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MAY 14, 2023

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

PASTOR'S NOTES...Fr. Ron Huberty

On this Sixth Sunday of Easter, we hear again from John's Gospel, chapter 14, with Jesus at the Last Supper. Jesus is teaching us that if we love Him we will keep the commandments. To help us live the teachings of Jesus, he promises to send us an Advocate, the gift of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit remains in us always and leads us in the ways of faith. May we reveal by our witness of faith the love that God the Father has for each one of us.

A reminder that next Sunday we will be celebrating the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord instead of the Seventh Sunday of Easter. The Scripture Readings and Prayers will come from the Feast Day.

Today we also celebrate Mother's Day, I pray that God will bless all mothers as they witness their vocation of being a mother. May our Blessed Mother, Mary, pray for all of you, and help you in passing on the faith to your children. A mother's blessing: *"Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless these women that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that, we their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect."* (Book of Blessings)

God's blessings on the students who have already graduated from high school or college. May God guide you in living your faith as you move on to new plans in your life.



(Lake Benton) St. Genevieve will have May Crowning on Sunday, May 14th, at the 8:15am mass.

All youth (& moms) are invited to join in on the procession. Please come early and meet down the basement 15 minutes prior to mass. A full breakfast will be served following mass.

(St. Leo) There will be a group of ladies meeting in the quilt room to begin sewing and the putting together of quilts. Please feel welcome to come between the hours of 9:30am-12:00pm on each Wednesday morning in May.

(Lake Benton) St. Genevieve will be hosting Baccalaureate on Sunday, May 21st at 8:15am mass along with Breakfast for all to follow mass.

(St. Leo) The St. Leo Men's club will have breakfast after mass on May 14th, all are welcome.

(All) All are welcome to celebrate E.R. Thooft's 93rd Birthday on Saturday, May 13th from 1:30 to 3:30pm at the Tyler Legion Hall, Tyler, MN.

(St. Leo) Mission Action QUILTING Group will meet at Our Saviors Lutheran Church in Canby on Monday, May 15. Hours are 9:00am - 4:00pm. You are welcome to come and go as you please. Coffee break at 10 am and sack lunch at noon. We need volunteers.

(Canby) St. Peters Pie Ladies will be making pies on May 20th. Pre order pies by Friday May. 19th. Available pies will be apple, blueberry, cherry, pecan, strawberry rhubarb & rhubarb custard. If anyone has fresh rhubarb please let us know. Contact Nancy @ 507-223-7869 or Judy @ 507-828-6935 Please leave message if we are unavailable to answer.

Parish Life Info....

Baptisms: call parish office for priest contact info and to schedule. Baptism class is required.

Marriage: contact Father Ron at least six months ahead to plan and prepare for your wedding.

RCIA: interested in joining the Catholic Church? Contact Father Ron

Registration/Moving: call parish office/registration forms can be found in church entryways.

Care for homebound or seriously ill: call parish office to arrange for visits.

Catholic Charities: offering personal, marriage, family, and pregnancy counseling (1-866-670-5163)

Victim Assistance Coordinator: can be reached at 507-233-5313

Birthright: free pregnancy testing and counseling. 507-532-3660 (24/7)

Mass Intentions: to request an intention, put \$10 in an envelope marked "Masses" and place in collection basket – or mail or deliver to parish office

Reserve Parish Social Hall: call the parish office.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline:

Tuesday at 8:00 am

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213 Linwood St, Box 310, Tyler, MN 56178

AFC Website:

www.christthekingafc.com

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See the bulletin on line: on the website OR parishesonline.com

(St. Leo) FAMILY SOCIAL

GATHERING: Our Focus is to give the Church a General Cleaning. Dates are on Tuesday, May 23 and again on Wednesday, May 24, 2023 from 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM. Men, Women, Teens, and Families are all asked to help. At 6:00 PM each night **Catholic United Financial** will be providing a meal at no cost to you. Please feel welcome to join us in fellowship. A separate article should be in the bulletin on what Circle is assigned to clean which areas of the church and school.

(Wilno) Catholic United Financial Council 307 will hold a meeting on Friday, June 2, 2023 after the 9am mass, in the St. John Cantius church basement. All are welcome to attend.

OUR WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

St Peter May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 2841.28
Students	\$ 1.00
Loose Plate	\$ 563.13
Online	\$ 310.00
Votive Candles	\$ 21.25
Home Missions	\$ 25.00
Easter	\$ 30.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 10.00
Good Friday	\$ 10.00
Energy	\$ 60.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 10.00
Ascension	\$ 15.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 20.00
United Fund	\$ 15.00

St Leo May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 1940.00
Loose Plate	\$ 212.00

Ss Peter & Paul May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 975.00
Student	\$ 3.03
Loose Plate	\$ 66.00
Easter Adult	\$ 20.00
Fuel	\$ 30.00
DUF	\$ 40.00

St John Cantius May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 1716.00
Student	\$ 18.01
Loose Plate	\$ 177.83
Fuel	\$ 115.00
DUF	\$ 20.00
Votive Candles	\$ 37.00
Improvement Fund	\$ 90.00

St Dionysius May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 2112.00
Loose Plate	\$ 47.00
Capital Improv.	\$ 20.00
Votive Candles	\$ 20.00
Cemetery	\$ 65.00
Repair & Main.	\$ 20.00
Fuel	\$ 20.00
Cath. Home Missions	\$ 55.00
Building Fund	\$ 275.00

St. Genevieve May 7

Adult envelopes	\$ 595.00
Loose Plate	\$ 14.00
Repair & Main.	\$ 5.00
DUF	\$ 20.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 5.00
Memorial	\$ 320.00
Cath. Communications	\$ 20.00

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: *From our Director...Kari Nilles*

It's not too late to sign up for Totus Tuus! Check the website for details. You can also sign up to host the team for a meal, volunteer, or donate snacks for the group or lunches for the team. Links are on the website, or you can contact Kari.

Next week we will have Baccalaureate Masses in Lake Benton at 8:15 and in Wilno at 10:00.

Christ the King Area Faith Community t-shirts are available to be ordered in sizes from toddler all the way up to adult 4X. You can place your order online up until May 31 at

<https://www.choosebd.com/product/christ-the-king-afc-shirts/366>.

I will pick up the bulk order and deliver them to each parish once they are ready. Everyone is welcome to order their own Christ the King Area Faith Community t-shirt, so please share this with other parishioners! Our t-shirt was designed by Abby Zitzmann from St Peter's in Canby. The following students also entered designs for our T-shirt Design Contest: Camden & Callie Popowski from St John Cantius in Wilno, Ryan Beck & Ben Nilles from St Dionysius in Tyler. Thank you to Father Mike Doyle for his generous donation of \$100 for our winning designer. Please note that these shirts are different from the Totus Tuus t-shirts and are available for all parishioners to order.

Reflection from Father Brendan:

This time of year is intense for every age group. After being cooped up for five months, warm air, sunshine, planting and growing season feel great. We call it spring fever. When things are intense, we often look for ways to blow off steam, especially with our humor. But, how do we show our love for God and neighbor in our humor? In John 14:15-21 Jesus says, "*If you love me, you will keep my commandments.*" So, things to watch when you're telling a joke. The other person must also think it's funny, otherwise the "joke" may be a mask for your own bitterness, a veiled criticism, or snarky sarcasm. Avoid negative humor. It must build up all the listeners, funny but also complimentary of your audience. The jokes we tell, tell people what we think of them. It's not really funny if there are unconsenting winners and losers. A final test to ask yourself. Is it repeatable? Want to pass God's love along, tell a joke that others want to tell their family. Don't know how to tell jokes? It's time to get the skill. Watch someone who's good at it. Jokes are good for the spirit. May the Holy Spirit, "*be with you always.*"

Baptisms:

Elaina Campion daughter of Olivia & Levi Campion received the Holy Sacrament of Baptism on May 13th at Ss. Peter & Paul.

Godparents are Mallory & Justin Schlaffmann,

Stella Jerzak, daughter of Rebecca & Patrick Jerzak received the Holy Sacrament of Baptism on May 14th at St. John Cantius.

Godparents are Jeff Jerzak, Sarah Stassen, Ben & Kendra Jerzak

Raegan O'Rourke & Ryder O'Rourke, daughter & son of Laura & Colin O'Rourke received the Holy Sacrament of Baptism on May 14th at St. John Cantius.

Godparents are Lisa & Davis Buseth, Lexi Schreurs & Nick Langseth.

Congratulations to the parents, Godparents & families of Elaina, Stella, Raegan & Ryder!



SCHOOL NEWS



ST PETER SCHOOL

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St Peter Catholic School is committed to providing students opportunities to live out the Gospel of Jesus and gain courage to act on their Catholic beliefs in community, worship, and service. Catholic teaching and values are integrated into all areas of the curriculum to develop each child's body, mind, and soul.

St. Peter's School Scrip Enrollment code: 999F85EF2L474

Scrip makes great gifts, and we have several on hand in the school office.

Purchase gift cards to do your shopping with or to give as gifts!

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- 5/18 6th Grade Valleyfair Trip
- 5/19 Birthday Lunch—Culture Dress Up Day
12:30pm—Preschool Graduation
- 5/22 12:30pm—Kindergarten Graduation
- 5/23 Field Day—Gr. K-6
Awards Program
- 5/24 6:30pm—6th Gr. Graduation
- 5/25 Last Day of School

Join the Diocese of New Ulm's Eucharistic Procession on Corpus Christi, Sunday, June 11 at 4:00pm beginning at the Diocesan Pastoral Center and ending at the Cathedral. A shuttle will be available from the Cathedral to the Pastoral Center from 3:00-3:45pm. There will be an opportunity for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at 3:00pm in the Pastoral Center Chapel. Please bring non-perishable food to the Pastoral Center for the Food Shelf. After the procession, there will be prayers and Benediction at the Cathedral. Barbecue to follow in Washington Park, across from the Cathedral.



If you have experienced the death of a loved one (spouse, child, friend, family) and are journeying toward grief healing, you are invited to GriefShare 13-week sessions. GriefShare features biblical, Christ-centered teaching that focuses on grief topics associated with the death of a loved one. The DVD seminar features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories of people, followed by a small group discussion about what was viewed. The session will begin Monday, June 5th, 6:30-8:00 pm, in Holy Redeemer Church Gathering Space. Any questions, call Dorothy 507-401-0601 or church office, 532-5711.

**Church of St Peter
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Deb Schultz!!**

St. Peter's Cooler & Freezer

St. Peter's is looking for donations for a new walk-in Cooler and Freezer in the basement at St. Peter's. New walk-in cooler and freezer will be installed in June after school is finished for the year.

Donations can be made online at <https://www.wesharegiving.org/app/giving/WeShare-20001277?tab=home> or by dropping donation in collection basket or parish office. Please be sure to specify that the donation is for the Walk-in Cooler and Freezer.

We are working on getting a group of kids and parents from our AFC that would like to attend NCYC 2023 in Indianapolis IN on Nov 16-18, 2023. Eligible students need to be going into 9th-12th grade next school year. For confirmation students this would complete your required multi day retreat. Parents please discuss this with your children and see if it is something you would be interested in. Parents are not required to go with but we are also looking for chaperones as well so they are welcome to attend. This is a fun and unique experience for all. We would like to get final count of who is attending by May 15th. Please contact Tammy Greenman at 507-828-1410 or tammygreenman73@gmail.com with any questions.

(St. Leo) St Leo Church will be hosting a Roast Beef dinner on Sunday June 25, 2023.

(Lake Benton) Mary has told us many times for World Peace to pray the rosary. Please join us 1/2 hour before mass to pray the rosary. You may also volunteer to lead the rosary.

(Lake Benton) On May 28th the CCW will display Patriotic and other quilts made our Christ the King AFC quilters. There will also be a full breakfast following mass.

(Ivanhoe/Wilno) Ss. Peter & Paul & St. John Cantius CCW's will be honoring the high school seniors during the 10:00 a.m. mass on Sunday, May 21st at St. John Cantius. Donuts will be served outside for fellowship and sending best wishes to our graduates.

(All) Catholic Daughters of the Americas will be placing CDA flags on the graves of our deceased members for the Memorial Day weekend and retrieving them after the holiday. Blessed be their memory.



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