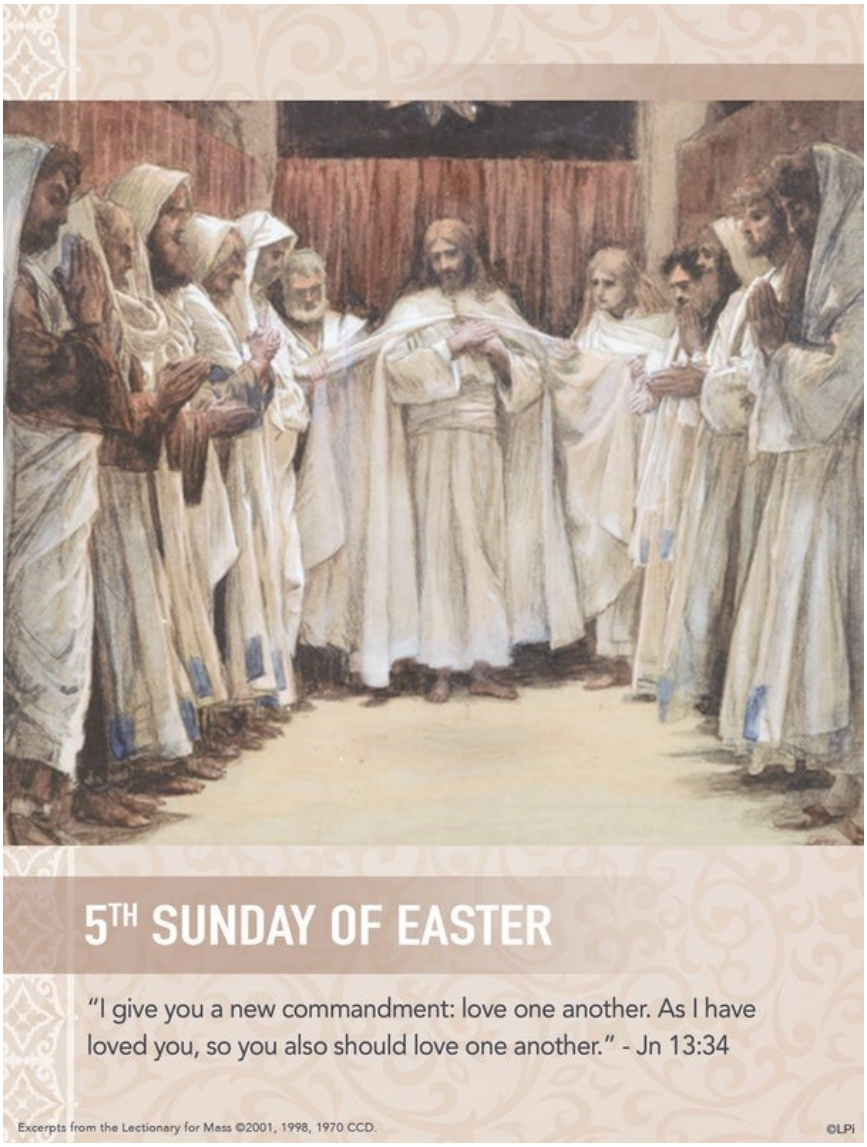
Holy Spirit Parish
227 Third St.
Two Harbors, MN

St. Mary's Parish
57 Horn Blvd.
Silver Bay, MN

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

HOLY SPIRIT & ST MARY'S

Fifth Sunday of Easter | May 15, 2022



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Please contact your parish office.

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Bulletin Announcements must be submitted to your parish office before 4:30 pm on Mondays.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

Mass Schedule
Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 11:00 am

Confession Schedule
Friday: 7:30 - 8:00 am
Saturday: 3:30 - 4:15 pm
Or by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration: Fridays 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Holy Spirit Office Hours:
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm Monday - Thursday
7:00 am - 11:00 am Friday
Office is located in parish basement.

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ST. MARY'S PARISH

Mass Schedule
Saturday: 7:15 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am

Confession Schedule
Saturday: 6:30 - 7:00 pm
Sunday: 7:50 - 8:15 am
Or by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration: Wednesdays 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

St. Mary's Office Hours:
8:00 am - 2:00 pm Monday - Thursday
Office is located in St. Mary's Rectory.

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St Mary's, Silver Bay

Parish News:

Family Faith Formation
We meet this **Wednesday, May 18**. Dinner at 6 pm; classes start at 6:30 pm.

Bible Study
We meet on **Sunday evenings at 6:30 pm** in the Social Hall. New members are always welcome.

Prayer Shawl Ministry
We will meet on **Friday, May 27 at 1 pm** in the community room at Silverpointe. If you have any questions, contact Lana at (218) 220-7158.

Knights of Columbus
We will meet next on **Thursday, May 26 at 7 pm.** We will start out with Mass at 6:30 pm.

Family Faith Formation Year-End Party
Our BBQ will be on **Wednesday, May 25 at 6 pm**. We are hoping for great weather and a dry yard so we can have our annual game of kickball but we will have a back up plan ready if the weather doesn't cooperate.

Your Parish NEEDS YOU!
We all make up this beautiful parish; everyone has gifts and talents that can be shared with their parish family. What are your God-given gifts/talents? We can always use more volunteers to assist with the Liturgy as Reader, Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, Sacristan or Usher but there are many other opportunities, too. Do you like baking, cooking, doing maintenance/repair, painting, or gardening? Maybe you enjoy visiting with others and could reach out to the homebound with a call or a visit to let them know we are thinking of them? These are just some of the ways you could serve your parish. If you're interested in serving in any of these roles or have other thoughts of things we are missing, please contact Cindy.

Gift Bearers
We will resume having individuals or families bring up the gifts during Mass. We will have a sign up at the back of the church, so the ushers know who will be coming back to help. This is a great way to serve without having to commit ahead of time, simply sign up when you come to Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration every Wednesday 9 am - 3 pm.

Weekend Collection

General Fund	$1,431.80
UCA	$480.00
Holy Land/Good Friday	$20.00

Please Keep These People In Your Prayers

- ✝ **Parishioners**: Ken & Bonnie Kruger, Joanne Johnson, Don Baune, Delsie Mealey, Bob Connor, Sharon Stauss, Lino Rauzi, Don Seipke, Greta Stefanich, Joe & Elaine Rollins, Gale Fredrickson, Mary Ann Stebbins, Carol and Elwood Youngberg.
- ✝ **Clergy**: Fr. Bill Skarich.
- ✝ **Relatives & Friends:** Frank Dumais, John Sandstrom, Curt Oxyer, Dan Spielman, Adam Pond, Shirley Kitsch, Terry Hanson, Bob Martinsen, Marc Huss Sr., Brad Hove, Bill Crandall, Johnny Jerabek, Andy McBride, Jerry Pybas, Joanne Baier, Dan Moudry.
- ✝ **Military**: Logan Scallen, Kris Topp, Chris Grensing, John Ferguson, Michael Seipke, Mason McClellan.

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday — MAY 14

6:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
7:15 p.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Deacon Fred Wright* ✝
Cantor .....Terri Frericks-Blood
Reader.....Tom Frericks
Plate……Jeff Asmussen
Server.....Natalie Reineccius

Sunday — MAY 15

7:50 a.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
8:30 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for All Parishioners*
Cantor .....Sue Bahar
Reader.....Gerry Bahar
Plate……Lanay Frericks
Server.....Hadlee Rohloff

Monday — MAY 16

No Mass

Tuesday — MAY 17

8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Lorraine Petersen* ✝

Wednesday — MAY 18

8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Conversion of Sinners*
9:00 a.m. **Adoration**
3:00 p.m. **Benediction**

Thursday — MAY 19

8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Rev. John Doyle* ✝

Friday — MAY 20

8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Deacon Fred* ✝ *& Mary Wright*

Saturday — MAY 21

6:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
7:15 p.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Dawson Rowlee & Jessalyn Hansen*
Cantor .....Rick Frericks
Reader.....Emma Rohloff
Plate……Steve Rohloff
Server.....Hadlee Rohloff

Sunday — MAY 22

7:50 a.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
8:30 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for All Parishioners*
Cantor .....Rick Frericks & Wade Melander
Reader.....Thomas Clifford
Plate……Laura Swartz
Server.....Grace & Sam Swartz

From the Desk of Father Steve: Quotes for Re-consideration

As I mentioned last week, I will be republishing a few bulletin articles that I had written several years ago, so as to take a little breather from the weekly task of writing a new article during this Easter Season. Below is an article from the spring of 2016, which was a part of a larger series on prayer. I hope you enjoy. Happy Easter!

~Fr. Steve

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"Prayer is to our soul what rain is to the soil. Fertilize the soil ever so richly: it will remain barren unless fed by frequent rains." *-St. John Vianney (1786-1859)*

This week I am continuing my recent theme from my previous bulletin articles in talking about prayer, and, as promised, I wish this weekend to speak to the discipline of prayer. When I was growing up, there were many summers that would end rather dry, close to being a drought. And my dad would talk about how we so desperately needed rain. And I would point out that strong thunderstorms were being forecasted, to which he would respond that, "Well, that's ok. But it would be better if we had a day or two of a continuous, gentle rain, so that the ground would be soaked well, but not flooded."

I think that there is a lot of wisdom to be found here for the life of prayer. Often, we are tempted to pray when we feel like it, or when we think that we have the necessary time. And so our prayer with God may be sporadic or come in chunks. But it is absolutely essential for any serious growth in the spiritual life that we develop a sound discipline of daily prayer with God. Yes, I said "discipline" and "prayer" in the same sentence! Too often, we are tempted to believe that prayer should feel good and bring us a feeling of comfort or peace, and that if we don't feel this way, we must be doing something wrong, and we give up. But we need to recover an ancient spiritual notion of daily prayer as battle. It is truly a battle of our will to master our emotions and go to prayer every day for at least some time, whether we feel like it or not, whether we think we have the time or not (we always, always have the time, it all depends on how we use the time we have), or whether we feel like it is having any positive benefit or not. Prayer is a discipline. It requires hard work, it requires constant effort, it requires patience and it requires grit and determination.

That's why this above quote from St. John Vianney is so helpful: it reminds us of something that I spoke of before- our souls thirst for time spent in prayer with God. And if we don't pray often, our souls will become parched of thirst and shrivel up. What is most helpful to our development of our friendship with Jesus in our souls is not sporadic downpours of prayer, or long dry periods where we don't pray, but the soothing, nourishing, fertilizing, gentle steady rain of daily prayer. Only when we develop this discipline, only when we water our souls with the gentle rain of daily prayer, we will we see our relationship with God flourish and thrive. God bless you!

Hospital Privacy Laws

Due to privacy laws**,** if you or a loved one are in the hospital, the hospital will not contact me to inform me that you are there unless you ask them to contact the Church. So, if you or a loved one are hospitalized for any reason, please let us know by contacting the parish offices or by calling me at 834-4313 so that I can arrange a visit. – *Fr. Steve*

Please remember the local businesses who have sponsored our bulletin by placing an ad on the back page. We can thank them for their generosity by supporting them with our business.

Holy Spirit, Two Harbors

Cinnamon Roll Fundraiser for Mission Trip/Conference
There will be cinnamon rolls available for free-will donation after Masses this weekend. This fundraiser is for students going with the Diocese on a week-long combination mission trip and Steubenville Conference.

Family Faith Formation
We meet this Wednesday, May 18; dinner at 6 pm, classes at 6:30 pm.

Faith Formation End-of-Year BBQ
Mark your calendars for Wednesday, June 1. The fun will begin at 6 pm. We are hoping for great weather so we can play games outside but we will have a backup plan ready if the weather doesn't cooperate.

Vacation Bible School Registration
This year's VBS will be August 16-18 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm for those who have completed Kindergarten-5th grade. The cost is $15 per child with a family cap of $50. **After May 18th** the cost increases to $20 each. This fee includes a t-shirt and covers all the expenses. Those in 6th grade and older are encouraged to be youth assistants. Helpers should register as well but don't need to pay. Please let Cindy know if you need financial assistance.

United Catholic Appeal
You will soon receive the annual mailing requesting donations to the Diocese for the work of the Bishop. We recognize your resources are limited, so we offer this suggestion: for every $5 you give to the parish, offer $1 to UCA. If you're blessed to be able to offer more, please do so. In this way all of our donations will help the Diocese continue its mission and will assist the parish in meeting the amount we're asked to contribute.

Cassi's Corner—Gift Bearers
Next weekend we will begin implementing more pre-Covid practices. One such practice is parishioners bringing the bread and wine to the priest to consecrate it. This symbol of gathering our gifts together and bringing them as an offering to God, who in turn elevates them by making them His Body and Blood to nourish us, should be brought forward by a variety of people. At every Mass the ushers will ask individuals or families to bring up the gifts, so if you're asked, even though you may be uncomfortable being in front of people, unless you have a physical reason, please humbly accept!

Weekly Collection for May 7/8

General	$3,652.00
Building Fund	$310.00
UCA	$875.00

Please Keep These People In Your Prayers:

† **PARISHIONERS**: Ray Kortuem, Robert Entzion, Darlene Gadacz, Ray Morse, Verna Rafn, Florian Burger, Ed Gudowicz, Joe Seeber.

† **FRIENDS & RELATIVES:** David & Lynn Ford, Butch Henjum, Heidi Penman, Joselyn Erhardt, Robin LaBonte, Fr. Bill Skarich, Fr. Ben Hadrich, Luci Mischel, Barb Hankiewicz, Brian Hoffman.

† **MILITARY PERSONNEL**: Andy Gabrielson, Nick Johnson, Alex Lemke, Nate Berger, Christopher Uremovich, Brandon Madsen, James Mickle.

SACRED HEART CANDLE: *Joan Burke*

Liturgy Schedule
The Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before each Mass

Saturday — MAY 14

3:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
4:30 p.m. **Mass** - *Intention for All Parishioners*
Lector: Melissa Goldsworthy
Server: Ben & Brody Goldsworthy
Ushers: Mike Anderson & Deanne Thomasen

Sunday — MAY 15

11:00 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Pope Francis*
Lector: Andy Rogers
Servers: Anthony Lemke
Extraordinary Minister: Linda Hoffman
Ushers: Scott Ross & Needed

Monday — MAY 16

No Mass

Tuesday — MAY 17

5:30 p.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Barbara Gardner* ✞

Wednesday — MAY 18

No Mass

Thursday — MAY 19

8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Fran Magnuson* ✞
5:00 p.m. **Choir Practice**

Friday — MAY 20

7:30 a.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
8:15 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Kenneth Nyquist* ✞
9:00 a.m. **Adoration**
3:00 p.m. **Benediction**

Saturday — MAY 21

3:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
4:30 p.m. **Mass** - *Intention for All Parishioners*
Lector: Dan Thomasen
Server: Kennedy Gilbert
Ushers: Duke Gilbert & Bonnie Peterson

Sunday — MAY 22

11:00 a.m. **Mass** - *Intention for Special Intention*
Lector: Gina Lemke
Servers: Anthony Lemke
Ushers: John Seeber & Tom Simonsen
Extraordinary Minister: Chris Lemke

Spring Cleaning is upon us!

Help us share God's love with our neighbors!

St. Mary's is accepting donations year round for our annual winter clothing event!

Please drop off new/gently used winter items in the side entrance near the office.

Vacation Bible School

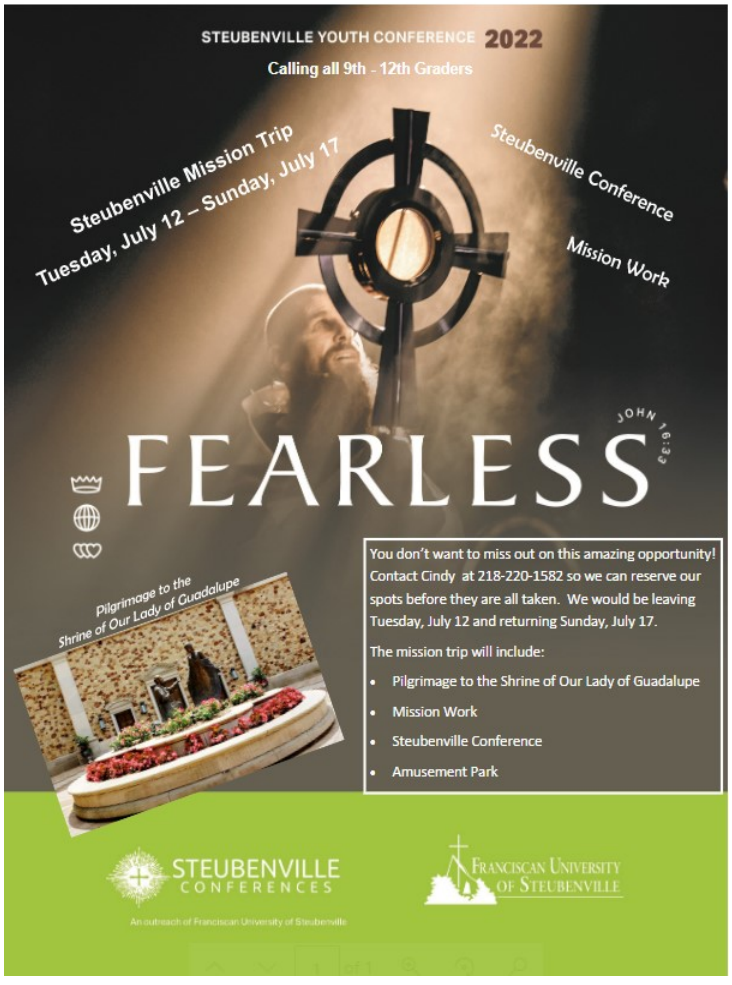
August 16-18
9:00 am - 3:00 pm
At Holy Spirit Two Harbors

Open to all students who have finished grades K-5.

Early bird cost: $15/person; family cap of $50

After May 18: $20/person

Register at www.holyspirittwoharbors.org



What turned this Protestant leader into a practicing Catholic?

On the Chris Stefanick Show, meet marketing CEO Jeremy Rivera. He was an active leader in Protestant young adult ministry … until he found the beauty of Catholicism.

Since then, he's worked with FOCUS Missionaries to form college students in the faith. Now, he's the head of his own company, doing Catholic media and marketing.

Chris and Jeremy talk about
- Keeping kids Catholic through college
- Marketing and evangelization
- Living out the faith in the business world
- How to get more out of the sacraments

This is just one of the great interviews on the Chris Stefanick Show.

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