

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 29, 2022



Go and teach all nations, says the Lord;
I am with you always, until the end of the world.

Mt 28:19a, 20b

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We welcome you...

Welcome to the greater St. Wenceslaus Catholic Parish which includes the Church of St. Wenceslaus and St. John the Evangelist and St. Scholastica. We are so glad you are here. Should you be visiting just for today, WELCOME! If you are seeking a church home, we would be honored to have you consider joining our faith community. If you are interested in membership, please phone the parish office for assistance and registration. If you are over the age of 21, we ask that you register. Please feel free to stop by the parish office during office hours to register or you may do so online. Again, we are happy you are here.

At the Church of St. Wenceslaus

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:30 am to 3:00 pm
(8:30 am to Noon on Fridays during the summer.)

Office Closed Monday, May 30

Weekend Masses

Saturday..... 5:00 pm
Sunday..... 8:30 & 10:30 am

Rosary Only

Monday..... 7:30 am

Weekday Masses w/Rosary at 7:30 am

Tuesday - Friday..... 8:00 am

If you are home bound or ill, *the previous weekend's Mass may be viewed on our website ~ npcatholic.org*

SACRAMENTS & OTHER INFORMATION

Anointing of the Sick

Available to those who are seriously ill or suffering from a prolonged illness. Call 952-758-3225

Confirmation

Preparation required. Call Britt LaVigne at 952-758-0486

Reconciliation

Friday from 3:00 to 4:00 pm in the church
Saturday 4:00 to 4:40 pm

Baptism

Preparation required. Call 952-758-3225

Marriage

Six months to one year preparation time required.
Call 952-758-3225

Rosary

Monday – Friday 7:30 am in the church.

Fatima Prayer Cell

Thursday in church after 8:00 am Mass

Adoration

Friday 8:30 am to 6 pm in the church.

Early Morning Scripture Study

Wednesday 7:00 to 8:00 am in church basement.

Prayer Chain

Judy: 952-758-2220 or Arnita: 952-758-4943

BeFrienders

Ann Schoenbauer: 952-758-3456 or
Lois Giesen: 952-758-2138

From the Desk of Father Theisen



Padre's Pen ~ Ascension Sunday and Summer Programs

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, in which we believe that Jesus' earthly life reached its culmination in His passing from this world to the Father. He no longer belongs to the world of corruption and death that conditions our earthly life. Whereas the glorified character of Jesus' Resurrected Body was veiled from the eyes of the apostles after His Resurrection, He now passes into the full and unveiled glory in His exalted position at the right hand of the Father.

It is important to understand that the Ascension does not mean that Jesus has departed from us. He has not abandoned us or left us orphans. On the contrary, with His Ascension into heaven, the Lord Jesus is now present to us in a new way. Though Jesus' earthly and visible presence in the world ends, He remains with us in an invisible way. He has not left us alone, but has sent us the Holy Spirit. Through the Holy Spirit, Christ continues to be with us, sanctifying us and giving us life. He acts through the Holy Spirit in the Church and in our souls. He guides us and leads us to the Father.

As we meditate on the mystery of Our Lord's Ascension, we also remember His words to the disciples immediately before His Ascension. He not only promises the Holy Spirit, but He commands the disciples to go forth as missionaries to the world. He gives them the charge of evangelization. He then gives them the power of the Holy Spirit to accomplish this mission.

What are some ways we can evangelize? How can we accomplish this mission? As families we can encourage growth by volunteering with the Church, participating in programs and keeping Christ the focus of our Summer, as well as the rest of the year.

Youth Ministry has some exciting programs this Summer for youth of all ages, including Totus Tuus for grades 1-6 and 7-12, Summer Stretch for grades 5-12 and Summer Festival Camp for grades 6-9. Please see the bulletin and website for more information on these programs or reach out to Laura and Britt in the Faith Formation Office.

***Ad Christum per Mariam,
Fr. Theisen***

Parish Debt Last Month	Parish Debt This Month
\$84,527.50	\$69,759.76

Missionary Priest Visit

Divine Providence Home is a home for disabled children in the state of Andhra Pradesh. Through the efforts of the Divine Providence home, thousands of children have been provided with good education and learned the skills to become employed and able to earn their livelihood.

CFIC is the Latin acronym for the Congregation of the Sons of the Immaculate Conception, founded by Blessed Luigi Maria Monti, in Rome, Italy, in the year 1857, three years after the proclamation of the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception. Today, after 165 years, the Congregation has extended its branches to 23 countries in different parts of the world. In North America, the members of the Order are rendering their services in Canada, the United States, and Mexico. The members of the Congregation, both as priests and lay religious, dedicate themselves to the care of the sick, and the care and education of orphaned, poor, and abandoned children. It is a fact that there are millions of less fortunate children, struggling for their daily survival in the world. They don't have so many big dreams, but they dream of good education and for their one and only daily meal. Suffering in their hardships, the Congregation feels that it is very significant and essential to show them the rays of hope in their lives. Through several caring centers in different countries, the Congregation takes care of thousands of children who are either physically or mentally challenged, poor, abandoned, or orphaned. Most of our caring centers are in India, the Philippines, South Korea, Cameroun, Nigeria, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Poland, Peru, Brazil, and Argentina.

Every summer we are visited by missionary priests from near and far. This year's missionary priest is Fr. George Jacob. Father Jacob is a representative of CFIC and has been the Pastor at St. Mary's Church in downtown St. Paul for several years. He will visit us the weekends of May 28/29 and June 04/05. Please be generous.



Mass Schedule Volunteers - St. John & St. Scholastica

June 04/05 2022	Saturday St. John 8:15 PM	Sunday St. Scholastica 8:00 AM	Sunday St. John 10:00 AM
Lector	Jim Widmer	Karen Odenthal	Kris Solheid
Eucharistic Ministers	Lisa Widmer	Becky Colwell	Kris Solheid
Servers	No Servers	No Servers	No Servers
Gift Bearer Family	No Gift Bearers	No Gift Bearers	No Gift Bearers

Western Catholic Community

Important Information

Weekend Masses

Saturday..... 8:15 pm St. John
 Sunday 8:00 am St. Scholastica
 Sunday 10:00 am St. John

Weekday Masses

Wednesday 5:30 pm St. John

SACRAMENTS & OTHER INFORMATION

Reconciliation

Saturday 7:30 pm St. John

Baptism & Confirmation

Preparation required. Call the Parish Office at 952-758-3225.

Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office at 952-758-3225.

Marriage

Prep required. Call Fr. Eugene Theisen.

Adoration

First Saturday 7:00 – 8:15 pm at St. John

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

WESTERN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY WEEK OF 05/22/2022

Total Collected 05/22/22 \$1,620

Under Budget for Week -\$1,534

Actual Collections YTD \$149,296

Over Budget YTD +\$1,065

Budget for Next Week \$3,154

Thank you for your support!

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PARISH AND AREA NEWS



****Our Livestreamed Masses & Rosary may be viewed on our website, npcatholic.org; on our Facebook Page, New Prague Catholic; or on YouTube, search "New Prague Area Catholic Community" at YouTube.com. One License: 700. A-711205**

Saint Alphonsus Liguori

(To pray anytime you are unable to physically participate in Communion)

My Jesus, I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen



God Bless the Newly Baptized

Welcome and congratulations to *Connor James Krautkremer*, son of Corey & Ann Krautkremer. We rejoice with your families on this joyful occasion!

An Invitation From the Green Team – 2022. We have many beautiful rain gardens, perennial gardens, annual gardens, and planters that beautify our campus buildings and parking lots, attract pollinators, and help to collect rainwater. Help is needed to keep our plantings healthy and looking good all summer. Contact Kathy McNamara if you are interested. Arrangements will be made for her to meet you at the garden to give directions. Sign up alone, with your family, or with friends. Use this link to sign up. signup-genius.com/go/10C0C44AEAC2FA6FDC61-green There may also be opportunities to help at different times in the spring, summer, and fall for special garden projects, including spring planting and fall clean up. Look for posts on Lotsa Helping Hands. Thank you! Kathy McNamara - Green Team Coordinator Kathymac0711@gmail.com or 952-200-4949

St Wenceslaus Cemetery Council News: We are looking for a Cemetery Administrator to do some burial plot selling and burial planning. This is a part-time (flexible hours) paid position. If you are interested in this position, or want more information, please call Ruth 952-758-3225. Chapel restoration: Plans are being discussed and the work should begin sometime later this year.

Bl. Karl's Corner

December 30, 1916, Bl. Karl was officially crowned King of Hungary in a beautiful ceremony presided over by Cardinal Csernoch, primate of Hungary. Twenty-nine year-old Karl was presented the sword of St. Stephen and crowned with his crown. Then he received the scepter and then the orb (symbolic of Christ's rule over the entire Earth and a reminder that he was acting as Christ's deputy), before being led to the throne. Special prayers accompanied the entire process. Zita remembered: The thing that impressed both of us most about the whole ceremony was the moving liturgical side of it all - especially the oaths that the King took at the altar before his anointing to preserve justice for all and strive for peace.

Join us Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. for our Bl. Karl Mass at St. John's. Latin rosary begins at 5:00 p.m. Latin materials are provided. For more information email: bl.Karl.UnionHill@gmail.com or visit www.emperorcharles.org

For those interested in saying a Latin rosary at home, Cardinal Burke leads the rosary in Latin on his Facebook page.



Corpus Christi at St. John the Evangelist with - Picnic on the lawn on Sunday June 19. On this Sunday, our Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, known as Corpus Christi. Holy Mass begins at 10:00 am, followed by a long-standing tradition at St. John; a procession after Mass with Father carrying the Blessed Sacrament to three outside altars with Benediction at each location. This is a public proclamation of our belief in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Picnic to follow Mass and Procession. All are welcome - join your friends and neighbors for burgers and beverages after Mass. Bring a lawn chair. Activities for entire family include face painting, gravity box basketball, bean bag toss and more. Your free will donation will support the St. John church repair fund thanks to an "Up to \$50,000 matching grant", offered by two anonymous donors. Prayer, Procession, Picnic! What a great way to celebrate Father's Day with your family.

Adult and Family Ministry/Discipleship Coordinator

Do you have a love for Jesus Christ and His Church? A passion for sharing the Gospel? Enthusiastic about bringing opportunities for others to know and love Jesus? Then we may have a position for you! Mary Higgins will be retiring at the end of May. Big shoes to fill, but we are looking to fill them. If you are interested in learning more about

this part-time position, please reach out and I can send you a complete job description. Contact laura.schoenecker@npcatholic.org. Thank you.

**COLLECTION INFORMATION ~
St. Wenceslaus Site
Week of 05/22/2022**

Total Collected for 05/22/22	\$5,895
Collections at Mass	\$5,745
Electronic Collections	\$150
Under Budget for Week	-\$9,419
Actual Collections YTD	\$714,262
Under Budget YTD	-\$5,496
Challenge for Next Week	\$15,314

Thank you for your generosity!

HELPING THE PRIESTS WHO'VE HELPED US

Did you know there's a home for retired priests of the Archdiocese? There is and you have an opportunity to share your gratitude by supporting the men who've ministered to you and your family for many decades. The Leo C. Byrne Residence offers 29 individual apartments for priests who have reached retirement age, most of whom continue to actively serve parishes and organizations around the Archdiocese.

The GRATITUDE Capital Campaign Renovation Project (coordinated by the Catholic Community Foundation) will fund work required to bring the entire Byrne Residence to a level of security and efficiency suitable for the safety and well-being of each resident priest. We ask for your support of this much needed renovation. Make your check payable to: CCF / Byrne Residence. Envelopes will be available the weekend of June 11-12.

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO TELL POPE FRANCIS?

In spring 2021, Pope Francis announced that the Catholic Church would engage in a synodal process that includes "listening to all of the baptized" in every diocese around the world. What would you like to share with Pope Francis? Now is your chance to say what you think the Catholic Church needs to focus on today. Take the survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VaticanSynodArchSPM>



**FAITH FORMATION AND
YOUTH MINISTRY**

VBS! We are so excited to once again be offering Totus Tuus (Totally Yours) VBS for this summer! We had a great response last year and are anxious to see what our college-aged leaders will be bringing to us this summer! The sessions for grades 1-6 run from 9:00-2:30. (if the 2:30 pickup time is an issue, reach out and we will see what we can do.) Dates are June 20-24. Our 7 & 8 and 9-12 graders will meet with

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the leaders in the evenings. Sessions run 6:15-8:30 and those dates are June 19-23. The cost for the entire week is only \$50! If the fee is an issue, please reach out to: Laura.schoenecker@npcatholic.org

We want all of our children/teens to be able to attend this amazing camp! We will offer meals at all the sessions. Registration deadline is June 5 to guarantee your child's spot and a t-shirt! Get signed up today!

Summer Festival Camp: an overnight camp at Gustavus, For those entering grades 6-10; July 17-20

Summer Stretch: For those entering grades 6-8, Thursdays beginning in July

Summer Stretch leaders: For those entering grades 9-12 (half-price)

Youth Alive: For those entering grades 10-12, monthly events - watch for details. Check your bulletin for updates and new events. For more information or questions, contact Laura at 952.758.5131 or Britt at 952.758.0486.



SCHOOL NEWS from SWS

Dear Parishioners, Parents, Grandparents, Friends of SWS,

That's a wrap for this school year.

All of us at St. Wenceslaus Catholic School wish each of you a wonderful summer with relaxation and warm sun. You are an amazing community, and we are so thankful to have you with us. Updates will come to you over the summer months but not weekly. We are already working on our school plans to start up again in fall. You will be informed as it is appropriate with changes to existing staff and new teachers, gatherings of our school community, important things happening in the school over the summer, times when we can all get together, and more. Each year, we find our school moving and changing. With change comes growth and opportunities. We look forward to the future of SWS. Stay tuned in to SWS. We are a Christ-centered family. When we have this part moving then the other parts follow. Please continue to pray for the health and strength of St. Wenceslaus Catholic School. We do make a difference in our community and world. Our school is needed for those of us who choose to be here and believe and for others whom we affect along the way. We have had a great year. We are reviewing the things that took place and the those that we want to build upon more in the future. We invite everyone to fill out a confidential school survey. Here is an online link. We will not be collecting email addresses to keep this highly confidential. <https://forms.gle/WWDmtkUXozdDUkRq6>

**Thanks for
your help
in making
SWS an
even better
school.**

Kim Doyle,
Principal
"Be Still and
Know that
I am God" –
Psalm 46:10



For with God nothing shall be impossible. Luke 1:37

Sunday, May 29, 2022**Hear me out**

Pope Francis chose one word for the theme of this year's World Communications Day: "Listen!" Since the pandemic has spared no one, we each carry wounds that need to be acknowledged and healed. Dialogue isn't all about talking, the pope notes. At least half the time we should be listening, a task requiring humility in order to receive the truth of another person's experience. At the same time, the quest for truth involves the discernment of reliable information. We begin with the courage to listen, free of prejudice or agenda. Only then can we find our way together to the light.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 7:55-60; Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; John 17:20-26 (61). *"That they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you."*

Monday, May 30, 2022**Give thanks for reverse mission**

Membership in the Catholic Church in the Western world is declining. It's painful for those who remain to see fewer and fewer people in the pews—or worse, to experience the closing of their parishes. It can seem like the church is on the ropes. But stop to think: There are an estimated 1.2 billion Roman Catholics in the world—more than 40 percent of them in Latin America, and the largest growth is in Africa and Asia. Many U.S. Catholic parishes now have priests from those regions. Consider how the Holy Spirit might be at work, with those the West once missioned to now missioning to us.

EASTER WEEKDAY

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 19:1-8; John 16:29-33 (297). *"In the world you will have trouble, but take courage, I have conquered the world."*

Tuesday, May 31, 2022**Moved by the Spirit**

The scene of Elizabeth greeting Mary, both carrying miraculous pregnancies, is blessedly familiar to Catholic ears. Our "Hail Mary" prayer comes from this encounter. And we hear that even *in utero* John the Baptist recognizes Jesus and leaps for joy. But Saint Ambrose makes an observation about this visit that's easy to miss: "Mary sets out for the hill country . . . She goes eager in purpose, dutiful in conscience, hastening for joy. Filled with God, where would she hasten but to the heights? The Holy Spirit does not proceed by slow, laborious efforts." When has the Holy Spirit prompted you to act in joyful haste?

FEAST OF THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

TODAY'S READINGS: Zephaniah 3:14-18a or Romans 12:9-16; Luke 1:39-56 (572). *"Most blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb."*

Wednesday, Jun 01, 2022**Give thanks to those who gave it all**

Today we celebrate the feast of Saint Justin, a figure known for his philosophical prowess, as well as his astute defense of the Christian faith during the second century. His writings are some of the earliest among the church fathers, making his comments on subjects like the sacraments a vital source of information about what the early church believed. He stood out as one arguing for the proto-Christian nature of Greek philosophers such as Socrates and Plato and sought to use their ideas to explain and spread the faith among his non-Christian contemporaries. These included

hostile Roman emperors, and Justin was eventually martyred alongside several of his students. Give thanks for the early witnesses who contributed so dearly to the deposit of faith we have inherited.

MEMORIAL OF JUSTIN, MARTYR

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 20:28-38; John 17:11b-19 (299). *"I gave them your word, and the world hated them, because they do not belong to the world."*

Thursday, Jun 02, 2022**May we all get to rest in peace**

Little is known historically about early Christians Marcellinus and Peter, martyred in 304. It is said they were killed at an out-of-the-way location by hostile Roman authorities so that other Christians would not have a chance to bury and venerate their bodies. Even so, it is said they peacefully and without protest cleared the spot chosen for their death, an overgrown thicket three miles from Rome. The fact they could die with peaceful hearts indicates the strength of their faith and trust. Pray that we too can find that peace when we come to our own time and place of final repose.

MEMORIAL OF MARCELLINUS AND PETER, MARTYRS

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; John 17:20-26 (300). *"[May] the love with which you loved me . . . be in them and I in them."*

Friday, Jun 03, 2022**The Spirit is on the move**

The astounding growth of the Catholic Church in Africa has not come easily. Many a martyr died along the way, including Charles Lwanga and his companions of Uganda, martyred in 1895. From modest beginnings, there are now well over 13 million Catholics in Uganda—40 percent of the population—and continent-wide, Catholic Church membership rose from 2 million in 1900 to 140 million in 2000. In 2009, when Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI visited Africa, the total had grown to an estimated 158 million. By 2025, one-sixth (230 million) of the world's Catholics are expected to be Africans. Give thanks for the flourishing of the Spirit worldwide.

MEMORIAL OF CHARLES LWANGA AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 25:13b-21; John 21:15-19 (301). *"He said this signifying by what kind of death he would glorify God."*

Saturday, Jun 04, 2022**May the harvest be plentiful**

Today is the Jewish festival of Shavuot, the Feast of Weeks. It is the Biblical celebration of the wheat harvest (Exodus 34:22) and, in the Orthodox Jewish tradition, the giving of the Torah to Moses on Mount Sinai. It's called "weeks" because it commemorates the counting of seven weeks from the barley harvest to the wheat harvest, or from the Passover to today. It has a parallel in our Christian tradition of counting from Easter to Pentecost, a word that means "fiftieth," celebrated tomorrow. One of the modern customs celebrated on Shavuot is presenting to the community babies born during the year. Let's pray for all the babies we know who have made it to birth this year.

EASTER WEEKDAY; SHAVUOT

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; John 21:20-25 (302). *"There are also many other things that Jesus did."*

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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LITURGIES & PRIEST'S MASS INTENTIONS

INCLUDES ALL CHURCH LOCATIONS

WEEK OF MAY 30 – JUNE 12, 2022

Rosary at St. Wenceslaus
MONDAY – FRIDAY at 7:30 am
SATURDAY at 8:00 am

Monday, May 30 ~ Memorial Day

7:30 am Rosary SW

9:45 am Mass SW Cemetery Chapel

Tuesday, May 31 ~ Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am Mass SW

Wednesday, June 01 ~ Memorial of Saint Justin, Martyr

8:00 am Mass SW

5:30 pm Tom Neuville † - Mass SJ

Thursday, June 02

8:00 am Mass SW

Friday, June 03 ~ Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

8:00 am Mass SW

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet & Confessions SW

Saturday, June 04

7:30 am Rosary SW

4:00 pm Confessions SW

5:00 pm Billie Tupy †, Roman Bisek † and their Deceased Family Members - Mass SW

8:15 pm Roman Barten † - Mass SJ

Sunday, June 05 ~ Pentecost Sunday

8:00 am Catherine Stenberg † - Mass SS

8:30 am Donald & Gladys Tupy † - Mass SW

10:00 am Mass for the People - Mass SJ

10:30 am George Horejsi † - Mass SW

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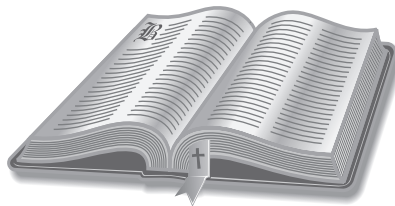
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SCRIPTURE READINGSWEEK OF MAY 30 –
JUNE 05, 2022**Monday, May 30:**

Acts 19:1-8 / Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday, May 31:

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16

/ Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday, June 01:

Acts 20:28-38 / Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday, June 02:

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 / Jn 17:20-26

Friday, June 03:

Acts 25:13b-21 / Jn 21:15-19

Saturday, June 04:

Acts 28:16-20, 30-31 / Jn 21:20-25

Sunday, June 05:

Acts 2:1-11 /

1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or

Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23 /

Jn 20:19-23

MEETINGS & EVENTS**CALENDAR**WEEK OF MAY 23 –
MAY 29, 2022**SAFE ENVIRONMENT**

Saint Wenceslaus facilitates a safe environment for minors and vulnerable adults by requiring all employees, as well as volunteers, who have regular or unsupervised interaction with minors or vulnerable adults, to be Essential 3 qualified (background check, Code of Conduct, and Safe Environment Training). For more information, contact laura.schoenecker@npcatholic.org

If you or someone you know has been abused, exploited, or harassed by a clergy member, religious brother, or sister, lay employee or volunteer of a parish or Catholic school, your first call should be to law enforcement. You are also encouraged to contact the archdiocese's Victim Assistance Program at 651-291-4475.



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