CHURCH OF SAINT BERNARD

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MAY 20, 2018
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St. Bernard's Catholic Church, St. Paul, MN

Mass Schedule

Saturday 8:30 am & 4:00 pm **Sunday** at 8:00 & 10:30 am 1:30pm (Spanish)

Weekday

Monday-Saturday - Mass at 8:30 am

*Rosary one half hour before daily Mass. *Morning Prayer fifteen minutes before Mass. Mass in Karenni 2nd & 4th Saturday at 5:30pm

Confessions

Mondays after the 8:30 am Mass Saturdays 3:30 and after the 4:00 pm Mass

MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Bernard's is a Roman Catholic parish providing vital services to the diverse North End community of St. Paul. As we extend the hand of welcome to all, our mission is to learn, love, and live the challenging Word of Jesus Christ, offering parishioners and neighbors direction and support at every phase of their faith journey.

A WORD FROM FR. IVAN

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This Sunday we are celebrating the fullness of joy with God's gift of the Holy Spirit. We will also celebrate Fr. Joseph's 25th Priestly Anniversary. Fr. Joseph came here to our parish on February 2013. He is originally from Loikaw diocese in Myanmar (Burma). He is the oldest son and has three sisters. His priestly ordination day was on April 14, 1993. He



served both as associate pastor for his first 3 years of his priesthood and as pastor for 16 years in Myanmar. He has a great zeal and love for everyone especially for our Karenni and Karen brothers and sisters. He visits weekly with the Karenni and Karen people in their apartments or house for prayer. He does this every Wednesday with our Interns Students and on most Saturday mornings do house prayers. Twice a month he says mass at St. Casmir parish in Burmese for the Karen community. Two weeks ago he was able to go for the first time to Europe with our youth of the NeoCatechumenal communities. Although he had some difficulties with the European visa he managed to be there with them.

This Sunday I invite everyone to the Grade School Gym after the 10:30am mass to celebrate with Fr. Joseph. There will be food and drinks for everyone.

I am very happy to have Fr. Joseph as a great priestly example for me.

Happy 25th Anniversary Fr. Joseph.



God bless! Wishing you a Sunday. Fr. Ivan Sant

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Mass Intentions

Saturday May 19

8:30am

4:00pm † Irene Moris

Sunday May 20 Pentecost Sunday

8:00 am Parish

10:30am † Brian Lampee

1:30pm (Spanish)

May 21 Monday

† Keith Sherman 8:30 am

Tuesday May 22

8:30 am † Ann Borgestad

Wednesday May 23

8:30 am **Brann Family**

Thursday May 24

8:30am † Jimmy Corwin

Friday May 25

8:30 am † Tony Steffel

Saturday **May 26**

8:30am

Paul & Robert Platzer 4:00pm

Sunday May 27 **Trinity Sunday**

8:00 am Parish

10:30am † Mary Fiefarek

1:30pm (Spanish)

Prayer Line

Please call Shirley at (651) 488-6330

Mass Readings for the Week of May 20th:

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Cor12:3b-7,19:13/Jn20:19-23

Monday: Jas 3:13-18/Mk 9:14-29 Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10/Mk 9:30-37 Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40

Friday: Jas 5:9-12/ Mk 10:1-12

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34,39-40/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20





Capital Campaign Update

Our total needed to complete both bell tower repairs is at \$23,516. The following individuals have made new or additional pledges or payments.

New Payments/Pledges

• Da Reh and Hsaw Meh

Please continue to consider adding to your pledge or making a first time pledge/payment.

The weather is beautiful. Work is beginning on the exterior of the north bell tower!

Friendship Sunday and Fr. Joseph Anniversary celebration will be held. Sunday, May 20, 15

Come join your fellow parishioners for coffee and donuts in the parish center after the 8 and 10:30 Masses.

Parish News & Events

40 Hours of Adoration at our Church

From Evening of May 31st – Afternoon June 2

Sign up is at St. Mary and St. Joseph side altar

CSAF Results

Here are the results through Week 17:

- Goal\$18,957
- # Gifts 57
- Total pledged \$6,672
- % of Goal 35.2%



Last year, at this time we had total pledges of \$10,274 and 69 donors and had reached 53.3% of our goal.

The parish will receive 25% back if we meet our goal. Please make a pledge or contribution today!

We appreciate all of the financial support you have been giving the parish and Moving Forward in Faith Foundation over these past 20 months. If you are able to support the Catholic Services Appeal as well, you would be supporting many Archdiocesan ministries that are vital to the ongoing work of the local Church.

Please pray for the sick and homebound:

Rosie Lynch Mary Nordine
Lloyd Anderson Lorraine Eheim
Devra Shepherd Bob Rauen
Lucille Biron Yur Reh
George Kramlinger Joan Loya





Fr. Joseph 25th Priesthood Anniversary

All are invited to celebrate Fr. Joseph's Anniversary on this Sunday, May 20 after 10:30am mass at the Grade School Gym.

Congratulations Fr. Joseph Ad Multos Anos

Congratulations to Aric Aamodt who will be ordained Priest on May 26 at St. Paul's Cathedral.



He is the Grandson of our parishioners Gerald and Adelaide Aamodt.

Congratulations to all the family and you are in our prayers.

May God make you a priest according to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Missionary Speaker at St. Bernard's on June 2-3

Fr. Richard Nguta of the Diocese of Kitui, Kenya, will be celebrating the Masses at St. Bernard's on the weekend of June 2-3. Kitui lies in a semi-arid region where peasants struggle to survive on subsistence agriculture, and health is challenged by malaria, HIV/AIDS and intestinal worms. In the face of this immense struggle, the Catholic Church in Kitui is a tremendous source of life and hope, and has grown from a few hundred to more than 300,000 Catholics in just 50 years!

In 2004, our archdiocese began a partnership with the Kitui Diocese to deepen our bonds to the African Church. Through this partnership, many in our archdiocese have been inspired and touched by the warmth, joy and vibrant Catholic faith of our sisters and brothers in Kenya.

There will be a second collection to support the emerging Catholic Church in Kitui that is such a beacon of hope to the people. Please extend a warm welcome to Fr. Richard and please be as generous as possible. Thank you.

