

ST. MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF EUCHARIST, FAITH, PRAYER AND SERVICE

July 25, 2021—Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Vice Chair: Marlyn Jacobson

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Votive Candles: Six day candles-\$3 each.
Votive candles-\$.50 each.

Bulletin Announcements:

Call parish office or email no later than **NOON, Tuesday.**

Mass Intentions:

Limited days available in October 2021.

Monthly Postings & Calendar:

Deadline **August 25th** for September 2021.

Rent/Use of Hall: Call office at least 4 weeks prior to event.

Sunday Mass Observance:

Sunday 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses:

Wednesday 9:00 AM

(1st Wednesday—9:45 AM—Canton—Good Samaritan)

Friday 9:00 AM

(1st Friday—9:00 AM—Lennox—Good Samaritan)

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sunday 1/2 hour before Mass or by appointment

Sacramental Preparation:

Baptism: By appointment. Call parish office.

Marriage: By appointment. Preparation at least 6 months in advance.
Call parish office.

**17th Sunday
of
Ordinary
Time**



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—25 July 2021



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

"I am with you always" are the words that I, as Bishop of Rome and an elderly person like yourselves, would like to address to you on this first World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly: the whole Church is close to you – to us – and cares about you, loves you and does not want to leave you alone!



#IamWithYouAlways

@laityfamilylife

PRAYER FOR THE FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

I thank You, Lord,
for the comfort of Your presence:
even in times of loneliness,
You are my hope and my confidence,
You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!

I thank You for having given me a family
and for having blessed me with a long life.
I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty,
for the dreams that have already come true in my life
and for those that are still ahead of me.
I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to
which You call me.

Increase, O Lord, my faith,
make me a channel of your peace,
teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me,
to never stop dreaming
and to tell of your wonders to new generations.

Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church,
that the light of the Gospel
might reach the ends of the earth.
Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world,
that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed,
the poor consoled and wars ended.

Sustain me in weakness
and help me to live life to the full
in each moment that You give me,
in the certainty that you are with me every day,
even until the end of the age. Amen.

http://www.laityfamilylife.va/content/dam/laityfamilylife/Anziani/KitPastorale/EN/EN_Preghiera.pdf

Feast of Saints Anne and Joachim

Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated on June 26. They are powerful intercessors for all married couples, expectant mothers, and married couples who are having difficulty conceiving, and well as those who are aging.

Prayer

Most Holy St's Anne and Joachim,
come close to us and guide our hand
and our hearts in the way of virtue.

Help us to parent our children and
grandchildren with a gentle heart as
you did.

Show us how to raise our children in
faith and bring our families into the
Light of Jesus.

Remain close to us and help us on
our journey to salvation.



St's Anne and Joachim, we place our petitions in your hands and ask that you lay them before the child Jesus.

Seek this, my favor (your request/petition) but only if it be for the greater glory of God and the good of my soul.

Then pray, an Our Father, a Hail Mary, & the Glory Be

<https://www.daily-prayers.org/novenas/st-anne-and-st-joachim/>

LTP™—Reflecting & Living on the Word Mark 6:11-15

***"There is a boy here
who has five barley loaves and two fish..."***

***"Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks,
and distributed them to those reclining,
and also as much of the fish as they wanted."***

We so love miracles but we don't often realize our ability to help manifest them. Jesus did not bring the loaves and fish to begin with, he worked with what was already there and grew a miracle out of that. When we turn to God for help in desperate times, we must also start with what we bring to the table. What are we giving God to work with? If we give a little, in God's abundance we can end up with a lot.

***Is there anything in your life that you
would like multiplied?***

***What does it feel like to eat a big meal
when you are very hungry??***

Determine with the family a day this week for a meal of sharing. Instead of everyone preparing his or her plate and making sure they get enough, each family member prepares a plate for another. While food is put on plates, an abundance mentality should be kept in mind. As family members eat, they can share how they experienced receiving more than enough in a situation where resources seemed limited at first. Notice if there are any leftovers and how much. ~Celebrating Sunday for Catholic Families 2017-2018

THIS WEEK AT ST MAGDALEN July 26th—August 1st

Monday, Jul 26, Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

Tuesday, Jul 27:

Wednesday, Jul 28:

- Mass, 9 AM

Thursday, Jul 29, St. Martha:

- Parish Council Mtg, 6:30 PM

Friday, Jul 30, St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor of the Church:

- Mass, 9 AM

Saturday, Jul 31, St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest:

Sunday, Aug 1, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

- Mass, 10:30 AM

OUR PARISH

Week Ending July 18th:

Support

Adult: \$2,310; Children: \$3
Loose: \$367.50; Vigil Candles: \$11
Parking Lot: \$419

CFSA 2021 — One Faith. One Family.

Goal: \$15,400 Pledged: \$15,840
Collected: \$15,430 Overage: +\$460

Thank you for continuously and generously sharing your treasure above and beyond your pledge!

THOUGHTS, PRAYERS & BEST WISHES

Good Samaritan & Lennox Assisted Living Residents

Judy Buchanan, Connie Cook
Pat Crevier, Joanne Ellison, Louella Godes,
Lowell Huls, Susan Leuthauser, Betty Morrison
Joseph Stastny and Dennis Uttech

Health Challenges

Ellen Renz, Ruby Nordman,
Fr. Rader and Fr. Dana Christensen

BIRTHDAYS

7/25—Connor Ziegler
7/26—Nathan Crumb
7/28—Dianne Bossman
7/29—Karen Ketcham & Jaxx Oltmanns
8/1—Shawn Grengs

ANNIVERSARY

7/31—Matt & Melissa Zens



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.



Information, Activities & Events



Please give

Dave & Tanner Tipton—Tipton Digging, LLC.,

Dan Hansen—Dan's Drain & Duct Cleaning

Justin DeCou—DeCou Heating & Cooling Services, LLC.,

Marlyn Jacobson for arranging & overseeing,

a big thank you for prepping, digging, cleaning out
and repairing the church's damaged sewer line.



Growing in Faith™

John 6:1-15

Loaves and Fishes

This Gospel passage records the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and the fishes.

The crowds following Jesus were hungry, so Jesus asked Philip where they could get enough food. Dismayed, Philip figured that two hundred days' wages still wouldn't buy enough food for them. Like Philip, we can face problems that seem too big for us and get dismayed.

The apostle Andrew was more industrious; he found a boy with five loaves of barley bread and two fish. The boy willingly offered to Jesus all he had, meager though it was. What a surprise when Jesus fed the five thousand "as much...as they wanted." Even after they'd had their fill of bread, there were still twelve wicker baskets left over. God can't be outdone in generosity.

Being faced with problems that appear beyond our ability to solve can feel overwhelming.

It's easy to react like Philip and give up hope.

On our own, we may not have much to offer.

By offering what we have to God,
meager though it may be,
He can accomplish amazing feats through us.

~~GIF, July 2018 Issue



"Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together. ... That power to create a new life with God is at the heart of what spouses share with each other."

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops
"Married Love and the Gift of Life"



2021-2022 Religious Education Kindergarten through Confirmation

2021-2022 Religious Education Registration
~~NOW OPEN~~

Registration Link-<https://forms.gle/i11XvSjoidFo41x9A>

Thanks to those who have already registered.

We are in need of teachers for next year.

If you have never taught before,
don't let that keep you away.

We have a very teacher-friendly curriculum.

And if you have coached your son's or daughter's ball
teams you already have great experience

handling a group of students,
this time it would just be in a classroom setting
instead of the ball fields or courts.

Please prayerfully consider this opportunity
to help the youngest of the faith
learn more about Catholicism.

The registration form has a place to indicate if you
would be willing to teach.

You can also contact Anne Homan at 605-310-6058
(call or text) or anne@lennoxnews.com.

Teachers will be contacted in August
with classes to begin sometime in September.

(21-22 RE Calendar is pending Father's approval
and will be released later this summer).

***** Annual Awareness Curriculum*****

Safe Environment on CMG Connect

This is a yearly requirement for all volunteers who work
-with minors (RE teachers, assistants & helpers)- or
-vulnerable adults (Good Samaritan volunteers)-
and must be completed before the ministry begins.

It's on-line, available (now) and provides flexibility to
view at a time that works best for you. Please allow
yourself the time and attention needed to absorb the
training as it equips you to ensure a safe environment
for the most vulnerable in our parish.

Go to <https://siouxfalls.cmgconnect.org/>
to take the course.

If you do not yet have an account or need help setting
up the account, please contact Anne Homan, our parish
coordinator at anne@lennoxnews.org.



Mark your calendar for Saturday, August 14 from 5pm-9pm and join
us for the 7th Annual *Taste the Goodness* event! Prepare to
experience a wide array of delicious foods from regional restaurants,
a fantastic selection of craft beers, wines & bourbons, along with
music, games, activities & more.

Taste the Goodness will be held outdoors, under tents, in downtown
Sioux Falls. Join us for this fabulous night out to experience a
fantastic evening of fun & fellowship while supporting those who are
served by the Bishop Dudley Hospitality House.

This is a come and go event! If you're unable to attend for the entire
evening, please join us when you can! Volunteers needed!

Go to <https://ccfesd.org/events/taste-the-goodness/> to sign-up and
volunteer opportunities or call 605.988.3765 for more information.

DAILY READINGS/MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, July 26	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35
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Tues, July 27	Ex 33:7-11, 34:5-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43
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Wed, July 28	Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
9 AM	+Fr. Brian Kaskie by Marlyn & Marilyn Jacobson
Thurs, July 29	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6, 8, 11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
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Fri, July 30	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34-37; Ps 81:3-7, 10-11; Mt 13:54-58
9 AM	+Leonard Kaskie by Marlyn & Marilyn Jacobson
Sat, July 31	Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
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Sun, Aug 1	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35
10:30 AM	Lloyd Tooley by Brad & Lisle Stabrawa

Mass Intentions are available for **October—limited days.**

Suggested donation is \$10. Call or stop by the office to request a Mass.

St. Magdalen Liturgical Team—August 1st, 10:30 AM

Lector: Wade Homan

Cantor: Jan Weaver

EM: Andrea Kribell

Sacristan: Paula Kroeger

Ushers: Darin & Peyton Eich

Altar Servers: Olivia & Eli Homan

Retreats/Recollections

BROOM TREE Silent Retreat Schedule:

Women: Aug 12-15, Sep 16-19, Oct 7-10, Nov 4-7

Men: Aug 19-22, Sep 23-26, Oct 21-24, Nov 18-21



Day of Recollection Schedule:

Aug 17-*The Gift of Forgiveness*—Directed by Teresa Henrickson

Sep 14-*St. Paul at Athens: Talking to an Unbelieving World*—Directed by Fr. Paul King

Oct 12-*When God Says No*—Directed by Fr. Joe Vogel

Special Retreat:

Oct 15-17-*Undone: A Healing Retreat*—Directed by Father Scott Traynor

Oct 24-28-*Having a Priestly Heart Like the Heart of Jesus*—Retreat for Priests

To register/info, call 263-1040, www.broom-tree.org or broomtree@sfcatholic.org.



The 27th Annual "Bishop's Cup"

benefiting

Broom Tree Retreat & Conference Center

Monday, August 23rd

Two types of play—a scramble and a best ball. The "Bishop's
Scramble" will be a 4-person scramble and the "Bishop's
Challenge" will be a 4-person team, with each golfer playing their
own ball, with the 2 best balls scored hole-to-hole. The low net team
score will be awarded a crystal traveling trophy to be displayed at
the team captain's parish.

The tournament will be held at two of Sioux Falls' premier golf
courses; Minnehaha Country Club and The Country Club of Sioux
Falls. Afternoon times are full! A morning round of play has been
added to be held at The Country Club of Sioux Falls with a shotgun
start at 7:30 AM.

For more information or to register visit: ccfesd.org or contact
the Catholic Community Foundation at 605-988-3765.