Your Weekly Stewardship

Adult Envelope	\$1,705.00
Donations Fiscal Year To Date	4,028.50
Budgeted Donations Fiscal Year To Date	5,098.00
Loose Plate	41.00
Children's Envelopes	2.15

.00	Green Special Needs Envelopes	\$5.00
.50	Wednesday Coffee Cup	13.00
.00	Food Shelf donation	50.00
.00	Coffee Cakes Sold	90.00
.15	Coborn's More Rewards	155.98

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, Anthony Scholz, 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, J	SATURDAY, JULY 20TH 5:30 PM						
USHERS:	DOOR GREETER:	Servers:	LECTOR:	Gift Bearers:	EUCH. MINISTERS:	Sacristan:	Music:
Mike & Heidi Peternell	Julie Ortloff	Bob Simon	Denis Hynes	Joe & Elaine Omann	Dan Ortloff Dave Lyndgaard Elaine Omann	Dan Ortloff	Jason Prigge Dianne Bechtold

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.



If you would like to volunteer for any of our Liturgical Ministries at our Faith Formation Sunday Masses beginning this fall, please notify Julie in the parish office. We will need Lectors, Servers, Door Greeters, Ushers, Gift Bearers, Eucharist Ministers, Sacristans and Musicians. Call, Text or email Julie; your help is needed!

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 June 7, 2019 Planning Committee Meeting:

- •Inspire Stewardship in both parishes. Find ways to encourage the gift of time and talent both parishes. Focus on stewardship, explore what is working for other parishes. Consider asking and promoting: Why do you volunteer? Why do you support the church financially? Why do you pray? Etc.
- •Mass schedules: Initially, changes will not be made to either parish mass schedule. Proposals will be made to both parish councils and trustees in July and then in the future schedule (time) changes will be made. Current schedules: St. John The Baptist Masses: Saturday 5:30pm, Wednesday 8:00am and Friday 8:00am. St. Joseph Masses: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8 & 10am, Tuesday Noon, and Wednesday-Friday 8am.
- •Announcing both parishes events (VBS, Greif Support, Moms Group, etc.) in both bulletins will begin, to encourage parishioners to attend available events. Combining bulletins January 1, 2020 will be pursued.

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

The planning Committee will meet again on July 15th with both Parish Councils.

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, July 24th, 9:00 am, please bring a photo of the loved one you are grieving. 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.

Music Notes



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

Vacation Bible School



Children ages 4 years to 6th grade are welcome to register for the St. Joseph Community VBS! VBS will be held August 4-8th at Resurrection Lutheran Church in St. Joseph.

Registration forms can be found on the bulletin board in the Parish Center or at https:// stiohnthebaptistparish.org/wp-content/ uploads/2019/06/VBS-Registration-Form-2019.pdf

Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week

July 21-27 "Love Naturally! Natural Family Planning, Cooperating With God's Design for Married Love!" For more information contact: Sheila Reineke at 320-258-7609 or sreineke@gw.stcdio.org.

The Golden Years



Happy Birthday wishes to Gloria Ebacher, who will be celebrating her 97th birthday on Tuesday, July 16th. Join us in wishing Gloria God's best in everything!



Annual Parishioner Appreciation Picnic: SAVE THE DATE for our annual parishioner appreciation picnic on **SATURDAY**, AUGUST 24th. 4:30 pm Mass, Dinner, Social, Door Prizes and Games for the kids. Mark your calendar and plan to join us. More details will be shared in future bulletins.

Parish Happenings

Kids Corner



We have designated a table in the 🥺 hallway just for kids! Children attending Corner mass can find gospel puzzle sheets, children's envelopes, and colors or

pencils for their use.

Some wonderful examples of good deeds submitted in recent children's collection include: "I held the door open for a man in a wheelchair."

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, July 28th, (Note Date Change) 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. They also welcome the donation of a dessert to share. Might you have time to help?

Faith Formation 2019-20



Faith Formation Registration Forms, Schedules and other information will be available later this summer. Classes will still take place at the Parish Center on Sundays durina the school year. If you want to teach or be a classroom helper;

please notify Julie in the Parish Office.

Coborn's More Rewards supports our Parish



Are you signed up for Coborn's More Rewards program? How can our parish benefit??? Log into your More Rewards account, and under the "School Rewards" section: select our Parish from the menu and your "points" will be converted to dollars and sent directly to our parish! This week we re-

ceived a check for \$155.98—thanks to those who have selected our parish to be rewarded!

If you are not a More Rewards member, it is simple to register on-line at www.morerewards.com

Note of Sympathy:



Please keep in your prayers the family of Irene Woitalla who passed away on July 3. Irene • is the sister of Erma (Donald) Klein. May the souls of the faithfully departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Events in our Area

July 13, Pearl Lake/Marty, Holy Cross Parish Festival: 5K "Pork Chop Trot" walk/run at 8 a.m. and registration for 1K kids' walk/run at 9 a.m. Polka Mass with Dale Dahmen and The Polka Beats at 4 p.m. Grilled pork chops and fresh sweet corn (indoor and outdoor seating) served from 5 to 8 p.m. Beer garden and hamburger stand open from 5 p.m. to midnight. Games, silent auction and cake walk. Raffle. Street dance, (Smok'N Guns) 8 p.m. to midnight. July 14, Osakis, Immaculate Conception Parish Festival: 10:30am Polka Mass. Pork Chop Dinner 11:30am-1:30pm. Live and Silent Auctions. Bingo. Raffle. Country Store. Food & Beverages. Live Music & Beer Garden.

August 18, St. Anthony, Rural Life Celebration: "Care for God's Creation: A Legacy of Faith." The event will be held at the Randy and Amanda Hartung farm in St. Anthony (40607 County Road 153, Freeport 56331), and begins with Mass with Bishop Donald Kettler at 10:30 a.m., followed by special guest speaker Joe Gill of KASM Radio out of Albany, MN. The event will also include the presentation of the Catholic Century Farm Awards to 35 families from throughout the diocese who are being honored for their legacy of farming. Join us as we celebrate them and our diocese's legacy of rural life! The event includes a meal, musical entertainment by SlewFoot; the event is free.

August 21, St. Cloud, Estate Planning: St. Michael Parish in St. Cloud is hosting an End of Life/Estate Planning seminar from a Catholic perspective at 9 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. at the church. Among the topics that will be covered are whether medical treatment should always be continued, the Church's teachings about cremation, death with dianity, living wills and health care directives. RSVP to the parish at 320-251-6923.

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.

BENEDICTINE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES COMPRISING ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ST. JOSEPH PARISHES

JULY 14, 2019 THE 15TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Mass Times

COLLEGEVILLE: Wednesday & Friday: 8 am Saturday: 5:30 pm ST. JOSEPH: Tuesday: 12 pm Wednesday—Friday: 8 am Saturday: 5 pm Sunday: 8 am and 10 am

Reconciliation

By appointment

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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.



CATHOLIC CHURCH of Collegeville 14241 Fruit Farm Road St. Joseph, MN 56374 320.363.2569 www.StJohnTheBaptistParish.org

I am addressing the "Benedictine Catholic Communities" as one body in Christ. What a wonderful service at St. John the Baptist this past Saturday. It was a joy to see so many old friends and renew their acquaintance as well as meet some new folks. It was a real blessing. Here in St. Joe we are still talking about the deluge that shut down the parish festival on the 4th. It began just at the end of the parade and then look out for the cats and dogs raining down. The tents were really stressed and bulging until some of the younger folks began using brooms or anything of length to push the water out. We were up to our ankles in water it was coming so fast. In that sort of situation all we could do was get wet and enjoy each other's company. Of course, the big event was on the 3rd and that was a great evening of music playing and community gathering. It is amazing that this festival works just like the old county fairs where everyone in the area gathered to enjoy an evening of fun. Thanks to the many hands that make this event work we had a fine evening. Rich Schwegel was the commander-in-chief of the event which is run like clockwork. The parish is indebted to all the parishioners but also the wonderful contribution of the Vellines.

Fr. Jerome

SAINT OHN THE BAPTIST

A Note From Our Pastor

Dear Friends in our Lord Jesus at St. Joe and Collegeville:

I wish you all peace and blessings!

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
18	19	20	21
	8:00AM Mass Benediction	5:30PM MASS + Elaine Vogel	16th Sunday of Ordinary Time