloved Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta. Get insight into her life, what Monsignor learned from her, and what we can learn from both of them.. *On Sunday, July 25 at 6:00 pm - a light supper & beverages will be served. Reservations are requested but not required. A sign-up form is located at the table in the gathering space or call the parish office 320-274-8828 ext. 21. Monsignor shares his story beginning at 6:30 p.m. Questions & answers to follow. This is an event you won't want to miss!*

CCW CORNER UPDATE:

The St Ignatius CCW installed new officers Thursday, July 8, 2021, at the Quarterly CCW General Meeting held in the Gathering Space. The new officers installed were Cathy Laurent, President; Sue Hughes, Vice President; Alissa Millner, Treasurer and Marie Erickson, Secretary. *Congratulations ladies! We wish you well and we are looking forward to bright ideas and fun events and new adventures in the coming two years. two years!*

Father Meyer's Annual St. Timothy's School Golf Tournament

Mark your calendars! Sunday, August 15th, Father Meyer will host the Annual St. Timothy's Golf Tournament at Whispering Pines Golf Course in Annandale. It is a 2:00 p.m. Shotgun Start/Scramble Tournament with dinner to follow. Proceeds from this event benefit St. Timothy's School.

For more information and to sign-up, please contact:

Meghan Ledwein (612) 400-4999

Peter Jude (612) 590-2608

Parish Office (320) 963-3726

Parish Administrative Assistant Position

The Church of St. Timothy is looking for an Administrative Assistant. This is a part-time position of 25 hours per week, Monday-Thursday. Duties include answering phones, greeting visitors, processing the weekly bulletin, maintaining the parish website and calendar, handling new registrations, recording and scheduling sacraments, completing Liturgical Ministry schedules, assisting the cemetery sexton, and more. We are looking for someone who has strong organizational skills, the ability to multi-task, has the skills and experience to work with various software programs, and who is friendly and desires to serve the Church. Please mail a letter or resume to Father Meyer or email your information to fmeyer@churchofsttimothy.org

St. Timothy's School Employment Opportunities - Kitchen Assistant 5 days a week/25 hours and School Custodian about 25 hours/week. Middle School Religion teacher (part time/14+ hours a week).

Contact Julie Shelby principal@stimml.org or call the school office 320-963-3417.

Free Store in Annandale

Annandale Area Food Shelf

Free Store - Hwy. #55 & Cherry Ave. in "Midtown 55" Mall, across Cherry Ave. from the Cenex Gas Station, (clothing & small household items).

Annandale Area Food Shelf - 390 Annandale Blvd., (take Hwy. #55 east to Annandale Blvd.)

Mondays: 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. - Food Shelf

Mondays: 1:00 to 3:00 - Free Store

Tuesday: 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Free Store

Wednesdays: 5:00 to 6:45 p.m. - Food Shelf

Thursday: 12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. - Free Store

Fridays: 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. - Food Shelf

Fridays: 9:00 a.m. to Noon - Free Store

Love Inc. Store, Buffalo: Thursday: 10 am to 6 pm

Friday & Saturday: 10 a.m. to 5 pm

Love INC - St. Ignatius partners with Love Inc., a non-profit group that provides services, rides for medical appointments & job interviews, minor car & household repairs, delivery of used furniture & household items. All services are provided by area church volunteers. Love Inc. is not an emergency agency and has no cash to give out. However, resources allow some callers to be referred to other agencies in a crisis situation. If you have a need and live in Annandale, Maple Lake or Buffalo, call the Clearinghouse at 763-682-2550.

Volunteers are also needed to help with the Free Store, located in Buffalo - call 763-682-6820

BAPTISM



Next Baptismal Class -

Second Tuesday of August, the 10th, 2021 @ 7:00 p.m.

All baptisms at St. Ignatius require parents attend the class before the baptism can be arranged. The session involves discussion on the purpose, history, symbolism, and the Rite of Baptism. Insights into Christian parenting are also briefly considered at this time. Please contact the rectory office if you plan to attend the class. The Sacrament of Baptism is held during a weekend mass, contact the parish office to register for the class or to make arrangements for the baptism. (320- 274-8828 ext. 21)

Stewardship

Projected weekly giving..... \$5,400.00
490 parish families

Weekend of July 4th

Envelopes \$3,125.00
Plate \$903.00
Auto Deposits..... \$1,552.50
Total\$5,580.50

Weekend of July 11th

Envelopes \$4,605.00
Plate \$595.00
Auto Deposits..... \$793.45
Total\$5,993.45



PRAY FOR . . .

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| Valentine Smith | Shari Danzeisen |
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| Katelyn Busch | Nick Mares |
| Herm & Mary Wittsack | Goldie DeGross |
| Marie Taylor | Mary Danielson |
| Louise Borstad | Mark Johnson |
| Dan Schultz | Aaron Heiber |

Weekly Schedule

Sun., July 18th - Welcome Father Kevin Magner
 Sun., July 25th - Mother Teresa with Msgr. Callaghan 6 pm
 Thurs., July 29th - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
*Watch for details on how to sign up, in August, for Synod
 small group gatherings beginning in September!*

Readings for the Week of July 18, 2021

- Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 2:13-18/
 Mk 6:30-34
 Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc,-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/
 Mt 12:38-42
 Tuesday: Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17 [1b]/
 Mt 12:46-50
 Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26,
 27-28 [24b]/Mt 13:1-9
 Thursday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6,
 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
 Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [cf. Jn 6:68c]/
 Mt 13:18-23
 Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [14a]/
 Mt 13:24-30
 Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18
 [cf. 16]/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15



When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.
 - Mk 6: 34

Parish Office

Fr. John Meyer, Pastor - Msgr. Callaghan, Parochial Vicar

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PO Box 126

Office hours: 8:00 - 4:00 Monday through Friday

(excluding the noon hours)

Contact the office via email Bonnie@stignatiusmn.com

Phone: 274-8828-Ext. 21 Fax: 274-3961

Bookkeeper 274-8828 ext. 32 - email Tom@stignatiusmn.com

Web Site: <http://www.stignatiusmn.com>

Religious Education Office

Mail Address: P.O. Box 126

Phone: *Youth F.F. classes Office* 274-8828 - Ext. #24

E-mail: Mary@stignatiusmn.com

Hours: (Summer hours) Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., 9:00 a.m.

to 1:00 pm

Youth Ministers Office: 320-274-8828 ext. 33

E-mail: Ali@stignatiusmn.com

Hours: Leave of absence starting 6/1/2021

Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses: 8:30 a.m. (8:30 mass live streamed)
and 10:30 a.m.

Mass is live streamed <http://www.stignatiusmn.com>

Daily Mass

No Daily Mass Monday, Tuesday.

Wednesday, Thursday Friday at 8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

4:30 pm Saturday—one-half hour prior to Saturday Mass

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

Last Thursday of the month, 8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Sacraments

Baptisms

Members should contact the parish at least two (2) months in advance of the baptism. Baptismal Classes are held the 2nd Tuesday of February, May, August, and November. Parents are required to attend this class before the baptism. Baptisms are scheduled through the parish office 274-8828 ext. 21

Weddings

Members should contact the pastor at least six (6) months in advance of the desired date.

Homebound Ministry

If you or someone you know would like one of our home visitors to stop by your residence for companionship, prayer, or have communion brought to you, please call the Parish office 274-8828 ext. 21 to make arrangements

Prayer Requests

To place prayer requests in the bulletin, please call the parish office - 274-8828 ext. 21

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday at noon.

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