

Monday, June 14

7:00 AM - 8:00 PM
9:00 AM NO MASS

Tuesday, June 15

9:00 AM Judy Delamater - Deceased & Living
Members of her Family

Wednesday, June 16

9:00 AM In Reparation of our Sins

Thursday, June 17

9:00 AM Monica Gadiant +

Friday, June 18

11:00 AM James Leonard Funeral

Saturday, June 19

10:00 AM Rick Rolph Funeral
5:00 PM Dustin Olson +

Sunday, June 20

10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's & St. Patrick's

June 19 & 20

5:00 PM Ann Schreck
10:00 AM Jolene Harvey

June 26 & 27

5:00 PM Dolores Berg
10:00 AM Dorothy Arendt

July 3 & 4

5:00 PM Lynn Cunningham
10:00 AM Barb Kobs**PARISH SUPPORT JUNE 5 & 6**

ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT	\$3,490.00
OFFERTORY	217.00
VIGIL CANDLES	41.00
CEMETERY	210.00
BULLETIN ADS	250.00
MASS STIPENDS	60.00

RECTORY FUND \$500.00

JUNE DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR
CHURCH SUPPORT (41 Families) \$3,524.00JUNE DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR
BLDG MAINTENANCE (11 Families) \$614.00IF POSSIBLE REMEMBER ST. MARY'S IN YOUR
WILL!

New Rectory: Please consider making a donation to our new rectory. You can drop off or mail a donation at the parish office or you can put your donation in the Sunday collection.

Rectory Fundraising, update: As of 5-25-21 we have raised **\$342,900**. Our goal is **\$355,000**. Thank you everybody for your generosity!

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

"Everyone who listens to my Father and learns from him comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the desert, but they died; this is the bread that comes down from heaven so that one may eat it and not die." John 6:45-50

Beginning the weekend of July 3, Bishop Quinn along with the other Bishops of Minnesota, will reinstate the obligation for Catholics to come to Mass on Sunday, or Saturday evening. We welcome back all those who have been away from Mass as we begin to once again live and fully practice our faith life with Jesus.

Worshiping the Lord Jesus at the holy Eucharist is the main way that we remain in union with God. We need everything about the Mass. We need to eat the Body and Blood of the Lord. We need to praise and worship God together. We need to hear God's words from scripture. We need to sing, to pray, to see each other and praise God together. This is a joyous time for the Church as we come back fully to the full worship of God.

God bless, Fr. Fasnacht

Confident Pregnancies and Stable Beginnings

Whether a pregnant woman is excited to bring her new baby home or is choosing the loving option of adoption, Catholic Charities supports confident pregnancies and stable beginnings. Our social workers travel to new and expectant parents all across the Diocese to bring help and hope through financial assistance, pregnancy counseling, parenting education, baby items, and helping women throughout the entire process of placing a child for adoption. We are honored to work with those who are pregnant or have a child under 12 months old. We work with teens and adults, women who are single or married, those who are financially secure or living in poverty. Reach our social workers at 800-222-5859.



If you have moved, please send us your new address.

If you have gotten rid of your landline, please contact us with your cell phone number.

If you changed your e-mail address please let us know.

**GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER FOR THE NEW RECTORY.....**

DATE: SUNDAY, JULY 18

12:00 Noon - Burgers, Brats,
chips, baked beans & bars
will be served.

1:30 PM Shot Gun Start

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM Bingo for
non-golfers.

We are asking for theme baskets to raffle off and for hole sponsors.

Next meeting is Monday, June 14, @ 5:30 PM at Lake Pepin Golf Course.

SIGN-UP TO GOLF - CALL LAKE PEPIN GOLF COURSE @ 651-345-5768 OR 888-345-5768.

**GOLF RAFFLE.....**

The Knights of Columbus will once again be sponsoring an all-cash raffle in conjunction with the annual parish golf event scheduled for Sunday, July 18 at Lake Pepin Golf Course.

The Knights graciously request that all parishioners help support the event by purchasing or selling raffle tickets. A book of 5 tickets and a letter of explanation has been prepared for every parishioner and placed on a table in the gathering space.

All proceeds from the raffle will go towards the new rectory. Please pick up your personal packet from the table in the gathering space to save us postage.

Checks can be made out to either St. Mary of the Lake Church ("Rectory Building Fund" in the memo line please) or Knights of Columbus Council 1865.

Raffle drawing will be held between 4:30 & 5:00 PM.

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Working to Reduce Poverty in America.

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**NO CONFIRMATION CLASS IN JULY!**

FAITH FORMATION **TOTUS TUUS** will be at St. Mary's August 2nd - 6th. We will be needing some volunteers to help out with the program & also any families that are willing to host team members. If interested or would like more information please contact Rachel in the office - 651-345-4134 or rach.raths@gmail.com

**CONFIRMATION PICTURES.....**

Only a few left for pickup. They are on the table across from the office.



Reflection.....During his ministry, Jesus is often trying to describe the Kingdom of God (or, in the gospel according to Matthew, the Kingdom of Heaven). In today's gospel, Jesus compares the Kingdom of God, God's presence in our midst, to a seed that is sown, and produces a rich harvest. The seed is normally quite small, yet the plant that grows from the seed is quite big and majestic, as majestic as the renowned cedars of Lebanon in the first reading.

Although the seed that is sown is often small and insignificant, the Kingdom of God grows into a big shrub that can offer shade to the birds of the air! We often cannot see the seed hidden in the ground, it is like a word that is spoken and disappears into the air, only God knows what fruit the seed and the word will produce. Like the farmer, our role is simply to sow the seed and to water it, it is God who makes his Kingdom grow.