FROM THE PASTOR… Today, on this Fourth Sunday of Easter, also known as “Good Shepherd Sunday” and we celebrate World Day of Prayer for Vocations and Mothers’ Day. Please ask the Good Shepherd to help lead more men to the priesthood and diaconate, more women to consecrated life, and to watch over and guide our mothers. As many mothers know, it is sometimes difficult to look after their children as much as they want. This is the way I feel as I try to provide for the spiritual needs of the six [6] parishes of CTKCC. I am sorry I am not able to be everywhere at the same time and where I am sometimes needed. I appreciate your patience, understanding, support, and prayers. I hope that bringing in two full-time priests will help provide great spiritual care more than I have been able to do over the last ten [10] months. Bringing in two full-time priests will mean an increase in financial need to pay for both salaries and benefits. Thank you for your assistance. Please remember your parish in your will….Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future. —Fr. Mark
WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS is today, which is also known as “Good Shepherd Sunday”. The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord’s instruction in Luke 10:2. Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord’s call to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. 2019 marks the 56th anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

THANK YOU to everyone who donated to the Kueper Ball, attended the ball and/or helped with the ball in any way. All of the hard work and prayers were greatly appreciated. We had another successful year, raising $554,667 that was announced at the ball plus another $3,000 that has come in since the ball. Ball books are in the back of each parish and can be accessed online at Kueper.org. Thank you! Josh (’97) and Valerie Riesberg, Rich and Tonya Ortnner and Cindy Lawler.

DONATIONS FOR FLOWERS are to be sent to the parish office or dropped into collection basket and not given to persons who decorate the churches so that proper charitable contribution may be given to the donors.

90 DAYS OF GRATITUDE AND GIVING is an invitation for all parishioners to make a commitment to the parish in which they are registered. Information, including the pledge card, is available in church entrances and on the website. Every parishioner grade K to retired is asked to return a pledge card and/or Stewardship/Ministry signup form by May to their parish office.

PARISH 90 DAYS OF GRATITUDE AND GIVING:

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grades 7th-12th, “#WhyImCatholic”, is June 12-14 at Twin Lakes Bible Camp in Manson, Iowa. Cost is $175/student. Register at https://scdiocese.org/camp by May 23.

+++ ST. BERNARD-BREDA

CONGRATULATIONS to KASSIE WERNIMONT, who was received into the Catholic Church [Latin Rite], confirmed and given First Holy Communion last Sunday.

STEEPLE REPAIR WORK is scheduled to begin soon. The work will be done by Krause Konstruktion of Coon Valley, Wisconsin. We request that while the workers are at work that only the side entrances be used. Thank you.

THANK YOU to the MAURINE FORKE ESTATE for remembering the parish in your will. The gift to the parish will be used for some repairs around the parish grounds including new doors on the school building, new emergency and exit lights in the school building, some concrete work around school building, and several other future repairs and needs as designated by the Finance Council.

NEW DOORS have been installed on the north and south side entrances. Volunteers are needed to paint the new doors. Please contact the parish office to volunteer.

THE NURSING HOME BIRTHDAY COMMITTEE has scheduled a birthday party for Phyllis Redlinger, Wednesday, May 22, 3 p.m., Sunnybrooke in Carroll. Need a ride, call Arlene Mueggenberg 673-2649. Everyone in the area is invited to help Phyllis celebrate.

BREDA AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY will meet at the post hall Tuesday, May 21, at 6:30 p.m. On the serving committee are Ione Koster and Sandy Pudenz. Members will be working on the Fourth of July work list. This celebration will be held Saturday, July 6th this year.

Finances for Week of May 5

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THANK YOU to AMY SCHROEDER, who was received into the Catholic Church [Latin Rite], confirmed and given First Holy Communion last Sunday at St. Bernard in Breda.

FINANCE REPORT: we are seven [7] months behind in paying our bills, including what we owe to Kueper Catholic School for 2018-2019. We need over $100,000.00 by June 30. Can you help us?

Cemetery Update: We want to thank an anonymous donor for paying for almost all of the evergreen trees that were planted in the new addition of the cemetery 2 weeks ago. We also want to thank Karen Brightwell for donating 2 ornamental trees as well. We are in the process of making up a list of volunteers interested in mowing the new addition occasionally upon request. Please contact Pat Vogt at 712-689-2375 if you are able to help out with this. Things are really looking nice with all the beautiful rains we received this week!

THE ARCADIA COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE Tuesday, May 21, 12:30 to 5:30 p.m., American Legion Hall. You can call Sue at 689-2318 or visit redcrossblood.org and enter Arcadia to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.

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OLMC 150TH: We are looking for volunteers to help in the food stand on Saturday during the sesquicentennial. We have a few volunteers already but much help is needed. If you would like to help, please reach out to: Diane Vonnahme 712-790-1047, Donna Wiederin 712-673-4391, Angie Tigges 712-790-6141.

FINANCES FOR WEEK OF MAY 5

- **General Fund-Adult**: $872.00
- **General Fund-Youth**: $0.00
- **General Fund-Loose**: $662.00
- **Retired & Infirm Priests**: $5.00
- **Holy Land**: $10.00
- **Dividends: XCEL**: $483.57
- **Budgeted Mo. Giving**: $16,905.12
- **Income for the Month**: $2,032.57
- **Expenses for the Week**: $400.00
- **Expenses for the Month**: $400.00

MINISTERS-MAY 19

**PRESIDER**: Fr. Mark Stoll

**Servers**: Lacie & Abbie Martin

**Reader**: Nick Wittrock

**Ushers**: Ivan Halbur, Matt Hinners

**Gift Bearers**: Gary/Deb Riesberg Fam.

**Eucharistic Minister**: Deacon Greg

**Church Cleaners**: Brad/Jessie Eischeid, Mike/Jessica Fuchs

+++ SACRED HEART-TEMPLETON

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Lorraine Irlbeck who died Sunday, May 5 and whose funeral was May 9.

CAMP CAYOCA SCHOLARSHIP is being offered by the Scared Heart Guild to children of the parish attending this summer. If interested, please contact a Guild officer.

FINANCE REPORT: we are three [3] months behind in paying our bills, including some of what we owe to Kuemper Catholic School for 2018-2019. We need over $60,000.00 by June 30. Can you help us?

WANTED: volunteer[s] to coordinate the decorating of the church for liturgical seasons. Will fulfill the work Karen Prebeck has been doing and work with the future parish Liturgy Team. Please contact Fr. Mark. Thank you to Karen for her many years of service.

HELP WANTED – GROUNDSKEEPER: Sacred Heart is seeking applicants for a groundskeeper. This is a part-time position and involves mowing parish grounds and the cemetery. The individual is a parish employee, and the parish owns its own equipment and provides all necessary supplies, fuel, etc. Please contact Fr. Mark (712-673-2582) if you are interested.

TEMPLETON CEMETERY CLEAN-UP, Thursday, May 23, 6 p.m. All help is appreciated!

FOR SALE: Cemetery Lot at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Templeton. Block 9, Lot 4, Spaces 3 & 4. The Lot is located in the South West Corner of the new section of Cemetery next to lane. If interested contact Jim Drees at 712-669-3413.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS COURT OUR LADY OF FATIMA #1492 will hold their Mother/Daughter Night Out and Meeting on Monday, May 13, Cliff’s Place in Manning, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Reservations needed by May 9, please contact Carleen Schwieso at 712-654-9012 or email bi-greas@fmcctc.com. Remember to bring your Mary’s Choice baby bottles to this meeting.

TEMPLETON SENIOR CITIZENS will meet Thursday, May 16, 11 a.m., Corner Station.

TEMPLETON SUMMER RECREATION & SWIM LESSONS SIGNUP will be held on Monday, May 20th, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at Templeton City Hall.

FINANCES FOR WEEK OF MAY 5

- **General Fund-Adult**: $630.00
- **General Fund-Youth**: $0.00
- **General Fund-Loose**: $1,077.00
- **Retired & Infirm Priests**: $5.00
- **Cemetery**: $20.00
- **Budgeted Mo. Giving**: $17,333.16
- **Income for the Month**: $1,732.00
- **Expenses for the Week**: $1,769.42
- **Expenses for the Month**: $1,769.42

MINISTERS-MAY 18

**PRESIDER**: Fr. Mark Stoll

**Servers**: Brent & Grant Nielsen

**Reader**: Holly Warner

**Ushers**: Kevin Klocke, Ryan Klocke

**Gift Bearers**: Doug/Pam Irlmeier Fam.

**Eucharistic Minister**: Deacon Greg

**Church Cleaners**: Diane Dopheide, Emily Drees

+++ ST. ELIZABETH SETON-GLIDDEN

FINANCES FOR WEEK OF MAY 5

- **General Fund-Adult**: $0 Report
- **General Fund-Youth**: $0
- **General Fund-Loose**: $0
- **Retired & Infirm Priests**: $0
- **Budgeted Mo. Giving**: $8,057.83
- **Income this month**: $0
- **Expenses for the Week**: $0
- **Expenses for the Month**: $0

MINISTERS-MAY 18

**PRESIDER**: Fr. Tim Schott

**Greeters**: Jackie King Family

**Servers**: Jackson Whitaker, Grant Borkowski

**Reader**: Dave Hamilton

**Usher**: Rick St. Peter

**Eucharistic Ministers**: Leon Muhlbaier, Connie Bock, Annie Johnston
PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], may contact the pastor at any time of the year to begin the process known as RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults]/RCIC [Rite of Christian Initiation of Children].

BAPTISM CLASS is offered quarterly to parents expecting their first child or if it has been more than five years since the baptism of a previous child]. Please contact the Breda office to register.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. If either the bride or the groom is not a Catholic or has been previously married, additional time may be necessary for preparation. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations may be completed in time for the wedding and marriage. Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a LIFETIME!

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THOSE DISCERNING GOD’S CALL to be a priest, deacon, sister, or brother, may speak with the pastor or call the Diocesan Vocation office at 712-233-7522.