

St. Joseph + St. Matthew + St. Teresa

Good Thunder

Vernon Center

Mapleton

The Catholic
Diocese of
Winona-Rochester

Welcome!

We're here to help you begin or continue your faith journey, so you can find true peace, happiness and purpose in life. If you would like to join one of our parishes, contact any staff member and we will be honored to officially welcome you home!

Tri-Parish Mass Schedule

Sunday 8:00 a.m. at St. Teresa

Sunday 10:00 a.m. at St. Joseph (1st, 3rd, 5th)
or St. Matthew (2nd, 4th)

Weekdays: Please See Inside Bulletin

Holy Days: See Inside Bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration held before daily Mass.

Tri-Parish Office

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Formed— a free site with Catholic books, audios, and movies for adults and kids. Go to sjsmst.formed.org to register

July 15, 2018 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



“He summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two. He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts.”

Mark 6:7-8

The Sacrament of Baptism

Pre-Baptism preparation is required. Please contact the office at least one month before the desired date.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick Please notify the office if you or a family member is in the hospital or homebound and would like a pastoral visit.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

One half hour before each weekend Mass, 8a.m. Thursday at St. Teresa or by private appt. with Fr. Vogel

The Sacrament of Marriage

All Catholics need to meet with the priest or deacon at least 6 months before being married. Contact the office at least 6 months in advance of your wedding.



Hello,

I had a great vacation in Nashville, Music City. Father Jeff Dobbs and I went to the Grand Ole Opry, went to the Nashville Symphony, the Country Music

Hall of Fame, and many other things. I will be gone again this weekend for the Steubenville Youth Conference in Rochester. It is always amazing to see 1,500 young people worship Jesus, especially in the Blessed Sacrament.

The week of July 22-27 is Totus Tuus. If you haven't signed up your children or grandchildren, now is the time. The kids will have a blast learning more about how much Jesus loves them, about Mary, and the Rosary, and many other things about God and our Catholic faith.

This Sunday we hear about Jesus sending out the Apostles two by two. What are some things we can take from this? First of all, Jesus sent them out two by two. We are not meant to walk this journey to heaven on our own. One way to grow in holiness, to grow in virtue, is to have an accountability partner. This person is someone you can call and confide in about how you are doing in living in the way Jesus wants you to. I suppose it is like a sponsor for AA. There is an app for smartphones called HabitShare that you can use to bring this idea into the 21st century. Sometimes it is good to get an accountability partner that is not your spouse. Two, they were sent out. We are called to invite non-Christians, non-Catholics into the fullness of Truth that is found in the Catholic Church. We need to invite people to the fullness of Truth, hope, and love that is found in the Catholic Church. This also means we need also ask ourselves how we can continually become a community that is more and more steeped in God's truth, hope, and love. Three, we are called to heal those around us. It may not be miraculous physical healing, although it could be, but it could also be spiritual or mental healing: a kind word, a smile...these things can make a big difference in someone else's day.

Pray for me and the youth this weekend at the Steubenville Youth Conference.

God bless,
Father Vogel



"In love He destined us for adoption to Himself through Jesus Christ."

Ephesians 1:5

Mass Intentions, Readings, Saints

Monday, July 16

Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Isaiah 1:10-17; Psalm 50:8-9, 16-17, 21, 23;
Matthew 10:34-11:1

Tuesday, July 17

Isaiah 7:1-9; Psalm 48:2-8; Matthew 11:20-24
8:30 a.m. Rosary for vocations at St. Joseph

Wednesday, July 18

St. Camillus de Lellis
Isaiah 10:5-7, 13-16; Psalm 94:5-10, 14-15;
Matthew 11:25-27

Thursday, July 19

Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Psalm 102:13-21;
Matthew 11:28-30
7:30-8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Teresa † *Ed Becker*

Friday, July 20

St. Apollinaris
Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Isaiah 38:10-12, 16;
Matthew 12:1-8
10:30 a.m. Mass at MCH *St. Teresa CCW Members*

Saturday, July 21

St. Lawrence of Brindisi
Micah 2:1-5; Psalm 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Matthew 12:14-21
7:30-8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Teresa † *Bob O'Connor*

Sunday, July 22

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18;
Mark 6:30-34
8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Teresa † *Duane Denn*
10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Matthew *People of the Tri-Parish*

THANK YOU to Father John Lasuba for celebrating Mass with us this weekend.

Thank you for your generous support of this missionary appeal to Juba, South Sudan. You can still contribute next weekend by placing it in a clearly marked envelope in the offering.

Meetings and Events in the Tri-Parish

St. Teresa Finance Council Meeting

Tuesday, July 17 @ 7 p.m.

TRI-PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Summer Youth Events

1-WEEK COUNTDOWN **to TOTUS TUUS!!!**



July 22-27, 2018 at St. Teresa's
Grades 1-6 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Grades 7-12 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Come for an amazing week of learning about Jesus and how **AWESOME** it is to be his young disciple through the Catholic faith! Four energetic college-age students will teach the program in a fun filled format which includes Bible stories, skits, music, games, prayer, worship, reconciliation and daily Mass.

REGISTRATION FORMS are available at each church or from the tri-parish office. Pick one up, fill it out, and turn it in this week for an early registration treat! Or if you forget, **COME ANYWAY!** Your mom or dad can register you the first morning.

Parish News

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE will be held for Ron Hartmann on Saturday, July 21 from 3-5 p.m. at the Urban Lodge Brewery and Restaurant, 415 North Benton Drive in Sauk Rapids, MN. Cards can also be sent to Mary Hartmann at 1440 Aspen Lane, St. Cloud, MN 56303. Ron & Mary are former members of St. Teresa's before moving.

May Ron's soul & the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.



1st Annual Newman Center Golf Tournament

"PUTT WITH PADRE 2018"

Join Fr. Vogel Friday, July 20th, 2018 at North Links Golf Course for 18 holes of golf, fun games on holes, prizes, raffle items, social hour, and dinner. This fun event is to raise funds for our "Peer Ministry" at the Newman Center. Peer Ministers are a "Beacon of Light" to the young people on their journey of faith. Contact: Anna Weidner at 507-387-4154 or e-mail anna.weidner@mnsu.edu to see if you can still enter.

***"I will LISTEN for what God, the Lord, has to say;
surely he will speak of peace to his people and
to his faithful. May they not turn to foolishness!***

***Love and truth will meet;
justice and peace will kiss."***

Psalm 85:9, 11



God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities who have requested our prayers:

Hollie Smith, Sylvia Flemming (Doug's wife), Owen Dickey, Kitty Cumbee, Bernie Kunkel, Jim Kohout, Huxley FitzSimmons, and Terry Hassing.

If you or a member of your family would like our prayers, please call 524-3127 and ask to be put on this prayer list. Each name will remain on the list for eight weeks unless the office is notified to leave the name for a longer amount of time.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Monday, July 16th

The feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, celebrated on July 16, was first instituted in the late 14th century in commemoration of the approval of the rule of the Carmelite Order a hundred years earlier. According to legend, a religious community was established even before the time of Christ on Mount Carmel. This is the mountain overlooking the Mediterranean Sea on which the prophet Elijah successfully challenged the priests of Baal and won the people to the true God. The feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel entered the Calendar of the universal Church in the early 18th century.



Community News

OPEN HOUSE BRIDAL SHOWER FOR SARAH LIPPERT bride-to-be of Andrew Bach from Minnesota Lake. The shower will be held on Saturday, July 28 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Easton Fire Hall. The couple is registered at Amazon, Kohl's and Menards.



PILLOW CLEANING COMING SOON!



Mapleton VFW Auxiliary will sponsor the Annual Pillow Cleaning on Friday, August 3rd from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the VFW building on Main Street in Mapleton. Again this year they will be open on Thursday, August 2nd from 5:00-7:00 p.m. for dropping off pillows. Feather and polyester pillows can be cleaned with new ticking. A **NOON LUNCH** will also be served on Friday, Aug, 3 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Free-will offering. Thank you for your support.

Stewardship of Treasure

*God's generosity will never be
outdone by our own.*



St. Teresa (July 8)

Weekly collection	\$863.35
Amount collected year to date	\$2,696.42
Amount budgeted year to date	

St. Matthew (July 8)

Weekly collection	\$792.00
Amount collected year to date	\$792.00
Amount budgeted year to date	

St. Joseph (July 1)

Weekly collection	\$3,192.00
Amount collected year to date	\$3,192.00
Amount budgeted year to date	



Ministry Roles

July 22 St. Matthew 10:00 a.m.

Reader: Lindsey Lanoue

Ministers of Communion: Maria Sanders,
Char Schuch, Tony Wendlandt

Greeter & Usher: Brad Lanoue Family

Servers: Chloe Cumbie, Curtis Cumbie

Money counters: Wendy Bennett, Neil Majeski

July 22 St. Teresa 8:00 a.m.

Reader: Lois Gau

Ministers of Communion: Cliff Anderson,
Marcie Anderson, Judy Bach

Greeters: Jim and Gloria Langworthy
Jason and Karen Langworthy

Ushers: Terry and Jan Sonnek

Servers: Bria Cole, Mackenzie Reuter, Brooke
Reuter, and Alana Volk

Sacristan: Ceal Caldwell

Money counters: Kay Proehl and Judy Bach

Altar Linens: Anita Rigdon for July

Marcie will be working on the new fall ministry schedule during the month of July. If your availability has changed, please contact the tri-parish office at 524-3127 and let her know. THANK YOU.

Our Catholic World



2018 Catholic Ministry Appeal

Renew Faith Extend Mercy Inspire Hope

Results so far for the

2018 Diocesan Catholic Ministries Appeal



	# of donors	Amount pledged/pd	Parish goal	% of goal pledged
St. Joseph	10	\$4,200	\$5,030	83
St. Matthew	5	\$1,520	\$4,260	36
St. Teresa	25	\$4,435	\$14,980	30

Thank you to everyone who has given to the Appeal thus far. If you have not given, please consider a gift this week. Your gifts will help many people across the Diocese as well as our own parishes.

Whatever amount of the goal that is not received in gifts or pledges will need to be paid out of general parish funds at the end of the year.

Sunday Bible Reflections with Dr. Scott Hahn

In commissioning the apostles in today's Gospel, Jesus gives them, and us, a preview of His Church's mission after the Resurrection. His instructions to the Twelve echo those of God to the twelve tribes of Israel on the eve of their exodus from Egypt. The Israelites likewise were sent out with no bread and only one set of clothes, wearing sandals and carrying a staff (see **Exodus 12:11**; **Deuteronomy 8:2-4**). Like the Israelites, the apostles are to rely solely on the providence of God and His grace.

Perhaps, also, Mark wants us to see the apostles' mission, the mission of the Church, as that of leading a new exodus—delivering peoples from their exile from God and bringing them to the promised land, the kingdom of heaven.

Like Amos in today's First Reading, the apostles are not "professionals," who earn their bread by prophesying. Like Amos, they are simply men (see **Acts 14:15**) summoned from their ordinary jobs and sent by God to be shepherds of their brothers and sisters.

Again this week, we hear the theme of rejection: Amos experiences it, and Jesus warns the apostles that some will not welcome or listen to them. The Church is called, not necessarily to be successful, but only to be faithful to God's command.

With authority and power given to it by Jesus, the Church proclaims God's peace and salvation to those who believe in Him, as we sing in today's Psalm.

This word of truth, this gospel of salvation, is addressed to each of us, personally, as Paul proclaims in today's Epistle. In the mystery of God's will, we have been chosen from before the foundation of the world—to be His sons and daughters, to live for the praise of His glory. Let us, then, give thanks for the Church today, and for the spiritual blessings He has bestowed upon us. Let us resolve to further the Church's mission—to help others hear the call to repentance and welcome Christ into their lives.