St. Cecilia's Catholic Church

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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 6, 2025

Calendar		Mass Intentions	Liturgica July 13
7/7/25 Monday Gn 28:10-22 Mt 9:18-26	No Mass		Eucharistic Minister Jeff W., Arlen K., Brya Lector: Amber PN
7/8/25 Tuesday Gn 32:23-33 Mt 9:32-38	No Mass		Altar Servers: Evan, Sam Sacristans: Jacob V.
7/9/25 Wednesday Gn 41:55-57;42:5-7,17-24	8:30am Assumption	+ Tim Cayler	Money Counters: Rose B
Mt 10:1-7	5:30pm St. Cecilia's	For an End to Abortion	July 20 Eucharistic Minister
7/10/25 Thursday Gn 44:18-21,23-29; 45:1-5 Mt 10:7-15	8:30am Assumption	+ Irene Janda	Mike B., Steve H., Tai Lector: Robbie B.
7/11/25 Friday Gn 46:1-7, 28-30	8:30am Assumption	+ Joy Dockter	Altar Servers: Cooper & Taylor Sacristans:
Mt 10:16-23	9:45am Care Center	+ Arnold Sherman	Bryan K. Money Counters:
7/12/25 Saturday Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26	5:00pm Assumption	+ Bob Buth	Bryan K. July 27
Mt 10:24-33 7/13/25 Sunday Dt 30:10-14	9:00am Assumption	+ Joy Dockter	Eucharistic Minister Mary Lou T., Curt S., Lector:
Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37	10.30am St. Cecilia's	For the People	Luci S. Altar Servers:
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deceased family members, or other intentions please send your intentions to Assumption Parish Office. Mass stipends are \$\$10 per Mass.

Prayer Chain: If you have someone who needs to be added to the Prayer Chain please call:

Darlena Arends: 218.443.3441 Rose Beck 218.789.7440

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Liturgical Ministries

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Lector:

Money Counters: Rose B.

August 3 **Eucharistic Ministers:** Jeff W., Arlen K., Bryan K.

Steve H. **Altar Servers:** Evan, Sam

Sacristans: Jacob V.

Money Counters:

Bryan K.

Ushers for July Jeff W., Dave K.

"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few..." Luke 10:2

As Catholics we are all called to serve. Each of us has been given "charisms" otherwise known as gifts from the Holy Spirit to help build God's Church. Our charisms can only be used for good. We know that we are using them in the right ministry when we are filled with joy and we want to share stories about our charitable works. Discern how God is calling you to use your charisms. Say "yes" to what God is calling you to do and then do it! Share your joy and invite others to do the same.

Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time

As Jesus heals, he gives courage. As he carries out his ministry of healing and announcing the terrific news of the closeness of the Kingdom of God, he is filled with compassion for all those who suffer and who need this encouraging news. So Jesus calls us to join him. This isn't the call to priesthood or religious life. This is the universal call addressed to all of us to see with his own compassionate eyes and to reach out and heal others. As Jesus sends us, he knows that we will encounter resistance and opposition sometimes from within our own heart first, but certainly from others. He always tells us not to be afraid. Even when things happen that take away our peace, our peace will be given back to us. He knows he is sending us like sheep among the wolves of this world, and so he to be both wise and simple two great gifts for our mission. He assures us that even when we don't know how to speak ten-der or reconciling words, the Spirit will speak through us. The only thing we need to fear is the stuff we get into that can actually destroy our soul

What a great week to ask for the grace to be responsive to his call! All week, with attentive eyes, we can see with Jesus' own compassion, where he is directing our heart to love and to heal. We begin the week with such a great orientation. Jesus invites us to come to him with our burdens and the stuff that weighs us down and he sends us. He doesn't say we are not supposed to expect burdens. He just invites us to take up his burden, the ministry he gives to each of us. Each day, following our pattern of focusing throughout the day in brief moments of conversation and connection with the Lord, we can consciously recognize the "calls" the Lord has given us and is offering us. And we can acknowledge them, accept them, embrace them. Of course, our primary relationships are all the ways we live our discipleship call. So often though, these relationships are where we need the greatest courage to be tender, compassionate and courageous in loving, in letting the Spirit speak through us. Let's ask ourselves all week: how can I bring healing and peace to each important relationship in my life? And, where I'm afraid, or resistant, or even where I've given up, that can be the place of the deepest and most important prayer of the week. It certainly can be the place we come to Jesus to be refreshed.

All week, we can try to be conscious of how our day-to-day work is part of our call from the Lord: to be an agent in the world for good, to make products, to offer goods and services to people, to coordinate human activities, to protect and defend others' rights, to heal others. Some of us are still available to be called to a specific work or ministry. This is a great week to ask for open-ness. Every one of us can find great meaning and deeper peace in placing what we do in the pattern of our response to God's call to us, through Jesus. When we do our work, we can thank the Lord for this work, ask to do it faithfully, lovingly, compassionately and justly. Some of us are struggling to find work that offers us dignity and a living wage. We can ask the Lord to send us to be his servants, with our gifts, and trust in his fidelity. As we move through the week, grow-ing in our relationship with the Lord all week, as we make this more conscious background moments of insight, recognition and connection, we can give thanks and trust that if we scatter his seed, with trust and with abandon, we don't have to worry. The harvest has his guarantee of abundance.

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on the Creighton University's Online Ministries web site: http://www.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/online.html



Life

Robbie B.	7-11
David K.	7-16
Mary Lou T.	7-19
Preston G.	7-22
Mike B.	8-2
Julie K.	8-5
Fran B.	8-5

Love

Jacob & Amanda V.	7-9-16
Rick & Mary Lou T.	7-11-64
Jeff & Renee W.	7-28-90

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Marriage Encounter

"Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience." Colossians 3:12. Experience these at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next available next weekend is Nov 22/23, 2025 in ALEXANDRIA, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: northmnwwme.org or contact Miki at applications@northmnwwme.org or 5072278229.

"Don't Run from Problems, Run to Emmaus"
Men and Women's Silent Weekend – Retreat
Presented by Fr. Matt Linn, SJ
July 18-20, 2025
Christ the King Retreat House
621 First Avenue South
Buffalo, MN 55313

What keeps you from feeling really good right now? Whatever the difficulty someone has found a way to grow in it and we can too. If we share hearts with Jesus at Emmaus, our heart becomes His heart so we grow in life and love as Jesus did in every moment. Whatever we face, we are promised "God works in all things for the good of those who love Him..." Rm 8:28. And whatever we fear in the future no longer will be an overwhelming fear but rather another opportunity to share hearts and grow again. So run to this Emmaus retreat and all your life will run with infinite Life. Includes Mass, personal prayer time, Reconciliation. Suggested Donation of \$325 includes \$50 deposit at registration; includes 2 overnights, private accommodations and 5 meals; Register online at www.kingshouse.com or call 763-682-1394.

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