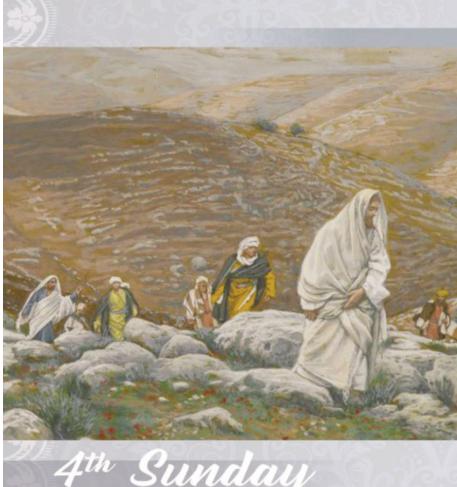
January 30, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



IN ORDINARY TIME

When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away. - Lk 4:28, 30

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

ST. BLAISE ~ FEBRUARY 3rd

You may be familiar with the annual "blessing of throats" that many parishes in the United States use to commemorate the beloved bishop and martyr. St. Blaise lived in the fourth century in Turkey



and Armenia. Due to religious persecution, he was forced to flee and hide in a cave in the back country in order to save his life. History has it that one day a group of hunters stumbled upon where St. Blaise was living. They found the bishop kneeling in prayer, surrounded by wolves, lions, and bears that he had tamed. The legend has it that as the hunters dragged Blaise off to prison, a mother came with her young son who had a fish bone lodged in his throat. At Blaise's command, the child was able to cough up the bone and thus lived. Today we re-

member the saint on his feast day by taking two candles, crossing them against the throat, and saying the following prayer: *Through the intercession of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.* Isanti Area Catholic Communities



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Ministry Schedule & News for All!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5th, 2022 - 4:00pm MASS

LECTOR Karen Langerud

<u>MASS SERVERS</u> Jordan & Elliot Kenmir

<u>COMMUNION MINISTERS</u> Christine Landherr ~ Peg Hill ~ Joe Foerster

> <u>GREETERS</u> Peg Hill ~ Marsha Scholtz

TUESDAY A.M. OFFERTORY COUNTERS

Sue Olson ~ John Langerud ~ Brent Haupert

<u>COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND</u> Nancy Koczur ~ Bruce Danielson

Mass Schedule/Mass Intentions

THURSDAY, February 3rd, 2022

Mass ~ 7:30am

Adoration ~ 8:30am - 3:00pm

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5th, 2022

Reconciliation ~ 3:00 - 3:45pm

Mass ~ 4:00pm -

†Fr. Jim Deegan, OMI

Kelyn Carney

QUICK NEWS BITES...

The deadline for registering for our 4th Annual Valentine's Day Dinner/Dance is **MONDAY FEB. 1st!** Registration forms are available on the table in the entryway.

Fr. Don will be on vacation from January 24th through January 31st.

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday, Feb. 4th.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 22nd, 2022

\$1,806.00			
\$139.00			
\$3.40			
\$3,362.00			
\$100.00			
\$2.00			
\$106.14			
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News for All

WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING

The next Women's Guild meeting will be held on Tues., February 1st, at 8:30am in the Parish Hall. All women of the parish are welcome!

VOLUNTEERS FOR DIRECTORY NEEDED!

We are putting together a NEW tri-parish directory for 2022! Photo sessions for Christ the King will be held in March, with the other 2 parishes sessions scheduled before and after ours. We would REALLY like to get a good turnout for this directory, so if you are not able to make it to our photo session you may go to one of the other parishes but still be in the Christ the King section. We are looking for volunteers to help register people after Mass starting in February, and to help sign people in on the day of the photo sessions. Sign up sheets for volunteers will be outside of the parish office. If you have questions or would like more information, please call the parish office. Thank you!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING



The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be held on Mon., February 14th, 2022 at 7:00pm at the Parish Hall.

NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS WANTED!

We are looking to add 3 new members to our Parish Council. If you, or someone you know would be a good fit for our council, please fill out and return one of the slips in the pews. Members will be added before our next meeting in March. This is a wonderful way to stay in touch with all that happens in your parish! WE NEED YOU!!

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday -- Friday, 8:30am to 3:30pm Closed from 1:00 -- 2:00pm on Thursdays

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Mass Schedule / Mass Intentions:

8:30am, Sunday, Jan 30, Bruce & Sherry Herdina 8:00am, Tuesday, Feb 1, †Randy Murschell 8:30am, Wednesday, Feb 2, Laurie Boniarczyk 8:30am, Sunday, Feb 6, †Ed Morton

This Week in Isanti:

Sun, Jan 30, Reconciliation, 7:30am-8:15am Rosary, 8:00am Tue, Feb 1, Rosary 8:35am Wed, Feb 2, Rosary 8:00am **NO** Quilting plus Thu, Feb 3, Zelie Group, 7-9pm Fri, Feb 4, Chaplet & Rosary in Mercy Chapel, 3pm Sun, Feb 6, Reconciliation, 7:30-8:15am Rosary 8:00am

Tri Parish Directory: We are going to be updating our directory, and making it a tri-parish directory. We are in need of several volunteers from our parish to work with our pages. If you are interested, please call the office at 763-444-4035.

Question: I've heard people call Jesus' conception by the Holy Spirit being "immaculately conceived." Is that what the Immaculate Conception is?

Answer: While these two events are often confused, they are not the same thing. We celebrated the conception of Jesus on March 25th, the feast of the Annunciation. While that was surely miraculous, it isn't what we refer to as the "immaculate conception." The Immaculate Conception is *Mary's* conception, and we typically celebrate it on December 8th. If the 8th happens to be a Sunday, the Church moves the feast to December 9th. It is a holy day of obligation. Why does the Church consider it so important to celebrate?

Mary's conception is immaculate because she was conceived without original sin. The angel Gabriel acknowledges this when he hails Mary as "full of grace" (Luke 1:28). Scripture scholars identify several theological ideas that confirm this. In the Old Testament, the sacred, pristine Ark of the Covenant held the presence of God. The presence of God is now held within a new "arc" — the womb of Mary. Genesis 3 also prophesies of a woman who would oppose the devil and whose child would crush the devil's head. Christ is the "New Adam." This passage sets up Mary, then, as the "New Eve." Jesus and Mary are the beginnings of a new creation, one we all can participate in through the grace of our baptism. After all, God's love is more "original" than our sin! ©LPi

Weekly Financials

For the weekend of January 23, 2022

Adult offering	\$1,409.00
Loose	\$128.49
Youth offering	\$7.30
Building Fund	\$30.00
Good Samaritan transfer	\$30.74
Hospitality (33.50/cost for the week).	\$79.00

FEBRUARY 6th, 8:30am MASS

Lector Peter Klesk <u>Servers</u> Sophia Klesk ~ Marta Zabinski <u>Communion Ministers</u> Kathy Morgan ~ Gordon Jacobson ~ Theresa Lawson <u>Greeters</u> Dave and Stacy Klebs

NO Quilting plus, Wednesday February 2nd.

Women's Guild Meeting February 16th at 10 AM. We will be discussing the future of the Women's Guild. We will also be having a meeting March 15th at 7PM. All women of the parish are a member of the Women's Guild. So please plan to attend one of these meetings.

Readings for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday:	Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6,
	15-17 [cf. 15ab]/1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or
	13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30
Monday:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3,
-	4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/
-	Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/
	Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab,
	11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/
	Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13,
	14/Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8
	[1c]/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/
	Lk 5:1-11

Observances for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday:	4 th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate			
Catholic Schools Week				
Monday:	St. John Bosco, Priest			
Wednesday:	The Presentation of the Lord; World			
	Day for Consecrated Life			
Thursday:	St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr;			
-	St. Ansgar, Bishop			
Saturday:	St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr			
Next Sunday:	5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time;			
	St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs			

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Ministers Schedule

SUNDAY 10:30am, Mass ~ FEBRUARY 6th, 2022

LECTOR Bob B.

MASS SERVERS Boston ~ Noah T.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS Tony ~ Bob B. ~ Mary Kay

GREETERS/USHERS

Darryl ~ Denny O. ~ Vern F. ~ Joe H.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Adoration: Every Friday after Mass 8:30-9:30am Confessions after Mass Friday morning

KC's Wed. Night Rosary 6:30pm -- Russel Asmussen, JoAnn Rajkowski, Darlene Fix, Gary Fix, & Vocations.

Friday, February 4th, 2022

Mass ~ 8:00am

††Earl & Betty Girard

Sunday, February 6th 2022

Mass ~ 10:30am For the People of the Parishes

Weekend Mass will still be televised via YouTube.

SPECIAL COLLECTION SCHEDULED

On Sunday, February 6th, we will have a special collection for the Good Samaritan Fund. Please drop your Good Samaritan envelope in the collection basket, or you can use OSV online.

PARISH COUNCIL VACANCIES

If you, or someone you know is interested in being a member of our Parish Council, please contact the office.

WOMEN'S GROUP MEETING

Sts. Peter & Paul's Women's Group will meet on Tues., February 1st at 10:00am in Zimmer Hall.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION For the weekend of JANUARY 23rd, 2022

Adult Sunday Offering	\$821.00
Online Giving	\$1,783.00
Children's Offering	\$14.50
Christmas Offering	\$115.00
Capital Improvement	\$30.00
Good Samaritan Shalom	\$200.00

News For All

Please pray for the heavenly repose of the soul of **Jerry Knosalla**, who passed away on January 24, 2022. $\mathcal{P}_{\varepsilon \alpha \varepsilon \varepsilon}$ May God bless his family and friends, and may you all find comfort, hope and peace, knowing that your loved one is at rest in God's arms.

PRC/LEX'S BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Our Baby Bottle Campaign is in full swing! PRC/Lex's annual campaign will be traditional this year, with the additional ability to request a "changelope" for those who wish to have a mailable container to do remotely. Changelopes are a cardboard pop-up container we can easily mail out to anyone who is staying close to home yet. We do have the regular bottles in our entryway for pickup. Please return bottles by February 13th.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING



The next Braham Knights of Columbus meeting will be held on Monday, February 7th, 2022 at 7:00pm in Zimmer Hall. There will be a light meal at 6:30pm. All men of the Parish are welcome!

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR NEW DIRECTORY!

Please sign up early for a time spot to have your picture taken, as time spots are filling up quickly. We would like to thank the 18% of the 183 families that have already signed up! All Sts. Peter & Paul families that sign up at any parish location before 2/24/22 will be entered into a drawing for a \$50 Pizza Pub gift card! Please help us obtain our goal of 100% participation! Each family pictured inside of the directory will receive a FREE 8" x 10" picture and a FREE directory.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

The Knights invite all men from Sts. Peter & Paul to attend the 2022 St. Cloud Catholic Men's Conference in Sartell on Saturday, Feb. 26th from 8:30am to 4pm. Please sign up in the vestibule.

INFORMATION FOR THE DIRECTORY

Sts. Peter & Paul members will soon be receiving in the mail a letter asking you to update your information for our new tri-parish directory and parish file. Please return the updated information as soon as possible.

2021 yearly giving statements were mailed 1/27. Thank you for your generosity.

Faith Formation & More!

ONE ACCORD FAITH FORMATION Cindy Thrippleton -- Religious Education oneaccordre2@stspeter-paulchurch.com 443-206-5552 Jack Thrippleton -- Middle School, High School, **Baptism Classes** 320-496-6644 reled@stspeter-paulchurch.com Elizabeth Thunstrom -- K-5 Family Faith Formation 763-250-1229 k-5@stspeter-paulchurch.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, February 2nd 6:30pm - Middle School Groups, CTK Thursday, February 3rd RCIA - 7:00pm, Sts. Peter & Paul Saturday, February 5th 9:30am - K5 Family Formation Monday, February 7th 6:30pm - K5 Family Formation Wednesday, February 9th 6:30pm - High School Groups, CTK

News for All!

TRI-PARISH CHURCH DIRECTORY IS COMING!

Did vou ever wonder who that new family is sitting next to you at Mass? Maybe they're not new, but from one of our other parishes. Well, now you can find out who and where in our new Tri-Parish Directory! Photography sessions will be spread out over several months at all 3 parishes, and each



parish will have their own separate section, which will make up the directory. Sts. Peter & Paul will start in February, Christ the King in March, and St. Elizabeth's in May. To schedule your photography appointment online, simply go to: www.ucdir.com In the "Church Code" field, enter mn201a for CTK dates, or mn201c for SPP. Password is photos. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton photos are in May, so we will open those dates for scheduling in March. Church Codes & Passwords are case sensitive. Follow the prompts to schedule your appointment. If you have 5 or more in your family please use 2 consecutive time slots. The online scheduling is not available on Saturday or Sunday so we can do paper sign-ups at Mass.

Appointments fill up quickly, so schedule as soon as possible to get your best date and time.

HONORING MARRIAGE DAY

"Honoring Marriage Day" is set for Sat., May 7th, from 1-4pm at St. Mary's church in Alexandria. Couples celebrating 5, 10, 25, 40, 50, 60, and 60+ years please contact your parish office **no later than Feb. 1st** so your names may be submitted to the Office of Marriage and Family for recognition.

MERCY CHAPEL



To reserve your hour in Eucharistic Adoration contact Theresa or Cathy

MERCY CHAPEL COORDINATORS

Theresa Lawson 763-444-5477

Sunday 5pm—8pm

651-460-0569 mercychapeladoration@gmail.com

Cathy Walker

Thursday, 4am—12mn Friday, 5am—4pm Saturday, 9am—10am Monday, 9am—10pm Tuesday, 4am—11pm Wednesday, 4am-11pm *All are welcome to join in prayer for our country in Status of Mercy*

Mercy Chapel on Friday at 3pm, the Hour of Mercy ♥ VALENTINE DINNER/DANCE UPDATE!! ♥



Stewardship as a Way of Life: "Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous..." (1 Corinthians 13:4).

Do you get jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Do you acquire more possessions to impress others? At times we are all guilty of these things. Pray for more humility. Humility helps us become less "self-centered" and become more "Godcentered" for the sake of others.

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2022 launches in February

Announcement Weekend is February 12 - 13: You will receive bulletin inserts highlighting diocesan ministries and be asked to consider a gift to support these ministries on Commitment Weekend.

Commitment Weekend is February 19 - 20: This is your opportunity to support diocesan ministries with a 2021 gift to the appeal. You may bring the envelope you receive in the mail or use a response envelope that will be provided at Mass. Both will be gratefully received in the offertory.



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