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Our abundance or want in life are not measured by our material goods but by our nearness to God.

Both in the first reading and in the Gospel reading today, God reveals himself as the giver of all that is good and the one who sustains our lives. He heals our wounds, as Jesus did with those he encountered on "the other side" of the lake. Today's liturgy invites us to be grateful and to share our gratitude with the neediest among us. This is a good Sunday to highlight those lay ministers from the community who visit the sick and homebound, bringing them Communion and thus becoming signs of the risen Lord for those who cannot join the worshipping assembly at the Eucharistic banquet. Other lay ministers in the community can reflect on the words of Saint Paul to the Corinthians by rephrasing them as questions: How can we be poor, while being rich, in today's society? What do poverty and wealth mean to us?



Nuestra abundancia o carencia en la vida no se mide por nuestros bienes materiales sino por nuestra cercanía a Dios.

Tanto en la primera lectura como en la lectura del Evangelio de hoy, Dios se revela como el dador de todo el bien y el que sostiene nuestra vida. Él sana nuestras heridas, como hizo Jesús con las que encontró al "otro lado" del lago. La liturgia de hoy nos invita a ser agradecidos y a compartir nuestra gratitud con los más necesitados entre nosotros. Este es un buen domingo para resaltar a los ministros laicos de la comunidad que visitan a los enfermos y confinados en sus hogares, llevándoles la Comunión y convirtiéndose así en signos del Señor resucitado para aquellos que no pueden unirse a la asamblea de adoración en el banquete eucarístico. Otros ministros laicos de la comunidad pueden flexionar sobre las palabras de San Pablo a los corintios reformulándolas como preguntas: ¿Cómo podemos ser pobres y al mismo tiempo ricos en la sociedad actual? ¿Qué significan para nosotros la pobreza y la riqueza?



NO Loaves & Fishes ALL of July 2024
 Due to cleaning!

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 5:15 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am (Broadcast on KATE 1450 AM)
 11:00 am (Español)

Nursing Home Masses - 2:00 pm

1st Thursday - All St. Johns Locations
 2nd Thursday - Good Samaritan
 3rd Thursday - Thorne Crest

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 pm ♦ **Sunday:** 1/2 hour before Mass

PRIVATE PRAYER IN CHAPEL

Open all hours

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday
 8:00 am-4:00 pm

Closed Friday

Offices Close Daily

- 9:00-9:45 am for Mass (except Monday)
- 12:00-1:00 pm for lunch

The Catholic Shoppe ♦ Parish Office

- 1:00-4:00 pm
- Monday-Thursday

FROM THE DESK OF FR. KURT



This week Jesus cures the woman who had been ill for many years.

She was cured because she had great faith in the power of Jesus to heal. Do we believe that Jesus can bring us healing?

I was at a retreat one time where the Priest told this story and then preceded to take the Eucharist around for people to touch it. It was amazing to see the effect that this simple gesture had in so many people's lives.

There was a lot of crying and weeping going on. People did experience spiritual healing because of the power of their faith in the love of Jesus.

When we come to communion on Sunday we should have the same faith that these people did. We should understand that we are coming to receive Jesus, and so we better be ready for him to act in our lives. That is why it is so important that we know and believe in the Eucharist before we receive him, and that if we are conscience of any mortal sin, we should confess it to a priest before we go and receive the Eucharist. Jesus does have the power to heal us. Let us believe and receive.

Love of Christ

Father Kurt Farrell

2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRY APPEAL

Goal	\$55,629.00
Amount received 6/21/24)	\$27,124.00

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

June 17-23, 2024

Adult Envelopes	Offertory	Improvement Fund
\$6,558.00	\$1,187.03	\$0.00
Salvation Army Donation 6/20/24		16 lbs

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon: 7/1	Am 2:6-10, 13-16	Mt 8:18-22
Tues: 7/2	AM 3:1-8; 4:11-12	MT 8:23-27
Wed: 7/3	EPH 2:19-22	Mt 9:1-8
Thu: 7/4	Am 7:10-17	JN 20:24-29
Fri: 7/5	Am 8:4-6, 9-12	Mt 9:9-13
Sat: 7/6	AM 9:11-15	MT 9:14-17
Sun: 7/7	Ez 2:2-5, 2 Cor 12:7-10	Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4, Mk 6:1-6

SUNDAY BROADCAST SPONSORS

Date	Intention
July 14	† In memory of Greg Freese by family
July 21	For the families of Marilyn & Robert Blong
July 28	Sponsor's Needed



We at St. Theodore want to show our support for the Twins and Bishop Robert Barron of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester by joining them at Target Field on Friday, August 9th as the Twins

face the Cleveland Guardians at 7:10p.m. Want to make sure to arrive early to cheer on Bishop Barron as he takes the mound to throw an honorary first pitch! Depending on seat & number attending, plans are to charge \$80 for the cost of a ticket & bus ride to the game. For more information please call the Parish office if interested attending so we can solidify actual cost.

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Mon July 1	8:30am 9:00am	No Rosary No Mass	Church Church
Tues July 2	8:30am 9:00am	Rosary Mass † Odean Berg by Gerri	Church Church
Wed July 3	8:30am 9:00am	Mass † For the family Aguilar Serrano	Church
Thurs July 4	8:30am 9:00am	Rosary Mass † Rudolfo Silva by Lazarro Gutierrez Family	Church Church
Fri July 5	8:30am 9:00am 9:30am	Rosary Mass First Friday Confession † Jose Lope & Matiana Cabrera	Church Church
Sat July 6	4:00pm 5:15pm	Confessions & Rosary Mass: Fransiscan Mission Appeal † Darlene Nistler by Robert	Church Church
Sun July 7	8:30am 9:00am 11:00am	Rosary Mass: Fransiscan Mission Appeal † Betty Perreault by family Spanish Mass: Llamamiento de la Misión Franciscana For all Parishioners and those listed in our book of intentions	Church Church Church

Welcome: We welcome the following into the church family through the Sacrament of Baptism.



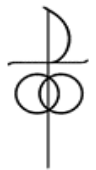
- **Madysson Gonzalez Cortes** daughter of Luis Ramiro Gonzalez Ramires & Maria Trinidad Cortes Campeche

We celebrate the blessing of her beautiful eternal soul and may we help her grow to be the saints the Lord has called her to be.

Congratulations: We congratulate the following who entered into a Catholic marriage:

- **William & Esther Zezulka**, June 22, 2024

May their sacred union always keep Christ at the center of their relationship.




Colegio Anexo San Francisco de Asis

This year's opportunity for us to participate in global mission is by supporting the Rochester Franciscan Sisters and their

Colegio Anexo San Francisco de Asis (CASFA), a school for low-income children and youth in the outskirts of Bogotá, Colombia. Sister Jo Ann Haney will share with you about how this marvelous project is in great need of your support. We are counting on our generous response in helping with this unique educational venture which is making a significant difference toward a better future for hundreds of children, their families and their local communities. (Learn more via CASFA's webpage at www.casfa.edu.com.)

Please consider making a meaningful contribution to this cause through your participation in our parish's Mission Cooperative second collection which will happen July 6/7 weekend. THANK YOU for your part in this concrete way of offering hope and solidarity.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES & REMINDERS		
Mon July 1	No Loaves & Fishes Life in the Spirit Group 6-7pm Hispanic Bible Study 6-8pm	Marian Hall Church Church Basement
Tues July 2	Hispanic Holy Spirit Group 6-8pm	Church
Wed July 3	Morning Prayer Group 6-7am	Parish Mtg Rm
Thurs July 4	Happy 4th! Office Closed No Additional Activities	
Fri July 5	Adoration 9:30am-6:30pm Hispanic Adoration 6:30-8pm	Chapel/Church Church
Sat July 6	No Additional Activities	
Sun July 7	No Additional Activities	

LITURGICAL MINISTERS		
	5:15 pm ♦ July 6, 2024 Saturday	9:00am ♦ July 7, 2024 Sunday
Accompanist	Ada Theusch	Ada Theusch
Cantor	Stephanie Redman	Betsy Schultz
Lectors	Deb Schatz	Carol Thompson
Servers	Kyle Ramirez & Keagan Winslow	Evalyn & Elizabeth Holcomb

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

TOTUS TUUS ("Totally Yours") A Catholic Youth Summer Camp
WAS HERE THIS WEEK— June 23-28!

Thank you to all the volunteers who donated and participated to help this week. It was huge Christ center success!




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Thursday, July 4th, 2024
Parish Office Closed/ No Additional Activities
There will be Mass on July 4th at 9:00am


SAVE THE DATE!
MASS IN THE PARK
AUGUST 18, 2024
10:00 AM
FREE LUNCH TO FOLLOW
EDGEWATER PARK BAND SHELL AND MAIN PAVILION

This year we will also be welcoming our school families and teachers with a special blessing to start the new school year. This will also include a special meet and greet for our school parents, students and teachers.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
and be sure to bring your lawn chair!



Schedule your appointment:
Red Cross Blood Drive
Tuesday, July 23, 2024 ♦ 11 am - 5 pm in Marian Hall.
The blood drive on May 24 collected 26 pints of blood!

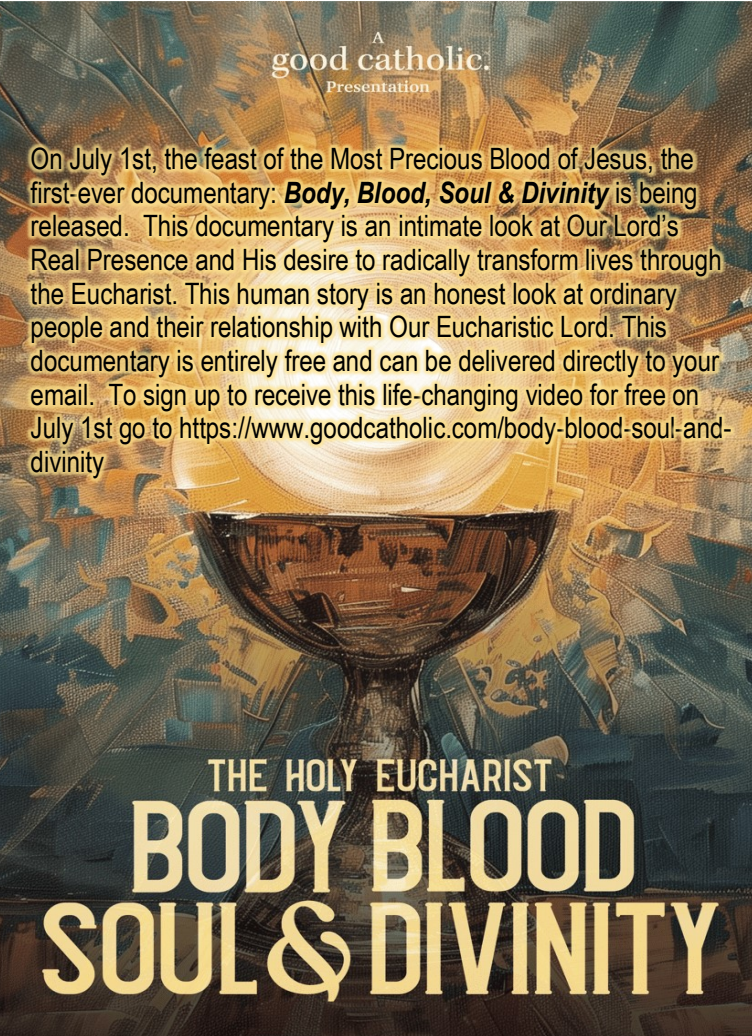


The Holy Father's Intention for July 2024
FOR THE PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.

A
good catholic.
Presentation

On July 1st, the feast of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus, the first-ever documentary: **Body, Blood, Soul & Divinity** is being released. This documentary is an intimate look at Our Lord's Real Presence and His desire to radically transform lives through the Eucharist. This human story is an honest look at ordinary people and their relationship with Our Eucharistic Lord. This documentary is entirely free and can be delivered directly to your email. To sign up to receive this life-changing video for free on July 1st go to <https://www.goodcatholic.com/body-blood-soul-and-divinity>



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