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Mass Schedule

Daily: 7:00 am *Monday thru Friday*
8:00 am *Saturday*

Saturday: 5:15 pm

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am
1:00 pm (Español)
4:15 pm Latin Mass

Holy Day: See bulletin

SS Peter & Paul Parish Office:

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November 03, 2019
31st Sunday Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 11 am-noon & 4-5 pm

Daily: After the 7:00 am Mass

Other times by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact the Parish Office at least one month in advance of the desired date. Baptism preparation sessions for parents and sponsors are held the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:00 pm. The usual time for Baptism is at 2:00 pm the 4th Saturday of the month.

Sacrament of Matrimony

For registered, participating members of the Parish, arrangements for preparation and the date are made by contacting one of the pastors, at least six months before the wedding.

Bulletin Notices

All articles for the bulletin are due by 2 pm on Tuesday. Bulletin articles should always be turned in to the parish office with a contact person's name and phone number.

New Members Welcome

Please register at the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions**Monday, November 4**

7:00 am +Joanie Schaub & Deef Allen: *Millie Daufenbach*
+John Veroeven: *David & Marlene Veroeven*
+George Yonkovich: *Mike Yonkovich*

Tuesday, November 5

7:00 am +Esther Zellmer *Delores Weimar*
+Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary
+Joan Kellen: *Friends*
3:30 pm Oaklawn +Souls in Purgatory: *Linda Zumwalde*

Wednesday, November 6

7:00 am +Deceased Members of the Religious Family of the
Incarnate Word: *Sisters Servants of the Lord*
+Evelyn Yonkovich Hardy: *Mike Yonkovich*
Intentions of Byron Houg: *Marlene Houg*

Thursday, November 7

7:00 am +Marcela Dussan: *Maria Kvanme*
+Deceased Members of St Joseph Court 552:
Catholic Order of Foresters
Intentions of Sandy Bach: *Family*

Friday, November 8

7:00 am + Anniv. of Paul Schneider: *Bernie & Nancy Fasnacht*
+Mrs. A. G. Shamp: *Audrey & Earl Shamp Charitable Fund*
Intentions of John Dougherty: *John*

Saturday, November 9

8:00 am +Anniv. of Odalys Lopez: *Elena Lopez*
+Anniv. of Herbert Brandt: *Julie and Children*
+Legion of Mary, Living and Deceased: *Spanish Group*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16 — 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

Weekly Schedule**Monday, November 4**

6:30 pm Bible Study Room 302 of Xavier Hall

Tuesday, November 5

8:00 am Bible Study in Room 302 of Xavier Hall
6:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting in Room 203 of Xavier
1:00 pm Bible Study in Room 302 of Xavier Hall

Wednesday, November 6

3:00 pm Rosary for Priests in Xavier Hall Chapel
6:00 pm Book Study with Leo Roth in Room 302 Xavier

Thursday, November 7

7:00 pm Rosary for Priests in Xavier Hall Chapel

Friday, November 8

8:00 am Legion of Mary in Room 302 of Xavier Hall

Sunday, November 10

After 9:30 am Mass-Coffee & Rolls in Jesuit Hall

Ave + Maria!

Purgatory Exists

"A state where souls undergo temporary pains for their sins," exists. Scripture, liturgical prayer, and the living faith of the early Church are all called upon in witness to constant belief in purgatory. As elementary as it may seem, there are many faithful Christians who do not believe in purgatory's existence because of a mistaken theology of justification by faith alone. Therefore, establishing the faith of the Church in purgatory can be challenging in the modern world, though such a belief has been well documented for half a millennium.



At the Second Council of Lyons, the Church stated that if the baptized "Die truly repentant in charity before they have made satisfaction by worthy fruits of penance for (sins) committed and omitted, their souls are cleansed after death by purgatorial or purifying punishments." Thus, the penance, which one may offer for the remission of temporal punishment due to sin, should be completed during earthly life, otherwise, as the Church proclaims, after death there is a time of "purifying punishments."

Next, we turn to The Catechism of the Council of Trent. The first point at which the catechism speaks of a state of purgation is taken from a discussion concerning the different abodes alluded to when the word "hell" is used. "Among them is also the fire of purgatory, in which the souls of just men are cleansed by a temporary punishment, in order to be admitted into their eternal country, into which nothing defiled entereth." Here the catechism clears up confusion about the existence and nature of purgatory. The text explains, "The truth of this doctrine, founded, as holy Councils declare, on Scripture, and confirmed by Apostolic tradition, demands exposition from the pastor, all the more diligent and frequent, because we live in times when men endure not sound doctrine." Founding its argument on the long-standing tradition of the Church, the catechism offers pastoral guidance to priests and warns the reader to be aware of the errors circulated about the doctrine concerning purgatory.

A later text, The Catechism of Pius X, also deals with the sacrament of reconciliation relating why a penance is granted even after sins are forgiven. This catechism states "Some penance is imposed because ordinarily, after sacramental absolution, which pardons the fault and eternal punishment, there remains a temporal punishment, that has to be paid in this world or in purgatory." The manual reinforces the importance of fulfilling the penance assigned in a way that might seem stark to modern Catholic readers. For the sake of clarity, the question is also included in this excerpt. The question is posed, "Do those who die after receiving absolution, but before making complete satisfaction to the justice of God go immediately to heaven?" The Church responds, "No; they go to purgatory, there to satisfy the justice of God and be entirely purified." This, of course, is consistent with the scriptural teachings that God is just and that nothing impure will enter heaven.

Purgatory is understood by the Church to exist and is an abode where those who were not in mortal sin at death go to satisfy for their sins. Ecclesial documents, before and after the Second Vatican Council, bear witness to the Church's faith in purgatory's existence; therefore, there is no shift in the Church's teachings with regard to purgatory. This lack of a shift, or better, fidelity to her faith, is crucial to communicate to the faithful, because it reestablishes the Church's credibility and authority. In the modern world, this increase in credibility is sorely needed, not because the Church, as an institution, is teaching error, but because a great number of her pastors may unwittingly be doing so amidst the present theological confusion encompassing aspects of the faith. This confusion should not discourage man, but refer him back to the true faith the Church has to offer. Pope John Paul II advocated this approach stating, "If contemporary man wants to understand himself completely, he too needs Jesus Christ and his Church, which continues in the world as a sign of unity and communion."

God bless you, Father Andrew



Our Fall 2019 40 Days for Life Campaign will be coming to a close this Sunday, November 3rd. We will be holding a Closing Rally at the vigil site [public right of way outside of Planned Parenthood Mankato- 201 N. Victory Dr] beginning at 4:45 p.m. It has been a blessing working together with you during this campaign, and I look forward to growing our relationships in the months and years ahead. The fight we are up against is real, but together we can accomplish great things for God and His Children through our perseverance and faith.

The last date Eucharistic Adoration will be held before the first Mass of each day will be this Sunday, November 3rd.

PHÚC ÂM: Lc 19, 1-10

"Con Người đến tìm kiếm và cứu chữa điều gì đã hư mất".

Tin Mừng Chúa Giêsu Kitô theo Thánh Luca.

Khi ấy, Chúa Giêsu vào Giêricô và đi ngang qua thành, thì kia, có một người tên là Giakêu, ông thủ lãnh những người thu thuế và là người giàu có. Ông tìm cách để nhìn xem Chúa Giêsu là người thế nào, nhưng không thể được, vì người ta đông quá, mà ông lại thấp bé. Vậy ông chạy lên trước, trèo lên một cây sung để nhìn xem Người, vì Người sắp đi ngang qua đó.

Khi vừa đến nơi, Chúa Giêsu nhìn lên và trông thấy ông ấy, nên Người bảo ông rằng: "Hỡi Giakêu, hãy xuống mau, vì hôm nay Ta phải lưu lại tại nhà ngươi". Ông vội vàng trụt xuống và vui vẻ đón tiếp Người. Mọi người thấy vậy, liền lắm bầm rằng: "Ông này lại đến trọ nhà một người tội lỗi". Ông Giakêu đứng lên thưa cùng Chúa rằng: "Lạy Ngài, tôi xin bỏ thí nửa phần của cải tôi cho kẻ khó, và nếu tôi có làm thiệt hại cho ai điều gì, tôi xin đền gấp bốn". Chúa Giêsu bảo ông ấy rằng: "Hôm nay nhà này được ơn cứu độ, bởi người này cũng là con cái Abraham. Vì chưng Con Người đến tìm kiếm và cứu chữa điều gì đã hư mất". Đó là lời Chúa.

Minister Schedule for November 9-10, 2019

	Saturday 5:15 pm	Sunday 7:30 am	Sunday 9:30 am	Sunday 11:30 am
Extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Mark/Mary Frederick, Mike/Ruth Woitas, JoAnn Hensel, Lorraine Schweiss Shirley Pestka	Steve/Carol Raymond Logan Goettl, Betsy Peters, David Reimann Rich/Judy Wheeler	Deacon Alex, Steve Howe, Joanne Lamm, Paul Willaert, Leo Roth Al/Linda Kluever	Doreen Slater
Altar Servers	Jerry Tran Aiden Gaul	Wyatt Rodriguez Tom Miller	Seminarians	Sebastian, Dominic & Nicholas Winstead
Lector	Matthew Bach	Dan Osdoba	Al Kluever	Brian Zins
Greeters	Kathy Morris, Millie Daufenbach, Phyllis Schneider, J. Anderson	Earle Peters Betsy Peters Duane Mettler	Joann Rigdon Robert/Donna Schaffler John/Joanne Lamm	Pat Roesch Marlene Houg
Ushers	Mallory Hoffman, Jim Schweiss, Tom Cooling J. Dougherty, James Bach	Phil Chester, Dave Reimann, Kevin Rathai Andrew Warden	Jerry Krueger Daniel Chavez Mary Krueger	Donald Slater Mark Brosnan Tom Mocool
Rosary	Dave Schwamberger	Mary Ann Pongratz	Lynn and Mary Olson	



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Faith Formation
Sr. Strength of Martyrs
 Faithformation@sspeterandpaul.com



What: Trip to Washington D.C. to participate in the March for Life, and IVE Winter Youth Festival at the IVE Seminary!

Who: Youth in 7th Grade through Young Adults

When: January 23rd-27th

Fee: \$350. This includes plane tickets, meals while we are in Washington D.C., fee for participating in the *Winter Youth Festival*, and to be able to make a donation to the Convent and Seminary that we will be staying at.

Sign up today in order to purchase the plane ticket before prices go up!

To sign up, or for more information, please contact:

Sr. Strength of Martyrs (faithformation@sspeterandpaul.com) or
 Beverly Miller (ssppyouth4u@gmail.com)

November 6th— Vocations Awareness Week.

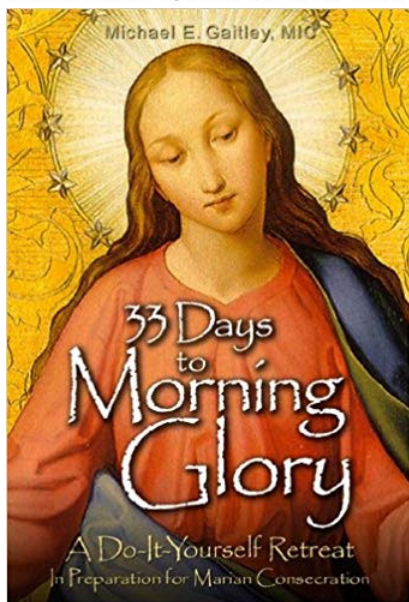
Presented by: Fr. Andy Kmetz I.V.E.

November 13th— Preparing your Children for Confession.

Presented by: Sr. Strength of Martyrs

November 20th— Preparing for Advent.

Presented by Fr. Andrew Whiting I.V.E.



At our last Family Faith Formation, Fr. Andrew spoke about the value of consecrating ourselves, and our families to Our Lady. If you and your family are interested in participating in the consecration to Mary, please contact Sr. Strength of Martyrs for a copy of the Consecration book. The Consecration to Mary begins this week, November 6th!



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Beth Shank @ faith4u@sspeterandpaul.com

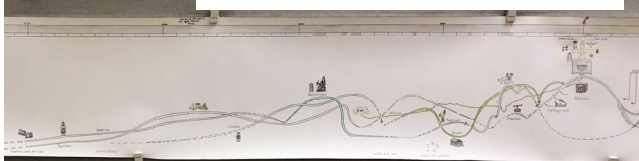


For the past three weeks, some of the Level III students have been working with the Plan of God materials. The Direct Aim is to revisit God's plan for mankind throughout Salvation History and to contemplate each person's role as collaborators in His plan.

We've discussed the invisible bridges that connect us to early man; as he began to work with tools, invented the wheel, figured out how to build a pyramid, etc. - what do we have today due to the inventions of so long ago? Are we grateful to those we don't know who passed on such great gifts to us?



Section of the poster to show us the beginning of a peoples, the time of most splendor, and the decline of a peoples.



YAC Mankato**Young Adult Catholics**

A ministry for young adults (20s/30s, married/single, kids/no kids) in the Mankato area!

Men's Studies: Monday evenings 6:30pm, contact

Michael Flanagan @ 507-696-6633

Wednesday mornings 6:15am, contact Dustin Shank

@ 507-324-2365

Women's Studies: Wednesday evenings 7pm, contact

Cristina Roche @ 612-805-3705

Thursday mornings 6am (every other week), contact

Anna Weidner @ 320-292-9596

Loyola Catholic School

Learn about Loyola Catholic School

(PS-12) at **Crusader for a Day, No-**

venember 8th. Visit

www.loyolacatholicschool.org or

Contact Angela Casteel at

acasteel@loyolacatholicschool.org

or 507.388.0615 to schedule family tours, shadow a class or student for the day.



Wired to the Heart, Diamonds and Denim Gala:

Friday, November 15 in the MSU Ballroom. For

tickets and information visit

www.wiredtotheheart.com

Loyola is always looking for substitutes for teaching, paraprofessionals and facilities. Contact Angela Casteel if you are interested.

acasteel@loyolacatholicschool.org or

507.388.0615

Loyola will soon be offering bus service to some of our students outside of the District 77 bus routes. We are seeking a bus driver for the morning route, with the potential of adding shifts. No special license needed. For more information, please contact Trudi Clements, 507-388-0606.

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We need a temporary substitute for adoration in Xavier Chapel from November 21st through January 9th on Thursdays from 2:00 to 3:00 pm or 3:00 to 4:00 pm (which ever is more convenient for you). Please call Linda at 720-0467. Thank You.

During the Month of November the Book of the Dead will be in the Gather Area for you to write in the names of your beloved deceased family members to be prayed for each week.

***PRO LIFE***

God never stops offering each of us His mercy, a concrete reality with which He reveals His love.

Rosary Society

Rosaries prayed for the weekend of November 2-3, 2019, for all Christians, may we look forward to the resurrection of the dead by preparing now, in hope, for our passage from this life into eternal life, Sundays, 7:05 am and 9:05 am in the main Church & Wednesdays, 3:30 pm in Xavier Hall Chapel.





Evangelio

Lc 19, 1-10

En aquel tiempo, Jesús entró en Jericó, y al ir atravesando la ciudad, sucedió que un hombre llamado Zaqueo, jefe de publicanos y rico, trataba de conocer a Jesús; pero la gente se lo impedía, porque Zaqueo era de baja estatura. Entonces corrió y se subió a un árbol para verlo cuando pasara por ahí. Al llegar a ese lugar, Jesús levantó los ojos y le dijo: "Zaqueo, bájate pronto, porque hoy tengo que hospedarme en tu casa".

Él bajó enseguida y lo recibió muy contento. Al ver esto, comenzaron todos a murmurar diciendo: "Ha entrado a hospedarse en casa de un pecador".

Zaqueo, poniéndose de pie, dijo a Jesús: "Mira, Señor, voy a dar a los pobres la mitad de mis bienes, y si he defraudado a alguien, le restituiré cuatro veces más". Jesús le dijo: "Hoy ha llegado la salvación a esta casa, porque también él es hijo de Abraham, y el Hijo del hombre ha venido a buscar y a salvar lo que se había perdido".

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Rom 11:29-36; Sal 69 (68):30-31, 33-34, 36; Lc 14:12-14
 Martes: Rom 12:5-16b; Sal 131 (130):1bcde-3; Lc 14:15-24
 Miércoles: Rom 13:8-10; Sal 112 (111):1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lc 14:25-33
 Jueves: Rom 14:7-12; Sal 27 (26):1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lc 15:1-10
 Viernes: Rom 15:14-21; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Lc 16:1-8
 Sábado: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Sal 46 (45):2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
 Domingo: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Sal 17 (16):1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Tes 2:16 — 3:5; Lc 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]



Hacemos un cordial invitación a La Legión de María todos los sábados de 9:00 am a 10:00 am en la sala 205.

¿Qué pretende el RICA?

Invitar a adultos no bautizados a convertirse en miembros de la iglesia católica. También adultos que necesitan recibir los Sacramentos del Bautismo, la Reconciliación, la Comunión o la Confirmación. Para mas informacion



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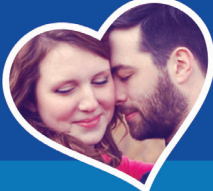
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