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FOUR PARISHES ONE FAITH

Sixth Sunday of Easter



Fr. Dave Oberts invites you to celebrate his 80th birthday on Sunday, May 22 Celebration starts with Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes at 10am, followed by cake & ice cream at The Pavilion.

NO GIFTS PLEASE

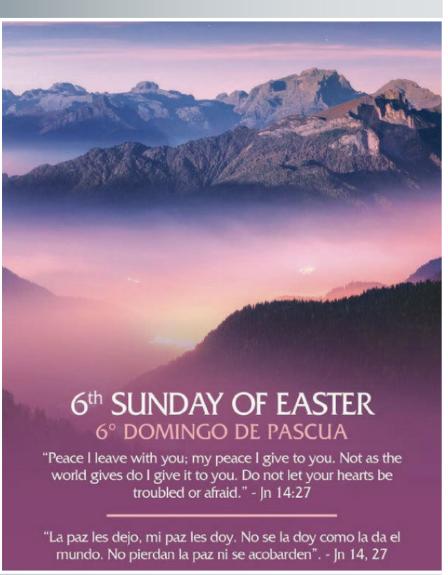
LAST WEEK BEFORE GIFT SHOP CLOSES!

Our Lady's Treasures Gift Shop is closing on Sunday, May 29. Stop in for

Father's Day gifts, Divine Mercy resources, sacramental gifts, rosaries, medals and crucifixes.

Located at: Main entrance of Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Rice Lake (Dobie).

Open: Friday after the 8:15 am Mass; Saturday after the 4 pm Mass; Sunday after the 10 am Mass. Or contact Judy Pottinger at 715-651-9906 for a convenient time.



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May 22 Sixth Sunday of Easter

What did it take to be a member of the new faith, called *The WAY?*This is a new religion, different from the Jewish faith. There is a person whom we call God, whom we worship and give glory, praise and honor.

In Jewish law one must be circumcised and eat only certain foods. You must always be on guard that you are not unclean, or you cannot enter the temple to worship. Primary worship must be in the temple. There were many other rules to follow in the Jewish tradition.

But this religion is different. Most of the people converting to the faith were not Jewish but Gentiles. And in some cases, they are flooding to this new faith. What rules shall we set up to make sure they will be accepted into the new faith?

The leaders of *The Way* looked at how Jesus accepted people. He welcomed all people and never did background checks. He never asked if they were Jewish or pagan. When people came to Him, he would say do not let your hearts be troubled, do not be afraid. Accepted into the new faith, people will learn and discover Jesus together. In reading scripture, their minds would be open to God working in their lives.

Accepting the Holy Spirit, we turn to God in trust realizing God is in control. As they say in the AT&T commercials, it is not that complicated. God will open our minds to His love. We will want to respond to God in love, living the commandments and accepting the Beatitudes. It is not that complicated.





Frankie Ann Toscano daughter of Pablo and Jessica was baptized into the Catholic faith on May 14, 2022.





JUNE NONAGENARIANS

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May is Poppy Month



The remembrance poppy is worn to commemorate military personnel who died in war. Inspired by the war poem, "In Flanders Fields," poppies were first used near the end of World War I to commemorate American and British casualties of the war. Veterans' associations exchange poppies for charitable donations used to give financial, social and emotional support to veterans and their families.

The Brunclik-Konop Unit 540 of the American Legion Auxiliary, Haugen, will be distributing poppies Memorial Day Weekend at Our Lady of Lourdes Masses Saturday, May 28 at 4 pm and Sunday, May 29 at 10 am and at the Holy Trinity Mass on Sunday May 29 at 8:30 am.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

MASSES, INTENTIONS, COMMUNION SERVICE

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7:00 am SJ Communion Service

Tuesday, May 24

5:30 pm SJ † Chuck Murphy

Wednesday, May 25

8:15 am HT † Roy & Marge Flink For Students & Staff of 8:30 am SJ St. Joseph School

Thursday, May 26

7:00 am SJ For Priests & Seminarians

8:30 am SJE Special Intention

Friday, May 27

7:00 am SJ For Zachary Veitch

8:15 am OLL † All Souls

Join the Knights of Columbus for

Saturday, May 28 the Rosary before ALL weekend

Masses in May

† Donald Nelson 4:00 pm OLL

4:30 pm SJ t Ray Schwochert

Sunday, May 29

8:30 am HT t Ed & Bev Kinnick

9:00 am SJ † Ronald & Shirley Kieffer

10:00 am OLL For the People of Our Cluster

11:00 am SJE Larry & Carol Seffinga

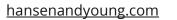
1:00 pm SJ

Misa en español

† All Souls

CANCELED 5:30 pm SJ

Knights of Columbus Online Auction



Items will be on Web site by May 23 when bidding begins.

MONDAY, JUNE 6 Bidding begins at 6 pm

Proceeds go toward local charity projects.

WEEKLY EVENTS CALENDAR

Monday, May 23

OLL 6:00 pm Vocation Holy Hour

Tuesday, May 24

SJ SJ 3:15 pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd 6:30 pm Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday, May 25

No events

Thursday, May 26

No events

Friday, May 27

10:00 am Kindergarten Graduation - basement SJ

Saturday, May 28

10:00 am Confessions SJ ςĪ 3:00 pm Confessions

Sunday, May 29

4:00 pm Transitional Diaconate Ordination -Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior

Act of Spiritual Communion



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

PENTECOST MASS

With Bishop James Powers & Fr. Dean Buttrick Sponsored by Diocese of Superior Charismatic Team

Sunday, June 5

St. Joseph Catholic Church 111 W. Marshall St., Rice Lake, WI 2:30 –2:55 pm Praise & Worship 3 pm Mass

Free Lunch to Follow Mass offering is for use of the Church

RSVP to Nancy Stellrecht stellrecht6@gmail.com
RSVP Information Requested for the Lunch

<u>Please include the following info on your email:</u> <u>Name</u>

<u>Address</u>

Number of people



"TRIALS ARE NOTHING ELSE BUT THE FORGE THAT PURIFIES THE SOUL OF ALL ITS IMPERFECTIONS."

St. Mary Magdalene De Pazzi Feast Day May 25

Come and save a life (or 3)!

The Rice Lake Knights of Columbus will sponsor an American Red Cross blood drive on Monday and Tuesday, **June 13, 1 pm**



- 6 pm and June 14, 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm at the Rice Lake Knights Hall (Knights of Columbus Building at 1121 Nunn Ave.)

The Knights of Columbus encourages everyone to prayerfully consider making a blood donation to help reduce the current blood shortage taking place.

Your donation will help replenish our Nation's Blood supply.

Appointments are highly encouraged. To make an appointment, please call 800-733-2767 or please visit www.redcrossblood.org and search for Knights of Columbus to find our drive.

Thank you for your support and the lives that can be saved through your donation,

Alan Burmester Knights of Columbus Blood Drive Coordinator







Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Bishop James Powers invites all married couples celebrating a milestone anniversary—years ending in a o or a 5, exceptions considered—to sign up for the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration:

Saturday, July 16,

Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior, WI
Mass at 11 am (certificate presented at Mass)
Luncheon following in
Kress Hall (lower level of cathedral)

Sign up for this celebration by contacting your parish office with the following info: names, address, phone number, email address, marriage date, years married, current parish name, city. The deadline to sign up with the parish office is Friday, June 17.

Those signing up will receive an invite with guest information and an RSVP card. There is no cost for the anniversary couple to attend.

Questions your parish office is unable to answer? Contact Debra Lieberg, Chancellor: 715-394-0205; <u>dlieberg@catholicdos.org</u>.

Knights of Columbus Council 9546
PANCAKE BREAKFAST!
SUNDAY, JUNE 5 | 7:30 - 11 am
Holy Trinity Church, Haugen, WI



Menu: Pancakes, French toast, sausage, applesauce, fruit bowl, cinnamon rolls, milk, juice and coffee. Proceeds go toward goodwill projects in the area.





7 Things Every High School Graduate Should Hear

- Live with intention. College will be full of new opportunities. Think carefully about your priorities for your new start.
- Make the right friends. There will be plenty of new people! Concentrate on ones who motivate you to be a better person.
- 3. It's a big world! Look for new perspectives, new opportunities and new ideas that push you to grow.
- 4. Find a mentor. Building relationships with people who have "been there, done that" can be a great help.
- Give yourself away. You may not need to volunteer anymore, but you'll be surprised what you learn, how you grow and who you meet when you serve.
- Before you go, learn how to do your laundry, address an envelope, schedule a doctor's appointment, use public transportation and cook basic meals (ramen doesn't count!)
- 7. Remember that God is in control. And that's a good thing! LPi

Chloe Streit's name was inadvertently missed in the names of seniors not pictured in last week's graduation photos.

"Let us pray, brothers and sisters, so that all young people, called to live life to the fullest, may discover in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage of faith and the dedication to service."

~ Pope Francis

ESSAY WRITERS EARN AWARDS!

Middle school students from St. Joseph School were invited to participate in the VFW Patriot Pen Essay Contest. Award recipients are 7th grade student Lillie Widdes, 3rd place; 7th-grade student Marcus Rose, 2nd-place; and 6th-grade student Kai Delf, 1st place.

Members of the Rice Lake VFW Post and Ladies Auxiliary presented certificates to the winners.

In the picture, left to right Louise Engness, Lillie Widdes, Dennis De Gidio, Kaia Delf, Marcus Rose, JoAnn Thoeny and Jim Garey.



Memorial Day Flower Offering

Honor your loved ones this Memorial Day. Flowers will be placed at your parish altar for Memorial Weekend Masses in honor/memory. Memorials will also be published in our bulletin.

Please complete this form and put in the offertory plate or deliver to the cluster administration office.

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MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND SDCCW Convention June 28 and 29



Women of the Diocese of Superior, make plans to attend the 72nd
Superior Diocesan Council of
Catholic Women's Annual
Convention June 28 and 29.

Keynote Speakers Elizabeth Kelly, Deacon Craig Voldberg and

Chris Hurtubise.

The convention is being held at the beautiful Heartwood Resort & Conference Center, Trego, WI. The SDCCW is trying a new format for their 72nd Convention with two convention days packed with *spirituality, education, camaraderie, and fun!*

Registration forms with more convention information are available from your parish secretary or contact Mary Werner at 715-748-4709 or find the registration form on the SDCCW website: https://sdccw-wisconsin.weebly.com. The deadline for Registration is June 21!

ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE (TRANSITIONAL) SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD SUNDAY, MAY 29 | 4 pm CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING | Superior, WI

All are invited to the Cathedral of Christ the King in Superior on Sunday, May 29 at 4 pm to celebrate the Ordination of seminarians Julian Druffner, Isaiah Schick and Daniel Tracy to the Diaconate. **This Mass fulfills the obligation for that Sunday**.

Light refreshments will be served in Kress Hall following the liturgy. **Attendance at this Mass is a wonderful way to show our joyful support for priestly vocations**. Please consider attending this Mass in Superior that day.







FAITH FORMATION UPDATES

Totus Tuus 2022 - Registration is Open!

*Students entering grades 1-6 / June 13-17 Monday-Friday / 9:00am-2:30pm

*Students entering grades 7-12 / June 12-16 Sunday-Thursday / 7:30-9:45pm

*Cost \$25 per child

See the Cluster Website to Register



Questions?

Contact Director of Faith Formation Leah Kurzynski at lkurzynski@stjosephricelake.org



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