

SAINT CECILIA CHURCH OF VELVA SAINTS PETER AND PAUL CHURCH OF KARLSRUHE



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CORPUS CHRISTI JUNE 6 2021

LITURGY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Sat.	06/05	Velva	5:00 PM	Parishioners
Sun.	06/06	Karls	8:30 AM	+Felix & Katherine Bachmeier
		Velva	10:30 AM	Velva Christian Mothers
Mon.	06/07	No Mass		
Tues	06/08	Velva	12noon	+Elaine Klein
Wed.	06/09	Karls	7:30 AM	+Anton Mack
Thurs.	06/10	Velva	5:15 PM	+Anton Mack
Fri.	06/11	Velva	7:30 AM	<i>Adoration /Holy Hour</i>
		Velva	8:30 AM	Raina Brown
Sat.	06/12	Velva	5:00 PM	+Eva Duchsherer
Sun.	06/13	Karls	8:30 AM	Morgan Moch
		Velva	10:30 AM	Parishioners

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

4:20 pm Saturdays, Velva
 8:00am Sundays, Karlsruhe
 10:10am Sundays, Velva
 Any reasonable time by appointment.

ONLINE GIVING: visit <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4158>

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS deadline is 9AM on Thursdays. Submit to velvakarls@srt.com or 338-2663 or written note. No text messages!

SICK/HOMEBOUND/EMERGENCY: Please alert Fr. Kraemer so he can give you the sacraments.

FROM THE PASTORS DESK

The Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*) was instituted in the 13th Century as a response to misunderstanding about the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. In our own day there is doubt, confusion, and indifference about the Eucharist. On *Corpus Christi* we are reminded that the Mass is not just a historical re-enactment of the Last Supper. Rather, during the Mass the Holy Spirit makes present of the sacrifice whereby Jesus offered his body and blood for us on the cross. We

receive the Body of Christ. Realizing that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist is a working of grace. We should ask Jesus to give us this grace!



contemplate the truth that Jesus makes his body and blood present under the forms of bread and wine. We are also prompted to examine our response to Jesus' presence in the Eucharist: if we really believe Jesus is present in the Eucharist, then we would spontaneously worship him. We would also receive him with reverently in Holy Communion by making sure we are in the state of grace and being gentle and careful in how we

Corpus Christi is traditionally celebrated with Mass followed by a procession where the Priest carries the consecrated host through the streets. All of the faithful join in the procession as a public witness to their belief in the Eucharist. Often the children carry baskets with flower petals to strew on the ground before the Blessed Sacrament to honor Jesus, present in the Eucharist. Next year I would like to institute an annual Corpus Christi procession in our two

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parishes. We could alternate back and forth which parish hosts. In order to familiarize ourselves with the procession, I encourage you to attend the Minot Citywide eucharistic procession which begins today (June 6) at 3:00pm (not 2pm as I wrote last week) at Our Lady of Grace. The procession will go from there to St. Leo the Great, then to St. Therese of the Little Flower, and end at St. John the Apostle. The full procession is long, but you can take part in just a little bit of it if you want.

Congratulations to our new Priest and Transitional Deacons who were ordained last week in Fargo: Fr. Kevin Lorsung, and Deacons Robert Foertsch, Matthew Kensok, and Joseph Littlefield. Some day one of these men could be your pastor! Without priests we would not have the Eucharist. Pray that we would have vocations from our own parishes. Hopefully our altar servers are learning what a great privilege it is to be so close to the Altar and Tabernacle where Jesus is present. Imagine what a privilege it would be to be a priest, who makes present the body of Christ every time he says Mass.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY FAMILY SOCIETY MEETING is on June 15th at 7pm at Sts. Peter and Paul.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST will be hosted by the Sts. Peter and Paul Holy Family Society on Sunday, June 20 after 8:30am Mass in Karlsruhe. All are welcome to attend.

ST. PETER & PAUL CELEBRATION On Sunday, June 27, Mass at Karlsruhe will be moved to 4pm and a meal will follow. This event is both a celebration of our patronal feast and a belated celebration of the ordination of Jonathan Brewer to the diaconate, which we were unable to do last November due to the virus. Parishioners from both parishes are encouraged to attend, since Dcn. Brewer serves both parishes.

JOB OPENING Cherrie Thomas would like to retire by the end of the year. Duties include general secretarial work, records, forms, bulletin, calendar, accounting and payroll for parish and cemetery. If necessary the position could be divided into two: bookkeeper and secretary. If interested please pick up an application from the parish office.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be July 6-8. Camp will run 8:30am-3:00pm each day. It is for children who will be going into grades 1-6 this fall. Volunteers to help will be appreciated.

SUNDAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE					
	Reader	Servers	Sacristan	Rosary	Offertory
Sat 06/05 Velva	Shelly Lauinger			Irene Kramer	Volunteer
06/06 Karls	Kris Goodman	Dalton, Ian, Dominic, Liam, John		Blake Ritteman	Terry Heit
06/06 Velva	Irene Colby	Marlee, Cooper, Bryson, Ava, Jack P	Mike Washek	Leona Kotaska	Paul & Karen Thomas
Sat 06/12 Velva	Lucy Bergstad			Irene Kramer	Volunteer
06/13 Karls	John Edwards	Tristan, Isaac, Ian, Dominic, Liam, John		Megan Ritteman	Tim Kraft
06/13 Velva	Mike Washek	Drew, Leah, Raider, Easton, Madden	Cy Kotaska	Irene Colby	Eric & Sandy Mack
Sat 06/19 Velva	Joan Beardsley			Lucy Bergstad	Volunteer
06/20 Karls	Blake Ritteman	Dalton, Ian, Dominic, Liam, John		Christopher Brewer	John Edwards
06/20 Velva	Dorathy Schatz	Rylee, Reese, Jack N, Isaiah, Landon	Pete Thomas	Claudie Selzler	Bryan Dean