12° SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 12° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ØRDINARIO

"What I say to you in the darkness," speak in the light..."

-Matthew 10:27

"Lo que yo les digo en la oscuridad, repitanlo ustedes a la luz..." -Mateo 10, 27



MISSION STATEMENT

Called by Baptism, nourished by the Eucharist, and inspired by the Holy Spirit, our mission is to live the Good News of Christ through Worship, Evangelization, Service, Spiritual Formation, and Stewardship.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 20

4:00-4:30 p.m. Confessions

7:00 p.m. People of the parish (en Español)

Sunday, June 21

9:00 a.m. † Edna Flickinger11:00 a.m. † Art Jackson

Monday, June 22

9:00 a.m. † John & Martha Lohrstorfer

48th wedding anniversary

Tuesday, June 23

9:00 a.m. † Helen Raczynski

Wednesday, June 24

9:00 a.m.. † Vada Anderson Thursday, June 25 No Mass

Friday, June 26

5:00 p.m. † Robert Daniel

Saturday, June 27

7:00 p.m. People of the parish (en Español)

Sunday, June 28

9:00 a.m. Intention of Payi O'Shea and

Ian Hennessy

11:00 a.m. † Art Jackson

OFFERTORY GIVING

All have felt the financial impact of COVID 19 in one way or another. Everyone's situation is very personal to them. Our offertory has dropped significantly with the suspension of Mass.

Average weekly contribution needed to meet budget \$11,050

Weekly collection June 14: \$11,130

Please consider giving any amount that you are able to share so that we can continue the ministry of the church and help those in need.

Contributions may be mailed in or made electronically via the church website. If you are interested in regular automatic giving, please contact the office for an ACH form or download at https://www.saintbasilcatholicchurch.org/parish-forms

Our Generosity to God for the weekend of June 14

Envelope Offering (37)	\$5,372.00
Electronic/Online Contributions	
Loose Offering	\$1,409.00
Total Collection	\$11,130.00

PRAYER REQUEST DAILY CHAIN

If you wish to add a loved one please contact Ray Llorens at 637-1418 or email at RlloreJ@aol.com. The chain appears in the bulletin on the first weekend of the month.

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Please pray for Steven Otto, brother of Dave Otto,

that he may now enjoy the great blessings of eternal life. We pray also for his family and friends, that they find peace in the promises of Christ.



Eucharistic Adoration Mondays, 10:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.

The Diocese of Kalamazoo has and will continue to cooperate with the Michigan Attorney General's investigation and encourages anyone with information related to misconduct to call the reporting number set-up by the Michigan Attorney General's office at: **844.324.3374**

The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBAR) has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation. To make a report, visit ReportBishopAbuse.org or phone (800) 276-1562. When a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential.

This week's bulletin sponsor is Roberta A. Otto, CPA, PLC.

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It's Father's Day! I recall the blessing prayer for fathers at infant baptisms: "God is the giver of all life, human and divine. May He bless the father of this child. He and his wife will be the first teachers of their child in the ways of faith. May they also be the best of teachers, bearing witness to the faith by what

they say and do, in Christ Jesus our Lord."

The Church's prayers reflect the Church's beliefs. By mentioning fathers in connection with God's life-giving power, the prayer implies that fathers share in that power to give life. At root, it's a deep and very ancient poetic image that calls to mind Adam being given the responsibility to cultivate and care for the Garden of Eden (Genesis 2:15). This would involve Adam planting seeds for God to bring to life.

A father doesn't work alone, however; he and his wife are to work together to teach the children the ways of faith. Notice that this isn't classroom teaching, or teaching from a book. It is to be the most effective kind of teaching: teaching from one's life! Fathers (and mothers) are to bear witness to the faith by what they say and do.

Yet, we are all sinners. We don't always live up to what we were meant to be. Today we honor our fathers not because they are or were the perfect examples of fatherhood, but because they worked with God to give us life and the example of their lives from which we could learn.

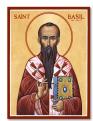
Fr. Jim

CONFESSIONS

MONDAY 2:00—3:00 P.M. SATURDAY 4:00—5:00 P.M. All confessions will be heard from behind the screen. Please allow a minute between penitents for sanitation. Remember to maintain social distancing and follow all of

the other instructions posted on the hand sanitizer stands.

St. Basil - Did You Know?



SAINT BASIL AND THE LITURGY

In the early Church, Christian liturgy developed from Jerusalem and Antioch (the home of the first people to be called Christians). Cappadocia, the home area of St. Basil, first received their liturgy from Antioch. However, it was St. Basil who first introduced liturgical reforms, established the

proper order of the divine liturgy, formulated numerous liturgical prayers and even hymns! He also composed a Eucharistic prayer known as the "Anaphora" which is considered one of the most beautiful Eucharistic prayers of all time (Saint Pope John Paul II, on the feast of St. Basil 1980), St. Basil's Eucharistic liturgy became the foundation for the Byzantine rite.

His work has stood the test of time so that even today the Byzantine rite uses the St. Basil "divine liturgy" as their Eucharistic prayers for ten of their most important feast days.

St. Basil: Defender of the Faith but also a major contributor to the liturgy!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Through prayer we ask the intercessions of the saints. Our Saint of the Month, Saint Margaret Mary, wrote several prayers dedicating devotion of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Through these prayers, we ask St. Margaret Mary to intercede for us, so that we may receive the grace of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Check out our Faith Family Formation page at www.saintbasilcatholicchurch.org for activities and to learn more about the Sacred Heart of Jesus and our Saint of the Month, Saint Margaret Mary.

C SNFIRMATION

Teen sessions continue with Father Jim and Sylvia Verdonk on Zoom each Sunday evening at 8:00. Check your email for the invitation and login information, or contact Sylvia at 616-446-5113 by phone or text, or through sverdonk4@yahoo.com.

St. Basil is still providing live-streamed Mass on Facebook on Sunday morning at 9:00. Three Masses are now open for in-person attendance, as are the weekday Masses. The Spanish Mass on Saturday evening at 7:00 is open to the public, as are Masses at 9:00 and 11:00 on Sunday morning in English. Participation is limited to 60 people and a reservation must be made in advance. To make a reservation for you and your family, follow the instructions provided at https://saintbasilcatholicchurch.org/sign-up-formass, or call the Church office at 269-637-2404 during regular business hours.

Are you still seeking service opportunities prior to Confirmation this fall? Volunteers are needed to take on some special roles each Saturday/Sunday to insure the safety of those attending Mass, specifically:

- 2 people at a check-in table in the South Lobby,
- 3 ushers to help seat attendees and take care of the collection (and in general help with keeping operations running smoothly), and
- 4 people to spray disinfect the used areas of the building after Mass.

If you are willing to help in any of these positions, please contact Andrea Aleman in the church office at 269-637-2404 or at aaleman@saintbasilcatholicchurch.org as soon as possible.

Do not fear: I am with you; do not be anxious: I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my victorious right hand.

- Isaiah 41: 10



CALLING ALL GRADUATES!

If you are a 2020 graduate, either high school or college, and would like to be recognized at a Mass during the summer, please contact the parish office. We would

love for you and your family to come to Mass in your cap and gown where Fr. Jim will announce your name, your accomplishments, and your plans for the future. We're proud of each and every one of you!

St. Basil Catholic School

Our St. Basil Booster Club had no idea what to expect when we had to make our annual Ribs 'n Raffle event a virtual one. We were delighted that so many people were willing to go on this adventure with us! We raised over \$25,000 and could not have done it without the support of Saint Basil parishioners and families and friends of St. Basil School

Some of the winning bidders include Father Jim, who won the monthly ice cream along with a jam basket - we all know he has quite the sweet tooth! Lisa Simon won bread of the month from our St. Basil alumnus David Wondergem. Each of the classrooms will receive an ultimate school day. Adam Monacelli won Principal for a Day, and we are excited to see the leadership capabilities of his daughter, Annabelle. Rebecca and Phil Durden won the Ultimate Booster Package, Sean and Renee Russell are the lucky raffle winners of the Tempur-pedic Queen Mattress, and Tammy Dykstra is the proud owner of Father Jim's Bode Nebula photo.

The Saint Basil Catholic School Boosters are still accepting monetary donations, so if anyone feels more comfortable donating by cash or check, please contact Kendra Super, Booster Secretary, at 269-719-7167 to schedule a pick up time. Thank you all for your continued support!

St. Basil School **Summer Office Hours**

Mondays, 11:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m. (Closed Monday, June 29)



FOR THE SUMMER. FROM OUR TEACHERS

I pray that all our Saint Basil Summer Vacation families stay safe and healthy during the summer

and that these restrictions are soon lifted. I hope that all the children that have attended Saint Basil this past year continue to learn and observe the wonderful world that God has given us and to enjoy their families and friends during this summer. I want them to know that I love and miss them each day and want the best for each of them as they move forward in their education.

Miss Sue

I hope my students are happy and safe. I hope they are able to relax and forget all the weirdness over the last few months and can focus on being kids and have fun!

Mrs. Beery

I hope that my students can have a carefree summer of fun. I hope they get to enjoy living so close to Lake Michigan. I hope they get to spend time outside running around. I hope they get to enjoy their lives fully. And, I hope that they read, read, read!

Ms. Otto

WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED... A YEAR OF SERVICE

St. Basil Church will support H.O.P.E. Parent Resource Center for our year of service. H.O.P.E. is a nonprofit organization in South Haven dedicated to serving parents and children in our immediate area.

This year we would like to focus more on the pampering and needs of the moms. We would like to collect contributions of gift certificates for haircuts, manicures, pedicures, \$5 gas cards, massages, and any type of service that would give moms a break and a little "me" time. And remember, it's okay and appropriate to include tip money for the services when you purchase the gift certificate.

If you'd like to contribute to this worthwhile cause, simply slide your donation in an envelope marked Walking With Moms thru the office window or under the office door. You can learn more about Walking With Moms in Need: A Year of Service at walkingwithmoms.com.

Women's Service Guild News

Normally around this time of the summer we are busy cleaning out closets and garages and basements, finding things to donate to the WSG Rummage Sale. And normally the sale is held in August.



Due to COVID-19 we are canceling the annual WSG Rummage Sale for everyone's safety, but we will be While we are sure back next vear!

you would like to rid yourself of your clutter, if you're able to hang onto it until next summer, we should be able to take it off your hands in 2021 and have a huge sale!

Mary Lou Callan and Mary Ann Hutson

FOOD PANTRY DROP OFF AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Please, if you are able, consider donating non-perishable food to the We Care I.N.C. Food Pantry. If there was ever a time to feed the hungry, this is it.

Please take non-perishable items to First Congregational Church, 651 Phoenix Street, during this national health crisis. They are open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 10:00 a.m. till noon.



The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry remains open during the pandemic. We are providing a drive through service Thursdays between 1-4 p.m., located at 201 S. Walnut, Bangor (back door).

Our parish office remains closed during the mandated stay-at-home order for Michigan. You may still contact us at 269-637-2404.

When you call the office and press our extensions (Andrea, Cecilia, Fr. Jim, and Charlie) your call will be automatically sent to our personal phones so we can answer your questions and concerns from home. If we don't answer, your call will be forwarded to a voicemail which we are able to retrieve from home. We ARE available for you, just not in the office.

IN OUR COLLABORATIVE

Mass at St. Peter Parish, Douglas Saturday 5:00 p.m., Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Daily Mass Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 8:30 a.m. Mass at San Felipe, Fennville Thursday 6:30 p.m.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, June 22 9:00 a.m. Mass Tuesday, June 23 9:00 a.m. Mass Wednesday, June 24 9:00 a.m. Mass Thursday, June 25 No Mass

FRIDAY, JUNE 26 5:00 p.m. Mass SATURDAY, JUNE 27

7:00 p.m. Mass—Español

SUNDAY, JUNE 28 9:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Mass

WEEKEND MASSES

Currently our weekend Mass schedule is Saturday at 7:00 p.m. in Spanish, and Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in English. We are grateful to the volunteers who have offered to check-in our Mass participants, usher, and clean the church after each Mass.

Please contact Andrea at the parish office if you can help, 269-637-2404, ext. 1102. And, be sure to check our website often for Mass time updates.

Music For Sunday Mass

The gathering hymn and closing hymn may be found on our parish website, https://saintbasilcatholicchurch.org/music-for-mass.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 21

Sunday Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 20:10-13; Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35;

Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33

Monday Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop;

Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

Thomas More, Martyrs 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13;

Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36;

Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11;

Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday Solemnity of the Nativity of

Saint John the Baptist

Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15;

Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

Thursday 2 Kgs 24:8-17; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9;

Mt 7:21-29

Friday 2 Kgs 25:1-12; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6;

Mt 8:1-4

Saturday Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and

Doctor of the Church Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21;

Mt 8:5-17

Lord, in your great love, answer me.

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