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WEEKEND MASSES:
Saturday, 4:00 pm - Nativity
Saturday, 6:00 pm - IC of Marysburg
Sunday, 8:30 am - Nativity
Sunday, 10:30 am - IC of Marysburg
RECONCILIATION TIMES:
Sat. 3:15-3:45 pm - Nativity
Sat. 5:30-5:45 pm - IC of Marysburg
SACRAMENT INFO: EMAIL PARISH OFFICE

WEEKDAY MASSES:
Monday, 8 am: Marysburg
Tuesday, 8 am: Nativity
Wed, 8 am: Marysburg
Thursday, NO Mass
Friday, 8 am: Nativity
MASS CANCELLATION INFO:
Flocknotes, Facebook
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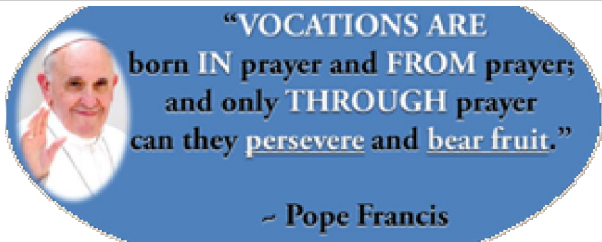
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WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE 2020

This weekend we celebrate World Day of Consecrated Life! In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. (this Feast is also known as Candlemas Day); the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples. The celebration of World Day for Consecrated Life is to highlight the gift of consecrated persons for the whole Church. Please take the time this weekend to join the Pope, and the whole world, in prayer.

One of our Own in the Mankato Loyola Hall of Fame: In recognition of his many outstanding achievements, honors, and awards in athletics and activities while teaching Science and coaching for 37 years in the system, Chris Biehn was recently inducted into the Mankato Loyola Activities Class of 2020 Hall of Fame. Congrats Chris! We are proud!

RISE UP (TWIN CITIES) - MIDDLE SCHOOL CONFERENCE | 6th - 8th Grade Youth

What is Rise Up? | We are never too young to strive for holiness. This one-day conference for middle school youth challenges them to "rise up" to live their faith radically, confident that they are known and loved by God the Father. Young people will be strengthened in their relationship with Christ through keynote speakers, praise & worship, Adoration, Reconciliation, and lots of fun activities! Learn more at www.partnershipforyouth.org/rise-up DATE: March 21st, 2020 (Time: TBD.) / WHO: 6th-8th Graders and Parish Youth leaders. LOCATION: Providence Academy, 15100 Schmidt Lake Rd, Plymouth, MN 55446 / Registration forms in church entrance.

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<<< **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS & EVENTS** >>>
~ KC #1509 Christmas Party ~
Fri. Feb. 7th, 2020 at Shoreland, St. Peter. \$10 each.
~ KC #1509 3rd Degree Monthly Meeting ~
Tues. Feb. 11th, 2020 at Church of St. Peter.
~ KC #545 4th Degree Monthly Meeting ~
Thurs. Feb. 20th, 2020 at Church of St. Peter.

<<< **CCW NEWS & EVENTS** >>>
Mon. Feb 3rd Marysburg CCW Meeting, Parish Hall 7 pm
\$5 dues are due; make checks to MCCW or Cash.
Mon. Feb. 24th Southwest Deanery Board Meeting 6:30 pm
Most Holy Trinity-Veseli, RSVP to Anita 243-3093 (by 2/16/20).

<< **THAT ONE THING, A TALK WITH MIKE GORMLEY** >>
Parish Mission at Church of St. Peter, Feb. 9th - 11th, 7-8:30 PM
1801 W Broadway in St. Peter

<< **MARYSBURG COFFEE & CONVERSATION** >>
Please save the date Sun Feb 23rd @ 11:30 am.
Join us for Coffee & Conversation (with Father Stiles!), after the 10:30 am Mass, in the Parish Hall! Details to come.

<< **SOUTHWEST DEANERY CCW SPIRITUAL DAY** >>
Please save the date Sat March 21st, 2020!
More details to come.

<< **2020 MARYSBURG ANNUAL FISH FRY 04-03-2020** >>
Please save the date Fri Apr 3rd @ 4:30 pm Annual Fish Fry.
All are invited & welcome, please spread the word!

<< **2020 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES & CALENDARS** >>
Parishioners please pick up your offertory envelopes in the vestibule of each church. Questions please see Parish Office. Please also help yourself to a 2020 Calendar to take home. Envelopes will be available until the end of February. Any envelopes not picked up will not be issued next year.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS!
Jan 25th & 26th, 2020
Marysburg: \$1,566.00 | Nativity: \$3,555.50

This weekend - Confirmation Breakfast!

Sunday, February 2nd, 2020 starting at 9:30 am
Menu: Pancakes - Sausages - Eggs - Beverages
(Cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children up to 6th Grade, \$20 family max)
Please join us as we are serving breakfast until 12 noon - everyone is invited and all are welcome, bring your family & friends!



Church of the Nativity
200 Main St., Cleveland

*Please note that all profits are going to Youth Programs and Charity.

ARCHDIOCESAN SYNOD PRAYER & LISTENING EVENT

Join others at Lumen Christi in St. Paul, from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm on Saturday, Feb. 15th, for a Prayer & Listening Event for the Archdiocesan Synod. What's working and what's not working? Make your voice heard. No registration required. Please take a moment to visit www.archspm.org/synod for more details.

Disciplemaker Index Survey

Please help us by participating in a 10-15 minute online survey. You will be able to reflect on your own spiritual growth as well as provide feedback on our parish's efforts to help you grow spiritually. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as whole. This survey will be valuable to our parish as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this spring, at which time we will share what we have learned. Paper copies are also available at the parish office.



Scan this code with any QR Code Scanner app to direct you to the site, or type in the URL <http://www.disciplemakerindex.com/> manually to take the survey.

PREACHED ROSARY TOUR WITH FR. SANDQUIST:

How would you like a little guidance to help you go deeper in prayer with the rosary? Fr. Sandquist will be leading a four-part preached rosary "tour" that was kicked off on Sun, Jan. 26th. This preached rosary will consist of praying the rosary together in the usual manner, except Fr. Sandquist will offer a brief three-minute sermon on each mystery before that mystery is prayed. Each rosary event will be about 45 mins long.



REMAINING FOUR-PART PREACHED ROSARY TOUR SCHEDULE...

- 2. Mon. Feb. 17th @ 7 pm at Marysburg in Madison Lake (Luminous Mysteries)
3. Sun. Mar. 22nd @ 7 pm at St. Henry's in St. Henry (Sorrowful Mysteries)
4. Sun. Apr. 19th @ 7 pm at Nativity in Cleveland (Glorious Mysteries)

Everyone is welcome. Please spread the word and invite your family & friends to join us on this rosary tour.

Our Cluster Parish Mass Times...

ST. MARY - LE CENTER

Sat. 3:45-4:20 PM Confessions
4:30 PM Mass
Sun. 10:00 AM Mass
12:00 PM Mass (Spanish)

Tue 5 PM, Wed/Thur/Fri 9 AM Mass

ST. HENRY

Sun. 7:30-7:50 AM Conf
8:00 AM Mass



2020 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Serve the Poor | Support Life | Strengthen the Faith
Each year, the Catholic Services Appeal funds 20 Designated Ministries including:
•Over 30 local food pantries that distribute nearly 4 million pounds of food!
•Hospital chaplains serving over 100,000 Catholics!
•Over 2.5 million in Catholic school scholarships and support!
Our contributions go directly to the 20 Designated Ministries.
TO LEARN MORE PLEASE GO TO WWW.CSAFSPM.ORG
We will officially launch our 2020 CSA appeal next weekend, Feb. 8th & 9th, at Marysburg & Nativity.

Staying in Touch...

Immaculate Conception of Marysburg

Parish Trustees... Steve Baker 931-3156 Joe Meyer 317-7669
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Becky Meyer 327-8938 Patrick Baker 420-7884
Teresa Baker 327-8910 Joni McCabe 243-4107
Marysburg Finance Council...

Peter Falk 243-3392 Jon Guentzel 317-1958
Larry Kortuem 243-3773 Steve Rohlfing 317-5095
Marysburg Cemetery Manager: Rich McCabe 931-3611

Church of the Nativity, Cleveland

Parish Trustees... Kelly McCabe 469-1616 Ray Truzinski 931-5805
Nativity Parish Council... Nick Klaseus Pres. 507-420-9760
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Andy Queen Sec. 507-327-1958
Mike McCabe 507-665-3086
Larry Walechka 931-2927, 507-995-4347
Nativity Finance Council... Tom Hankins, Pres. 595-3768
Mary Haase 931-1415 Sandy O'Connor 327-3090
Jaci Kopet 931-1809 Janet Walechka 357-4293
Nativity Cemetery Manager: Mike Keogh 931-5547



From the desk of Father James Stiles

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A Living History...

If you haven't had the chance to do this, I would highly recommend embarking upon the adventure I have recently begun. I have begun to study the history of our parish. From the land which was donated, to the founding members of the parish, to the bishops, to the pastors, to the students and other parishioners... it is a riveting story. It's clear our history has helped shape who we are today. It's also clear that history is dynamic, not static. The circumstances of each parish are ever-changing which have required much adaptation and change throughout the decades in order to survive as a parish but more importantly to thrive. To be sure, a parish unwilling to change simply cannot survive; this seems to me to be true of every living thing.

With this in mind, how important it is for us as a parish from time to time to reevaluate and reassess who we are and what mission we have as a parish. Also, we must take a bold look at how we are doing at living up to that mission and what might need to change in order to better carry it out. Obviously, it is the mission of every parish, and even every disciple, to live out the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Still, given the unique set of circumstances of each parish (and individuals), how we live out the Gospel of Jesus Christ will be unique.

In light of all of this, I think any opportunity which can help us better understand where we are doing well in our parish and where need some improvement is a good one. You may recall that last weekend we priests made an announcement expressing our hope that all parishioners will take a simple, 10-15 minute survey that will help you reflect upon where you are in your own faith journey but also how well are parish is doing in living up to the Gospel. I highly encourage all of you to take this survey. To be clear, I did not write this survey, nor did anyone from the parish, but I think asks many important and helpful questions.

It is called the Disciple Maker Index Survey, and it can be taken by going to our website and clicking on the link provided there. You can also use your smart phone/tablet to access the survey via the QR codes you will find at the entrances of the church. Finally, if you would prefer to take the survey on paper, we will have those available for you at the entrances of the church as well. The survey can be taken beginning from Feb. 1st to Mar. 1st. Contact the parish office if you have any trouble taking the survey.

The results of the survey will not only be communicated to me and to parish and diocesan leadership, but also to the whole parish. This will give us some useful data which will likely inform how we decide as a parish on moving forward in a variety of ways. Let's help each other to keep writing our dynamic parish history, one day at a time.

God bless you, and thank you.
With fatherly love,
Fr. James Stiles

www.DiscipleMakerIndex.com

Feb. 1st & 2nd, 2020 | The Presentation of the Lord

	LECTORS		COLLECTION OFFICERS		EUCARISTIC MINISTERS		GIFT BEARERS		ALTAR SERVERS	
	Saturday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday
MARYSBURG										
February 1 & 2	Chris Biehn	Marilyn Kluntz	Raphael Malecha	Gene Germscheid	Chris & Ann Biehn	Theresa Rohlfing	Anita & Phil	Rick & Sue		
February 8 & 9	Joe Meyer	Jim Folden	Albert Weinandt	Jim Kluntz	Rita Ramy, Leo Riley	Cindy Krenik	Jo Ann Kortuem	The Strobel		
February 15 & 16	Mary Kay Naegle	Sue Leiferman	Joe Meyer	Greg Germscheid	Chris & Ann Biehn	Rich McCabe	Joe & Becky	Volunteers		
			Pat Riley	Tim Krenik	Phil Rothmeier	Jim & Barb Folden	Meyer	Needed		
NATIVITY										
February 1 & 2	Kathy Dauk	Nancy Heldberg	Rose Hendley	Janet Walechka	Rita Martinson	Ray & Barb Truzinski				
February 8 & 9	Mary Klaseus	Agnes Morgan	Nick Klaseus	Barb Truzinski	Mike Keogh, Mary Klaseus	Agnes Morgan				
February 15 & 16	Andy Queen	Kelly McCabe	Dick Davis	Mary Haase	Lynn Kluntz, Nick Klaseus	Jaci Kopet, Ann Rohlfing				
			Mary Klaseus	Robbie Kopet	Rita Kluntz	Danny Holmes				

The following members of our Faith Communities have asked for our prayers...
 Agnes Morgan, Flip Blaschko, Griffin Dumdei, Richie Krueger, Sheila Wolff, Debra Schmahl, Mary Buschowski, Caiden Kelly, Keely Davis, Myles Genelín, Josh Hummer, Justin Kaus, Larry VanTol, Eugene Germscheid, Nick Smith, Jim Scheuer, Levi Bensen, Mrs. Karl (Sandy) Germscheid, Maurice Thelemann, Quentin Shevy, Hunter Schmitz, Deb Winger, Dotsy Jacobson, Dave Rusch, Albert Weinandt, Jaci Kopet, Jolene & Holden Zell, Patrick Baker, Evalyn & Jill Cusick, Tom Fritz, Lisa Skarin, Don Roscoe, Alec Batson, Brandon Reinke, Rosemary Wondra, David Clark, Robert Kluntz, Bob Beckel, Rudy Kaupa, Connie Baker, Gene Thelemann, Jared Mogere Family, Tim Petersen, Kent Pearce, Mary Androli, Bernice Rezak, David Krenik, Terry Sadowski, James Connor, Natalie Bruender, Robert Ani, Carol Leighton, Marian Meyer, Mya Walechka, Lana Dahl, Alec Heuer, Jim Meagher, and Betty Kinney.



To add or remove a name on this list, please email the Parish Office:

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*MASS INTENTIONS: Email office@maryschurches.com; suggested donation \$7/Mass. {KEY: Y=LIVING | ☩=DECEASED | LEFT=NATIVITY | RIGHT=MARYSBURG | WEEKDAY=CENTERED}

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD 8:30 AM NATIVITY & 10:30AM MARYSBURG Confirmation Breakfast AA MTG. MB Hall 9:30 AM @ Nativity 6:30 PM ☩JOHN KLUNTZ	3 Mass 8 am at Nativity MARYSBURG CCW MEETING Parish Hall @ 7 pm (CCW dues of \$5 are due.) ☩JANET T. BEIHN-MEYER	4 Mass 8 am at Nativity ☩MAURICE BROWN	5 Mass 8 am at Marysburg FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity - Cleveland @ 6:30 pm	6 No Mass	7 Mass 8 am at Nativity Y FATHER ADAMS	8 VIGIL OF THE 5TH SUNDAY IN OT NAT PENANCE: 3:15-3:45 MASS: 4 PM MB PENANCE: 5:30-5:45, MASS 6 PM 2020 Catholic Services Appeal Launch Weekend ☩JUDY VOSBEEK
9 THE 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY & 10:30AM MARYSBURG 2020 Catholic Services Appeal Launch Weekend AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM ☩EDWARD & MARGARET KRENIK ☩RICHARD WONDRA	10 Mass 8 am at Marysburg ☩JANET T. BEIHN-MEYER	11 Mass 8 am at Nativity MB FINANCE CNCL, 6 PM MB PASTORAL CNCL, 7 PM	12 NO MASS Mass 9 am at St. Mary's (Le Center) FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity - Cleveland @ 6:30 pm	13 No Mass	14 NO MASS Mass 9 am at St. Mary's (Le Center)	15 VIGIL OF THE 6TH SUNDAY IN OT NAT PENANCE: 3:15-3:45 MASS: 4 PM MB PENANCE: 5:30-5:45, MASS 6 PM ☩RAMON & VERNETTE BIEHN
16 THE 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY & 10:30AM MARYSBURG SOUTHWEST DEANERY BOARD MTG MON. FEB. 24TH IN VESELI AA MTG. MB Hall RSVP TO ANITA TODAY 243-3093! 6:30 PM ☩MIKE & ANDY STRUCK ☩JOE BAKER	17 Mass 8 am at Marysburg Preached Rosary Event 7 PM @ Marysburg	18 Mass 8 am at Nativity ☩STEVEN HENDLEY	19 Mass 8 am at Marysburg NET RETREAT for CONFIRMATION STUDENTS St. Mary's - Le Center @ 3:15-9 pm FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity - Cleveland @ 6:30 pm	20 No Mass	21 Mass 8 am at Nativity	22 VIGIL OF THE 7TH SUNDAY IN OT NAT PENANCE: 3:15-3:45 MASS: 4 PM MB PENANCE: 5:30-5:45, MASS 6 PM ☩ANN DAUK
23 THE 7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY & 10:30AM MARYSBURG Coffee & Conversation w/Fr. Stiles 11:30 AM @ Marysburg AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM ☩LOUIS WALECKA ☩DARLENE TREATOR	24 Mass 8 am at Marysburg SOUTHWEST DEANERY BOARD MTG - VESELI, DINNER @6:30PM RSVP BY 2/16/20 ANITA 243-3093	25 Mass 8 am at Nativity	26 ASH WEDNESDAY Marysburg 8 am Nativity 6:30 pm FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity - Cleveland @ 6:30 pm	27 No Mass NAT PASTORAL CNCL, 7 PM	28 Mass 8 am at Nativity	29 VIGIL OF THE 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT NAT PENANCE: 3:15-3:45 MASS: 4 PM MB PENANCE: 5:30-5:45, MASS 6 PM