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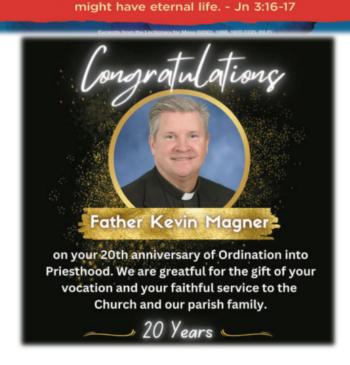


Father John Meyer, Pastor Father Kevin Magner, Parochial Vicar

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so

that everyone who believes in him might not perish but



### Weekly Meditation

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you. (2 Corinthians 13:13)

This familiar verse from St. Paul's second letter to the Corinthians is one of the clearest passages in the New Testament that talks about the Holy Trinity. And while Paul's prayer does not even begin to exhaust the depth and complexity of the Trinity, it can certainly give us some insight. So let's ponder these words to explore how each Person of the Trinity might want to be with all of us today.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus has made God's saving grace available to us. He pours out that grace in the form of mercy from God for us sinful human beings. He manifests that grace every time he forgives and heals and restores us. And he offers that grace to you, anew, each day.

The love of God. Love is the foundation of everything God the Father does. Why did he create? Out of love. Why did he send his Son into the world? Because he loved us and wanted to redeem us. Why did he send the Holy Spirit? Because his love naturally and freely flows outward toward us. It's a creative and generous and expansive love. And your heavenly Father wants to fill you with that love today.

The fellowship of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit, the third Person of the Trinity, is the communion of love between the Father and the Son. Because, in a sense, he is fellowship, he gathers us into that communion. He enflames our hearts with love for God. He draws us out of isolation or sin and into unity with God and with the people around us. That's the "fellowship" he offers you today—fellowship with him and with his people.

As you join your fellow parishioners in worshipping this triune God at Mass today, know that he is pouring out his grace on "all of you" (2 Corinthians 13:13). So go ahead and open your heart to receive it.

"Holy Trinity, you are a mystery. Help me to say yes to your work in my life today."

The Word Among Us - June 2023 Edition



### Saturday, June 10th @ 5:00 pm

Celebrant: Fr. John Meyer

Altar Servers: Alex & Luke Millner

Eucharistic Ministers: Greg & Audrey Roth

**Greeter:** Ann Waldschmidt **Lector:** Angela Meuwissen **Sacristan:** Patrick Meuwissen

Ushers: Tim Waldschmidt, Al Jude, Cliff

Zimmermann, & Ron Mares

### Sunday, June 11th @ 8:30 am

Celebrant: Fr. John Meyer

Altar Servers: Ryan Steinhoff & Maddison

Dwenger

Eucharistic Ministers: Carolyn Eicher & Michael

Holthaus

Greeter: Renee Wyffels Lector: Jackie Steinhoff Live Stream: Brent Danzeisen Sacristan: Renee Logeais

Ushers: Brad Holte, Ric Fournier, Jerry & Deb

Goodale

### Sunday, June 11th @ 10:30 am

Celebrant: Fr. John Meyer

Alter Servers: Ryan Mackedanz & Dayanara

Martinez Mejia

Eucharistic Ministers: Roger & Karen Millner

Greeter: Heather Ergen Lector: Jessica Chapman Sacristan: Shelly Naaktgeboren

Ushers: Art Dingmann, Traci Arends, David

Spike & Jack Purcell

## Training for all Eucharistic Ministers (New, Current, and Homebound Ministers):

We invite and encourage all Eucharistic Ministers to attend a training session on Monday, June 12th following the 6:00 pm Mass in the gathering space. Session will include refresher information as well as Q&A. Please call the parish office or respond to the Ministry Scheduler message in your inbox to confirm your attendance.

All Eucharistic Ministers will be Commissioned for this blessed ministry on the weekend of June 24th and 25th.



### Sister Parish Connection

The Heart to Heart Mission Team of St. Ignatius has developed a wonderful relationship with our Sister Parish, St. Vincent Ferrer, in Pacuan, Philippines. The first trip occurred in 2009 with Fr.



Victor and 3 parishioners. Since then, five additional teams have traveled to Pacuan and a team from St. Vincent traveled to Annandale in 2013. The vision/mission is to share, experience, and grow in our Catholic faith with one another. For the next few weeks, we would like to share experiences of those who have traveled.

Please prayerfully consider making the journey to meet our brothers and sisters in Pacuan. For more information contact the parish office.

### Mari Arfsten, 2011

"My visit to our sister parish is an experience that I will not soon forget. The people there are so generous with their time and resources little that they have. The occasion that touched me most was when my hostess brought together her whole household as well as employees for a bible lesson. It was humbling for me to see the faith of these people. It reminded me stories in the bible where whole households came to believe in Christ. These people live out their faith every day."



It is our pleasure to publish the Banns of the intended weddings of:

Doug Ramler and Margaret Lahammer (II)
June 17, 2023 at St. Ignatius Catholic Church

Dylan Lemke and Mackenzie Athman (I) June 24, 2023 at St. Ignatius Catholic Church

Please pray for all those preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage.

### St. Ignatius Prayer Chain

Prayer warriors are here for you! We all know how powerful prayer can be and many have experienced healing, peace, guidance and other answers to their needs through prayer. If you are in need of prayers, we will lift our hearts and our voices in prayer with you. Requests can be made using the contact information below. Prayers for those with long term needs are placed on a special list and prayed for daily. Other requests are prayed according to the desires of those requesting the prayers. You may choose to remain anonymous, God understands!

Julie Petersen 320-274-8828 ext. 100, 320-250-1750, julie@stignatiusmn.com

### Homebound Ministry

If you or someone you know would like one of our home visitors to stop by your residence for companionship, prayer, or have Holy Communion brought to you, please call or email the parish office to make arrangements.

A special thank you from The Cemetery Committee to all those who were able to help us with spring clean up at our beautiful cemetery on March 23rd.





Lucille Elena Fauks, daughter of
Spencer and Katlyn Fauks, received
the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on

Sunday May, 28th. Welcome into the One Holy Catholic Church, Lucille!



Last Chance to register for Extreme Faith Camp! Campers in grades 6th-8th (2022-23 school year) are invited to join us for a full week of an amazing camp experience with swimming, boating, nature hikes, sports, crafts and much more! Extreme Faith Camp is integrated closely with other parishes from the Archdiocese, guaranteeing that summer camp is not just a mountaintop faith experience, but one that builds lifelong foundations of faith.

### Employment opportunities at St. Timothy

St. Timothy school in Maple Lake hiring for the following positions are for the 2023-2024 school year: FT Second Grade Teacher, PT Kitchen Manager PT Extended Day Coordinator, and PT Custodian/Maintenance If interested, please contact Mrs. Shelby at principal@stimml.org

The Church of Saint Timothy in Maple Lake is looking for a Parish Custodian. The schedule for this position is 32.5 hours per week, Monday-Friday. Duties include maintaining a clean church facility, light repairs and maintenance of the church and rectory, parish grounds upkeep, and more. We are looking for a person who has maintenance and/or facilities experience, is selfmotivated, is friendly, and has a desire to serve the Church. The position requires a boiler license or the ability to obtain the license. A complete job description is available upon request. If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please send an inquiry to the attention of Karrie Weber at 8 Oak Avenue N. Maple Lake, MN 55358 or via email to kweber@churchofsttimothy.org.

### Gospel Meditation

In my experience, one of the peculiarities of being a man is the somewhat unlikely ability to look into the mirror, no matter how out of shape he may be, and declare with full confidence: "Looking good, buddy!" Ask a man. He'll probably confirm it.

Therein lies a mystery. You might think I refer to man's ability to deceive himself or his propensity toward vainglory. But in this case, I refer to the mystery of a healthy and proper sense of self-love. We human beings (both men and women) have the utterly weird ability to look at ourselves as if we were another. Then we tend to love this "other." Then, somehow, that love becomes a bond between the two. We are three and yet one.

This Sunday is Trinity Sunday. We ponder anew that God in His unity is a play of multiplicity: Lover, Beloved, and shared Love. Or, as we also proclaim, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If we allow it, this mystery heals our temptation toward self-hatred and destruction. We all know how awful it is to look into the mirror and not know the person we see, or, equally bad, to know and hate who we see. Jesus, the Son of God, draws us into the dynamics of authentic self-knowledge and self-love. Perhaps we could ask the Holy Trinity this Sunday to teach us to truly look at ourselves and to properly love who we see looking back.

— Father John Muir



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### Saturday, June 3rd

5:00 pm Parishioners

### Sunday, June 4th

8:30 am † Yvo and Trudy Jenniges 10:30 am Parishioners

### Monday, June 5th

6:00 pm Parishioners

### Tuesday, June 6th

8:00 am Parishioners

### Wednesday, June 7th

8:00 am Parishioners

### Thursday, June 8th

8:00 am † Vivian West

### Friday, June 9th

No Daily Mass at St. Ignatius. Mass available at St. Timothy's in Maple Lake (8:00 am)

### Saturday, June 10th

5:00 pm † Gordon Diethert

### Sunday, June 11th

8:30 am † Leo E. Koshiol 10:30 am Parishioners



Projected weekly giving ......\$5,890.00 492 parish families

Stewardship totals unavailable for May27/28 due to the early bulletin deadline. Totals will be posted in the next bulletin publication.





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### Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass - 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses - 8:30 am and 10:30 am

8:30 Mass is live streamed on the parish Facebook page and

You Tube channel

### Daily Mass

Mondays 6:00 pm, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays 8:00 am (No Daily Mass on Fridays)

### Reconciliation

4:30 pm Saturday (one-half hour prior to Sat. Mass)

### Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

Last Thursday of the month, 8:30 am - 7:00 pm

### Sacraments

### Baptisms

Please contact the parish <u>at least</u> two months in advance of the Baptism. Parents are required to attend a Baptism class prior to the Baptism. Baptisms are scheduled through the parish office, and are held following the I0:30 am Mass.

### Marriage

Please contact the pastor <u>at least</u> six months in advance of the desired wedding date.

Bulletin submission deadline is Tuesdays at noon, unless an early deadline notice is posted:

Submissions for the June 17/18 Bulletin are due by noon on Wednesday, June 7th

Submissions for the July 8/9 Bulletin are due by noon on Wednesday, June 28th

# Thank you to the CCW for hosting the 2nd annual Living Rosary





On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity we are reminded to encourage one another, show affection and support. Can we do it? Can we do it in our daily interactions, in our families? Can we even do it on social media?

# Calendar of EVENTS

Sunday, June 11: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Monday, June 12: Eucharistic Minister Training Friday, June 16: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, June 17: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

June 18: Father's Day

Saturday June 24 and Sunday, June 25: Eucharistic Minister Commissioning— all Masses

Sunday, June 25: Donut Sunday (Fellowship and Goodies) Thursday, June 29: Eucharistic Adoration 8:30 am— 7:00 pm



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