

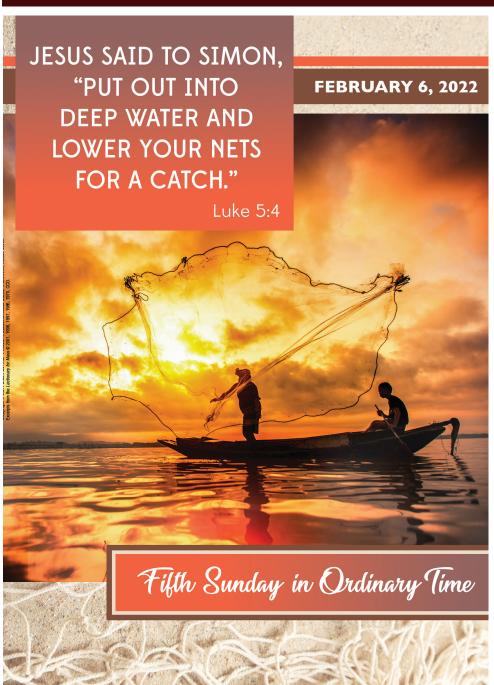
CHURCH of ST. ALBERT

The Catholic Church in the Heart of Albertville

11400 57th Street NE | P.O. Box 127 | Albertville, MN 55301 Parish Office: 763-497-2474 | Faith Formation: 763-497-3782

Parish: www.churchofstalbert.org | Youth: www.stmacatholicyouth.org

February 6, 2022



Welcome!

Are you new to our community? We are glad that you're here and hope that you find our parish community a place to call home! To register as a member, please contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 and complete a Registration Form—available in the narthex or on our parish website.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00pm Sunday Mass 9:00am

Daily Mass

Tuesday 7:30am Wednesday 7:30am First Friday 12:00pm

Sacraments Reconciliation Schedule

 Saturday
 2:30-3:45pm

 Sunday
 8:00-8:45am

 Wednesday
 8:00-8:30am

 First Friday
 12:30-1:00pm

Marriage

Call the Parish Office one year prior to your proposed marriage date.

Baptism

Available on the first Saturday of the month after the 4:00pm Mass and on the third Sunday of the month after the 9:00am Mass. Call the Parish Office to register for Baptism and to receive preparation information.

RCIA

Classes are available October to April. To learn more about becoming Catholic, contact the Parish Office.

Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30-4:00pm (Closed 12:00-1:00pm for lunch)

Chapel Hours

Our Adoration Chapel is open from 6:00pm Sunday to 8:00am Saturday.

Readings | Mass Intentions

Today's Readings

First Reading — In a vision Isaiah is called to be a messenger for the LORD of hosts. Isaiah responds, "Send me!" (Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8)

Psalm — In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord (Psalm 138).

Second Reading — Paul reminds us of the gospel he preached through which we are saved, if we believe it (1 Corinthians 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]).

Gospel — Jesus directs Simon to take his boat into deep water for a miraculous catch of fish. Simon and his partners leave all to follow Jesus (Luke 5:1-11).



Mass Intentions for the Week of February 5 - 13

Day of Week	Mass Time	Mass Intention
Tue, Feb 8	7:30am	† Joe Rippberger
Wed, Feb 9	7:30am	† Dennis Fehn
Fri, Feb 11 Mass at the Eng	12:00pm Jel Haus	† Louise Theisen
Sat, Feb 12	4:00pm	† Vernette Zachman
Sun, Feb 13	9:00am	All Parishioners

Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel

Adoration Chapel Hours

The Chapel is open from 6:00pm Sunday to 8:00am Saturday.

Immediate Need

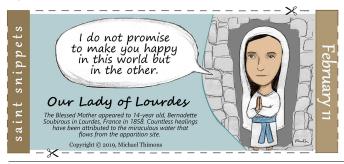
2:00-3:00am—Thursday 5:00-6:00am—Friday 7:00-8:00am—Friday 6:00-7:00pm—Friday

Prayer Partner Needed

3:00-4:00pm—Monday 2:00-3:00am—Thursday 11:00am-Noon—Friday



If you would like to have a weekly hour or have questions, contact Brenda at 763-286-8570.



From the Desk of Fr. Joe Zabinski



The World is in Desperate Need

"Put out into deep water & lower your nets for a catch." Luke 5:4

It's interesting to note that Jesus did not simply tell Peter and the Apostles to put out into the water; rather, He told them to put out into the "deep water." This is significant.

At the close of the great jubilee year of 2000, Saint Pope John Paul II wrote an apostolic letter, *Novo Millennio Ineunte* in which he began by quoting this Gospel passage. This passage set the tone for the rest of his letter in which he called for a new evangelization for the coming millennium.

"Put out into the deep!" What should we take from this? What should we hear Jesus speaking to us? We should hear Him calling us to "lower our nets" in a tireless and committed way so as to draw many others to the Gospel. When Peter and the Apostles did this in the boat, they caught so many fish that their nets were tearing and they were greatly astonished. This is a prophetic action given to us to tell us that we must evangelize with the utmost enthusiasm and zeal, searching far and wide for God's lost sheep.

The world we live in can be brutal at times. So many people are lost and confused. Sin is rampant and despair is prevalent. Our world is in desperate need of a Savior and we are the ones Jesus desires to use to gather a huge catch and to find those in greatest need. Jesus desired the Apostles to catch the fish that were in the deep waters as a way of saying that there are countless souls in our world who are far from God. There are many people "swimming" in an ocean of confusion and pain. It is these people, in particular, that Jesus wants to draw in. It's our responsibility to heed the command of our Lord and to seek them out. https://mycatholic.life

St. Albert Parishioners, I would like to call your attention to the Parish Council Election process coming up in February and March. Please give prayerful consideration to nominating yourself or someone you know.

2022 Parish Pastoral Advisory Council

Two Parish Pastoral Advisory Council seats will be open as of March 2022. Nomination Weekend will be held next weekend **February 12 & 13**. Please prayerfully consider nominating yourself or someone you know who is a practicing Catholic, a member of St. Albert and would agree to be a member of the council, if elected. The top six confirmed nominees from Nomination Weekend will be placed on the election ballot. Their names and bios will be posted the weekend of February 26 & 27. Election Weekend will be held the weekend of March 12 & 13. The top two voted and confirmed candidates will fill the two open seats. Further description for a council member is provided on Page VII of this bulletin. Thank you for your consideration.

Have a Blessed Week! Fr. Joe Zabinski

A Vocation View: Holiness is a gift of God. Open yourself to the gift. When God calls, be ready to respond: "Here I am, send me!" (Isaiah 6:1-2, 3-8) If you want to talk about your vocation discernment, contact Fr. Joe Zabinski at 763-497-2474 or frjoe@churchofstalbert.org.

"Put out into the deep water."

In what way is Jesus asking this of you? How is it that He is calling you to go out of your comfort zone and "lower your nets?" What is it that He wants of you and how does He desire to use you to further the mission of evangelization. Heed His command and you, too, will be amazed at the good fruit that is born! Lord of infinite mercy, I desire to give myself to You for Your service and glory. I desire to go forth, at Your command, looking for the souls in most need of Your abundant mercy. Give me the grace I need to be faithful to the calling You have given to me so that Your loving mercy will reach those most in need. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen.

Generosity, Goodwill & Gifts

The Collection for January 29 & 30, 2022

Adult Envelopes/Donations	\$ 6,278.00
Youth Envelopes	\$ 0.00
Plate	\$ 620.00
Abiding Love Envelopes	\$ 116.00
Total Given Year-to-date	\$ 266,626.00
Envelope Need-to-date	\$ 259,570.00

Thank you parishioners of St. Albert for your generous financial support of our local parish.

Stations of the Cross | Leaders Needed

Volunteers are needed to lead the Stations of the Cross at the Engel Haus in Albertville on Thursday evenings during Lent. If you can help and you would like to know more information about it, please contact Joe Perrault at 763-213-4980. Thank you.

Parish Festival Planning Meeting for 2022

Join us for a festival planning meeting **Monday**, **February 7** at 7:00pm at the Parish Center. All returning Committee Members are asked to be there. New ideas? Please join us!

Ushers Meeting & Training

All current and new Ushers are asked to attend a meeting and training session with Fr. Joe and Usher Lead, George Lahr on **Wednesday**, **February 9** in the church starting at 6:30pm. This meeting includes the review of Usher duties and the opportunity to ask any questions that you may have. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming an Usher, please invite them to attend as well.

Holy Communion & Homebound Ministers Meeting & Training

All current and new St. Albert Holy Communion and Homebound Distributors are asked to attend a meeting with Deacon Ravnikar and EMHC Lead, Chris Heuring and Homebound Distributor Lead, Joanne Wacker on **Thursday, February 10** in the church starting at 6:30pm. The meeting includes a review of duties, changes for distributing the Holy Eucharist and the opportunity to ask any questions you may have. If you know of someone who might be interested in joining this ministry, please invite them to attend.

Hanover Food Shelf Donations

Non-perishable food items will be collected next weekend, **February 12 & 13**. Please place items in the food shelf container in the narthex. Thank you!

St. Valentine Bake Sale at St. Albert February 12 & 13—See flyer in this week's bulletin!

The Week at a Glance

Sunday, February 6

7:00-8:00am Men's Group 8:00-8:45am Reconciliation

9:00am TLC Mass—with Children's Liturgy of the Word

10:00am Prayer Ministry (parish library)

10:15am-12:15pm TLC Sunday Session (parish center)

1:00pm Welcome Continuation Team (parish center)

2:00pm FNL Planning Meeting (parish center) 3:00pm Core Team Meeting (church/parish center)

6:00-7:30pm Bible Study (parish center)

7:00pm High School Open Youth Room (St. Michael)

Monday, February 7

6:00pm First Communion Class (parish center)

7:00pm Flame of Love Prayer Group (church)

7:00pm Parish Festival Meeting (parish center)

Tuesday, February 8

7:30am Mass

6:00pm Leadership Dinner

6:30pm Oremus Study (parish center)

Wednesday, February 9

7:30am Mass

8:00-8:30am Reconciliation

6:30pm Usher's Gathering and Meeting (church)

7:00pm 8th Grade D-Groups/Girls-St. Albert/Guys-St. Michael

Thursday, February 10

9:30am Alpha Morning Session (parish center)

6:30pm Alpha Evening Session (parish center)

6:30pm EMHC/HB Distributors (church)

7:00pm Knights of Columbus Meeting (parish center)

Friday, February 11

9:30-11:00am Oremus Study (parish center)

10:00am Mass at the Engel Hause

Saturday, February 12

Collecting non-perishable food for the Hanover Food Shelf Parish Council Nomination Weekend

St. Valentine Bake-Sale/Hospitality Weekend

9:30am First Reconciliation (church)

2:30-3:45pm Reconciliation

4:00pm Mass will include Anointing of the Sick

7:00pm KC's Father/Daughter Dance (parish center)

Sunday, February 13

Collecting non-perishable food for the Hanover Food Shelf Parish Council Nomination Weekend

St. Valentine Bake-Sale/Hospitality Weekend

8:00-8:45am Reconciliation

9:00am Mass—with Children's Liturgy of the Word

10:00am CCW Prayers following Mass (church)

6:00-7:30pm Bible Study (parish center)

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick will take place during the 4:00pm Mass on **Saturday, February 12**.

February 6, 2022 III Church of St. Albert

St. Albert Faith Formation



2021-2022 TLC Faith Formation

February TLC – Praying to the Virgin Mary; Expressions of Prayer

This Sunday, February 6, is the final of the two TLC Sessions for February. May we discover the unique and honored role of Mary, Our Blessed Mother, in Salvation History and the Church. She is a model of prayer for us and we can bring our petitions to her. Remember, everybody needs a little TLC!

Upcoming Dates

February 7 – First Communion Class: 6:00-7:15pm

February 8 – Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer Study from 6:30-8pm

February 9 – 8th Grade Discipleship Groups: 7:00-8:30pm; Guys at St. Michael | Girls at St. Albert

February 10 – Alpha Course - Winter 2022 from 9:30-11:00am and 6:30-8:00pm

February 11 – Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer Study 9:30-11:00am

February 12 – First Reconciliation at 9:30am at the Church for all those preparing for First Holy Communion

February 13 – Children's Liturgy of the Word during the 9:00am Mass

For more information or questions,

contact Jean Wold at 763-497-3782 or jwold@churchofstalbert.org



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for the month of February Religious Sisters | Consecrated Women

We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times. Amen.

Vocations Awareness

World Day of Consecrated Life

This weekend, February 5 & 6, we celebrate World Day for Consecrated Life. Let us remember and pray in a special way for all those in our parish who have made commitments in the consecrated life: our priests, religious brothers, sisters and consecrated virgins including those who are still in formation.

Let us pray that they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ, and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

Fr. Joseph Zabinski, Sr. Audrey Lindenfelser, Sr. Anita Kolles, Br. Loren Beaudry, and Victoria Backstrom

Currently in Formation: Br. Morgan Backstrom, Sr. Ann Magdalene (Raeann Athman) and Sr. Seraphine of the Heart of Jesus (Brigetta Roden)

The Wright County Serrans invite you to join us in praying for our local seminarians and religious who are currently in formation:

Br. Morgan Backstrom, Sr. Ann Magdalene and Sr. Seraphine of the Heart of Jesus, St. Albert, Albertville; Morgan Fournier, Church of St. Ignatius, Annandale; Alexander Rasset, St. Francis Xavier, Buffalo; Sister Gianna Agnes Popp, St. Luke, Clearwater; Ryan Sustacek, St. Michael, St. Michael; Samuel Gilbertson and Jonathon Hank, St. Thomas the Apostle, Corcoran; Chris Yanta, Alexander Marquette, Elias Budke and Sr. Mary Pieta, ACJ of the Handmaids of the Heart of Jesus, St. Timothy, Maple Lake; Deacon Dain Scherber and John Sester, Mary Queen of Peace, Rogers; Cullen Gallagher, St. Timothy, Maple Lake is an aspirant in the Propaedeutic Formation Program at St. Paul Seminary. Gabe Thorp, Sarah Koshiol, Leah Weber, St. Michael, St. Michael and Susie Rieber, St. Timothy, Maple Lake who are in NET Ministries; Zachary Sandquist, St. Boniface, St. Bonifacius, Krista Steele and Luke Eicher, St. Michael, St. Michael who are serving with FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students). Yanta Vizenor, and Jack Gebert, St. Michael, St. Michael who are missionaries with Damascus Catholic Mission.

Serra Club Meeting

The mission of Serra is to pray for, foster and affirm vocations. We seek to help the faithful understand that each person has a vocation and to support vocations to priesthood and religious life. The Serra Club of Wright County will meet at the Kings House in Buffalo on Thursday, February 10. Our meeting will start with a rosary in the Chapel at 5:10pm followed by Mass at 5:30pm. Please bring your own sandwich, etc. to enjoy during our social time. At 7:00pm our newly ordained **Deacon Michael Engel will speak**. He and his wife are members of St. Michael Catholic Church. Deacon Mike will share information on his journey to becoming a deacon. We welcome you to join us and learn more about the Serra Club of Wright County and our ministry. Please call Marian Meyer at 763-497-2371 or Kate Theisen at 952-955-1544 for more information. We usually meet the second Thursday evening of each month at Christ the King Retreat Center in Buffalo. Also please visit Serra's website www.serraus.org

Prayer for Vocations

"Walk With Me" Vocation Prayer for those on their journey to ordination/final vows:

Loving God, we ask you to guide the men and women of this Archdiocese who are considering religious life and those already on their journey towards ordination or final vows. Bless them in their decisions. Strengthen them in their love for you and their desire to serve you in this special way. Hold them close to your heart, especially during difficult or troubled times. Shower them with your love and fill them with courage and joy as they study and prepare themselves for your work. We pray for all on their journey to religious life. May they feel our loving and prayerful support. We ask this in the name of Jesus, your Son. Amen.

Prayer Requests

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If you want to place someone on the prayer list, please send an email: jwelter@churchofstalbert.org or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474. Their name will remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If additional prayers are needed, please request that their name remain on the list.

Please Pray For:

Sarah Bosma-Rita Fay's niece Roger Zabinski
Family of Steve Zachman-brother of Dale
Floyd Goenner Barb Berning
Joe Scherber Steven DeMars
Kristina McKenzie Jim Current

Darlene Donais Kurt Roden
Charles Hoskins Beatrice Praught
Charlotte Gabler-daughter of Richard & Nancy Bistodeau

Mark Hassing-son of Lori Valerie Pierce
Donny Weidenbach Charles Anderson

Kris Aikens-daughter of Margaret Oakden
Marlene Zenz Blaise Ptak
Tony Barthel Paul Schumacher
Russell Lindenfelser Marlene Zachman
Manny Apostol Brenda Klinkner
Ben Carroll Florence Bosire
Dennis Vetsch Leona Vetsch
Wayne Kolles Kaprina Watters

Annabelle Backstrom-granddaughter of Gregg & Jeannine,

Mara Norton-friend of Jacques & Debra Eull Adam Roden-son of Bill & Lois Roden

Nicholas Wiltscheck-great-grandson of Joanne Kerkaert

Please Pray for the Safety of our Service Men and Women:

Brady Berning-son of Paul & Stacy Nicole Cavanaugh-daughter of Mike & Polly Tyson Erdmann-grandson of Gary & LuAnn Greninger Michael & Steven Bistodeau

Tyler & Nicholas Franzen-sons of Scott & Dawn Henry Kirscht-grandson of Ruth

Catrena Schumacher-daughter of Paul & Molly Lance, Blake & Calvin Meyer-sons of Neil & Lisa Mitch Greninger-grandson of Phyllis Greninger Jack Helget-grandson of Phyllis Greninger

Reflection Question

How can I come to rely more on heavenly grace?

Giving to those in Need

Collecting Baby Items—Final Weekend!

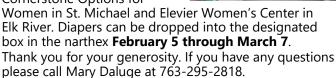
Our Respect Life Ministry will be collecting baby items for the Cornerstone Options for Women Center the weekends of **January 29/30 & February 5/6**. The general needs at the Center include diapers sizes 4-6, Similac formula and new baby/toddler clothes through size 5/6. Gift cards in \$20 denominations are especially needed for gas and groceries. When buying gas cards, they prefer the fuel only. Gift cards and cash donations should be put in an envelope marked Cornerstone and placed in the collection basket or dropped at the office. There will be a basket in the Narthex for other items.

CCW Collecting Disposable Baby Diapers

St. Albert CCW is conducting our 3rd Annual Diaper Drive to supplement our upcoming March Baby Layette Collection. We invite all parishioners

We invite all parishioner to donate disposable diapers—all sizes—to our collection.

Donations will be given to Cornerstone Options for



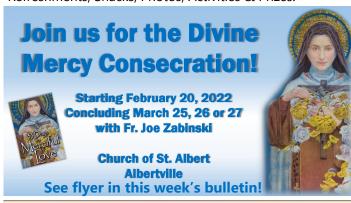
Opportunities and Events

Flame of Love Cenacle—Mary's Army

All are welcome to join us to pray the rosary on **Monday, February 7** at 7:00pm at St. Albert's in the church. Flame of Love was given to the Lay Carmelite Elizabeth Kindlemann to enflame hearts by means of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. For more info, please visit: Flameoflove.us contact Danielle Olson at 651-755-3386.

KC's Father/Daughter Dance

The 13th Annual Father Daughter Dance will be held on **Saturday, February 12** from 7:00-8:30pm at the St. Albert Parish Center. All Fathers and Daughters are welcome. Come and enjoy a memorable evening filled with Music, Dancing, Refreshments, Snacks, Photos, Activities & Prizes.



Where God Is

We cannot go where God is not. And where God is, all is well.

Opportunities and Events

World Day of the Sick Mass

Archbishop Hebda will be celebrating a 5:15pm Mass on **Friday, February 11** at Transfiguration parish in Oakdale for World Day of the Sick. It will be available to watch online at: **youtube.com/c/TransfigurationinOakdale**

Vianney Visit

The next Vianney Visit will be held on **February 17-19** at St. John Vianney College Seminary in St. Paul. A Vianney Visit provides high school & college men (ages 16-24) the opportunity to take a closer look and experience college seminary. Attend Mass, class at the University of Saint Thomas, prayer and spiritual conferences with Saint John Vianney college seminary priests and hear testimonies from SJV seminarians. There is no cost and all meals are provided. Please complete the required registration at semssp.org/registration-sjv.

Winterfest Fundraiser at St. Michael

Join us at St. Michael on **February 19 & 20** for family fun, delicious food, and chances to win great prizes. Tickets for our main raffle are just \$10 each for a chance at a \$1,500 grand prize, a new self-propelled snow blower, and two additional cash prizes of \$500 and \$250.

Raffle tickets and delicious baked goods will be for sale after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses. Saturday night features a spaghetti dinner after the 5:00pm Mass in the gathering space, followed by a euchre and 500 card tournament after dinner (roughly 7:30pm). On Sunday, Bingo and meat raffles begin at 1:30pm in the gathering space; food and refreshments will be available, with the main raffle drawing scheduled for 4:45pm—you need not be present to win!

2022 WINE: Catholic Women's Conference

All are invited to the WINE: Catholic Women's Conference on **Saturday, February 26** from 8:00am-3:30pm at Holy Family Catholic Church, St. Louis Park with emcee Alyssa Bormes begins with Mass, followed with music by Caroline Metzinger and inspirational talks by Kelly Wahlquist (WINE founder); Liz Kelly (Catholic author and retreat leader); Leah Jacobson (the Wholistic Feminist); and Alicia Donovan (Biblical beekeeper). The day includes prayer with prayer teams, confession, adoration, laughter, lunch, shopping, CHOCOLATE, and a fun raffle! Register at wineconference.org by February 1 for \$55 for the Saturday conference or \$100 for the Saturday conference plus a special Friday Gathering (open to 200 ladies)!

Welcome.

There is **More** to **Life**

Women's Retreat | March 26-27, 2022 Men's Retreat | May 14-15, 2022

Retreats Hosted at St. Albert Parish Center To RSVP, go to: https://forms.gle/mMQet9KqaVtvDFPL8 All men & women from St. Albert's and St. Michael Catholic parishes are invited to attend this 2 day retreat. This is an over night retreat. All food will be provided. Pack an air mattress or cot, and sleeping bag or sheets and blankets as well as your overnight bag and change of clothes!

STMA Catholic Youth Ministry

High School Open Youth Room TONIGHT!

8th-12th Graders are invite to St. Michael's Youth Room on **Sunday, February 6** from 7:00-9:00pm. Come play games, buy candy/pop, and just hang out. We would love to see you!

EXTREME FAITH CAMP

Register Early to Get Early Bird Discount!

We would like to invite your 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th Grader to Extreme Faith Camp 2022 this Summer! Extreme Faith Camp is the premier high adventure camp packed with incredible activities! High ropes, zip lines, river tubing, and more! Extreme Faith Camp is integrated closely with other parishes from the Archdiocese, guaranteeing that summer camp is not just a mountaintop faith experience, but one that builds lifelong foundations of faith. Our faith programming is founded in the sacramental life of the Catholic Church, and our mission and work is anything but boring.

Where: Camp Victory at Zumbro Falls!

When: June 13-17, 2022

Who: Finishing 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th Graders!

Cost: Early bird pricing:

\$475 until March 1 / \$500 until April 1 \$525 from April 2 through May 1

Registration is open starting January 1. Space is limited so first come first serve!

Middle School Open Youth Room

Open Youth Room for middle school youth will be held one Thursday evening a month at St. Michael Youth Room from 6:00-8:00pm beginning **Thursday, February 10**. This will be open for those in 5th-7th Grade. 8th Graders are encouraged to join our High School Open Youth Rooms Sunday evenings once a month.

High School Night

Teens in 8th-12th Grade: Come and experience a larger Community for D Groups, a place to invite friends, games, food, teaching, and worship. Once a Month on Sunday unless there is a REVIVE. Our next evening is not until **Sunday, February 20** from 7:00-9:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center due to Winter Faith Camp!

4th Grade Fun Night

Join us for our next Fun Night on **Monday, February 21** from 6:30-8:00pm! Since 5th grade is welcomed to come to FNL's this year, we are just focusing on just the 4th graders! Each night will be filled with awesome games, small groups, snacks, fun, and chances to learn about their faith! Every FUN night will be hosted at St. Albert Parish Center from 6:30-8:00pm. We also suggest a \$3 donation that you can bring the night of!

For more information, please contact:

Gabby Ilkka at 612-418-9596 or by email at gswift@stmacatholicyouth.org.

Zach Zaldivar at 763-439-9438 or by email at zzaldivar@stmacatholicyouth.org

John O'Sullivan at 612-470-0539 or by email at josullivan@stmacatholicyouth.org

Hollie Danis at 937-760-5562 or by email at hdanis@stmacatholicyouth.org

Youth Ministry Website: www.stmacatholicyouth.org

Parish Contact Information

Clergy and Parish Staff

Parochial Administrator—Father Joseph Zabinski 763-497-2474 or frjoe@churchofstalbert.org

Deacon Steve Dupay

612-219-4484 or deacondupay@gmail.com

Deacon Paul Ravnikar

763-560-5920 or deaconpravnikar@gmail.com

Business Administrator and Coordinator of Safe Environment — Greg Gacioch

ggacioch@churchofstalbert.org

Administrative Assistant — Rita Fay rfay@churchofstalbert.org

Communications Coordinator — Janet Welter

jwelter@churchofstalbert.org

Bulletin Deadline: Noon on Monday Faith Formation Coordinator — Jean Wold

jwold@churchofstalbert.org | 763-497-3782

Custodians — Pam Lindenfelser and Joyce Valerius plindenfelser@churchofstalbert.org jvalerius@churchofstalbert.org

Maintenance — Dave Plude dplude@churchofstalbert.org

STMA Catholic Youth Ministry

Youth Minister (St. Albert) — Gabby Ilkka gswift@stmacatholicyouth.org | 612-418-9596

Youth Minister (St. Michael) — Zach Zaldivar zzaldivar@stmacatholicyouth.org | 763-439-9438

Director of Youth & Discipleship — John O'Sullivan josullivan@stmacatholicyouth.org | 612-470-0539

Assist. Dir. of Youth & Discipleship — Hollie Danis hdanis@stmacatholicyouth.org | 937-760-5562

Parish Leadership

Trustees — Denise Beaudry and Bill Roden **Parish Council**

Blake Beaudry, Tom Berning, Scott Franzen, Rick Kosey, Judy Stukey, and Joanne Wacker

Finance Council

George Lahr, Dave Plude, and Heidi Van De Berg

Stewardship Committee

Amy Dinkel, Charles Foster, and Lisa Haines

Outreach

Homebound Ministry

For those who are homebound due to surgery, serious illness (NOT contagious), or just cannot make it to Mass but would like to receive Holy Communion each week, please contact Joanne Wacker, our Homebound Coordinator, at 612-214-4795 or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 to be sure you are included in receiving a weekly visit.

St. Albert Email Prayer Chain

Email your request to: triciaandfarmerken@q.com or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

Prayer Blanket Ministry

If you or someone you know would like the comfort of a prayer blanket along with the extra prayers for support, please call Marlene Lindenfelser 763-497-2265 or the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance and support or you would like to offer your support and assistance, please call 763-634-1167.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Mass Times	Saturday, February 12 4:00pm	Sunday, February 13 9:00am		
Altar Servers	CB Anthony Berning C Mia Lindenfelser C Volunteer Needed	Jonathan Cavanaugh Ben Zachman Gabe Barthel		
Reader	Charles Foster	Nancy Eiynck		
Sacristan	Joanne Wacker	John Vetsch		
MC	Joyce Valerius	Lori Valerius		
ЕМНС	C Dcn Paul Ravnikar W Phil Gammell E Pam Lindenfelser	C Dcn Paul Ravnikar W Melissa Lahr E Gregg Backstrom		
Greeters	Phil & Terese Gammell	Sue Berning Tom Ginter		
Ushers	Brian Scherber Terese Gammell Gene Kolles Donny Praught	George Lahr Jim Valerius Jacques Eull Paul Berning		

2022 Parish Pastoral Advisory Council Continued from Page II

<u>Purpose of the Position</u>: The Pastoral Council Member is part of the Pastoral Advisory Council which advises the Pastor in order to enable him to make wise and informed decisions on far more than just the administration of the material goods of the parish.

Responsibilities: The council member is responsible to research the needs, concerns, hopes and activities of the Parish body, so that they can bring these to the Pastoral Advisory Council for discussion and decision-making process by assisting the Pastor in carrying out his leadership role in the parish. Each council member will be responsible to represent an auxiliary committee, in which they will report on or update any information discussed in each of the committees. You may be asked to take an office on the council; Chairman, Vice-Chair, or Secretary, as voted by fellow council members. Each year the offices will be re-elected as new members are added.

Qualifications: Any person who is fully initiated a Catholic Christian, who is baptized, confirmed, and admitted to Eucharist Communion, and a registered member of St. Albert's Parish may qualify to be a council member

<u>Time Required</u>: Meetings are held monthly, lasting Approximately 2 hours. The date and times of the meetings will be determined by the Pastor. You may also be asked to attend further meetings, retreats, or gatherings as determined by the Pastor.

When and Where: The Pastoral Council meets in the rectory.

Length of Commitment: The council member will serve a 3 year term, beginning in April of any given year, and ending April, 3 years later. Once you have served a 3 year term, you are no longer eligible to serve for a period of 6 years.

<u>Training Provided</u>: No specific training is necessary to hold the council position, but you may be required to attend further training or retreats as requested by the Pastor.

Responsible To: Each council member is responsible to report to the Pastor, as head of the Pastoral Advisory Council.

Thank you, Business of the Week!



February 6, 2022 VII Church of St. Albert



Join us for the Divine Mercy Consecration!

Journey into the heart of St. Therese of Lisieux's Little Way with the 33 Days to Merciful Love

You can choose to participate Individually or in the Group Option with Fr. Joe Zabinski

Individual Option:

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Feb 19-20: Kick-off at both Masses—Pick up your Book Feb 20: First Meeting of the Group Option with Fr. Joe

Feb 21: The First Day of Daily Reading Mar 25: The Last Day of Daily Reading

Consecration to Divine Mercy at St. Albert's:

Mar 25: 5:00pm Mass and Consecration at the Church Mar 26/27: Immediately following the weekend Masses at the Church OR conclude with your own private Consecration at home

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Contact Jean at 763-497-3782 or jwold@churchofstalbert.org

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