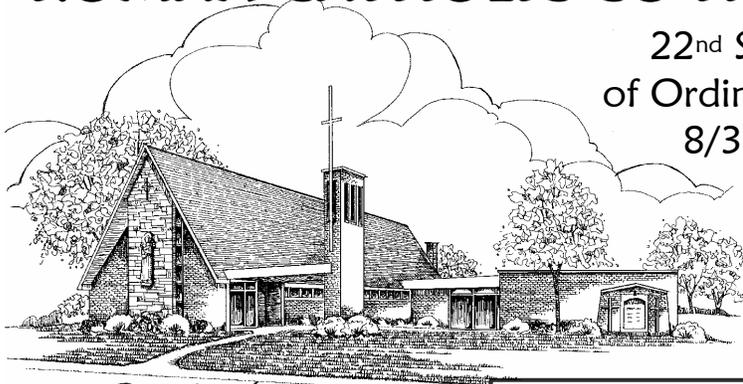


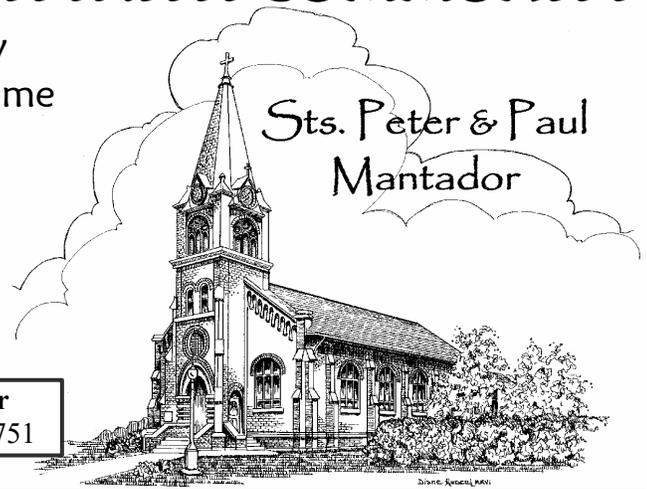
ROMAN CATHOLIC CO-PARISH FAITH COMMUNITY

22nd Sunday
of Ordinary Time
8/30/20



St. Anthony
Mooreton

Fr. Kurt Gunwall, Pastor
701-274-8259 or 701-540-8751



Sts. Peter & Paul
Mantador

Sts Peter & Paul 9/5 4:00 pm

Lector wedding

Servers wedding

Sts Peter & Paul 9/6 8:30 am

Lector Mike Jentz

Usher Jeff Mauch

Servers Boyles

St Anthony 9/6 10:30 am

Lector Chance Pausch

Usher Curt Berg

Servers Onchucks

Joy & Suffering

This weekend I want to share with you some of the joy of my life with/in God and the Church. Yet, the message we hear in the Scriptures today is one of suffering.

No problem! It fits perfectly as Jesus, the Catholic faith, and many saints teach us clearly through all of history.

Let me begin with a few lists...

Simple joys: pausing to watch a monarch butterfly, hear crickets and birds (outside), feel the cool breeze flow through the house on a sunny day, take a walk, read a few pages of a book or magazine, a good night's rest, finish a few tasks - cleaning and organizing, quiet prayer in the chapel and in my living room, recent visits and calls to my sisters and brothers, visiting families in the neighborhood, drinking refreshing water, a good and healthy meal, playing tennis or volleyball, clean a little of the garden, pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy or Rosary, music, enjoying time with friends - whether a visit, game, relax, or work project, hearing an inspiring story.

Profound joys: God's love for me and for every person, my life, good health, my talents and abilities, the fullness of the Catholic faith, hope, acceptance and care, love of family, strong friendships, my vocation to the priesthood, God's Truth, Goodness and Beauty in creation and human understanding, seeing God turn suffering and pain into peace and joy, seeing or experiencing conversion of heart and mind to God, helping someone grow or heal, bringing God to people and people to God in the Eucharist, Reconciliation, and the Sacraments, sharing The/my faith.

Sufferings (crosses): aches, pain, illness, misunderstandings, human evil, sin, selfishness, broken hearts, anger and destruction, dis-unity, lies told, lies believed, my own weakness and fears that hold me back from sharing the Good News with others, abandonment of faith, religion, truth, and civility, most media, news, entertainment, political seasons, wasted time on things that don't really satisfy.

Where are my joys? In relationships with others and in my life! When the goodness of God is received and lived. ☺

Where are my sorrows? In relationships with others and in life. When the goodness of God is twisted or rejected. ☹

I invite you to sit down for a few minutes of 'prayer' and write a list of your simple joys, profound joys that God gives you the crosses God allows you to carry. See that they are all gifts. They all help us to grow in thankfulness and in hope as God expands our heart, our mind, and our soul to see Him in all things. To be thankful in all times and circumstances. I am thankful for my life that I am loved, able to love and serve others, and able to say, **"Thank you God for everything you do in my life - all the joys and crosses you have given me! Amen!"**

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Mass Intentions - Changes in Bold

Mon, 31 No Mass

Tue, 1 StsPP 8:30 am Darlene Weber

Wed, 2 StA 5:45 pm Robert Heuer (†)

Thu, 3 StsPP 8:30 am Ben & Vanessa - (M) St Gregory the Great

Fri, 4 StA 9:30 am Leo Althoff (†)

Sat, 5 StsPP 4:00 pm All parishioners

Sun, 6 StsPP 8:30 am Christian Mothers

Sun, 6 StA 10:30 am Christian Mothers [livestream on YouTube]

Pray for the Sick/Elderly: Loretta Althoff, Arnie Foertsch, Bill Giesen, Jacinta Goerger, Larry Goerger, Nargis Golwalla, Tony Heitkamp, John Hutchison, Erwin Lugert, Dennis Mauch, Diane (Jim) Mauch, John Mertes, Jim Mitchell, Alice Pausch, Alice Pellman, Wayne Ward, Aron Waxweiler, Frances Zajac, Carol Zietz. **Send the names of loved ones** in need of prayers to Fr Gunwall.

Upcoming Events

Tue, 1 - World Day of Prayer for Care of Creation

Fri, 4 - StsPP 4:30pm Rehearsal

Sat, 5 - StsPP 4pm - Haberman-Mauch wedding

Question of the Week

Looking at the way I lead my life, what aspect do I need to deny myself and in what way can I take up my cross and follow Jesus?

Verse of the Week: "But far be it from me to glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world." (Galatians 6:14)

Assignment: *Pause for 3 minutes each day to view and mediate on a crucifix, the sign of God's love.* Answer the question and work on your list (from front side).

Stewardship Moment: "What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" (Matthew 16:26)

St. Francis of Assisi once said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent and treasure to gain more of the world's riches. We need to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world.

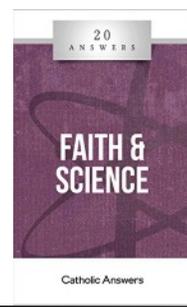
Please read this final set of articles on Catholic Cemeteries. Please schedule a visit with Fr. Gunwall for funeral and other end of life planning. Goto www.catholicparishcemeteriesus.com for all the articles and more.

Catholic Cemetery Tradition

{Part 5} **CATHOLIC CEMETERY PRODUCTS** - Products offered in any cemetery, religious or not, typically depend upon the number of annual services. The larger the number of annual interments, the more diverse the products that can be offered and supported. At a minimum, cemeteries will offer **ground interment spaces** to accommodate one or more individuals. Ground burial will be differentiated by memorialization type, a marker flush with the grass or a monument that stands above grade. Multiple spaces are typically required for an upright monument. Above-ground community mausoleums are of two types, i.e. chapel and garden. The **chapel mausoleum** will be temperature regulated with crypts in chapels and corridors. The **garden mausoleum** does not have climate-controlled interior space; crypts in this facility will be located on patios open to the weather. Mausoleum crypts are available in different configuration and at different levels. Price is based on interior/ exterior, location in the complex, configuration, and level. A cemetery may also offer the **individual family mausoleum** and it is built to meet owner size and space requirements according to cemetery specifications. To accommodate current church discipline and practice, Catholic cemeteries, regardless of size, will offer a variety of options for the respectful disposition and **memorialization of cremated remains**. The division or scattering of cremated remains is not consonant with Catholic discipline or practice. Cremated remains may be interred in a grave and memorialized. Above-ground inurnment of cremated remains takes place in niches that can be located within or on an outside wall of a mausoleum. Glass or marble-front niches may be available within a secure building. Freestanding columbaria may be located within a section or as a feature in a cremation garden.

{Part 6} **PRE-NEED PLANNING** - The church recognizes the many emotions that family members experience when facing the death of a loved one. Surrounded by family and friends, accompanied by the prayers and sacraments, the time of death can be a grace-filled moment when faith and family bonds are strengthened. The disciplines pertaining to eligibility for interment in a Catholic cemetery have significantly changed since the Second Vatican Council. Catholic Baptism of at least one immediate family member is now the requirement. Questions about eligibility should be discussed with the pastor of the Catholic's parish. With this foundational understanding, the church encourages communication among family members well in advance of the need to make funeral and cemetery arrangements. The **Order of Christian Funerals** is quite flexible and one or more elements will meet most family needs. To assure the most responsive liturgy, parishioners are encouraged to schedule time to meet with a priest or pastoral minister well in advance. Pre-planning in a Catholic cemetery allows families to consider the various available cemetery options, costs, and payment plans well in advance of need. This pre-planning assures that the time surrounding death is able to be devoted to family members supporting one another and enables the celebration of the deceased's movement to eternal life. The cemetery does not sell spaces, but rather the certificate of interment rights grants use, not ownership, of the space for a specific interment purpose; this distinction is important. Catholic church disciplines and specific rules and regulations accompany and are integral to the certificate. In new purchases, endowment or perpetual care is included in the cost.

Find this in the back of the church: In *20 Answers: Faith & Science*, Trent Horn, an evangelist and teacher of the faith, addresses: A false dilemma of Truth - Didn't the Church persecute Galileo? Aren't faith and reason two separate and distinct kinds of truth? Why do Christians believe in the biblical creation story when science has disproved it? How can the modern world take religions seriously when they oppose scientific advancements like birth control and stem-cell research? In this booklet you'll find smart, solid answers to these questions and many more. It will help clear away misconceptions and help you understand—and explain to your friends and family—the complex but ultimately harmonious relationship between religious and scientific truth.



Keeping the House of God beautiful!

Sep - Sts PP: *Marietta Pellman, Pam Foertsch, Denise Hejtmanek, Bev Waxweiler / **St A:** *Caryn Klosterman, Claire Jo Althoff, Audrey Andel, Sue Berg, Cindy Spellerberg, Dawn Storbakken, Kristi Wagner.



This week's celebrations: Jim Griffith, Mark Heuer, Todd Althoff, Deirdre Foertsch, Loran Palmer.

Nick & Kari Foertsch, Curt & Sue Berg, Derek & Ashton Mauch.

Happy Anniversary.