

St. Joseph Church

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

05-21-17

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	8:15 AM + Vic McConnell
Wednesday	8:15 AM + Harvey & Loretta Grof
Thursday	10:00 AM + Elmer, Lucille & Leah Olberding & Sharon Brodhagen @ Good Sam. 7:00 PM + Alva & Teresa Parks *ASCENSION OF THE LORD
Friday	8:15 AM + Dennis Kaup
Saturday	5:00 PM + Natchel, Helen & Tom Rzeszotarski
Sunday	8:30 AM + Lawrence & Alice Ziska

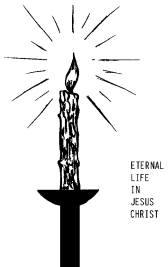
Sacrament of Reconciliation: One half hour before each weekend Mass or anytime by appointment

As we continue our readings from the Acts of the Apostles, we find that many were hearing the Good News and were, indeed, turning toward the Lord. They were having a conversion experience. In our Gospel we find Jesus promising His disciples that He will not leave them orphans. Rather, the disciples will find that they will feel His Spirit within them and they will feel His life and His love within them and so they will live in His love. We, disciples of 2017, have this same promise. Do we allow His life and His love in our life? As our Easter season continues, perhaps we need to meditate on this message of the season and slow down so we can really internalize the Good News of Easter.

The Harvest Is Great, Laborers Are Few. Pray for many more vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Taking the vocation cross this week—Tim Laible Family. The week of May 28—Joe & Patti Skrdla.

We Pray With Special Love & Concern For All Those Who Are Ill: Janice Ries, Kaitlyn Fritz, Jenny Stracke, Nathan Boyle, Ryan Berg, Michelle Bulau, Emma Lou Gunther.

St. Boniface Mass Schedule: Ascension: Thu., May 25 @ 5 pm. Weekend: Sat., May 27 @ **5 pm**; Sun., May 28 @ 10:30 am



Our Parish... offers sympathy to the families of Madonna Miksch and Ray Wagman. They died May 13 and May 14, respectively. We pray for the repose of the souls of Madonna and Ray and all who have been called to eternal life.

Are They Missing... from your kitchen? Several pans, dishes, & containers have been left at the KC Hall. You'll now find them in the small room near the janitor closet (south side) in the vestibule of church. If any belong to you, please claim them.

The New Server Schedule... can be found in the vestibule of church on the bulletin board.

Thank You... to all who participated in the Rice Bowl Program this past Lent. Because of your sacrifice, we were able to send \$288.39 to Catholic Relief Services for the less fortunate.



SCHOOL BOARD: Wed., May 24 @ 8 pm

Calendar

- Tue., May 23—Avanti @ O’Neill, St. Mary’s Commons Room, 7 pm
- Wed., May 24—Adoration 9 am—4 pm
- Thu., May 25—Ascension of our Lord...a holy day (see Mass schedule)
- Mon., May 29—Mass @ SJ Cemetery, 8:30 am. In case of inclement weather, we will celebrate in church

Liturgical Ministers-----Thu., May 25—Ascension 7 pm

EMHCs: Volunteers **Lector:** Brian Mlady
Offertory: Jack & Linda Wolf **Servers:** Volunteers

Liturgical Ministers-MAY 27/28

MASS TIMES	SAT. 5:00 PM	SUN. 8:30 AM
EMHCs	DMorgan, BMLady, KTunender	P&L Fritz, CSholes, MKrieger, JSkrdla
LECTORS	Harry Morgan	Patti Skrdla
GIFT BEARERS	SJ Class of 1967	Lawrence Ziska Fam
ORGANIST	Terri Vrooman	Diane Osborne
SERVERS	Courtney Kellner J. Cadwallader M. Cadwallader	Tyler Jelinek Kruz Jelinek Isaac Pistulka
<u>JUNE USHERS</u>	Jim Vrooman Seth Miller Bernard Ziska Volunteer	Tim Laible Greg Dostal Ethan Welborn Jerry Laible

THE LORD’S PORTION

05/14/17

Adult envelopes	1,753.00
Loose cash	209.00
Loose checks	<u>105.00</u>
TOTAL	2,067.00
Mid-week deposit: \$65.00	
Budget:	2,411.92
	-344.92

EMHC

Good Samaritan Home & Prairie Winds

May 28

Joe & Patti Skrdla



I'm excited to let you know that our website www.stjoesatkinson.com has been updated, is live, and hope that you check it out. On the home page you will find the essential information such as Mass and Confession times along with the address and phone number. There is also a link for online giving for your convenience which I hope you consider using as recurring payments can be set up which helps both you and the parish when it comes to budgeting. More information will be added as time and availability permits. Please tell your friends and family about the website so they know where to look when they need info about the parish.