

Our Lady of the Pines & St. Theodore of Tarsus

Catholic Churches



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Mass Times

Our Lady of the Pines, Nevis

Tuesdays: 12 Noon
 Wednesdays-Fridays 9:00 AM
 Saturdays: 5:00 PM
 Sundays: 10:30 AM

St. Theodore's Church, Laporte

Sundays 8:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration at OLP

Fridays: 9:30-10:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:15-4:45 PM at OLP
 Sundays 8:00 AM at St. Theodore's

October 04, 2020

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Celebrating Catechetical Sunday 2020

This weekend we are celebrating Catechetical Sunday in our parish. Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.

The 2020 Catechetical Sunday theme is taken from St. Paul's first letter to the Corinthians. "I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you." This theme focuses on the essential work of catechesis, which is an invitation to a whole new life given by Christ Himself. It emphasizes that living faith necessitates movement, inspiring all those who hear the Word to share it as witnesses of the true and living God.

As a parish community we acknowledge the dedication of those who serve as Faith Formation Teachers and Volunteers in our parish family. The following Faith Formation Teachers and Volunteers are commissioned during this weekend Masses at Our Lady of the Pines Church. We recognize and show our appreciation for their dedication to the young people of our parishes and communities. God's Blessings be upon you as you teach our faith to the younger members of our community.

<i>Ardis Johnson</i>	<i>Theora Goodrich</i>	
<i>John Lindow</i>	<i>Karie Lindow</i>	<i>Lisa Katzenmeyer</i>
<i>Dennis Theede</i>	<i>Lisa Kriens</i>	<i>Irene Fehn</i>
<i>Jen McNamee</i>	<i>Bob DeCrans</i>	<i>Angie Jobe</i>
<i>Jeanette Goehring</i>	<i>Dan DeCrans</i>	<i>Dianna Noyes</i>
<i>Kevin Lindow</i>	<i>Mary Schiebe</i>	<i>Katrina Nelson</i>
<i>Angie Lindow</i>	<i>Lydia Bjorklund</i>	<i>Ken Nelson</i>
<i>Carol Lindow</i>	<i>Wendy Bjorklund</i>	<i>Dee Warne</i>
<i>Margo Bernady</i>	<i>Ronda DeWulf</i>	<i>Sandy Roerick</i>
<i>Doug Scrapper</i>	<i>Alicia Podoll</i>	

Information on Reception of Sacraments

Baptism: We are delighted to welcome you or your children into our faith community. Please call the Pastor at 218-652-4005 for Baptism preparation and for scheduling a date of your child's Baptism.

Marriage: Congratulations! We are happy to assist you in preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Do call the Pastor at 218-652-4005 as early as 6 months in advance.

Pastoral Visitation: We want to be a part of your life. If you desire a home visit with Holy Communion for the sick and homebound or would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, or just a pastoral visit, please call the Pastor at 218-652-4005.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

<p>Saturday, 10/03 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p>2nd Collection: For Peter's Pence</p>	<p>4:15 PM - 4:45 PM 4:40 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Rosary Leader: Jesse Clack</p> <p>Weekend Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Jerome Biessener by Arlene Biessener and Family</p> <p>Catechetical Sunday and Commissioning of FF Teachers and Volunteers</p>
<p>Sunday, 10/04</p> <p>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>2nd Collection: For Peter's Pence</p> <p>Catechetical Sunday</p> <p>CLOW</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM 10:15 AM 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Rosary Leader: Help Needed</p> <p>Sunday Mass at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte For the Members of our Parishes</p> <p>Faith Formation Class at OLP for Grade 1 - Grade 4 Rosary Leader: John Lindow</p> <p>Sunday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Sue Baumann by Bob and Donna Lindow</p> <p>CLOW Leader: Lydia Bjorklund</p> <p>Catechetical Sunday and Commissioning of FF Teachers and Volunteers</p>
<p>Monday, 10/05 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>		<p>NO Mass. Pastors Day off Cancelled: Quilt Group's Activity</p>
<p>Tuesday, 10/06 Parish Office Open: From 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM</p>	<p>12 Noon</p>	<p>Weekday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Bob Kosloski by Sandy & Lloyd Armstrong</p>
<p>Wednesday, 10/07</p> <p>Parish Office Open: From 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM From 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM</p>	<p>9:00 AM 10:30 AM 7:00 PM</p>	<p>Weekday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Christopher Novak by Michael & Margiorie LaCoursier and Family</p> <p>Money Counters: Terry Lenz, Catherine Lenz & Sue Joerger</p> <p>Confirmation and Pre-Confirmation Classes at Our Lady of the Pines, Nevis</p>
<p>Thursday, 10/08 Parish Office Open: From 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM</p>	<p>9:00 AM 10:00 AM</p>	<p>Weekday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Angelina Morinelli by Pat Pugli and Family</p> <p>OLP Finance Council Meeting in the Community Room, Nevis</p>
<p>Friday, 10/09 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>9:00 AM 9:30 AM</p>	<p>Weekday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Fr. Joe Miller by John and Carol Lindow</p> <p>Eucharistic Adoration at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis</p>
<p>Saturday, 10/10 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>4:15 PM - 4:45 PM 4:40 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Rosary Leader: Dan DeCrans</p> <p>Weekend Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For the Members of our Parishes</p>
<p>Sunday, 10/11</p> <p>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>CLOW</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM 10:15 AM 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Rosary Leader: Help Needed</p> <p>Sunday Mass at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte For + Jo-Ann O'Connell by John & Jackie Duff</p> <p>Faith Formation Class at OLP for Grade 1 - Grade 4 Rosary Leader: Doug Scraper</p> <p>Sunday Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis For + Dorothy Welle by John and Carol Lindow</p> <p>CLOW Leader: Alicia Podoll</p>
<p>UPCOMING EVENTS</p>	<p>October 12 October 14</p>	<p>Haiti Committee Meeting at 12:30 PM NO Confirmation & Pre-Confirmation Classes at OLP</p>

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Saturday October 10, 2020	
Sacristan	Help Needed
Musician	Don Hudson
Cantor	Don Hudson
Lector	Dan Carlson, Anna Hudson & John Pollard
Ushers	Don Dierkhising & Cy Kamrowski
Eucharistic Minister	Sharon Pollard

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Sunday October 11, 2020	
Sacristan	Mary DeCrans
Musician	Ardis Johnson
Cantors	Karie Lindow & Angie Lindow
Lector	Mary Schiebe, John Lindow & Carol Lindow
Ushers	Kevin Lindow, Tom Masloski Steven Lindow & Doug Scrapper
Eucharistic Minister	Sally Froelich

St. Theodore's Church Liturgical Ministers Sunday October 11, 2020	
Sacristan	Charlotte Rauch
Musician	Sharon Lembke
Cantor	Sharon Lembke
Lector	Kevin Warne & Carol Wellen
Ushers	Marcel Noyes & Roger Rudbeck
Eucharistic Minister	Joe Eisterhold

Monthly Assignments: October 2020	
OLP Hospitality Ministers	Diane Yamry (C) and the Families of: Marlene Smith, Sally Froelich, Jan Lundberg, Amy Hankey Nancy Neal & Renee Gossen
OLP Altar Linen	Lisa Kriens
STC Hospitality Ministers	Carol Wellen (C) & the Families of: Judy Horner and Iren Fehn

Reminder for Liturgical Ministers
If you are not able to serve when you are scheduled, please notify the Parish Office by email at parishofficenevis@gmail.com.

Stewardship Report For the Week of 09/27/2020	Our Lady of the Pines	St. Theodore's Church
Sunday Offering	\$1594.00	\$2278.00
Candle Envelopes	\$38.00	--

Bishops' Emergency Disaster Fund
It was decided that in order to aid humanitarian and Church needs due to the most recent hurricanes and wildfires in our country, our parish will not be taking a special collection. However, if you wish to contribute to the Bishops' Emergency Disaster Fund which is distributing help to those in the diocese effected you have an opportunity to support this effort by contributing to Catholic Charities USA and/or Catholic Relief Services, the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic Church. Their address is: USCCB Office of National Collections, Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund, PO Box 96278, Washington, DC 20090.

Faith Formation Classes
Following the safety protocols for COVID 19 in small classes, shorter duration, and spread out space Our Lady of the Pines Church will begin its in person Faith Formation Classes in the coming weeks. Classes for Grade 1 through 4 will start **Sunday, October 4, 2020 at 9:30 AM**. We will communicate the start date for 5th and 6th Grade. After the Faith Formation class, parents have the opportunity to attend the Mass along with their children.

The Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation classes are scheduled for **Wednesdays**. However, the time has changed to 7:00 as we are not allowed to prepare food. All Faith Formation classes will be 45 minutes long. The first day of class for Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation is **Wednesday, October 7**. Parents who do not feel comfortable sending their children for classroom education should contact the parish office. We will help you with materials you can teach at home. For more information contact our Pastoral Assistant, Ardis Johnson at olpfaithform@gmail.com ~Ardis Johnson

Prayer Requests
Fr. Mike Patnode; Keith Schulte; Shirley Hoffman; John Dullea; Karin Briggs; Linda Wurm; Rochelle Ratcliff; Jodi Sunram; Jean Beland; Tom Breidenbach; Mitzi Adrian; Katrina Nelson; Hank Conrad; Michael Capistrant; Ruth Day; Jerome Biessener; Nancy Osvold; Pat Dietenberger; Richard Daniels, Joan Blumberg, Kathy Roberts; Pete Proulx; Anne Seifert; Barbara & Priscilla Dietenberger; Jim Behrman; Dave Copeland; John Schumacher; Dorothy Pohl; Marilyn Murphy and Ruth Grandy.

Please call the Parish Office at 652-4005 to keep a name on the Prayer List or to add someone new. Names will be removed after 4 weeks, unless a fresh request is made.

October: Month of Rosary

The month of October is dedicated to Mary under the theme of the rosary because of the feast of our Lady of the Rosary on Oct. 7, a date established by Pope Pius V in 1571, after a significant naval victory in the Battle for Lepanto Strait near Greece. The victory was credited to the power of the rosary.

The Rosary takes its name from a popular title for Mary: "Mystical Rose." As a form of private prayer, it originally consisted of 150 Our Fathers prayed daily in substitution for the 150 psalms by those who, unlike the monks, could not read. By the 12th century, Hail Mary's were substituted for the Our Fathers, divided into three groups of 50 (called rosaries), and further divided into groups of ten (called decades). Three sets of themes, or mysteries, concerning Jesus and Mary (Joyful, Sorrowful, and Glorious) established the themes for praying of the rosary. Pope St. John Paul II added the Luminous Mysteries during his pontificate.

Community Rosary will be recited before the weekend Masses on **Saturdays at 4:40 PM** and **10:15 AM on Sundays** at OLP and at **8:10 AM** at STC. We thank the members of Knight of Columbus and other volunteers who will be leading the Rosaries. All are welcome!

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adult (RCIA)

If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, or desires to become a Catholic, the RCIA is a program of welcome, prayer and reflection that can help you take the next step. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adult (RCIA) is a process by which adults may join the Catholic Church. We ask you to please recommend this process to those you believe would be interested in joining our parish family.

A Prayer for Catechists

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists.
We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.

Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word.

Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.

Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them
wisdom about what is important;
knowledge of the truths of faith;
understanding of their meaning;
right judgment about how to apply them in life;
courage to persevere even in the face of adversity;
reverence before all that is sacred and holy;
and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming
encounter with your Son.

We pray this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

2020 Election Novena



As we prepare for the national & local elections, in the midst of a global pandemic, may our political engagement be guided by our Catholic Faith.

Bearing in mind our nation's challenges and the need for wise, moral, civic leadership, we are encouraged to pray an *Election Novena* in preparation for the upcoming election. You may pray for nine consecutive days. Participants will be encouraged to pray one *Our Father*, *Hail Mary*, and *Glory Be* for a peaceful election.

Every Vote Matters

Tuesday, November 3rd, is Election Day. All are urged to exercise their civil right and vote in national, state and local elections. This begins by confirming your voter registration and, if not registered, to register, and to encourage eligible family members and friends to do the same. Regrettably, not all citizens exercise this fundamental civil liberty, which so many have given so much to uphold throughout the history of our nation. Voter turnout rates have ranged from 50 to 60 percent in the past several years. In a year of uncertainty due to the pandemic, the turnout rate could be even lower. As patriotic Catholics, we are grateful to live in a country where we have the right to vote.

To assist us the Knights of Columbus maintains a dedicated webpage that contains resources to assist in confirming voter registration or to register to vote – kofc.org/vote. It gives access to the critical information necessary whether you decide to vote by mail, absentee ballot or at a polling place. Let us improve voter participation in our community because "Every vote Matters".

Rosary Rally in Park Rapids

Please join us in praying for our nation on **October 10th, at 12:00 noon**. We will gather at 11:45 a.m. and begin the Rosary at noon. The 2020 local Public Rosary Rally will take place in Park Rapids, East of the intersections of Highway 34 and 71. We ask God to save America through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Please contact Rose Williams at 218-252-5534 for more information. This will be held – Rain or Shine.
~ Rose Willimans

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Children's Liturgy of the Word will start on Sunday, October 4 during 10:30 AM Mass at Our Lady of the Pines Church. Children who are in Preschool through 2nd Grade are invited to participate in this program. We have Faith Formation Teachers who will teach them in a way children can understand the liturgy of that Sunday. Parents, please consider making use of this wonderful opportunity for your children.