

Your Weekly Stewardship

Adult Envelope	\$1,570.00
Donations Fiscal Year To Date	\$120,434.25
Budgeted Donations Fiscal Year To Date	\$130,000.00
Loose Plate	\$28.00

Children's Envelopes	\$0.50
Wednesday Coffee Cup	\$10.00
Special Needs/Green Envelopes	\$50.00

Thank you to those who regularly and generously give of their treasure as well as those who give of their time and talent to support the work of our parish. Consider Electronic Giving; forms are on the parish website or paper enrollment forms are hanging on the bulletin board in the parish center. If you have questions about Electronic Giving, contact Julie in the parish office.

Prayer Corner

Louise Bartlett, Julia Beckmann, Lorraine Degiovanni, Gloria Ebacher, Ron Eisenschenk, Alvina Klocker, Gen Ludowese, Rosie Moran, Mildred Notsch, Charlie & Nancy Wenner, Military Men, Women and their families, and all ill or suffering.

After 90 days names are removed from the prayer list, if your name needs to be re-added, please update the parish office.

Liturgical Ministers

SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH 5:30 PM							
USHERS:	DOOR GREETER:	SERVERS:	LECTOR:	GIFT BEARERS:	EUCH. MINISTERS:	SACRISTAN:	MUSIC:
Lee & Carol Wolf	Volunteer Needed	Logan Scholz Spencer Scholz	Scott Wallner	Arnie & Rhonda Sauerer	Joyce Abeln Nancy Fandel Chuck Griffith	Mary Griffith	Karen Schellinger Br.David Klingeman OSB

Thank you to those who volunteer for our various liturgical ministries. If you would like to volunteer for any of our Liturgical Ministry roles, please contact the parish office.

Area Catholic Community(ACC) Updates

As of July 1, 2019 our parish of St. John the Baptist and St. Joseph Parish of St. Joseph will form an ACC.

Notes from the May 21, 2019 Planning Committee Meeting:

- In reference to the ACC process: we discussed the importance of recognizing what is ending, allowing time for research, listening and implementing and then moving toward a new beginning. We need to understand the hope and vision for each parish individually and together as an Area Catholic Community.
- Together we completed the Essential Elements Grid, as directed by the Diocese. This exercise allowed us to think about and openly dialogue about the Seven Areas of a Vibrant Parish as they pertain to both parishes. This completed grid also highlights areas that are challenging or offer room for improvement. Overall, the discussion proved that both parishes together can offer a wide variety of faith and community enrichment opportunities.
- A brief discussion about staffing and sharing resources took place. Further conversations will happen in the future.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact any of the Planning Committee Members: Fr. Greg, Julie Ortloff, Brian Posch or Bob Simon.

The planning Committee will meet again on June 7th.

Welcome

The community of St. John the Baptist parish extend a warm welcome to ALL worshipping with us today. We pray that something said or shared will be a source of encouragement for you on your spiritual journey. We extend an open invitation for a return visit. Please remember to bring others along with you.

Parish Happenings



Annual Pie Social

Plan to join us after 5:30pm mass on June 22 as we commemorate the Nativity of our patron; Saint John the Baptist with our annual Pie Social. Bring a pie to share! Pies can be dropped off in the kitchen before mass. If you would like to help serve pie or beverages, please contact Heidi Peterneil 320.761.9469.

Hope For Those Who Mourn



If you or a friend has experienced the loss of a loved one, you know how empty and sad life can seem. There is a grief support group which meets once a month at St. John the Baptist Parish Center for people like yourself who are experiencing grief because of a loss. Our next meeting is **Wednesday, June 26th**, 9:00 am. All are welcome. You do not have to register. Simply come. You can bring someone with you if you wish to do so. God bless you.

-Sister Joyce Iten, OSB, group facilitator.

Our Great 90 Day Journey Social

After 90 days of traveling together, our journey will lead us to Pentecost; June 8th. Please join us as we celebrate reaching the New Jerusalem following mass. Ice cream and popcorn will be served. All are welcome!

Passports

Please remember to bring your passport to Mass, Father will be distributing the weekly destination stickers during the sending forth song at the end of Mass. The journey continues! Buen Camino!



June 8/9 Peter's Pence Collection



The weekend of June 8/9 is the Peter's Pence Collection across our diocese. This collection allows Pope Francis the funding needed to carry out his charitable works around the world. Please be generous. An envelope is labeled in your packet specifically for this collection.

Music Notes



We are in need of more musicians! Please contact Jason Prigge if you are able to help out!

Kids Corner



We have designated a table in the hallway just for kids! Children attending mass can find gospel puzzle sheets, children's envelopes, and colors or pencils for their use. Each week at mass a new passport destination sticker will be issued.

Some wonderful examples of good deeds submitted in recent children's collection include:

"Helping my mom with laundry."
"Opening the door for a stranger."

You're Invited to Lunch

Joe Town Table, a free community meal, welcomes one and all to enjoy a delicious home-cooked meal on Sunday, June 23, 11:30 am – 1:00 pm at the St. Joe Legion. Remember, kids are welcome too! Spread the word and invite others to attend. For more information, email centralmncw@gmail.com. **Parish Volunteers are needed** to help prepare and serve the Joe Town Table Meal: Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board for June 23 and July 21. They also welcome the donation of a dessert to share. Might you have time to help?

June 8 Marriage Moments

4 Steps to Marriage CPR:

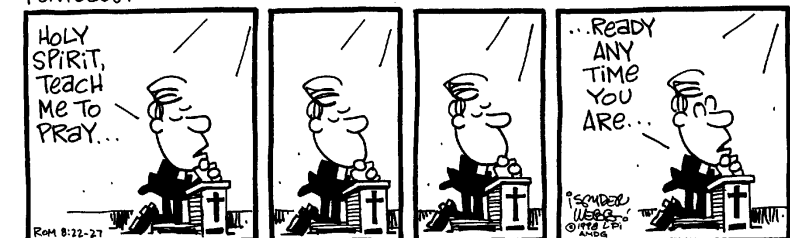
1. Patience. It took time for your relationship to need resuscitation; it will take time for it to get well again.
 2. Determination. Choose to be committed to each other for life, Work together with zeal to heal any hurts.
 3. Forgive and accept forgiveness.
 4. Pursue truth. Communicate openly and honestly.
- By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

Note of Thanks



We would like to express our thanks to the Parish Life Committee and all who helped with the senior brunch. It was such a grand gathering. We were able to spend time with fellow participants and talk at length about our lives. We don't get a lot of opportunities to do this during our normal liturgies. Please accept our greatest thanks.
-Your Senior Citizens

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JUNE 9, 2019 PENTECOST

SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

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Welcome

We are a progressive Catholic Benedictine Community encountering Christ through the celebration of Word and Sacrament, one another, nature, and our thirst to create a just world.

The New Jerusalem

Greetings friends,
We come to the end of the Easter season and we are given a mission. After being formed anew in the life and light of Jesus' death and resurrection we are to go forth as Jesus did in his ministry. Jesus sends us out into the world to be with people. To feed the hungry, comfort the outcast, touch the sick and lame, and everywhere proclaim the redemptive love of God. (Living Liturgy)

Meeting Budget
The end of June we close our yearly parish budget. First, I want to thank you for your generous contribution this past year. Your giving has been greatly appreciated. However, our parish is slightly under-budget in Adult Envelope giving. Because of that, our Finance Councils have worked with staff and committees to further control spending. I want to commend all who have worked together to be good stewards of our finances. I ask, if you can, give a little extra to meet our budgeted goals.

Electronic Giving
A convenient and secure way to give to the parish is by signing up for Electronic Giving. You chose how much you want to give on a monthly bases and that amount is automatically withdrawn monthly from your bank account. You can find Electronic Giving application forms on the parish bulletin boards and parish website.

Becoming Catholic
As we celebrate the feast of Pentecost, we draw to a close The Great 90 Days. On Pentecost Christ gives the Great Commission: "Go, make disciples of all people, baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit." Do you know someone who might be interested in becoming Catholic? If you do, pray for them and if you are comfortable, talk with them. You can also let me know if you think someone might be interested in becoming Catholic.

Buen Camino!
- Fr. Greg

Events in our Area

- June 9, Jacobs Prairie, St. James Parish Festival:** Outdoor mass at 9:00 a.m., grounds open at 10:00a.m., quilt auction at 4:00 p.m. Breakfast served in the Church Basement from 8-12:30. Games, Beverages, Live Music, Raffle and more.
- June 17, St. Cloud, Bishop's Charitable Golf Tournament:** Register online at www.Catholicfoundation.info This event supports the Seminarian Education Fund. \$75/person (lunch, golf, dinner and cart)
- June 22, St. Joseph, Discover the Sisters of the Order of St. Benedict:** For Single, Catholic women under the age of 45: Opportunity to discover what it means to belong to our community. Learn, celebrate and discover the Benedictine Tradition. To register contact: Sister Lisa Rose at lrose@csbsju.edu or 320.363.7180 (Also July 20 and Aug. 10)
- June 22, St. Martin, St Martin Parish Festival:** 5K walk./run at 10:00am; PeeWee Home Run Derby at 11:00am; Bean Bag Tournament 12:30pm; Beer Garden 11am-11:30pm; Games for kids; Mass at 5:00pm; Quilt Auction at 6:30pm; Auto show entry at 2:00pm (includes collector cars, trucks and tractors); Live Music all day including Levi Pelzer Band starting at 7:30pm. https://www.albanyareacatholiccommunity.org/parish-festival.html
- June 25, St. Cloud, Fun, Food & Fund Day:** The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is sponsoring a Fun, Food and Fund Day, Tuesday, June 25th from 9:00AM-2:15 at St. Augustine Catholic Church, 442 2nd St. SE, St. Cloud, sponsored by the Foley/Princeton Deanery. Registration (\$15.00) is due by June 17th to Janis Fagin, 14585 31st.St. Clear Lake, MN 55319 All are welcome!
- July 3 & 4, St. Joseph, Joetown Rocks Parish Festival:** The evening of July 3 and daytime of July 4 Parish Festival includes free concert, parade, food, games, raffle and much more family fun.
- July 7, Avon, St. Benedict Parish Festival:** 10AM indoor polka mass. Bingo, games, food, beverages, Raffles.
- September 26 & 27, Rummage Sale, Collegeville:** St. John the Baptist Parish Rummage Sale will be held on Sept. 26 & 27. Donation drop off days will be Sept. 22-24 from 1:00-7:00 p.m.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Pentecost	Parish Office Closed		8:00AM Mass +Rose Schaefer Breakfast		8:00AM Mass Benediction	5:30PM MASS ++Claude & Loretta Dullinger	The Most Holy Trinity