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INTER-PARISH NEWS

Koinonia Retreat

Koinonia is people joining together to get to know Jesus, God, each other, and ourselves as they experience Christian Community. They take central teachings of our faith and show how it applies to our daily lives. Join this Christian Living experience designed for adults age 20 and older. Retreats are held in Belle Prairie at the TEX center 3 miles north of Little Falls. The next retreat will be held September 13-15. The weekend starts at 5:30pm Friday and ends Sunday afternoon. Applications can be completed online at the website: centralmnkoinonia.org. For a paper application call Kathy at 320-630-1880 or contact them by email at cmkoinonia@gmail.com. Cost of the weekend is \$70 which includes meals & lodging. Scholarships available for those in need.

Backpack Program

During the 2018-19 school year, an average of 303 students received bags of food for the weekend. Eleven schools in Wilkin & Richland Counties were served by the program. Average cost of a bag of food is \$3.75. \$4,000 per month is needed to sustain the program. During August you have the opportunity to support the Backpack Program by donating at the check-outs of Econo Foods in Breck & Wop. Donations may also be mailed to the Richland Wilkin Backpack Program at 699 8th Ave, Wahpeton, ND 58075. The first \$500 will be matched by Econo Foods.

St. Elizabeth Annual Bazaar

St. Elizabeth Church at Elizabeth, MN will celebrate its 33rd Annual St. Elizabeth Port Out Bazaar on Sunday, August 18th from 10:00–3:00. An outdoor Mass will begin at 10:00 a.m. Please bring lawn chairs for seating. Following mass stay and enjoy a slow roasted pork meal with all the trimmings, music, games, crafts, etc.

Volunteer Opportunity

The Wilkin County Fair is being held August 15-19. We are looking for Volunteer Greeters for the Home Environment Building. Various hours available. Please call the Wilkin County Fair phone number at 701-403-5217 if you are interested.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TEACHERS NEEDED!

We are looking for teachers for 4th, 5th, 6th, 9th and 11th grades. If you are available, please contact Peggy Materi at 643-5443.

2019 Diocesan Rural Life Celebration

Sunday, August 18th at the Randy & Amanda Hartung Family Farm, 40607 Cty Rd 153, Freeport, MN. An outdoor mass at 10:30 with Bishop Kettler, followed by guest speaker, Joe Gill, presentation of Century Farm Awards, picnic, music, etc.

ST. THOMAS

Fall Bazaar

Our annual Fall Bazaar is scheduled for Sunday, September 8, with dinner served from 11:00am to 1:30pm. This is our largest fundraiser of the year and we need help from all members of the parish to make this event a success. Keep in mind that we will need items for the country store and the theme basket sale. All families are asked to donate a cake for the cake walk.

Bazaar Raffle Tickets—Please note that this year's St. Thomas Fall Bazaar tickets are \$2.00 each. We have a great list of prizes, mostly cash, and are hoping that we are able to sell all of the 3,500 tickets that we had printed! If you need more tickets please contact either:

Terri Tschakert at 218-557-8770 (home) or 701-640-4255

Diana Freese at 218-643-6597 (home) or 701-6403521.

If you can turn in your sold tickets before the bazaar, that would be helpful. They can be placed in an envelope and put in the Sunday collection basket or given to Terri or Diana. If you are unable to sell your tickets, please do not throw them away, as all tickets must be accounted for according to our gambling permit.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

	ST. MARY'S	ST. THOMAS
Income for week of July 28		
Adults	\$5,967.00	\$585.00
Plate	\$107.00	\$26.00
Kids	\$10.00	
Direct Deposit*** (July)	\$0.00	\$0.00
Income to date for fiscal year	\$14,626.72	\$2,433.25

ST. MARY'S

Mass Intentions

Now that we are having weekday Masses again, there are openings for Mass intentions. If you would like to schedule an intention, please call the parish office.

Children's Mass Bags

There are five children's Mass bags that can be borrowed for use during Mass. They have books, activity pads, etc. They are located in a basket in the coat room at the back of the church. **Please return them after Mass.** If you would like to see more added, let Sharon in the office know. These bags are donated by the St. Mary's Christian Mothers.

Cutest Baby Contest

Pro Life will once again host this contest during the country fair. They are looking for 3" X 5", or smaller, pictures of your children or grandchildren. Judging will be done at the Wilkin County Fair, August 15-19 at the Pro Life booth. Each vote costs 25 cents and a \$50 savings bond will be given to the one chosen as the cutest. Stop by our booth to vote! You can send or give your pictures to Linda Vizenor, 902 10th St. N, Breckenridge, (640-4008), with your address & name on the back of each picture. They will be returned. Deadline is August 14th.



Spiritual Opportunities

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Mary's Church on Wednesdays from 8:00am-3:45pm. Fr. Leo will conduct the Chaplet of Mercy at 3:45, followed by Benediction at 4:00pm. Adoration will also be held from 8:30am-9:30am after the Masses on Thursdays & Fridays. **Adoration will be held at St Thomas from 6:30-7:30pm on Tuesday evenings after the Mass.**

Studying the Sunday Scriptures

Fridays at 1:00 pm we gather at LeMar Photography, Wahpeton, to reflect upon the Scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday. This is a great way to have a better understanding of the Sunday Scriptures before you hear them at Mass. You do not need to register or to have attended before. **The next meeting will be August 23.**

MASS SCHEDULE

SM: St. Mary's ST: St. Thomas SF: St. Francis Home

Monday, August 19

SM No Mass

ST No Mass

Tuesday, August 20

SM No Mass

ST 6:00pm †Sy Terfehr

SF 10:30am Mass at St. Francis Home

Wednesday, August 21

SM 8:00am †Tootie Brantl

ST No Mass

Thursday, August 22

SM 8:00am Pro Life

ST No Mass

Friday, August 23

SM 8:00am †Don Beyer

ST No Mass

Saturday, August 24

SM 5:00pm †† PJ and Mary Banish

ST No Mass

Sunday, August 25

ST 8:00am People of the Parish

SM 10:00am †Madonna Syvertsen

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, August 24, 4:00pm at SM

Sunday, August 25, 7:30am at ST

Mass in the Park

We are planning on having a Sunday Mass in the park during the Wilkin County Fair. The date will be Sunday, August 18th at 10:00am. (You may remember that we were rained out last year!) Please keep this date in mind. There will be no entrance fee if you are attending Mass that day.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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Saturday, August 24, 5:00pm

Servers: Mark W. Jonah F., Francisco P.

Lector: Cathy J.

Extraordinary Ministers: Scott & Wendy W.,
Dar J, Sharon L.

Ushers: Doug E, Rick B.

Sunday, August 25, 10:00am

Servers: Ashlyn H., Carter C., Weslee J.

Lector: Christy H.

Extraordinary Ministers: Gail S., Kim L., Roy &
Jean K., Tom & Peggy M., Joe V.

Ushers: Roger J., Savannah C., Randy B. Terry T.

ST. THOMAS

Sunday, August 25, 8:00am

Servers: Alex and Tucker

Lector: Pat

Eucharistic Minister: Merlin

Collection Counters: Jackie & Paul

August Ushers: Chuck Goulet & Steve Haire



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