

Monday, July 27 9:00 AM	Deceased Members of Kujawa & Keilen Families +
Tuesday, July 28 8:00 AM	George & Julia Velasquez +
Wednesday, July 29 9:00 AM	Serapio & Gregoria Castrillo Families +
Thursday, July 30 9:00 AM	Ruth Foster +
Friday, July 31 9:00 AM	In reparation of Our Sins
Saturday, August 1 5:00 PM	Sean McElmury +
Sunday, August 2 10:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's & St. Patrick's

PARISH SUPPORT JULY 19, 2020

ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT	\$8,816.25
VIGIL CANDLES	31.00
OFFERTORY	193.00
MASS STIPENDS	10.00
MISSION COOPERATIVE	100.00
CEMETERY	20.00
BUILDING FUND	175.00

 **August 1 & 2**
5:00 PM Vicki Sprague
10:00 AM Bob Wenger

August 8 & 9
5:00 PM Jim Schreck
10:00 AM Missy Kluesner - First Communion

**WHAT IS SERRA**

Greetings from the Serra Club of Wabasha County! We are a Catholic organization named after our patron St. Junipero Serra, a zealous missionary who in the 1700's converted thousands to the Catholic faith on the West Coast of the United States.

We are dedicated to encouraging, promoting, & affirming vocations to the priesthood & religious life. The Serrans of Wabasha County are proud of the personal relationships we have developed with the seminarians, our participation in Mass & Adoration, & our interaction socially & spiritually with the clergy.

We would welcome members from the parishes of St. Agnes, Immaculate Conception, St. Felix, St. Patrick's, St. Joachim's, & St. Mary's to join us in prayer & support for religious life. Contact Dorothy Arendt 507-254-8840, John Hampe 651-565-2350, or Sandra Allaire 651-565-2578 to obtain information on becoming a part of this ministry.

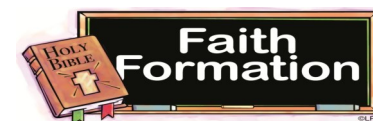
There is no better time to be an active & vocal support of our seminarians, clergy & religious. We look forward to hearing from you.

"I have said, O LORD, that my part is to keep your words. The law of your mouth is to me more precious than thousands of gold and silver pieces. Let your kindness comfort me according to your promise to your servants. Let your compassion come to me that I may live, for your law is my delight. For I love your command more than gold, however fine. For in all your precepts I go forward; every false way I hate. Wonderful are your decrees; therefore I observe them. The revelation of your words sheds light, giving understanding to the simple." Ps 119

In the psalm today we see the great treasure of God's word. The Lord's decrees are more precious than any earthly treasure because they guide us safely through this extremely spiritually dangerous world. As the psalmist says, "The revelation of your words sheds light, giving understanding to the simple." God's holy scripture is the truth that we desperately need in this spiritually dark and confusing world.

When we read scripture and show great reverence for it, we are taught and guided by the Holy Spirit. The Lord speaks to us directly through his word making it unlike any other book in existence. It is very important that we spend some time every day reading and praying with the bible as we listen to the voice of Jesus the Good Shepherd guide us safely through this world to the next.

God bless, Fr. Fasnacht



If you are willing to volunteer your time and energy it would be greatly appreciated. We are in need of 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade teachers for this coming year. If interested, please contact the office at 651-345-4134.



This is a reminder that we have **Friday, August 7** reserved at St. Mary's for a one day Totus Tuus event. It will be a day filled with fun (water balloons, games) and teaching and prayer (Mass at 11:00) Strict safety measures will be in place

such as temperature taking upon arrival, hand sanitizers, masks are encouraged and class size limitations. Events will be held outdoors as much as possible, weather permitting. There is no cost to families; free will donations will be appreciated. Class size for those entering grades 1 and 2 is 10 in total. Class size for those entering grades 3-6 (9:00 am -2:30 pm) is a total of 50 total students. Class size for those entering grades 7-12 (6:30-8:30 pm) is 30 total students.

We want to share the love of Christ, not COVID!

Hopefully you will want to participate in this exciting event. It will be so fun for people to see each other again! We will also need at least three adult volunteers to help throughout the day and three others for the evening gathering. Please email Maria Schultz (mariaschultzmsp@gmail.com) or call St. Mary's Parish

**COVID-19 PROTOCOLS**

No one is obliged to attend and the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is removed until further notice.

Volunteers Needed

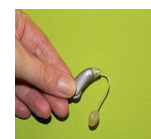
- Please donate sanitizer wipes (purchased or home-made) to the Church. Mass goers will be asked to wipe down their seat after Mass with a sanitizing wipe provided by the church.
- Help wipe down commonly used surfaces i.e., door handles, light switches, bathroom surfaces, etc. after each Mass.
- Ushers & Lectors needed for Saturday & Sunday, call the office to sign up or see Father before Mass.

General Safety Reminders:

- When coming forward for Holy Communion, please keep a 6 foot distance between each person & parishioners are asked to receive in the hand. If someone still wishes to receive on the tongue, they should be near the end of the communion line.
- People are asked to not shake hands or greet each other by touching.
- The Diocesan Safety Regulations advise that those who are 65 or older or have health issues to stay home but each person should make their own decision.
- Please wash your hands often, use hand sanitizer and sneeze or cough into your elbow.



Remember in your prayers Thomas Thompson. His funeral was on Friday. He is survived by his children Michelle, Lynn, Kate & Dan.



A parishioner lost a hearing aid last Saturday night after Mass either in church or possibly on Lyon Ave side walk outside of church. If you find it please give it to the office girls.



The Catholic Ministries Appeal is a primary source of funding to help sustain & expand ministries in parishes, Catholic schools, Newman centers & Countless programs & ministries of the diocesan church. Your giving matters more than ever. It is through the Catholic Ministries Appeal that the Church is able to Share His Good Gifts with All. Envelopes will be available at the church entrances & in the pews beginning July 25. Or to make a gift online, please go to www.catholicfsmn.org/catholic-ministries-appeal Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Eucharistic Adoration is held at St. Mary's on Mondays from 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM. Come and spend some time with Jesus.

Face mask law: Due to the Governor's face mask law everyone is required to wear a face mask indoors unless you have an exemption or are under 5 years old. Some of our office staff have a health exemption. Thank you, Fr. Fasnacht

FATHER FASNACHT'S 10:00 AM SUNDAY MASS can be viewed livestream or the recorded version on Father Fasnacht's Youtube Channel. At this time we are unable to stream on Facebook but go to Parish Website to watch.

PT BOOKKEEPER/ACCOUNTANT WANTED...

St. Mary of the Lake is currently advertising for a bookkeeper/accountant with these major responsibilities.

- Monthly payroll with timely submission of payroll taxes and year end IRS/MN tax reporting.
- Reconciliation of all bank accounts monthly.
- Maintain & balance the general ledger with appropriate journal entries.
- Perform all A/R & A/P functions in a timely manner.
- Preparation of Financial reports, reporting quarterly reports to the Finance Council & fiscal/calendar year end reports to the Diocese of Winona-Rochester.
- Work with & assist the Building & Grounds Committee with building projects.
- Other duties as assigned.
- 15 hours per week, flexible schedule.

Contact Father Fasnacht or Jon Bergin with your cover letter/resume & any questions. Prior experience greatly preferred.

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR NEEDED....

The Faith Formation Director reports directly to the Pastor & has administrative responsibilities for the total faith formation program for Saint Mary of the Lake Parish, grades 1 - 10. The director must be capable of assisting the Pastor in managing a faith formation office, which will include administrative duties involving the coordination of programs, documents, catechists, volunteers & maintenance of records. This is an hourly, part-time position, averaging 15 hours per week, during the school year, non-exempt, without benefits. A complete job description can be found on the website (stmarysandstpatricksmn.org). or there are copies on the tables at both entrances of the church. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter & resume by **July 31, 2020** to Father Matt Fasnacht, St. Mary of the Lake Catholic Church, 419 W. Lyon Avenue, Lake City, MN 55041 or email at frfnacht@acegroup.cc