

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE		
DATE	MASS READINGS	MASS INTENTION
Monday, June 15 <i>Weekday</i>	1 Kings 21:1-16 / Matthew 5:38-42	+Francis Rausch
Tuesday, June 16 <i>Weekday</i>	1 Kings 21:17-29 / Matthew 5:43-48	+Marilyn Garretson
Wednesday, June 17 <i>Weekday</i>	2 Kings 2:1,6-14 / Matthew 6:1-6,16-18	+Francis Rausch
Thursday, June 18 <i>Weekday</i>	Sirach 48:1-14 / Matthew 6:7-15	+Betty Rausch
Friday, June 19 <i>The Most Sacred Heart</i>	Deuteronomy 7:6-11 / 1 John 4:7-16 / Matthew 11:25-30	+Cliff Youngers
Saturday, June 20 <i>Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	2 Chronicles 24:17-25 / Luke 2:41-51	+Francis Rausch
Sunday, June 21 <i>12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Jerimiah 20:10-13 / Romans 5:12-15 / Matthew 10:26-30	+Bud Castle People of the Parish

MINISTER SCHEDULE			
	6/20, 5:30 PM	6/21, 8:00 AM	6/21, 10:30 AM
ROSARY	NOT FILLED	Paula Komp	NOT FILLED
EMHC	Billy Gorges	Odilio Alvarez	Emily Thome
LECTOR	Grayce Berntsten	JP Brunke	Jarrod Thome
SERVERS	Aaron Gorges	Gabe Brunke	Aiden Schroeder
USHERS	Peter Gorges Justin Pelz	Ron Neises Ron Komp	Kyle Zoglmann Donnie Lies Jr.
SACRISTAN	Lynn Robertson	NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED

JUNE 14: ST. METHIDIUS I



Methodius was actually born in Italy, but after his studies were finished he decided to go to Constantinople to work for the Emperor. On his way there, he met a monk who taught him all about God and how much he loves us. Methodius learned that he could be very happy by giving up everything he had and living for God. He joined a monastery and actually built a monastery too. The Emperor, who Methodius had wanted to work for when he first set sail for Constantinople, did not believe that people should have statues and icons of Saints. Many people agreed with the Emperor; they believed that Christians who had these things were worshipping these statues and icons instead of worshipping God. Methodius tried to help the Pope teach the Emperor and his followers that Christians were not worshipping these statues or icons, but they were using them to be able to get closer to Jesus through prayer and reflection on these holy peoples' lives. Methodius was thrown into prison for going against the Emperor. Seven years later the Emperor died and his wife, Empress Theodora, became the ruler of Constantinople. The Empress was a good Christian and found nothing wrong with having statues and icons and so she set Methodius and many other Christians free from prison. Methodius spent the rest of his life working to bring peace to the people of Constantinople. He also wrote about the lives of the Saints and wrote about the teachings of the faith, which helped many people get closer to God.

WEEKLY CALENDAR
MONDAY, JUNE 15
7am Adoration 8am Mass
TUESDAY, JUNE 16
12am Adoration 8am Mass
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17
6:30pm Mass
THURSDAY, JUNE 18
8am Mass
FRIDAY, JUNE 19
8am Mass
SATURDAY, JUNE 20
4:30pm Confessions 5:30pm Mass
SUNDAY, JUNE 21
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY! 8am Mass 10:30am Mass
COMING UP NEXT WEEK
6/22 @ 6:00pm Building Committee Mtg. 6/23 @ 6:30pm Pastoral Council Mtg. 6/28 @ 6pm Acclaim Patriotic Concert



June 14, 2020

Corpus Christi

June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart

MASS SCHEDULE
WEEKEND • Saturday 5:30 pm
 Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am

WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 am
 Wed. 6:30 pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE
WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 7:30 - 7:55 am
 Wed. 6 - 6:20 pm
WEEKEND • Saturday 4:30 - 5:15 pm

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HOLY FATHER'S JUNE PRAYER INTENTION

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

TODAY'S READING...

...from 1 Corinthians is short, but those two verses are packed with meaning for us as disciples! The central message of this passage is one of unification in Jesus Christ. St. Paul reminds us that by participating in the body and blood of Christ, we are joined into one body of believers. The Eucharist puts us in deep relationship with Christ and with one another. As we go about our work, we must remember that we do not act alone. Our actions, both good and bad, affect the entire community of believers. "...we, though many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf." In discipleship, we must look not only to Jesus, but also to one another for fellowship, support, and accountability.

PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

SACRISTAN NEEDED

As you can see from the minister schedules the past few weeks, we are in urgent need of sacristans for both the 8am & 10:30am Masses on Sundays. Please contact Lynn Robertson if you are able to help.

LECTIO DIVINA WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Each Monday starting this Monday, June 15th at 7pm in the Parish Center we will read and pray through the Gospel for the coming Sunday Mass. Please bring your Bible if you have one, a pen, and a journal. Each week will be it's own individual study so feel free to join when it works for your schedule. There are no additional resources to purchase for this summer.

BLOOD DRIVE

St. John's will be hosting another blood drive on July 17th starting at 9:00 am in the Parish Center. There is a signup sheet in the back of church or you can call the Church office to sign up for a time to donate.

CALLED AND GIFTED - SAVE THE DATE!

We will be starting a Called and Gifted class coming up in July. This program is open to those outside of the parish. Dates and times are as follows:

July 6, 8:30-10:30am

July 9, 8:30am-12:30pm

July 10, 8:30am-12:30pm

There is no cost for parishioners but donations are welcome to help offset the cost. Please call or e-mail the office by June 22 to sign up.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

June 7, 2020.....\$9,985.10

Year to Date (July 1-June 7).....\$476,980.49

Thank you for your gift to St. John's Parish!

CHURCH CLEANING

6/20 Tammy Zogleman 316-640-7309
Jami Buck 316-641-0272

6/27 Amy Foltz 316-540-9962
David Foltz

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for all those listed below:

Colton Smith, Shane Armour, Anna Mueller, Gary Klausmeyer, Ross Klausmeyer, Colton Horsch, Frances Johnson, Josh Buller, Marilyn Lies, Al Montanez, Joanne Flippin, David Oberley, Stephanie Faber, Donald Love, Jolene Schauf, Doris Albaugh

Pray for those in the military:

John Ihrig, Matthew Youngers, Austin Peak, Travis Winningham, Megan Darke, Brandon Darke, Wyatt Curry, Grant Martin

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June 14 Braylee Goetz
June 15 Myles Youngers
June 17 Kevin Pauly
June 19 Rebecca Koester
Whitney Pelz
June 20 Emmitt Handy

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

June 19 Steven & Gayle Heppler

CONGRATS TO OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS!

Our second graders are receiving their First Communion this Sunday! Please join us in praying for and congratulating them!

Michael Bell Kinslay Dieker
Chlole Fichtl Easton Haslett
Jaycee Hastings Luke Mohr
Genevieve Oberley Mackenzie Stump

Dear Clonmelians,

I pray that each of you and your families have been staying healthy and are now beginning to enjoy the summer. Today I wish to share with all of you some exciting things that are happening at St. John's.

St. John's Annual Report

First, we are working on an entirely new presentation of our Annual Report of the parish. I have noticed that the printing of our annual budget and year-end financial report is difficult to comprehend and make use of for many. This year we are trying a new approach with graphs and charts to help everyone understand where we are at financially, the movement of our demographics, as well as our programming accomplishments and stewardship involvement in the parish. I believe the new layout will be user friendly while also providing an adequate understanding of the financial health of the parish.

Parish Life Coordinator

I am also pleased to announce that Cassi FitzGerald has accepted a new position within our parish. She will begin on June 16th as our Parish Life Coordinator. This position provides the day-to-day administrative oversight to our parish operations. Her new role will include supervision of all employees, leadership in identifying parish priorities, and being the point person for parish ministries. As I am away from the parish most of the week (working at our House of Formation with our seminarians) it has become necessary to have someone capable of providing this kind of administrative oversight on my behalf. This new role will also require her to reorganize some aspects of our faith formation programs as she will retain this responsibility. I ask that you all help me to welcome Cassi to this new role. It is wonderful to have someone assist in this role who already knows our community so well and is deeply invested in parishioner growth personally and spiritually.

Building Committee

A previous Flocknote shared that the building committee would not meet until we met three criteria. That decision seems to have been an over-reaction during a time when we had no understanding of how serious the COVID-19 situation would become. Now that we are able to have gatherings in smaller numbers, it is my intention to resume our building committee meetings. The committee has reached consensus on our master plan, so now they will begin working on the design phase of the project. Undertaking this phase prepares us to enter a fundraising and building phase when we are ready. I assure you that your input will be essential as this project moves forward. We do intend to have town hall meetings once we are able to gather in larger numbers and the committee has a preliminary design for your review.

1st Communion

Last weekend we celebrated 1st Communion for 8 of our children. I was concerned about how that would go with limited capacity and social distancing. It was a wonderful event! The kids were excited and beamed as they approached to receive our Lord for the first time. One child even skipped away after receiving the Eucharist. Now when's the last time you skipped away in joy after receiving the Eucharist? It was the perfect expression of the joy we should all have.

Mass Attendance

Mass attendance continues to rise. This past weekend we had 325 in attendance, however that is somewhat skewed due to the additional 1:00 PM 1st Communion Mass. I have noticed more of our community returning to Mass and finding that the protective measures in place seem to make most feel comfortable.

Patriotic Summer Concert and Get-Together

We are planning a summer get-together. Our parish musicians and brass ensemble (Acclaim) will be holding an outdoor concert on June 28th at 6:00 PM. You are all invited to join us for patriotic songs performed by our talented musicians. You should plan to bring a picnic meal and drinks for your family as well as your own lawn chairs or blanket to sit on.

Please remember to pray for those who are struggling with COVID-19 health concerns, those who assist them in their time of recovery, and for the speedy discovery of a vaccine to eliminate this threat to our world. May the Lord bless you and your family.

Fr. Joe