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**HF Goal:** \$9,561.00  
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**SJW Goal:** \$32,678.00  
**Amount Pledged:** \$19,160.00

## **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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# “How’d You Get Here?”

Tuesday (June 21<sup>st</sup>) was the date of my anniversary and the next day I was scheduled to celebrate Mass with the School Sisters of Notre Dame in the Good Counsel Chapel. Before the final blessing, I took the opportunity to thank the SSND’s for their influence in my life: first, at St. Mary’s Grade School in Worthington, later at IHM Seminary, even a few at their Generalate in Rome while in theology school, and at various assignments during the past 40 years. As I was about to offer the blessing, I notice the community leader stepping up to the ambo/pulpit to wish me a happy anniversary, followed by the community’s sung blessing and a card. It prompted me to start reflecting upon all those who have been a part of my life thus far or answer the question, “How’d you get here?”



+ Of course, one needs to begin with one’s own family – parents (Al & Marge), grandmothers (grandfathers died before I was born), sisters and brothers (8, plus their growing families) and extended family members. I was fortunate to have parents who supported me, yet gave me the freedom to discover my vocation in life. Many of my family are able to join in the celebration this weekend and I am hoping (& praying fervently!) that they don’t give you any “inside information.”

+ Supporting the education that began at home, I was blessed with numerous dedicated teachers and coaches: St. Mary’s Grade School (both SSND’s & lay teachers); Worthington Junior & Senior High; and religious educators.

+ The decision to enter the seminary surprised (quite?) a few people, including my Mom, but it was aided by the example and influence of the priests who served at St. Mary’s Church, especially Msgr. J. Stanley Hale and his associate pastors (Fathers Tom Fitzgerald & John Suprenant, to name a couple). Once I entered IHM Seminary, the faculty included Fathers Robert Brom, Gerald Mahon & Donald P. Schmitz, and professors at St. Mary’s College; can’t help but mention Fr. Fabian, O.P. Then, off to Rome and supported by the faculty at both the North American College and the Gregorian University.

+ Although we can sometimes overlook the influence of good friends and classmates, I am blessed to keep in touch with some from grade school through the present. A few are no longer with us in this world, but a good number are present this weekend, too.

+ As a priest, the communities where we serve play a crucial role in our understanding of priestly life and ministry. When invited to be present at significant moments in parishioners’ lives, joyful and sad, the memories are imprinted deeply in one’s heart and soul. These include: the Cathedral in Winona; St. Pius X Church in Rochester; St. Mary’s College (Chaplain) & IHM Seminary (Rector) in Winona; U.S. Bishops’ Conference in D.C., St. Francis of Assisi Church in Rochester; St. Theodore Church in Albert Lea & St. James in Twin Lakes; and now St. Joseph the Worker in Mankato & Holy Family in Lake Crystal.

My hope in answering this question is that you will know my appreciation and be encouraged to reflect upon who has all helped you to get to your present “location.” Remember & give thanks!

*Father Tim Reber*

## **NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL**

### **Year of Diocesan Revival (JUNE 2022 - JUNE 2023)**

Launching on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, or Corpus Christi, the first year invites diocesan staff, bishops, and priests to what Pope Francis has described as “a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ”—particularly the transforming power and mercy of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Each Diocese will offer events that encourage the faithful to grow in their understanding and devotion to Christ in the Eucharist, complemented by online formation and resources that will raise up Eucharistic Missionaries at all levels of the Church! Please join us in prayer for the renewal and healing of the United States as we answer this historic call to revival. More info at [eucharisticrevival.org/](http://eucharisticrevival.org/)

# Stewardship of TREASURE

## Holy Family

June 19, 2022  
\$2,383.75

**Fiscal Year to Date**  
\$130,006.09 Actual  
\$112,502.81 Budget

## St. Joseph the Worker

June 18 & 19, 2022  
\$7,275.38

**Fiscal Year to Date**  
\$376,22,88 Actual  
\$380,794.46 Budget

## Children's Weekly Stewardship

Treasure: SJW: \$16.00 HF: \$3.00

*Congratulations to John & Carolyn Kanyusik,  
the "301" winner of \$100 for June 18!*

## This Week at a Glance

**Thurs. 6/30:** 6:30pm Music Practice - SJW Church  
**Sat. 7/2:** 4:00pm Confession - SJW  
**Sun. 7/3:** 8:00am Confession - HF

## Liturgical Ministries

### SATURDAY, JULY 2

#### **SJW—5:00 P.M. MASS**

Reader: John Kanyusik

Servers: **2 Needed**

ECM: Cookie Oberle, Gwen Stavenau, Joyce Wilcox

Ushers: Mark Piepho, Jan Mountain, **2 Needed**

Musicians: Cindy Lawrence, Tom Wilcox

### SUNDAY, JULY 3

#### **HF—8:30 A.M. MASS**

Reader: Susan Hanson

Servers: Emma & Katie Hanson

ECM: Pat Jones

Ushers: Chuck Slama, **1 Needed**

Musicians: Jan Osten, Jackie Slama

#### **SJW—10:30 A.M. MASS**

Reader: Val Koch

Servers: Hannah & Carter James

ECM: Kevin Doyle, Julie Freyberg, Heather Lucas

Ushers: Ron Evan, **3 Needed**

Musicians: Ann Van Deusen, Joyce Hoelmer

Doorkeeper: Rick Hansen

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

### Tuesday, June 28:

SJW 12:05pm - Word & Communion

### Wednesday, June 29: Notice time change for SJW

Hillcrest 9:30am - Word & Communion

Pathstone 10:00am - Word & Communion

SJW 5:15pm - †Roman Saffert

### Thursday, June 30:

HF 8:30am - †Robert B Anderson

### Friday, July 1:

SJW 12:05pm - †George Wilmes

### Saturday, July 2: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJW 5:00pm - For the Parishioners

### Sunday, July 3: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

HF 8:30am - †Steve Klinkner

SJW 10:30am - †Rita Gomsrud

Mon: Am 2:6-10, 13-16 • Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 • Mt 8:18-22

Tues: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12 • Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8 • Mt 8:23-27

Wed: Acts 12:1-11 • 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 • Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 • Mt 16:13-19

Thurs: Am 7:10-17 • Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 • Mt 9:1-8

Fri: Am 8:4-6, 9-12 • Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131 • Mt 9:9-13

Sat: Am 9:11-15 • Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 • Mt 9:14-17

Sun: Is 66:10-14c • Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 • Gal 6:14-18 • Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

## Parish & Area Announcements

**RICHARD BREITER IS TURNING 90!** Please join us for an open house sponsored by his children on Sunday, June 26, from 2-4pm at the Loyola High School cafeteria, 145 Good Counsel Drive, Mankato. Please note, masks are required. Alternatively, he would love to hear from you. Cards can be sent to 100 Dublin Rd, Apt 3308, Mankato 56001.

**MUSIC MINISTRY MEETING** - Please save the date for a Music Ministry meeting for both current music ministry members and those interested in joining. Wednesday, July 6th, 7pm at SJW church. Come and meet our new Music Director Mary Flanagan and get to know her a little better!

**SJW SIGNAGE PROJECT UPDATE** - Thank you to all those who have made a donation to the SJW Signage Project. So far we have raised \$8,790 with a goal of \$19,985. This still leaves \$11,195 before we make our goal. The signage project includes a monument sign with a message center by the playground and both external and internal directional signs on the SJW campus. If you are able, please consider making a donation. Thank you!

## Stewardship Corner...

Ministry of the Month...

### Fourth Graders-High School Students

Maybe you've seen friends or classmates on the altar...

Have YOU considered offering YOUR service  
during the Mass? We need more servers!



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## 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](http://sjwhf.org)

Click on the VBS Registration Banner

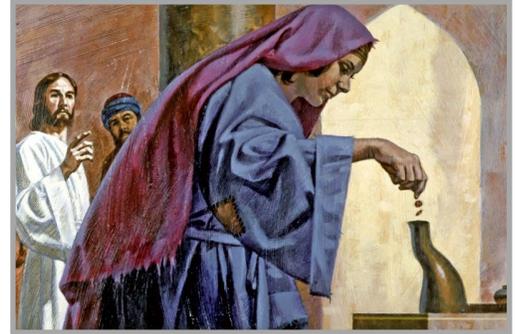
## WANTED: TENTS and OLD TOOLS TO BORROW FOR VBS

**DATES NEEDED: JULY 7-14**

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 or carpentry tools, please email or call Val: [vkoch@sjwhf.org](mailto:vkoch@sjwhf.org) or (507)388-3766. Donations needed by July 7th. Thank you!



## How do YOU pray?



### OFFER IT UP...

Every Catholic teen rolls their eyes from time to time at this parental refrain.

"Mom, Tim took the last cookie."

"Oh well. Offer it up!"

"Dad, it's not my turn to take out the trash."

"It is today. Offer it up!"

"I'm tired."

"Offer it up!"

You get it. It's never what any of us wants to hear when we just want to have a good whine about something.

But your parents are not wrong. "Offering it up" is a real thing, and if we actually do it, a whole treasure trove of graces opens up for us. Christ chose suffering as the means of our redemption—and our suffering too, united to His, can be a force for good. As explained in [The How-To Book of Catholic Devotions](#):

If we choose to "offer it up" with Jesus, our suffering, discomfort, or struggle can become redemptive for ourselves and for others.

It's not easy, but any mildly-to-severely unpleasant thing can be offered up.

It could be a lukewarm cup of coffee when we really wanted a hot one. Could be traffic troubles. Could be that person at work who always takes credit for our successes. Could be any physical suffering. Anything—even the smallest little thing—when offered to Jesus with love becomes a powerful way to intercede for others and ourselves, to make reparation for sin, and to draw closer to Jesus, Who suffered so much for us.

—[catholiccompany.com/getfed](http://catholiccompany.com/getfed) (modified)

This summer, make Mass, daily prayer, and service to others a priority. When you travel, find a Catholic Mass to attend and enjoy! Look around, see what's similar and different to your home parish. Experience the communion of saints in our Universal Church! It may be a sacrifice of vacation time or sleeping in, so...

...OFFER IT UP!

# Additional Announcements

## BUY LOCAL, EAT LOCAL!

- **MANKATO FARMERS MARKET** - Mankato Farmers' Market is the region's premier source for locally-grown produce, baked goods, homemade goodies, preserves, eggs, and artisan crafts, home. Find the market in the Best Buy Parking lot. Saturdays - 8:00am - 12:00pm, Tuesdays - 3:30pm - 6:00pm & Thursdays - 3:30pm - 6:00pm.
- **NORTH MANKATO FARMERS MARKET** - Runs on Mondays from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m through Monday, October 18th. Located at South Central College- 1920 Lee Blvd., North Mankato.

**VFW AUXILIARY 950 BLOOD DRIVE** - Wednesday, June 29, 2022, 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm. You can help ensure blood products are readily available for those in need! Come to give June 1-30 and get a \$5 e-gift card to a merchant of your choice. Please make an appointment at [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org), Sponsor Code: VFWKATO. Location: Morson-Ario-Strand VFW, 1900 N Riverfront Dr., Mankato, MN.

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## Loyola Catholic School

Phone: 388-0600, Website: [loyolacatholicschool.org](http://loyolacatholicschool.org)

Hello from Loyola!

Loyola Catholic School is pleased to announce the Dr. Claudia Roesler has been named its new head of school. She will assume her role on July 1. Welcome, Dr. Roesler!

We are committed to ensuring that a quality Catholic education is accessible for our families. Did you know that Loyola offers a variety of ways to help lower tuition costs? These include:

Payment plan discounts (5% discount for one-time pay, 3% discount for two-time pay)

Scrip Program - purchase gift cards and certificates, and a portion is applied to your tuition. Over the past few years, participating families have earned over \$155,000 toward their tuition.

Financial Aid - all families are encouraged to apply for need-based aid through Loyola. For more information, please contact [kmoore@loyolacatholicschool.org](mailto:kmoore@loyolacatholicschool.org)

Additional scholarships and grants - we work with foundations that provide additional scholarships and grants for families that may benefit. We share these opportunities with families as they become available!

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](http://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

Parish Email.....[office@sjwhf.org](mailto:office@sjwhf.org)

SJW Prayer Chain.....Terri: [email.terri@terrimichels.com](mailto:email.terri@terrimichels.com)

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HF Prayer Chain.....Margaret: 317-4785

Email: [margaretbuss@yahoo.com](mailto:margaretbuss@yahoo.com)

Calvary Cemetery.....Terry Miller: 387-5784

## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Timothy T. Reker - Pastor

Val Koch - Director of Faith Formation

Nicole Hermer - Director of Parish Activities

Glenn Barnette - Bookkeeper

Kathy Moldan - Office Assistant

Mary Flanagan - Music Director

Jon Hermanson - SJW Custodial Engineer

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,  
George Larson, Tom B.*

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