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2028—150th Anniversary



All Saints, New Richland
307 1st St SW
Established 1879
2029—150th Anniversary

AUGUST 29, 2021

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We hope you have enjoyed celebrating with us. Whether you are new to the area or have lived here for years, you are invited to join our parish family. We are three parish communities that make up the Communion of Saints Catholic Community. If you are a visitor from out of town, we hope you feel welcome in our church as your "home away from home."



22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He summoned the crowd again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile." - Mk 7:14-15

Information for the parish bulletin is due to the parish office by 12:00 Noon on Tuesday each week unless otherwise noted.

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Weekday Mass Schedule

See page 2 of the bulletin for the weekday schedule as it is periodically subject to change based on pastoral circumstances.

Weekend Mass/Confession Schedule

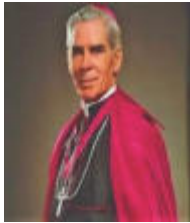
Saturday 5:00 PM All Saints in New Richland
Sunday 8:00 AM St. Joseph in Waldorf
Sunday 10:00 AM St. Ann in Janesville

Confession is available half an hour before each weekend Mass.

LITURGY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday	Aug	30		No Mass Schedule	St. Ann - Janesville
Tuesday	Aug	31	5:30 PM	Dan Wheelock †	St. Ann - Janesville
Wednesday	Sept	1	12:00 PM	Fred and Diane Arnoldt †	St. Ann - Janesville
Thursday	Sept	2	12:00 PM	Cliff Gardner †	St. Ann - Janesville
Friday	Sept	3	10:00 AM	Dr. Albert and Lois Flor †	New Richland Care Center
Saturday	Sept	4	5:00 PM	Art and Mary Dinneen †	All Saints - New Richland
Sunday	Sept	5	8:00 AM	Mark Larson †	St. Joseph - Waldorf
			10:00 AM	For the Parishes	St. Ann - Janesville

FROM FR. BRIAN



Going on a Venerable Fulton Sheen kick on You Tube for the summer! I will put the different videos up on the website to watch. It is a playlist for a **Family Retreat** the encouragement would be to gather the family to watch the video (20-40 minutes) once a week! I will put some of my own ideas and thoughts in the bulletin too.

11/12 The Meaning of the Mass

One of the best questions: Why do we or I have to go to Mass? – is there an answer, absolutely. The answer is more exciting and Real than we could possibly imagine!!

Why, I will never get bored celebrating the Mass with you all! I can't get anything out of what I don't know.

1st the planting of the Cross, today in real time - we all have crosses to plant from our life - picking up your cross daily and follow me.

2nd Death of our Lord drama played out - once and for all, same lines (I can't change them) but the stage is different.

Act One - You bring yourself – bring yourself with the bread and wine - gives us life.

Act Two – You die with Him - my blood and body - yours and mine - given to Jesus to die with Him.

Act Three- You get New Life because you died with Him- the Eucharist - No ones Dies with Christ not to be brought to life in him.

The law of nature in consuming for life: minerals are killed so plants have life, plants die so animals have life, animals die so we can have life, the Son of God, gives Himself to us so we may have a higher abundant life. The Law of Transformation - minerals to plants, plants to animals, animals to humans, humans to Jesus Christ. Dying to the higher kingdom all the way through - but change, suffering, death in order to live!

ST. ANN'S FALL FESTIVAL MEETING

The next meeting of the Fall Festival Committee is planned for tomorrow evening, Monday, August 30, in the new parish center beginning at 7:00 PM.

ST. ANN FALL FESTIVAL

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH
4PM GOLF TOURNAMENT
PRAIRIE RIDGE GOLF COURSE
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH
5PM-8PM FOOD TRUCK
5PM BEER AND WINE TRUCK
6:30PM BINGO AND MEAT RAFFLE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH
10AM MASS IN THE CHURCH
11AM-3PM FOOD TRUCK
11AM BEER AND WINE TRUCK
12PM SERVANT AND LIVE AUCTION
12PM ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS
1:30PM SILENT AUCTION BIDDING CLOSES
2PM CASH RAFFLE DRAWING
(CASH RAFFLE TICKETS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO THE FESTIVAL AT THE PARISH OFFICE)

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Meat Raffle - Karen Dimler 507.469.1679
 Please consider donating where you can. Thank you!
Golf Tourney - Jim Schultz 507.340.7613 (still looking for 3 more teams to golf...call Jim)

GOSPEL MEDITATION



Albert Einstein said that the "true measure of intelligence is not knowledge but imagination." Being a disciple of Jesus Christ requires a great deal of imagination. It is not enough to simply attend to facts, rules and rituals and

consider the job done. Quite contrarily, the Gospels demands creativity, of trying to discern how to put flesh on the Beatitudes and properly serve God's children. Jesus never doled out a top down agenda. Not once did he ever demand conformity over conversion or sacrifice over mercy. The Gospel is always about putting people in touch with their compassionate, forgiving, and unconditionally loving God and meeting them where they are.

For Jesus, it often meant breaking a few rules. Well respected and time-honored traditions had to be set aside in order to attend to what really mattered. God's compassion, mercy and true conversion were always the trump cards. The story of the Good Samaritan, healing on the Sabbath, and bypassing of purification rituals all display this theme. Human beings can get too hung up on protocol and tradition. This is so much so that often preserving all of these things is of greater concern than the beggar knocking on our door or the sinner looking for mercy. It is no wonder, then, that we can easily become hypocritical. Many can see us on our knees in prayer while our true heart and actions, rooted in judgment and self-preservation, are hidden from others. It is a trap into which we can easily fall. Who cares how we live our lives as long as our hands are properly washed!

Here enters the need for imagination and the distinction of truly being a wise and intelligent person. It takes a good measure of creativity and a lot of guts to really be a doer of God's word and not merely a hearer. Being a person who doesn't just tell people about God but shows people God requires courage and ingenuity. That's why people like St. Francis of Assisi and St. Teresa of Calcutta are timeless. Their genuineness speaks volumes generation to generation. It's risky business taking the step to allow God into our hearts. Permitting God to release us from the grip of our evil thoughts, infidelity, greed, malice, sexual improprieties, licentiousness, envy, arrogance, folly, and the like takes courage. That's why we prefer to spend our energy rearranging the future rather than take measures to secure a foundation that is most certainly crumbling. ©LPi

GREETERS/GIFTBEARERS - ST. ANN'S

September 5 Brady Adams Family
September 12 Jeff Adams Family
September 19 Tim Burns Family
September 26 Jena Schoenrock Family

If unable on the day you are scheduled, please contact Ann Carda at 507.317.9604
Thanks for all you are doing!

INFORMATION FOR YOU

Thank you to everyone who participated in this week-ends Back To School Blessing!



All Saints Parishioners: A basket at all Masses in August will be available for free-will donations to purchase a tent for the Fall Festival. Thank you for your support!

Bucket Raffle will be back again at the Fall Festival of St. Ann. Anyone wishing to donate to this raffle can bring items to the parish office or contact Judy Ready at 507.340.6682

St. Ann's CCW will meet Wednesday, September 15, at 6:30 PM in the new Parish Center. All St. Ann women are welcome to attend and participate.

September is Library Card Sign-up Month - stop in at the Janesville Public Library and request a Free library card. The library has numerous materials available to all ages. It has Wi-Fi and computers available during library hours also. Stop by and check them out!

Lord, I will be busy today. If I forget You, Please do not forget me. Amen.

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FALL FESTIVAL

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SATURDAY · SEPTEMBER 25TH

BIG TICKET RAFFLE: each \$25 ticket is a chance to win \$500, \$250, \$200, \$150 and 6 chances to win \$100.

3:30-7:30 PM • FOOD SERVED 5-6:30 PM
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