

HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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St. John Nepomuc

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

St. Gabriel Archangel

506 N. Beaumont Rd.

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

Holy Days

Mass times to be announced.

Baptism

Please call St. John's Rectory office.

Marriage

Please contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Principal

Brenda Spindler

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July 4, 2021 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2021

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands!" - Mk 6:2



St. Gabriel Archangel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-JULY 10/11

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS--July 10/11

Saturday 4:00 pm No servers at this time

Sunday 8:00 am No servers at this time

LECTORS-July 10/11

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

SCRIP WORKERS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 4:00 pm No Scrip Sales after Mass

Sunday 8:00 am No Scrip Sales after Mass

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that You

are present in the Blessed Sacrament.

I love You above all things,

and I desire You with all my heart.

Since I cannot now receive

You sacramentally,

I ask you to come spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already

In my heart

and unite myself to You completely.

Please do not let me ever

be separated from you.

Amen



St. John Nepomuc

HOME COMMUNION FOR JULY 11

Shirley MacEachern, Merle & Barb Frommelt

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 7:00 pm No servers at this time

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer (Call Msgr. @ 608-326-6511)

LECTORS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-JULY 10/11

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

NO SCRIP SALES AFTER MASS

Readings for the week of July 4, 2021

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15 ab [cf. 2b]/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15 [15a]/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19 [22]/Mt 10:1-

Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 [39a]/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7 [cf. Ps 69:33]/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 5	7:30 am	St. John's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
Tuesday, July 6	7:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
Wednesday, July 7	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Lana Gratace
Thursday, July 8	7:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Margaret Wachter
Friday, July 9	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Laurel Ocenosak
Saturday, July 10	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	Richard DuCharme
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	Carl & Russell Kasperek
Sunday, July 11	8:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
	10:00 am	St. John's Church	Knights of Columbus

Dear parishioners and visitors,

Today is the 245th anniversary of our nation. Today should be a time for all of us to be thankful for the blessings which God has given us. Our nation is a blessed nation. The only true way to appreciate it is to visit a country not like the United States. It is then one appreciates what our nation is and for what it stands. Many people throughout the world envy what we have and wished they could have a part of it. Being blessed means to share with those nations which have little. We are to be aware and assist other nations so their peoples will have at least the basic necessities of life.

One of the riches we should appreciate is freedom. We can basically enjoy the right to speak out, choose what we wish, and go where we want. There are many people in the world who cannot exercise freedom. There is fear to speak out, curtail what one wants, and cannot go as one pleases. Also, there is the fear one will be reported. One has to be careful what one says for you do not know who is friend or foe.

Enjoy this holiday weekend but pray too that our nation will always be strong, and not make her any less than what our fore parents intended and gave their lives.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

Announcements

Beginning the weekend of June 26th-27th, the obligation to attend Sunday Mass and Holydays went back into effect in our diocese.

The parish office will be open sporadically for the next several weeks due to the death of Lana Gratace. Please call first (608-326-6511) before coming to make sure someone is there. May she rest in peace.

If you desire to have a Mass intention said for your beloved dead or a special intention, please contact the parish office (608-326-6511). An intention is \$10.00 per Mass. Presently, there are openings because Mass is said every weekday and three out of

four on weekends. One weekend Mass must be said for the parish family as stated in canon law. Requests are made more frequently for the weekend Masses than weekday Masses. It is important for the Church to pray for her beloved dead asking the Lord to forgive sin and granting eternal rest.

The 2020 Diocesan Annual Appeal is over. We fell short of the parish target by @ **\$6,460.00**. The balance will have to be paid from the general parish account used to meet our financial obligations.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

EZ 2:2-5; PS 123:1-2, 2, 3-4; 2 COR 12:7-10; MK 6:1-6

Our readings today remind us that, even in our weakest and toughest moments, God has a plan. In our Second Reading, St. Paul describes a “thorn” that had been given to him. He believed this thorn to be the thing that kept him grounded as he said, “to beat me, to keep me from being too elated.” At first, he asked the Lord to remove this cross, but the Lord replied, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” Through this explanation, St. Paul resolved to believe, “I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong.” We all bear crosses in this life, whether they seem to be little thorns or sharp daggers. The easiest thing to do, as St. Paul did, is to pray for the cross to be taken. It would be great if all of our struggles just magically faded away! But listen to the Lord’s words, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” Stop and reflect on your cross. Instead of wishing it to go away, look at it as an opportunity to grow and to allow God to work in your life. God permitted this cross in your life for a reason. Do not let the opportunity for Christ to work on your heart pass you by. Today, recall that God loves us more than we could ever imagine. There is not a moment that goes by that He does not have us in mind. He has a specific plan for our lives. Therefore, may we encounter life’s chal-

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for June 27	\$8,393.00	\$7,855.00
Plate for June 27	638.21	410.26
Total	\$9,031.21	\$8,265.26

The second collection came to \$412.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

Compassionate and Loving Father,
In the face of confusion and concern
impart to us the calm of your presence.
In You allow us to find hope and healing.
Be with those who serve the sick and give
them Your caring hands.
Be with those who lead and give them Your
Spirit of wisdom.
Be with those who have fallen ill and give
them Your comforting heart.
Wrap your arms around our world
and hold us in your love.
Allow us at this time of trial to then
serve as instruments of that love to all we
meet.

Due to the number of requests and space in the
bulletin, names submitted for the prayer-corner
will be deleted after one month. Please accept our
apologies for any inconveniences

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our
communities and those who have requested our
prayers. Please pray for: Eileen Sutton, Mary Ann
Heisz, Janet Dickman, Michael Hinrich, William
Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Peyton
Kraushaar, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock,
Don & Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie
Eden, Ken Fleshner, Graham Shediv, Lorna
Porvaznik, John Rink, Dale LaBonne, Diane
Fernette, Stacey Johnson, Frank Tiller, Rosanna
Mayer, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gil-
man, Rose Miller, Nora Vickerman, Barbara
Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Ger-
ald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Richard
& Shirley Ambrose, Phyllis Waller, Sandi Herreid,
Melinda Neumann, Sally White, Carol Kalish, Ma-
tilda Flansburgh, Joan Marie Tiller, Joseph
Hamann, Janet Kahler, Judy Mezera, Owen Price,
Kathy Leard, Scott Yeomans, Dorothy Gilkes, An-
dra Meana, Gaike Hatlin, Doris Bohnenkamp, Lyle
& Rosella Ahles, Marita (Hoeger) Conley, Jeffery
Scott DuCharme, Gina Buettner, Audrey Mara,
Sister Suzanne Gallagher, Nancy Knutson, George
Kahler, Charles Barney, Rick Hamann, Darlene
(McKillip) Murana, Patricia Coorough, John

Gillitzer, Carol Mullikin, Doug Dickman, Loren
& Diane Fishler, Wayne Mitchell, Matthew
Stubbe, Robert McCarty, Phyllis Tichenor, Virginia
A. Walz, Jennifer Lessard, Joe Prew, Linda
Sweeney, Jeanelle Westerfield, Nick Morgan, Mary
Duffy, Robin Valley Massey, Edith Adamson,
Gracie Quam, Deacon Mark Grunwald, Sue
Groom, Arlene Willms, Ryan Kozelka, Kathy Kurt,
Ron Ore, Lora Chamberlain, Christina Toberman,
Alice M. Ohlert, Tony Teynor, Arnold Gillitzer,
Roger Prew, Tammy Nolan, Betty Cejka, Sara
Graser, Jeff Krohn, John Luster, Sr.; Gwenneth
(Berns) Maass

If you have a special intention or loved one who is
in need of prayers; please let us know so we can
include them.

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, July 4

11 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy - please
join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459

Monday, July 5

Tuesday, July 6

Cemetery Meeting at 5 pm at St. John's Parish Hall

Wednesday, July 7

Thursday, July 8

Adoration after the 7:30 am Mass at St. Gabriel's
Benediction at 1:00 pm

Friday, July 9

Saturday, July 10

We are looking for a part-time Art teacher for the
2021-2022 school year. Please contact Principal
Spindler if interested at 608-326-8624 Ext. 3

We are also in search of a full time daycare teacher.
Please contact Kristin Tietjen if interested at 608-
326-8624 Ext. 1

CONFESSIONS

St. Gabriel's 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm on Saturday
St. John's 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm on Saturday