

From the Pastor's Desk

8/13/21

I truly appreciate everyone's warm welcome over this past month. Getting unpacked has certainly been an adventure.

Looking ahead, **PSR** is a month away and will start **September 12th at 10:00am at St. Ann**. We are in need of teachers and helpers. If you would like to help, please contact Martha Silver in the parish office.

Additionally, **RCIA** will start that same week on **September 16th at 6:45pm at St. Mary**. If you know anybody who has been thinking of becoming Catholic, or if you are already Catholic and would like a refresher on the Faith, you're welcome to attend.

I will be in the confessional at **3:00pm before Saturday Mass at St Mary and 8:00am before Sunday Mass at St Ann**.

Everyone can agree that we wish COVID would become a thing of the past. With active case numbers on the rise, Bishop Brennan has asked that people be reminded that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still in effect. However, if you are in a high risk category, you are not obligated to attend. Additionally, if you are not feeling well, please stay home until you feel better and not potentially infect others.

To end on a positive note, thank you once again for making me feel at home. I look forward to getting to know everyone in the coming months and years ahead.

Father Ryan Schmit