

JUNE 30, 2024 | THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sacred Heart Church | 321 9th Street, P.O. Box 377, Heron Lake, MN 56137 | Sunday Mass: 8:00 am
 Sacred Heart Church | 516 10th Street, P.O. Box 187, Brewster, MN 56119 | Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm
 St. Francis Xavier Church | 532 17th Street, P.O. Box 39, Windom, MN 56101 | Sunday Mass: 10:00 am

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS - JULY 2 - 7, 2024

2	<u>Tues</u>	5:30pm	Windom	† Herb & Mavis Ratzlaff
3	<u>Wed</u>	9:00am	Heron Lake	† Gary & Dick Burns
4	<u>Thurs</u>	9:00am	Brewster	Living/Deceased of Bauman/Bonnell Families
5	<u>Fri</u>	9:30am	Sogge Home	† Dorothy A Becker
6	<u>Sat</u>	5:00pm	Brewster	† Joe & Marie McCarvel
7	<u>Sun</u>	8:00am	Heron Lake	† Dick & Joanie Madsen
7	<u>Sun</u>	10:00am	Windom	† Donald Hoppe

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY THE ROSARY 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO MASS-ES: Brewster— Thurs. and Sat.; Heron Lake —Wed. and Sun.; Windom—Tues. and Sun.

Know that our pastor includes all of us in his daily prayers and private Mass intentions.

If a Mass is cancelled, our pastor will include that scheduled Mass Intention at his private daily Mass. If you prefer it be rescheduled, please let your respective parish office know.

TRI PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

Triparish Intentions

Submit intentions to Parish Coordinator

- Jane Wolff
- Travis Muller
- Aiden Remme
- Miguel Esquivel
- Jim Salentiny
- Maxine Frank
- Margaret Juhnke
- Briar Rose Smith
- Mike McCarvel
- Mike Stone
- Ed Smith
- Sam Henkels
- Jim Stenzel
- Lisa Rothenberger
- For our veterans
- For an end to abortion
- For victims of war in Ukraine
- For the souls in purgatory
- Residents of Sogge Home, Mikkelsen, Manor, Remick Ridge
- Residents of Pine View and Lakeview Assisted Living
- For the NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC Revival & PARISH YEAR
- For the victims of the unrest in the region of the Holy Land
- Luke Borsgard
- Ben Byam



TRI PARISH INFORMATION

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This week's readings:

Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24 (98B); 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mark 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Next week's readings:

Ezekiel 2:2-5 (101B); 2 Corinthians 12:7-10; Mark 6:1-6a

PRAYER & WORSHIP

Weekly Words from The Rock:

To What Depths Are We Willing To Go

People ask me all the time, "Father Schuster, who introduced you to fishing?" My father introduced me to bullhead fishing. We mostly fished Freeborn Lake, yet, on one occasion, we went to Waterville to fish the famous "Bullhead Capital." It didn't disappoint. We caught bullhead after bullhead and had a five-gallon bucket full of bullheads. That is a problem because, while it is enjoyable to catch bullheads, to have to clean them takes a considerable period of time. We wised up with time only keeping around eight bullheads per outing.

Some years, we would take a three-day vacation to Leech Lake and spent most of our time fishing for north-erns. Although, one time, the wind was blowing into Battle Point and, as we drifted across the point with a jig and minnow, fish would bite but all we were left with was the head of the minnow. My father and I guessed they were walleyes thus began my fascination with fishing the Minnesota State Fish. I also give credit to Maynard, our neighbor, as he would take us to Lake Elysian from time to time and we would sometimes catch a walleye.

My father didn't have time to purchase a boat and take me fishing on a consistent basis. This was something I would have to do on my own. Over the years, I have fished out of three different boats with the most current being the one parked in St. Ann's parking lot. It took me a long time to learn the basics of walleye fishing. Even to this day, I am no expert. I would rate myself as a D-plus to C-minus walleye fisherman; however, I continue the joy of learning. I was once introduced to trolling for walleyes, and when I had the funds, purchased two trolling reels with line counters. To spool such a reel with fishing line takes a lot of fishing line. I used to change out all the line every year and that is when it happened. Someone taught me that it was unnecessary to change out all the line, it being necessary only to remove the amount of line I would need for the year. Such advice saved me a lot of line and money.

The deepest depths to which I have fished is around fifty feet. Such depths are deep for our area lakes, but nothing compared to an ocean's depth. How deep am I willing to go in my chase of the walleye? I think I have enough line on my line counter reel to plumb the depths at nine hundred feet.

In our gospel of today, we ask the question which headlines this article. To what depths is a person willing to go? We hear of two different accounts. Jairus, a synagogue official, comes forward, falls at Jesus' feet pleading with him to heal his daughter who is at the point of death. Pause and picture the scenario for a moment. How many people do you think Jairus, an official, has had to kneel before in his life? Perhaps a government official, yet it doesn't take much speculation to answer not many.

And how about the woman who has been afflicted with hemorrhages for twelve years? She has spent all her money seeking the assistance of doctors to help with a cure all to no avail. Now wanting to make a scene before the crowd, she approaches Jesus silently touching his cloak. It works and she is healed.

Both stories are about faith. Jairus and the woman never doubted. They approached Jesus with pure faith and Jesus did the rest. If only, at times, I had as much faith. How about you?

Blessings to you!

Father Peter Schuster

VOCATION VIEW

VOCATION VIEW: The world needs the healing touch of Jesus. Who will reach out in Jesus' name? Consider becoming a priest, deacon, brother or sister. (Mark 5:21-43)

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Contact the priest 6 to 12 months in advance of the date of marriage to fill out the forms, to do FOCCUS Test and to attend Marriage Prep Mentoring sessions. Please contact your parish office, if interested.

Mankato Area Pre-Cana Marriage Preparation:

October 12th St. Thomas More Newman Center, Mankato - Go to <https://www.dowr.org/event-details/3757> to register.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Contact the parish office a month in advance to fill out the form and to attend Baptism Mentoring Sessions.

LITURGICAL LIFE

LITURGICAL ROLES - July 7, 2024

Brewster Saturday 5:00 pm	Heron Lake Sunday 8:00 am	Windom Sunday 10:00 am
SERVERS	Thomas Bartosh Cora Haberman	Braxton Brown
LECTOR	Carmen Rasche Judy Stenzel	Shari Kneeland
CANTOR		Nadine Forman
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Carmen Rasche Martha Liepold Suzanne Iverson Jeff Hotzler	Sharon Jenniges
USHERS	Ryan Haberman Alan Freking John Wagner Mark Wagner	Michael Bregel Brian Bush Tom Riordan Jackie Jurgens
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SACRISTANS		Nadine Forman Judy Green
ROSARY	Pat Bonnell	David Bockelmann
VIDEO STREAMING		Tom Zimmerman
GREETERS		Chad and Katelin Brown family



CHURCH SUPPORT

	Brewster	Heron Lake	Windom
Week 52/52	\$ 630	\$ -	\$ 1,527
YTD	\$ 68,637	\$ 151,220	\$ 151,424
YTD Budget	\$ 104,942	\$ 165,242	\$ 255,000
Total	\$ (36,305)	\$ (14,022)	\$ (103,576)
Budget	\$ 107,000	\$ 165,242	\$ 255,000

Franciscan Missions 2nd Quarter Collection (collection June 1st-2nd)

Brewster	\$ 232
Heron Lake	\$ 120
Windom	\$ 314

*Let us remember those who are marginalized in the world. This year the Mission Appeal is for the Diocese of Nalgonda, India. It is to be preached by Fr. Chinnappa Pothireddy, presently Pastor, St. Rose of Lima Tri-Parish cluster, Lewiston. The mission consists of serving Pastoral needs in the Parishes, faith formation of children and youth, education of rural poor children specially girls, economic programs for the weaker sections, training of adults for leadership roles. You are requested to be generous as this year, more than ever, the natural calamities and inflation has worsened poor people's situation in the mission. **June 29-30th.***

ADORATION SCHEDULE

Sunday July 7th
11:00-12:00
Saint Francis Xavier Church Windom



Saturday July 13th
4:00-4:45
Sacred Heart Church Brewster

1st Sun- Windom - 11-12
2nd Sat - Brewster - 4:00-4:45



WEDDING

Congratulations to Samantha Freking and Timothy Peterson who were married at Sacred Heart Church, Saturday, June 15, 2024. Congratulations Samantha and Timothy and may God bless you and may you experience God's presence each and every day.



MISSIONS COOP 2024

Each year, every parish in the Diocese of Winona-Rochester is asked to host a speaker from a mission diocese, organization, or a religious order along with many other dioceses of the United States Catholic Church through the **Society for the Propagation of the Faith**. The mission appeal provides opportunities for prayer and financial support of the poorest of poor throughout the world. Evangelization is a primary aspect of the mission groups. The care and feeding of these men, women and children opens their hearts to understanding that they too are children of God. The Mission Cooperative Plan also allows those who live and work in parts of the world that most of us will never visit, to educate us, and to help us live out our baptismal call.

INSIDE OUR PARISHES

BREWSTER

ADORATION AND CONFESSION will be offered on each **SECOND SATURDAY** of the month continuing **JULY 13TH** from 4:00-4:45. Adoration is in Windom on the 1st Sunday in July from 11-12. Please come and spend some time with our Blessed Sacrament. All ages are welcome.

IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH, THERE ARE SIGNUP SHEETS with the categories that are needed for **BREWSTER FUN DAYS**, July 20th at the Brewster Shelter. Pies (please list how many and what kind you are bringing, no cream pies please) working at the pie sale, working in the hamburger/hotdog area and donations to help with the CCW costs. Remember, this is our **BIG** money raiser for the CCW. Please be generous in all areas. If you have questions, please contact Loretta at 370-2215 or Martha at 360-0212.

THE PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS AND ROME. If you are planning to take part in the tour, please sign up as soon as possible. The tour is scheduled for May 6—17, 2025. Sign up forms are in the brochures at entrances of the church.

THE JUNE DIOCESAN COURIER is available at the entrances of the Church. Please take one home.

"YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD", is the theme for this year's 2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Your gift supports ministries and services that carry forth the Diocese of Winona-Rochester's mission and vision, including faith formation, vocations discernment, Hispanic ministry and many more. Sacred Hearts goal is \$5822. Please be generous with your contributions. Thank you.

MASS STIPENDS will be \$10 beginning July 1st, 2024.



HERON LAKE

There will be **CONFESSION AVAILABLE 1/2 HOUR BEFORE MASS ON SUNDAYS**. (7:30 am—8:00)

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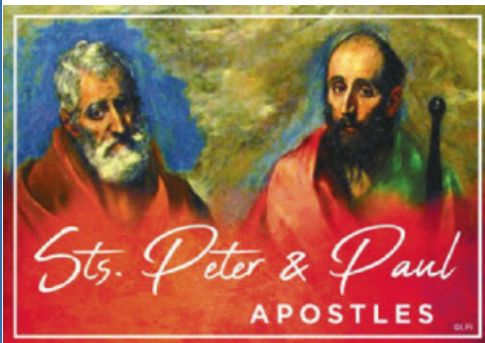
OFFICE CLOSED: The Office will be closed from June 27th to July 7th.

HERON LAKE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER will have Coffee & Rolls every Thursday morning from 8-10 AM through the end of August. No rolls on July 4th. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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HAVING TROUBLE HEARING? You are not alone. There have been several parishioners that have raised concern about the sound system in our church and having a hard time being able to hear what is being said at the altar. We will schedule a meeting soon so that people may bring up their concerns, so keep your eyes open for a meeting date in upcoming bulletins.

MEETINGS: Pastoral and Finance Council meetings have been postponed to Tuesday, July 23rd. Pastoral at 6:30 PM and Finance at 7:15 PM.



WINDOM

Continuing on **JULY 7TH**, **ADORATION AND CONFESSION IS RIGHT AFTER MASS ON THE 1ST SUNDAY** of the month from 11-12. Adoration and confession is also available at Brewster the 2nd Saturday of July from 4:00-4:45. Spend time adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. All ages are welcome.

OUR PARISHIONER MIGUEL ESQUIVEL has undergone a long waited for heart transplant. Many parishioners have shown an interest in sending well wishes via mail. His mother Esperanza welcomes correspondence and provided the following address for US mail: RMHC Room 236, 850 2nd St SW, Rochester, MN 55902.

TOTUS TUUS (GRADES K-6) will be offered July 8-12. Monday - Friday from 9:00 am - 2:30 pm. (Grades 7-12) will be offered July 7-11. Sunday - Thursday from 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm at St. Gabriel Catholic Church in Fulda, MN. Registration forms are available at triparishcfw.org/fulda or on the table at the church entrances.

Please turn in the completed form to the office by July 2nd. If you have any questions you can contact Sherri Zimmerman (507-221-0354) or Vicki Ommen (507-830-0537)

THE FALL BAZAAR DATE is set for September 15th. Please mark your calendars.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL meet on Tuesday July 9th at 7:00 pm.

THE NEW LITURGICAL MINISTRY ROLES list for the next 10 weeks is available at the entrances of the church. If you serve in any of these roles, thank you. If you'd like to serve in a ministry role, contact the church office. Time and talent sign up sheets are located in the church entrances. Time and talent sign up sheets are located in the church entrances. Also thanks to Candy Riordan, Vicki Ommen, Pat Spencer, Mary Theesfeld and Sandy Lund who volunteer their time to schedule the various roles of the Mass. And thank you to David Bockelmann for leading the rosary before Mass each week.

Next week, July 6—7th, there will be a special collection for Peter's Pence.

The faithful's offerings to the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection are destined to Church needs, to humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See. Please give as you are able to.

NOTES FOR ALL PARISHES

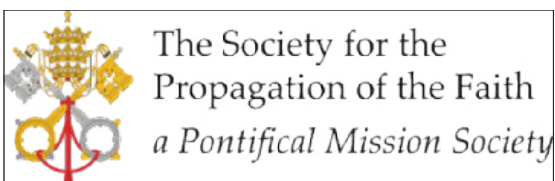
A WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND is a private weekend away from the distractions of daily life for couples in good marriages. Give your marriage this gift! The next available Weekends are Aug 17-18, 2024 in Oakdale, MN and Nov 22-24, 2024 in WINDOM, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: southmnwwme.org or contact Miki at applications@southmnwwme.org or 507-227-8229.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHERN MINNESOTA is seeking a parish social ministry coordinator for the Worthington area. The primary mission of the deanery coordinator is to assist the Catholic parishes of Rock, Pipestone, Nobles, Murray, Jackson, and Cottonwood Counties in meeting the needs of the poor and vulnerable in their communities and in working for justice. The parish social ministry coordinator fosters collaboration between the parishes and Catholic Charities so that they work interdependently in carrying out this common mission. For a full job posting and details on how to apply, please visit www.ccsomn.org/employment.

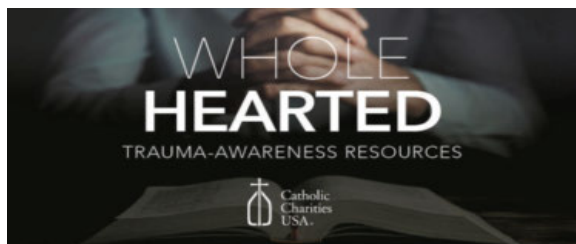
Deepest Thanks and gratitude... On July 5th, I will be retiring and stepping down from my position as Catholic Charities Coordinator of Parish Social Ministry for the Worthington Deanery. It has been an incredible honor to work among such faithful people in our parishes, and I want to thank each and every one of you for the joy you have brought me personally and for the many ways you serve God in our parishes. I pray that all the good work we have started will continue and grow. The position is open, and if you know of someone who would be interested in a wonderful opportunity to work in our deanery parishes, you can find information about applying at: www.ccsomn.org/parish-social-ministry-coordinator-2/
Peace and all good, Lisa Kremer OFS

The Missions Coop through the **Society for the Propagation of the Faith** is celebrating Mass in our Tri-parish on 06/29-30/24.

Mass Stipends beginning July 1st are \$10



Whole Hearted—Parish Based Trauma-awareness Resource The retreat will be June 30th 2 to 8 pm all in St. Gabriel's basement in Fulda. There is no cost. Contact Lisa Kremer 507-360-3423 or Marcie Cowan 507-360-1885 to register or for more information.



EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of your Son, Jesus Christ, present to us in the Most Holy Eucharist. In Your unfathomable love you sent Your Only Son, so that by His Passion, Death, and Resurrection He might free us from sin and gain for us eternal life. Through baptism we become Your adopted sons and daughters, members of the Body of Christ, the Church.

Lord Jesus Christ, at the Last Supper You instituted the Eucharist, when You gave the apostles Your Body and Blood and commanded them to do this in memory of You. As we continue to celebrate this Sacrament at every Mass, enkindle in us a burning love for Your Real Presence. Increase our faith so that we may always believe that You are truly present, Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity, in the Most Holy Eucharist, and that through partaking in this precious gift You strengthen us to live as Your disciples.

Holy Spirit, pour out on us an ardent desire to receive Jesus in the Eucharist, and to worship and adore Him with our entire lives. Help us to approach the Mass and Holy Communion with greater devotion, and to make time for silent prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Enkindle in our young people a love for the Church and the Eucharist, and raise up many holy and faithful priests who by their service at the altar will continue to nourish the people of our diocese with the Bread of Eternal Life.

We ask for the intercession of all the angels and saints, especially Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, that this Eucharistic Revival may be a time of spiritual fruitfulness for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester and the whole Church, so that all Hearts may be transformed by the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist and come to know Him as the Source and Summit of their lives.

Blessed Carlo Acutis, patron of the National Eucharistic Revival, pray for us! **Amen.**

Effective July 1, the address of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester Chancery is: 2907 Jeremiah Lane NW, Rochester, MN 55901

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September 14, 2024 | Alverna Center | Winona, MN
Registration & information:

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