



# SS. PETER AND PAUL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF WINONA-ROCHESTER  
STAFFED BY PRIESTS OF THE INSTITUTE OF THE INCARNATE WORD



May 7, 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter

## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

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We are grateful you have chosen to join us in worship today. Do you have questions about our parish faith community? Please call the parish office at (507) 388-2995 to talk with one of our priests, religious, or staff members. You can also find more details at our parish website.

*¡Bienvenidos a nuestra comunidad parroquial! ¿Son nuevos en la zona? Llaman a la oficina parroquial (507) 388-2995 o visiten a nuestro sitio web para ver en que podemos servirles. ¡Que la Virgen María bendiga su hogar, le guarde y proteja siempre!*



## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily: 7:00 am Monday to Friday  
Saturday: 8:00 am  
Sunday: 5:15 pm (Vigil)  
7:30 am & 9:30 am  
11:30 am TLM @ Loyola Campus  
1:00 pm (Español)



## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 8:45 am, 11:00 am & 4:00 pm  
Daily: 7:45 am

## ADORATION

Monday - Friday: 7:45 am - 7:00 pm  
Saturdays  
(during Oratory):  
8:45 am - 12:00 noon

Holy Hours for Priests/Vocations:

- Mondays @ 10:00 AM
- Tuesdays @ 9:00 AM
- Wednesdays & Thursdays @ 2:00 PM
- Fridays Hispanic @ 5:00 PM

### 40 HOURS FOR VOCATIONS

To sign up and for  
more details visit:  
[www.40horas.org](http://www.40horas.org)

## LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Pam Hallberg, Deb Stevens, Helga Nefzger, Paul Scheurer, Betty Sohler, Margaret Brewer, Rose Morris, John Janc, Leslie & Martha Allen, Dennis McCabe, Fr. Tom Schloemer, SJ

## HAPPENING THIS WEEK

### MASS INTENTIONS AND CALENDAR

#### Sunday, May 7

- 9:30 am Mass First Holy Communion
- 1:00 pm Mass First Holy Communion
- 3:00 pm Reparation to the Holy Face of Jesus in Church

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:30 am - 50th Wedding Anniversary of Bernie and Nancy Fasnacht: *Family*
- 9:30 am - offered for the Intentions of the Parishioners
- 11:30 am - (TLM @ Loyola Catholic School) †Ana Thuoc Tran: *Family*
- 1:00 pm - (en español) Intentions of Lorenza Ramirez Cisneros & Ramona Cisneros: *Elena Lopez*

#### Monday, May 8

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:00 am - †Bernice Eckstein: *Patty Kopel*

#### Tuesday, May 9

- 4:00 pm - Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)
- 7:00 pm - Women of Jerusalem in Upper Room

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:00 am - †Gerald Burtzel: *Charles Shamp*
- 11:00 am - (@ Mankato Lodge) †Dick Oberle: *Maggie Oberle*

#### Wednesday, May 10

- 9:00 am Missions Quilters Upper Room
- 6:00 pm - Leo's Adult Book Study in Jesuit Hall
- 6:00 pm - Faith Formation / Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- 7:30 pm - Spark JY and Ablaze Youth Groups

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:00 am - †Cecilia Callies: *Rich Schneller*

#### Thursday, May 11

- 5:30 to 7 pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting in Jesuit Hall
- 6:15 pm Spanish Legion of Mary in Upper Room

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:00 am - †Anniv. of Fritz Niederegger: *Family*
- 11:00 am - (@ Oaklawn) Maria Guadalupe and Aurelio Garibay: *Family*

#### Friday, May 12

- 8:00 am - Legion of Mary in the Upper Room

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:00 am - †Eileen Reichel: *Mike and Chris Schmitz*
- 11:00 am Old Main -Priests Serving our Parish: *Seven Sisters*

#### Saturday, May 13

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 8:00 am - †Mary Bauer: *Jan Bauer*
- 5:15 pm - †Frank Willaert: *Kay Willaert*

#### Sunday, May 14 -- Mothers Day

- 3:00 pm Reparation to the Holy Face of Jesus in Church
- 40 Hours Devotion [40horas.org/en/](http://40horas.org/en/)

#### MASS INTENTIONS

- 7:30 am - Sonja Bernard: *Chuck and Rosie Bernard*
- 9:30 am - offered for the Intentions of the Parishioners
- 11:30 am - (TLM @Loyola Campus) Souls in Purgatory
- 1:00 pm - (en español) Ines Sanchez and Aurelio Alberdin: *Family*

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

This Sunday we have the blessing of celebrating First Holy Communion for 18 of our young parishioners. In this moment let us reflect on the importance of the Holy Eucharist in the life of the Church. As we prepare for the Diocesan Eucharistic Congress on June 10th, we can consider how much time we spend at prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. The renovations to our Adoration Chapel are finishing up! Consider signing up to adore Our Lord.

### **The Eucharist - Source and Summit of Ecclesial Life**

The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life. The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it. For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself, our Pasch.

The Eucharist is the efficacious sign and sublime cause of that communion in the divine life and that unity of the People of God by which the Church is kept in being. It is the culmination both of God's action sanctifying the world in Christ and of the worship men offer to Christ and through him to the Father in the Holy Spirit.

Finally, by the Eucharistic celebration we already unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life, when God will be all in all.

In brief, the Eucharist is the sum and summary of our faith: Our way of thinking is attuned to the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in turn confirms our way of thinking. (CCC 1324-1327)



## OUR PARISH STAFF IS HERE TO HELP

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## SACRAMENTS AND PASTORAL CARE

Please contact the Parish Office at 507 388-2995 for the following Pastoral needs:

- Anointing of the Sick
- Home Bound Communion
- Prayer Requests
- Marriage Preparation
- Baptism Preparation
- New Member Registration

*For the greater glory of God, and the salvation of souls*

## NEWS FROM OUR PARISH



### Baptism

We wish to Welcome into the Family of God  
**Emilia Alejandra Guzman Quintanilla**  
who was baptized this past weekend.

### Sympathy

With Faith in the resurrection  
We Recommend to the Lord  
**Thomas Schaible**

### Baccalaureate

Is your son or daughter graduating high school this year? We would like to honor them at our Parish Baccalaureate Mass on June 4th. Contact the parish office for more details. A reception will follow Mass in Jesuit Hall. All are welcome.

### First Communion Students

Please keep in your prayers the following students who made their First Holy Communion Sunday  
**at the 9:30 am Mass,**

Andrew Joseph Benton, Brooklyn Sue Boyle,  
Audrey Elizabeth Cornelius, Emryck Paul Degen,  
Joseph Douglas Kurkowski, Lucy Kortuem, Henry Oliver  
Moosbrugger, Theresa Rose Porwoll, Charity Lynn Tietema,  
Elizabeth Ann Wersal, Sebastian Paul Winiarski

### **also at the 1:00 pm Spanish Mass**

Natalee Sophia Adame, Leilany Barboza, Melany Barboza, Juan  
Emerson Bolanos Gaines, Joselyn Bravo, Christopher David  
Cartagena Quiroz, Angel David Rodriguez Morales,  
Gerik Adair Rosales Turcios

### Moondogs

Sunday, June 4th is Faith and Family Night at the  
Moondogs! The game starts at 5:05 pm. Contact the  
parish office to reserve your seats with our Parish group.

### Mission Quilters

Mission Quilters found homes for 30 lap robes at a facility nearby. One of the residents said, "I've never had anything this beautiful." Another resident reacted with a "Why Me"? The reactions that we hear about these donations are extremely heartwarming.

### **We will keep quilting!**

The quilters could use buttons, blankets,  
**and especially yarn. Thank You.**

## FINANCIAL REPORT

### IN OUR GENEROSITY WE IMITATE GOD

	April 30, 2023	YTD Giving	YTD Budget
ADULT ENV	\$5,213.00	\$356,252	\$486,538
E-TRANSFER	\$1,315.00	\$91,176	
PLATE COL	\$1,244.56	\$61,872	\$53,308
CHILDREN	\$13.00	\$379	\$846
TOTAL	\$7,785.56	\$509,679	\$540,692
2023 CMA	Gifts Received	Goal	% of Goal
	\$13,805	\$48,623	28.39%
	(49 families)		

### Next weekend there will be a Second Collection for Catholic Charities



Graduation season is upon us! Loyola's Baccalaureate Mass will take place on Wednesday, May 17, at 7pm in the Loyola chapel. Graduation is on Sunday, May 21, at 6pm at Loyola. Join our family of dedicated staff and teachers!

We are currently searching for these passionate, dedicated employees for the 2023/24 school year:

- K-8 Art Teacher
- Elementary Phy Ed Teacher
- Elementary/Middle School STEM Teacher
- High School Theology Teacher, part-time
- Preschool Paraprofessional, part-time
- Childcare Program Coordinator- Community Ed Director equivalent
- After School Childcare Lead Teacher
- Summer Childcare Lead Teacher

## GIFT STORE

Stop by the Gift Store before and after weekend Masses. We have a very nice selection of gifts for Baptism, Holy

Communion, and Confirmation. We also have some Spanish Missals for sale. Gift Cards are available. You can shop any time during office hours also.



*Para la mayor gloria de Dios y la salvación de las almas*



## NEWS FROM



## OUR COMMUNITY

### VINE Faith in Action

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference Spirituality - Friendship - Service

Thank you to everyone who continues to discern God's Will for a new conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The ongoing meetings will be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. The meetings will start at 5:30 pm and end by 6:40 pm and are held in Jesuit Hall. The next meeting will be on Thursday, May 11 at 5:30 pm. We were very blessed to have new people at the last meeting. Everyone is welcome.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month, and we want to take this opportunity to raise awareness. Mental health is just as important as physical health and it's important to prioritize both, especially as we age. At least one in four older adults experience some mental disorder, such as depression or anxiety. As we age, we may face challenges related to isolation and loneliness, which can have negative impacts on our own well-being. It's important to acknowledge that these feelings are valid and seeking help is a sign of strength. VINE offers a variety of programs and resources to support older adults in their mental health journey. Call 507-387-1666 to join one of their many programs.

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<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Bill Pestka</b> We love you and miss you. Shirley and Family</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Bruce Johnson</b> Your life was a blessing, your memory a treasure Barb and Family</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Vincent Thul</b> We love you and miss you. Marlene and Family</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Robert Weimar</b> We love you and miss you. Delores</p>
<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Shirley Izen</b> We love you and miss you. Delores</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of <b>Marlin Portner</b> Forever in our Hearts Carol and Family</p>	<p>Eternal rest give to them, O Lord: And let perpetual light shine upon them. <b>Holy Souls</b></p>	<p>In Memory of <b>Dolores &amp; Dean Goodrich</b> May your Souls shine like the sun and you will always be in our hearts. You are dearly missed. Michelle Goodrich and Family</p>