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06.19.22

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The Catholic Ministries Appeal offers a unique opportunity for you to give back to the God of Love, from whom all things are given. Grow closer to Christ by doing your part to build up the Kingdom of God in southern Minnesota. The Appeal funds ministries to invite more than 34,000 households each year to encounter Christ and embrace His Church. To give online, visit www.catholicismn.org

HF Goal: \$9,561.00
Amount Pledged: \$3,130.00

SJW Goal: \$32,678.00
Amount Pledged: \$19,160.00

P.B.L.

Peanut butter and...? (Lettuce? Liver? Linguini?) No, it might be a helpful way to remember a basic principle about our faith: pray, believe and live. As we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi (Body & Blood of Christ) and begin a three-year focus on devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, these three words might guide us. They stem from an ancient formula stating that the way we pray influences what believe, which affects how we live. Or, at least it should.



God planted a desire deep within the human heart to be in communion – with our Creator and one another. Prayer enables us to understand and deepen our relationship with God, who is revealed as Father, Son and Holy Spirit (the belief/dogma we celebrated last week). How we pray influences us in many ways, but an important one is how or what we believe. Jesus taught us how to pray, using a formula we call the “Our Father” or “Lord’s Prayer.” Given that it came from Jesus, we are careful in translating and using this prayer, especially when we pray as a community. Personal or individual prayer can certainly be more spontaneous and free-flowing, but communal prayer usually follows a particular structure and content. Consider how long it took for the Church to settle on our profession of faith, the Nicene Creed: almost three centuries. We may struggle with some of the language in this creed or other prayers, but they shape and form our understanding of who God is and how God operates in our lives and world. The readings, psalms and canticles are approved scriptural texts, as close to the original languages of the Bible as possible. Even the lyrics or words of the music we sing are important because they also influence what we believe.

The next step is probably the more challenging connection: what we believe affects (or should affect) the way that we live. As we develop our relationship with God in prayer and come to better understand what we believe, we should naturally (or is it supernaturally?) put this believe into practice. One example from last Thursday’s gospel (Matthew 6:7-15): after teaching the disciples how to pray, what we know as the “Our Father,” Jesus goes on to say, “If you forgive others their transgressions, your heavenly Father will forgive you. But if you do not forgive others, neither will your Father forgive your transgressions.” How are we doing with that teaching? Still a way to go for most, or all, of us! As we celebrate today’s feast and begin this period of reviving our devotion and belief in the Eucharist, I invite you to pay closer attention to this simple, but profound principle: pray, believe and live. What/how are we praying, especially at Mass? How does it influence what we believe? How well is our praying and believing evident in the way we live?

Sincerely in Christ,

Father Tim Reker

P.S. I do like peanut butter a lot, but...

MANKATO MOONDOGS ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER NIGHT AT ISG FIELD

July 17th 5:05 pm

Adults—\$25

Youth (12 and Under) - \$12.50

Ledger Lounge Group Seating

Please sign-up by July 1st in the Parish Office—payment due at sign-up.

(limited to the first 75 people)

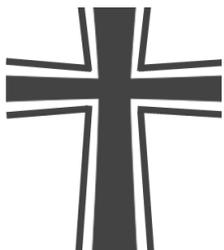
This is a family friendly event—
KIDS are welcome.



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Fr. Reker's 40th Ordination



Join us next weekend for Fr. Reker's 40th Ordination celebration after Masses (June 25th & 26th). There will be a light reception in the auditorium after the 5 p.m. Mass at SJW. There will be coffee and cake after the 8:30 a.m. Mass at HF. And finally, there will be a picnic lunch (indoor and outdoor seating) after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass at SJW. All are welcome. If you would like to help with any of these events, please contact Nicole at the Parish Office.

Commit your life to the Lord, trust in Him and He will act. —Psalm 37:5

Stewardship of TREASURE

Holy Family

June 12, 2022
\$2,376.00

Fiscal Year to Date
\$127,622.34 Actual
\$110,349.50 Budget

St. Joseph the Worker

June 11 & 12, 2022
\$4,141.01

Fiscal Year to Date
\$368,953.50 Actual
\$373,573.00 Budget

Children's Weekly Stewardship

Treasure: SJW: \$15.01 HF: \$4.00

This Week at a Glance

- Thurs. 6/23:** 6:30pm Music Practice - SJW Church
Sat. 6/25: 4:00pm Confession - SJW
 6:30pm Light Reception after Mass for
 Fr. Reker's Ordination Celebration - SJW Gym
Sun. 6/26: 8:00am Confession - HF
 9:30am Coffee & Cake after Mass for
 Fr. Reker's Ordination Celebration - HF Hall
 11:30am Picnic Lunch for Fr. Reker's
 Ordination Celebration - SJW Gym/Parking Lot

Liturgical Ministries

SATURDAY, JUNE 25

SJW—5:00 P.M. MASS

Reader: Mary Date
Servers: Michael & Gianna Schwamberger, Vera Sullivan
ECM: Tom Hallett, Sheryl Peterson, Cindy Thom
Ushers: Scott Peterson, Tim Murray, **2 Needed**
Musicians: Cindy Lawrence, Jackie Slama

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

HF—8:30 A.M. MASS

Reader: Kaitlyn Kirchner
Servers: Kendall Lange, Kendra Kirchner
ECM: Lori Meixell
Ushers: Doug Meixell, **1 Needed**
Musicians: Erika Seppmann, Jackie Slama

SJW—10:30 A.M. MASS

Reader: Richard Hansen
Servers: Isaac Coudron, Cameron Barker
ECM: Wendy Weingartz, Jan Willaert, **1 Needed**
Ushers: Randy Haley, **3 Needed**
Musicians: Cindy Lawrence, Maggie Lynch

Doorkeeper: David Hassing

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Tuesday, June 21:

SJW 12:05pm - †Mathilda Saffert

Wednesday, June 22:

Hillcrest 9:30am - Word & Communion
 Pathstone 10:00am - Word & Communion
 Good Counsel 11:00am

Thursday, June 23:

HF 8:30am - †Bill Webb

Friday, June 24:

SJW 12:05pm - †Emma Hennen

Saturday, June 25: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJW 5:00pm - For the Parishioners

Sunday, June 26: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

HF 8:30am - †Marion & Edward Freking
 SJW 10:30am - †Dennis Owen

- Mon: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18 • Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13 • Mt 7:1-5
 Tues: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36 • Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11 • Mt 7:6, 12-14
 Wed: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3 • Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40 • Mt 7:15-20
 Thurs: Is 49:1-6 • Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 • Acts 13:22-26 • Lk 1:57-66, 89
 Fri: Ez 34:11-16 • Rom 5:5b-11 • Lk 15:3-7
 Sat: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 • Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21 • Lk 2:41-51
 Sun: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21 • Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 • Gal 5:1, 13-18 • Lk 9:51-62

*Congratulations to Max & Andrea Date,
 the "301" winner of \$250 for June 11!*



*We pray for the family and friends of
 Evelyn Oldenberg (HF)
 who passed away June 9th.
 May she rest in peace.*

Parish & Area Announcements

RACHEL'S VINEYARD TWIN CITIES: If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child or children to abortion, come and experience the compassionate mercy of Jesus Christ on our confidential weekend retreat. Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities' retreats are open to anyone impacted by abortion - women, men, grandparents, siblings, and health care professionals. The next retreat is August 5-7, 2022 in the Twin Cities area. For more information contact Nancy at rachels@rvineyardmn.org, call 763-250-9313 or see www.rvineyardmn.org.

*"I will guide you in
 the way of wisdom
 and I will lead you in
 upright paths. When
 you walk, your steps
 will not be hampered,
 and when you run,
 you will not
 stumble."*

-Proverbs 4:11-12



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How do YOU pray?



SJW VBS 2022

Dates: July 11-14

Times: 8:00AM-11:00AM

Location: St. Joseph the Worker Gym

Registration is open for 4year olds-
4th graders

Volunteers (5th grade-Adult) sign up
online as well!

5th-12th Graders will attend VBS
Bootcamp July 7 & 8 8:00AM-11:00AM

Go to: sjwhf.org

Click on the VBS Registration Banner

WANTED: TENTS TO BORROW FOR VBS

DATES NEEDED: JULY 6-14

We are turning the SJW gym into a Jerusalem Marketplace with 6 spaces for kids to visit. If you have a tall, open sided tent that we can borrow, please email or call Val: vkoch@sjwhf.org or (507)388-3766.



As the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus approaches (falling on **June 24**), we can ask, "What is the difference between the devotion of the Sacred Heart and the Divine Mercy message?"

First of all, we must realize the obvious - Jesus has only one Heart! And devotion to the Sacred Heart and The Divine Mercy are really inseparable. The Sacred Heart overflows with merciful love for us, and we are to overflow with love to others.

The devotion to the Sacred Heart calls for reparation of sin, and the devotion should lead us to a deeper understanding of His infinite love and mercy for us. Our Lord told St. Faustina, "My daughter, know that My Heart is mercy itself. From this sea of mercy, graces flow out upon the whole world. No soul that has approached Me has ever gone away unconsolated" (Diary, 1777).

And yet, when we look at the Image of the Merciful Savior, we see rays of Blood and Water emanating from the area of His pierced Heart. The rays are emanating outward - they are going out to a hurting world. That is perhaps one of the differences; the Sacred Heart enables us to get a deeper understanding of the infinite mercy and calls us to reparation, yet the Divine Mercy now calls us to live that message to a hurting world. —TheDivineMercy.org

Teach children devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus by having a picture in your home. Talk about Jesus' love and mercy for them and for the whole world! As you pray for your children, place them in the Sacred Heart of Jesus for protection and peace.

"Jesus, I trust in you!"

Be a sign of mercy.

I SHOULD NO LONGER SAY THAT I HAVE NEIGHBORS TO HELP, BUT THAT I MUST MYSELF BE A NEIGHBOR TO OTHERS.

—POPE FRANCIS, *FRATELLI TUTTI*, NO. 81

The Peter's Pence Collection has a long tradition as a sign that Catholics around the world are joined in support of the Holy Father.

A Concrete Sign of Mercy

The year 2020 united the whole world in suffering as the COVID-19 pandemic took millions of lives and created widespread economic hardship due to the closure of nonessential businesses. In Lebanon, the hardship of the pandemic was compounded by a catastrophic explosion of a warehouse at the port in Beirut on August 4, 2020. The blast killed more than 200 people and injured and displaced thousands more.

With funds collected through the Peter's Pence Collection, the Holy Father provided an immediate response of €250,000 to the Church in Lebanon, which made medical care, temporary shelter, and other basic needs available to victims through the efforts of Caritas Lebanon, Caritas Internationalis, and sister organizations of Caritas. Donations to the Peter's Pence Collection support not only the activities of the Roman Curia that assist the pope in the exercise of his ministry but also

How You Can Help

PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father, for those he reaches out to serve in compassion, and for the ongoing activities of the Holy See, all of which will benefit from the Peter's Pence Collection.

SHARE

Share this bulletin insert with anyone who might be interested.

GIVE

Give generously to this collection as a sign of mercy to those who suffer around the globe and in support of the ongoing work of the Holy See. By doing so, you help build up the Church so that it can continue to minister to all for generations to come.

solidarity projects that help those most in need, such as emergency relief to the people of Lebanon.

For more information on Peter's Pence, please visit the Vatican's Peter's Pence website: www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

A Tradition of Support for the Holy Father

Support for such papal efforts is rooted in the scriptural message to take care of the poor and expresses unity with the Holy Father in two ways: through the ongoing activities of the Holy See and through the charitable works of the Holy Father on behalf of those most in need.



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Sea un signo de misericordia.

ENTONCES, YA NO DIGO QUE TENGO “PRÓJIMOS” A QUIENES DEBO AYUDAR, SINO QUE ME SIENTO LLAMADO A VOLVERME YO UN PRÓJIMO DE LOS OTROS.

—PAPA FRANCISCO, *FRATELLI TUTTI*, NO. 81

La Colecta Peter Pence tiene una larga tradición de ser como un signo de que los católicos alrededor del mundo se unen para darle su apoyo al Santo Padre.

Un signo concreto de misericordia

El año 2020, el sufrimiento unió al mundo entero ya que la pandemia del COVID-19 se cobró millones de vidas y creó dificultades económicas en todas partes debido al cierre de negocios no esenciales. En el Líbano, el 4 de agosto del 2020, se agravaron aún más las dificultades producidas por la pandemia debido a una catastrófica explosión en un depósito ubicado en el puerto de Beirut. La explosión mató a más de 200 personas e hirió y desplazó a miles más.

Gracias a los fondos recaudados mediante la Colecta Peter Pence, el Santo Padre respondió inmediatamente proporcionándole a la Iglesia en el Líbano €250,000 euros, lo que puso a disposición de las víctimas atención médica, viviendas temporales y otras necesidades básicas a través de la labor de Caritas Líbano, Caritas Internationalis y organizaciones hermanas de Caritas. Los donativos a la Colecta Peter Pence financian no solo las actividades de la Curia Romana que asiste al Papa en el ejercicio de su ministerio, sino también en proyectos de solidaridad que ayudan a los más necesitados—como la ayuda de emergencia dada al pueblo del Líbano.

Como pueden ayudar

ORANDO

Ora por el Santo Padre, por aquellos a quienes él ayuda y sirve con compasión y por las actividades en curso de la Santa Sede que se beneficiarán con esta colecta.

COMPARTIENDO

Comparte este inserto para el boletín con cualquier persona que pudiese estar interesada.

DANDO

Contribuye generosamente a esta colecta como signo de misericordia hacia aquellos que sufren en todo el mundo y como apoyo a la continua labor de la Santa Sede. Al hacerlo, estás ayudando a edificar la Iglesia para que ella pueda seguir haciendo su ministerio con todas las generaciones futuras.

Para más información sobre la Colecta Peter Pence, por favor, visita el sitio web Peter Pence del Vaticano: www.obolodisanpietro.va/es.html.

Una Tradición de Apoyo para el Santo Padre

El apoyo a estas labores del Papa se origina en el mensaje de las Escrituras de cuidar al pobre y expresa la unidad con el Santo Padre de dos maneras: mediante las actividades en curso de la Santa Sede y mediante las labores de caridad del Santo Padre a favor de los más necesitados.



Additional Announcements

THANK YOU for sponsoring a beam during Habitat's Get on the Beam Campaign. Together we raised a total of \$3,726. Your group raised a generous \$101 towards Habitat's home building partnership with families in need. Your beam will be part of a home here in Mankato. We hope your group had fun participating and we look forward to doing it again next year! Thanks for your support. -Habitat Staff

SUMMER NOONTIME ORGAN RECITALS: The Sioux Trails Chapter of the American Guild of Organists is pleased to present its annual Summer Noontime Organ Recitals each Tuesday, 12:10 pm, June 7 through August 9. This yearly tradition is now in its 41st year. Locations include Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1103 N. Broad St., Mankato (6/7 - 6/21); Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 105 N. 5th St., Mankato (6/28 - 7/19) and Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 720 S. 2nd Street, Mankato (7/26 - 8/9). Admission is free; a free-will donation will be accepted. Visit www.agosioxtrails.org or information about specific locations and performers.

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Hello from Loyola!

Summer is in full swing at Loyola!

Last week, our summer childcare students joined us and will enjoy field-trips, outside activities, and so much more!

Did you know that Loyola offers an after-school childcare program during the school year? Students in grades preschool-5 have the option to stay at Loyola until 5:30pm. Email stieva@loyolacatholicschool.org for more information.

Loyola currently has three spaces remaining for our 2 day preschool class! This class runs from 8-11am, Tuesday and Thursday. There is the option to add Tuesday and Thursday afternoon sessions, as well as after-school childcare so your child can be here all day if additional care is needed. This is the perfect first preschool experience, best suited to students that are three years old. To inquire about preschool, please email admissions@loyolacatholicschool.org

Rockin' on the Hill, an exciting summer music festival at Loyola, is on July 16! Have you purchased your tickets? You don't want to miss this year's lineup: Tyler Herwig, Mason Dixon Line, and Mallrats! You will also enjoy a variety of food trucks, boutique shopping, pulltabs and much more. For more information about the event, visit rockinonthehill.com. Tickets can be purchased online as well as at Loyola.

SJW MEN'S CLUB MISSION STATEMENT:

To bring together men of all ages to grow in relationship with Jesus Christ. With the direction of our Priest, encouraging each other to be servant leaders in our Church.

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Thurs: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Fri: 8:30am-12:00pm
or by appointment

Contact Information

Office Phone.....388-3766
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Calvary Cemetery.....Terry Miller: 387-5784

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Mike Murrain - SJW Custodian
Ben Moldan - HF Custodian

Sacraments

Baptism - Please contact Fr. Reker in the parish office to schedule the baptism and the baptism preparation class.

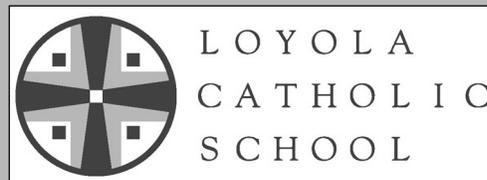
Marriage - Congratulations on your engagement! Please contact Fr. Reker at least 6 months in advance to begin preparation.

Anointing of the Sick - If you or a family member is homebound or in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit, please notify the office.

Prayers for Healing

Richard Johnson, John Allen, Jerry Schultz,
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