

St. Mary's & St. Joseph's Catholic Churches

Pastor: Fr. Steven Daigle

Third Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2019

Mass Times

St. Mary's

**15 1st Ave NE
Deer River, MN**

Sunday 11:00 AM
Wednesday 8:30 AM
1st Friday 8:30 AM

St. Joseph's

**51061 Wolf Drive
Ball Club, MN**

Saturday 5:00 PM

Confessions

9:00 AM 1st Friday St. Mary
2:45 PM Saturday St. Mary
4 PM Saturday St. Joseph

Prayer Chain

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This Week's Schedule May 6—12

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		8:30 Mass SM 9—2 CCW Spring Conven- tion SM 4 Kateri Circle SM		9 Euch Ador SM	2:45— 3:30 Confess SM 4 Confess SJ 5 Mass SJ	Mother's Day 11 Mass SM
SJ = St. Joseph, Ball Club		SC= St. Charles, Cass Lake		SM=St. Mary, Deer River		

Prayer for Our Nation

This year, the National Day of Prayer for our nation falls on May 4. This observance was created by Congress in 1952.

Today, we see that religion in the public arena may have become a backseat participant in our national discussions. Our country was founded by immigrants who fled their home countries for many reasons. However, one of the most important reasons for emigration was for religious freedom. We as people of faith need to keep our faith lives in the forefront of our moral decision making.

Let us pray...

God of freedom and liberty,

you have created us a little less than the angels and, in doing so, have given us the ability to make moral choices.

Continue to bless our country and give us the wisdom to know your will.

We implore you to grant wisdom to our leaders.

We implore you to grant wisdom to individuals who vote.

Give patience to us when patience is needed.

Give us the knowledge to know when action needs to confront evil.

We ask all this in the name of Jesus, our brother and savior.

Amen.

Al-Anon Family Groups

Al-Anon Family Groups is an established community resource for people who have been affected by another's use of alcohol. Al-Anon consists of non-professional mutual support groups in which the identity of all members is protected.

A family member group meets on Monday evenings at 7:00 pm at Bethany Lutheran Church in Deer River.

For more information please call 218-340-2639 or 888-4AL-ANON. Check out our website at www.al-anon.alateen.org or www.minnesotanorth-al-anon.org.

Share Our Bulletin

Is there someone you know who is unable to attend Mass? Please pick up an extra bulletin and personally deliver it. The next best thing is to have one sent in the mail. Call the office to arrange.

Suicide Prevention Line 1-800-273-TALK

Second Sunday of Easter

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

He has you in mind. Do we think about that much? The God of the universe has us in mind, individually as persons and together as one human family. We hear this truth in today's Gospel story of Thomas. His doubt is likely familiar to us by now. "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nailmarks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

Jesus is God. He could have risen any way he wanted. He could have risen perfectly healed, as a further sign of his power over death and suffering. But when Thomas encounters him, we see what Jesus chose. "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." In resurrecting his body, Jesus already has Thomas in mind. Jesus retains his wounds for Thomas, for the disciples, and for all who would doubt the sacrificial power of love. This intentional love of Jesus is echoed by John and his disciples, who authored this Gospel. "Jesus did many other signs...these are written that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Christ...and that through this belief you may have life in his name."

From its earliest beginnings, the Church knew the power of sign and story. When they wrote the Gospels, they had us in mind. We are all Thomas from time to time. We need to see the mercy of God lived and real in our lives. This can happen throughout the circumstances of our daily comings and goings. It can also happen through meditating on the Scripture, through placing ourselves in the stories and listening to God's voice speaking. We don't get to see what the disciples got to see, but we know, through them, that God always has us in mind. As he reminds the disciples, "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." LPI



Our Gifts to God

04/21/2019	St. Mary's	St. Joseph's
Envelopes	\$ 928.00	\$ 569.00
Plate	\$ 393.00	\$ 369.00

Mass Intentions May 6—12

Mon. 8:30	No Mass	SM
Wed. 8:30	Francis Berbee †	SM
Sat. 5:00 pm	Max Villeneuve	SJ
Sun. 11:00 am	Annie Stangler	SM

Rosary March

The Knights of Columbus Annual Rosary March is today, at 2:00 pm at St. Joseph's in Ball Club. Please join us for this annual event. Refreshments will be served after the rosary.

Hibbing Deanery CCW Spring Convention

The Hibbing Deanery Council of Catholic Women's Spring Convention is this Wednesday, May 8, at St. Mary's. The theme is *Just Faith* and the speaker for the event is Patrice Critchley-Menor. Patrice is the Director of Social Apostolate for the Diocese of Duluth. Her responsibilities include supporting parishes in developing and expanding their social ministry and global solidarity, representing the Church on justice issues and providing emergency assistance to people in need.

Registration	9:30 am
Program	10:15 am
Eucharistic Adoration	11:30 am
Meal	12:30 pm
Dismissal	2:00 pm

There will be a silent auction and a 50/50 raffle. All women are invited. Our CCW will pay the fee.

St. Mary's Spring Rummage Sale

Thank you to everyone who helped with our rummage sale. We will be cleaning up on Monday. All help is appreciated.

Crosier Mission Visit

Next weekend we have Fr. Zwadi of the Crosiers coming for a mission visit. The bulletin insert has more information on his order and their works.

Our Lady of the Holy Trinity Magnificat

Our Lady of the Holy Trinity Chapter of Magnificat began in 2002 by members of St. Augustine's in Cohasset, St. Mary's in Deer River, and St. Joseph's in Grand Rapids. Magnificat's mission is to evangelize and to encourage Catholic women in a relaxed social setting to grow in holiness through opening more fully to the power and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Our local Magnificat Chapter is in need of prayer partners to come together weekly in discerning prayer for the future of this local Magnificat Chapter. We hope to gather weekly in prayer on a day/time that will work for the group. Please prayerfully consider if you are able to help! Please contact Marilyn Schoenrock at 246-2803 to learn more. You can learn more about Magnificat at their website: www.magnificat-ministry.net. May Mary's Immaculate Heart be in each of us to proclaim the greatness of the Lord!

FertilityCare

Northland Family Programs - A Fertility-Care Center will hold a FREE Creighton Model FertilityCare System Introductory Sessions on May 20th, 2019 at 7:00PM at Hibbing Park Hotel & June 10th, 2019 at 7:00PM in Grand Rapids at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Creighton Model Fertilitycare System is a natural fertility tracking method that enables couples to achieve or avoid pregnancy. Pre-registration is required. For more information- visit www.northlandfamilyprograms.com or call 218-786-2378.

Emergency Food Boxes

We have emergency boxes of non-perishable food on hand. If you know of anyone in need of assistance, please contact the office at 246-8582. There are no income requirements and it is strictly confidential.

May Raffle Winners: Louise McCarroll, Bill Stangler, Peg Vaneps, Cash Evans, Rick Kezar, Fr. Steve, Joel Fisher, Ben Birkholz, Denise Feltus, Renee Nelson, Kayla Ayers, Jill Nelson, Reenie Reuter, Rick Norris, Melissa Paggen, Jenny Greeler, Gail Haubrich, Janet Savoie, Addie Benham, Fr. Steve, Shelly Tesch, Leonard Kossow, Kathy Stanley, Mike & Mary Bower, Nick Stangler, Rick Blake, Elaine Jones, Kimberly Norris, Jan Edgeton, Tina Felix, Mitch & Bailey Drotts.

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