Access our weekly Bulletin online by going to: stmagdalenlennox.parishesonline.com.

THANK YOU for your generous donations to *CFSA 2020*. We are still aiming to meet our goal of \$17.000.

Please keep sending/bringing them.

CONFIRMATION RETREATS: The only retreat day left is July 25 (Huron, SD). Register online at www.sfcatholic.org/youth. If it is cancelled, you will receive a full refund.

LECTORS & SACRISTANS

Please stop in the office before Sunday Mass to sign up for your ministry. Thank you!

MARY SAID: DEVOTION TO MY ROSARY IS A GREAT SIGN OF PREDESTINATION.

Let me use my financial blessings in a way that is sacred and holy.

We are made for relationships - with God and each other. A simple "hello" and a smile goes a long way.

St. Magdalen Parish would like to extend a warm



welcome to all who are visiting or are new to the area. If you are not registered at St. Magdalen and consider this your Parish, please contact or stop by the Parish Office.

Pope Francis encourages all of us, regardless of our life situations, to grow in faith and love.

Dear Jesus, shine through me, and be so in me that every soul I come in contact with may feel thy presence in my soul. Amen

flowers for the Church: Please feel free to bring your own home grown flowers to beautify our church/ sanctuary. Bring flowers the day of Mass and place in church. Bring flowers in your own vase (which will be returned to you) or use a vase at church.

JUDGE WITH MERCY - LOVE ONE ANOTHER WITH THE CHARITY OF CHRIST.

Do not let the day end without making peace in your family.

A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF EUCHARIST, FAITH, PRAYER AND SERVICE

JULY 12, 2020-- FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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ST. MAGDALEN PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Vice Chair: Marlyn Jacobson

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SUNDAY MASS OBSERVANCE:

Sunday - 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Wednesday 9:00 AM

(Except First Wednesday of the Month

when it is in Canton)

Friday 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Sunday before Mass.

Any time by appointment.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

Sacrament of Baptism: By appointment.

Call parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage: By appointment. Preparation at least 6 full months in advance.

Call parish office.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesdays: 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Wednesdays: 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Thursdays: 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Fridays: 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, JULY 12, 10:30AM MASS for +Irene Brass by Mary/Lorin Brass

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 9:00AM MASS for W/B Julie Archer by Mary/Lorin Brass

FRIDAY, JULY 17, 9:00AM MASS for +Joseph Tooley by Lisle Stabrawa.

(These are subject to change.)
Suggested donation is \$10--Call or contact the Office to request a Mass.

CDA Education Contest News:

Congratulations to Haven Larson and Olivia Homan for winning first place at the local level! Their entries were then voted on at the State Level. Olivia Homan won first at State so now her entry will be voted on at the National level. Good luck Olivia and thank you for the wonderful entries. A copy of their entries may be viewed in the church lobby.

Lord, may I share the gifts you entrusted to me in exactly the way you had hoped I would. Amen

If you would like to send a card to Father Rader his new address is:
P.O. Box 142 Bridgewater, SD 57139

TOTUS TUUS...Ex Longinquo (Latin for Totally Yours...From a Distance) continues online through July. You may still sign up and join in at any time. Sundays at 7PM is Family Night (for all ages). Wednesdays at 7PM is Youth Night (for 7th - 12th grades). More info in church lobby & www.sfcatholic.org/youth

Reawaken your relationship with God.

In the family, three words need to be used. Three words: Please, Thank you, Sorry - Three essential words!

What could you eliminate from your "life diet" to feel healthier and full of life?

DISCIPLESHIP WEEK: July 15-19, 2020 is "Discipleship Week!" In lieu of D-Camp this summer, there will be opportunities online and in-person for the youth of the Diocese. You can expect some epic games and entertainment, as well as opportunities for learning and prayer. Keep an eye out for Discipleship Week details.

FINANCES FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 5

MONTHLY BUDGET \$8,356

July Sunday Collections to Date: \$1,425.00

PARKING LOT: Received \$100 CFSA 2019: Received \$0

FROM FATHER: This Sunday, we hear the Parable of the Sower from St. Matthew chapter 13: This parable might better be called the Parable of Soil, as the focus really ought to be on how we receive the Word of God as "good soil." What does that mean though, and how do we allow our hearts to be that good soil? With this message, we look at the parable itself and how it relates to our experiences today. The focus is on understanding that God works in and through us, as long as we allow Him to do so. The parable of the sower invites us to hear God's Word and respond to the Gospel. We can reject the good news, or get stuck in our distractions, or we can allow Scripture to impact us. The important thing to understand is that God does the work, and we must let Him!

Have a good week, and let us continue to pray for one another!

-Fr. Lawrence

THOUGHTS, PRAYERS & BEST WISHES

Good Samaritan:

Judy Buchanan, Patricia McCarthy, Joseph Stastny, Connie Cook, Eugene Coyle, Monte Dodson & Joanne Ellison

Lennox Assist & Living:
Pat Crevier, Stan Wolf & Betty Morrison

HEALTH CHALLENGES

Dan Ketcham, Ruby Nordman & Marilyn Jacobson

Wednesday, July 22, is the Feast Day of St. Magdalen. Come celebrate her by attending the 9:00AM Mass in honor of her.

We pray for the grace to be open to the transforming power of God in our human hearts.

"All of us today must think about how we can become a little poorer." --- Pope Francis, June 7, 2013 in a message to school children.

Build your life on the words of Jesus!