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Area Catholic Community

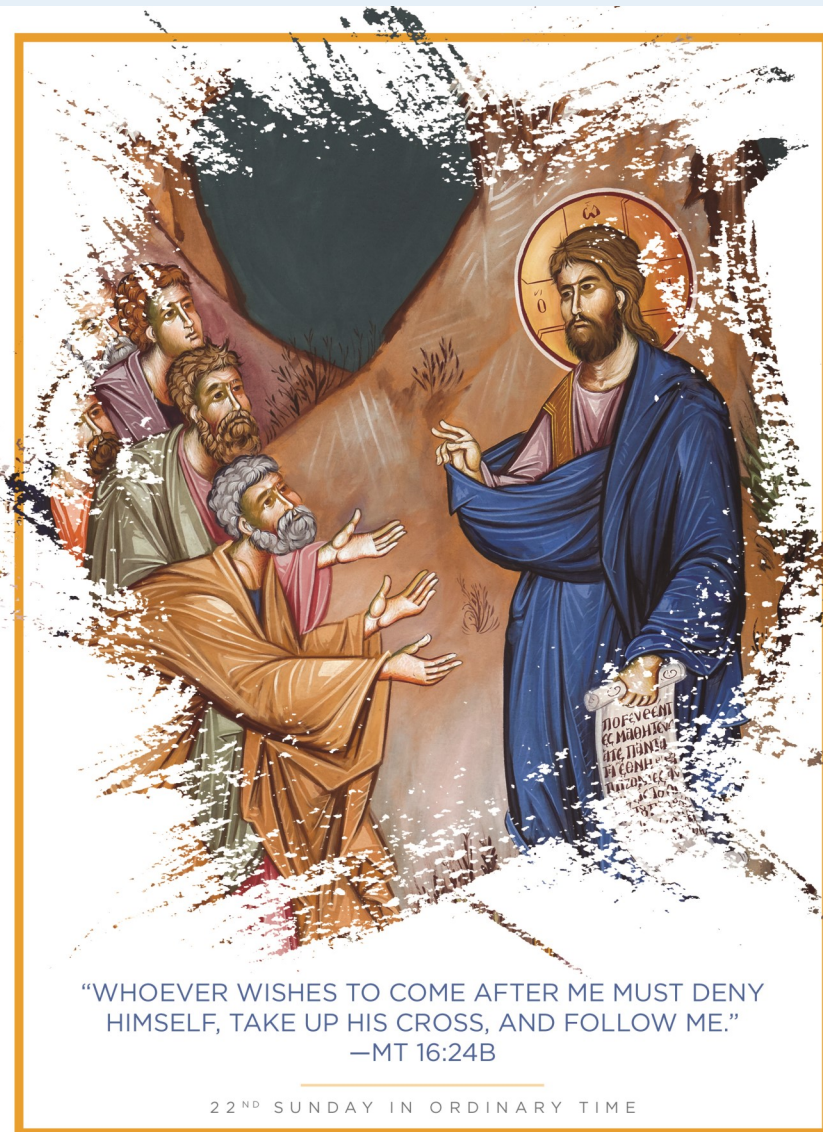
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AUGUST 30, 2020 | TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"WHOEVER WISHES TO COME AFTER ME MUST DENY
HIMSELF, TAKE UP HIS CROSS, AND FOLLOW ME."
—MT 16:24B

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Parish Hours

ST. PETER & ST. PAUL MAIN OFFICE | 251-4831
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ST. MICHAEL | 251-6923
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St. Michael: www.churchofstmichael.net
Together as One: www.taocatholic.org
All Saints Academy: www.allsaintsmn.org
St. Cloud Diocese: www.stclouddiocese.org

Bulletin Announcements

Deadline: 9:00 AM the Monday prior to the bulletin except for holidays. Watch the bulletin for deadlines. **Send information to:**
churchofstmichael@churchofstmichael.net
TJancik@stpetestpaul.org

— *Wherever* you are on your journey, we *Welcome* you! —

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION Our Spiritually Adopted babies are 6 months old!! They have just opened their eyes. They were sealed shut for protection. The babies are beginning their 7th month. They are on the home stretch. Beginning this month, our babies use all 4 senses. They can see, hear, taste, smell. They yawn, cough and hiccup. They now recognize their mother's voice. During this time they will also receive antibodies from their mother, protecting them from a wide variety of diseases. Their weight is approaching 2 pounds. Babies born prematurely at this time have a very good chance of surviving. Please continue to pray for our spiritually adopted babies.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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A Note From Fr. LeRoy

Over the past few weeks (as the new school year peaks over the horizon) I have been approached by some parents as well as our liturgists regarding our Faith Formation Program and the celebration of the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation which have been put on hold last spring due to the restrictions put in place by Covid-19. Lisa Neu, our ACC Faith Formation Director, has recently returned to work after having most of the summer off with her 10 month contract. She is currently working very hard to coordinate with our First Communion and Confirmation parents and students to reschedule these celebrations which were missed.

At present our First Communion celebration will be a separate and special Mass by invitation only which is set for Saturday, October 24th at 4:30 pm at St. Paul's Church. Due to Covid-19 restrictions only our First Communion children, families, parents and/or significant others will be allowed to attend. Both Fr. Timothy and myself will preside at this service. Practice for this celebration will also be at St. Paul's at 6:15 pm on Wednesday, 10/21. There is an app called "Remind" which will send all information directly to parents' phones. If parents haven't signed up for "Remind" they can do so by texting @taofc2020 to the number 81010.

With regard to the Sacrament of Confirmation, we are currently in conversation with the Bishop's Office in hopes of rescheduling a date. The initial dates proposed for us will simply not work, so Lisa is continuing to work on this. Unfortunately this celebration may be as late as December this year or January of next year. Again, this Confirmation Mass will be by special invitation only. Confirmation families will receive more information via email and a reminder with details as soon as they are known. To get on the Confirmation 2020 "Remind" list, text @sppmjsas to 81010.

With regard to our regularly scheduled Faith Formation Classes and Program scheduled to begin sometime in September or October this Fall, Lisa (our FF Director) realizes each family will have different needs. For this reason she is currently having FF parents fill out a survey to help address those wants and needs. The survey for parents can be found at: <https://taocatholic.com/2020surveys/> which will help her get a clearer picture of our resources and goals. Lisa will be developing a FF program that tries to address those needs of parents who wish to teach at home or those who wish to have their children in some classroom or tailoring some kind of hybrid. Specific program(s) are still in the works so we ask all parents and students to please be understanding and patient.

"At the end of the year, I want youth and families to be able to say 'the church was a support for me when I needed it, and helped show me where Christ was present in my life.' I'm convinced that if I give my time in this way, we'll retain students past this year, and that's also what I'm aiming for..." Lisa said.

Financial Blessings

AUGUST 23, 2020

ST. PETER'S WEEKLY BUDGET: \$7,500.00

Ordinary Income

Loose Plate.....	\$30.00
Adult Sunday	\$3,089.00
Direct Deposit	\$1,450.00
Total Last Week.....	\$4,569.00
Total YTD Budget.....	\$55,000.00
Total YTD Collection	\$49,991.00
Under Budget	\$5,009.00

ST. JOSEPH'S WEEKLY BUDGET: \$6,826.92

Ordinary Income

Loose Plate.....	\$39.00
Adult Sunday	\$4,582.00
Holy Day.....	\$145.00
Latin Mass.....	\$797.00
Total Last Week.....	\$5,563.00
Total YTD Budget.....	\$54,615.36
Total YTD Collection	\$51,623.01
Hispanic Plate.....	\$292.00
Total Other Income.....	\$55.00

ST. MICHAEL'S WEEKLY BUDGET: \$8,365.38

Ordinary Income

Loose Plate.....	\$112.00
Adult Sunday	\$3,645.00
Holy Day.....	\$100.00
Total Last Week.....	\$3,857.00
Total YTD Budget.....	\$66,923.04
Total YTD Collection	\$61,175.00
Total Other Income.....	\$54.00

ST. PAUL'S WEEKLY BUDGET: \$11,057.69

Ordinary Income

Loose Plate.....	\$102.00
Adult Sunday	\$8,569.00
Direct Deposit	\$2,677.13
Total Last Week.....	\$11,348.13
Total YTD Budget.....	\$88,461.52
Total YTD Collection	\$76,030.86
Under Budget	\$12,430.66

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

As a pastor, I would like to say that Faith Formation and the continuing religious education of our children are just as important (if not more important) than any of the other schooling our children receive whether in the public or private education system. Our Catholic Faith is really what provides the foundation for living a fully mature and fully happy Christ-centered life. This said, let's continue to pray for our FF families and for all our parish programs, that we will "keep the faith" and continue to grow in our Catholic Christian life! Peace, Fr. LeRoy Scheier

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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TOGETHER AS ONE - ACC NEWS

Banns II

Lakeisha Lommel & Mitchell O'Neil

Please pray for this couple.



We would like to welcome, **ANNE MARIE GALL**, daughter of Jessica & Wes Gall and **MADDEN ELIZABETH GALL**, daughter of Katie & Joseph Gall were baptized on Saturday, August 29 at St. Michael. Congratulations to the parents, family and friends.

We welcome into our Faith Community

Michael & Ardell Sowada

Mark & Jennifer Grotte

Ben, Brynn

James & Ann McCoy

Jean, Therese, Monica, Samuel

Melanie, Bridget

Anthony & Jean Albright

We would like to congratulate our Communicant who is celebrating her First Eucharist at the St. Joseph Mass.



Angel Gabriel Silva Preciado

August 30, 2020

Happy Anniversary: The parishes of Saint Peter's and Saint Paul would like to congratulate Keith and Julie Hughes on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary on August 27th. Your many years together provide a powerful witness of Christ's love for us. May God bless you with many years ahead!

Please Pray For... Lloyd Buttweiler, and all who have received a prayer blanket, that they may receive healing of body, mind and spirit.

Family Members in the Armed Forces—All Powerful God, you always show mercy toward those who love you and are never far from those who see you. Be with our men and women as they serve our nation in war. Shelter them with your protection by day, give them the light of your grace by night and bring them home in safety. We ask this in Your Holy Name. Amen. If you have a family member in the armed service, your parish family would like to know. Please call the Parish Offices for St. Peter's and St. Paul's at 251-4831 Ext. 218.

St. Joseph and St. Michael News

Thank you for your continued support through this Covid 19 pandemic, where we are all truly working together as a team. Also thanks for your financial support. If you are interested in having your contributions deducted from your bank account automatically, please give Linda a call at St. Michael's at 251-6923.



Join us for St. Joseph's Day of Prayer on Thursday, September 3rd from 8:30am to 2 pm.



Saint Joseph's Catholic Church
OF WAITE PARK 106 North 7th Avenue, Waite Park, MN 56387

OUR LEGENDARY FISH FRY

Drive-thru ONLY

Sunday 9/13/2020 4:30 – 7:30 pm
Adults - \$10.00 Children (4-12) \$6.00

Hand Breaded (secret recipe) Fried Fish
Homemade Tartar Sauce and Baked Beans, Potato

WE WILL BE FOLLOWING COVID-19 GUIDELINES FOR FOOD SERVICE

Seven Sisters Apostolate: One Holy Hour/One Priest/Each Week

In strengthening the priest, we strengthen the Church! Seven Sisters is an apostolate in which a group of seven women join together to pray for a priest who holds a particular office within the diocese. The seven women commit for one year to pray a holy hour every week, each for a different day. The holy hour is solely for that one priest's sanctification and for his deepening devotion to the Blessed Mother. We start by covering our parish priests and then expand to other priests who assist them and those who hold other offices within our diocese. Thank you to those who cover Father Timothy Gapinski in prayer as one of his Seven Sisters! We are asking you to pray for this ministry as we pray for the seven women who feel called to pray for Fr. Tom Skaja, our newly assigned parochial vicar. If you feel the Holy Spirit calling you to this ministry, please check out the website, www.sevensistersapostolate.org or call/text Laura Koski at 320-420-1526 for more information.

The Men's Bible Study, which was held at St John Cantius Church throughout last year, is resuming on Tuesdays, beginning September 8. Meeting from 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm at St Joseph's Church in Waite Park, we are beginning our study of the early Church as described in the book of Acts in the New Testament. The group is not limited to men who attend the Latin Mass – all are welcome. We will be using the Scripture translation known as the Douay-Rheims Bible. If you wish to join with the men at this weekly Bible Study, inexpensive copies of this Bible translation can be found in most Catholic book stores. But for those who do not wish to buy a Douay-Rheims version for themselves, copies of the chapters in Acts will be provided as we need them.

THE WEEK AHEAD

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St. Joseph & St. Michael's Schedule

MONDAY, AUGUST 31ST

8:00 AM Mass SM †Donna Laney

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST

8:00 AM Mass SM †Cliff Winter

8:30 AM—2:30 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

5:30 PM Mass SJ For the Zabinski Family

7:00 PM SJ Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND

6:30 AM Mass SJ Latin - Bishop Donald Kettler

8:00 AM Mass SM †Lorraine Sauer

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD

8:00 AM Mass SJ †Butch & Pat Rousselage

8:30-2:30 PM SJ Day of Prayer

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH - 1ST FRIDAY

8:00 AM Mass SJ †Frances Johnson

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH-1ST SATURDAY

8:00 AM Mass SJ †Ray Lodermeier

3:30 PM SM Confessions

4:30 PM Mass SM †James Petron

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH

7:00 AM SJ Confessions

7:30 AM Mass SJ †Harvey & Mary Lou Kalla

9:00 AM Mass SJ Latin - Bishop Donald Kettler

9-10:45 AM SJ Confessions during Mass

11:00 AM Mass SJ Misa en Español

5:00 PM Mass SM For the people

Tear off and Save!

St. Peter & St. Paul Schedule

MONDAY, AUGUST 31ST

8:15 AM SPE Cancelled until further notice

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST

8:15 AM Mass SPE †Bernie Thomas

3:00 PM SPE Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND

8:15 AM Mass SPA †Peter & Mary Meyer

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD

7:45 AM SPE Confessions

8:15 AM Mass SPE †Ervin Schreifels

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH

7:45 AM SPA Confessions

8:15 AM Mass SPA †Father Nick Landsberger

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH

7:45 AM SPE Confessions

8:15 AM SPE For the people of our ACC

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH

9:00 AM Mass SPA †Patricia Bitzen

10:30 AM Mass SPE †Deceased members of the
Al Schmitz family

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Pastoral Care Ministry

SENIORS: Frozen meals are available for seniors (age 60+) through the Emergency Services at Catholic Charities, located at 157 Roosevelt Road, St. Cloud. You may go there the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month between the hours of 1 – 3 p.m. You must register when you arrive.

There are also meals available for pick up Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday between 11:00 and 12:30 p.m. at the Whitney Center, located at 1527 Northway Drive in St. Cloud.

All meals are free of charge but donations are appreciated. If you have questions please call Sharlene at 229-4591.

Safety First: With school starting soon, we need to be aware of students who are anxious to get into the school building and may forget to look for oncoming traffic. Please be aware of students, increased traffic with parents dropping off and picking up their children and the buses. Remember – it is illegal to pass a bus when the STOP arm is extended.

Blood donations needed: The Red Cross is looking for more blood – call 1-800-REDCROSS or Red-CrossBlood.org to donate.

St. Peter & St. Paul News

Saturday Meal: Has been suspended until further notice. Please continue to support Homeless Helping Homeless and other organizations feeding those in need.

KC Council 5548 Events

As Knights we are committed to “Leave No Neighbor Behind”. Be sure to contact a member if you need our help.

Our first meeting of the new 2020-2021 year for our Knights of Columbus Council 5548 will be on Thursday, September 3 at St. Anthony's parish center basement with the Rosary starting at 6:30 p.m. and then our member meetings starting at 7:00. We will have no lunch and social distancing will be used and masks are encouraged. We need to look at our programs and donations for the coming year.

Join the Knights of Columbus online. Go to kofc.org/join us and remember to and enter our council number 5548. The recent changes in our membership have made it easier to join and we invite your family and friends to watch and learn about us through your initiation or by working with us on one of our upcoming projects. For more information call Tom Jacobs at 252-0126 or for the Ladies Auxiliary contact Corine Meier at 259-5169.

FAITH FORMATION

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Faith Formation News

Faith Formation: Toward a Path Forward

I think we all wish that life was normal right now. We want to go out, meet with our friends, and engage our favorite activities. But times are not normal, and we're faced with the pastoral challenge of offering faith education during a Pandemic. Our faith formation team requests your help in clarifying our resources and goals as we go into another school year.

Survey 1, For all members of our ACC, but especially faith formation families.

<https://forms.gle/orbpq6GsWn49aAJK7>

Survey 2, For people who have volunteered in faith formation in the past, or who wish to volunteer this year: <https://forms.gle/qfxEJS6KYZJgdimbZ>

Access both surveys through our website at <https://taocatholic.com/2020surveys/>

Your voice matters! Please take time to share your views through our surveys or by emailing Lisa, Director of Faith Formation, at lisac78@gmail.com

Save a Marriage. Are you or someone you know, living in the pain of a marriage in trouble? Retrouvaille can help. The next program starts Sept. 18, 2020 @ Country Inn & Suites in St. Cloud, MN. Call 320-255-5314 or check the website www.helpourmarriage.org for more information. Preregistration is required. Space is Limited.

BAPTISM: Please call Fr. Timothy Gapinski at 251-6923 for SJ/SM and Carrie Fedor at 251-4831 Ext 211 for SPE/SPA to set up a meeting and set up required sessions to prepare parents for baptism. Prefer preparation before child is born.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made a minimum of 9-12 months in advance to complete the necessary marriage and wedding preparations. Please call Fr. Timothy Gapinski at 251-6923 for St. Michael & St. Joseph and call Carrie Fedor at 251-4831 Ext 211 for St. Peter & St. Paul for an appointment.

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATIONS: Welcome! Please call the parish offices or stop in to fill out information that is needed for our records at either parishes.

RCIA: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS Thinking about joining the Catholic Church, or learning more about it? Through the RCIA process, our parish communities welcome your interest and questions about the Christian Faith as it is lived and celebrated in the Roman Catholic Tradition. For more information contact:

SPE/SPA: **Chris Goenner** 251-4831 Ext 201

Bernie Quist 252-9589

Rick Koetter 249-0102

SJ/SM: **Fr. Timothy Gapinski** 320-251-6923

HOSPITAL VISITS: If you are a patient in the St. Cloud Hospital desiring a visit, please call the parish office at SM & SJ 320-251-6923 or SPE/SPA at 320-251-4831 Ext 210.

PRAYER LINE St. Peter-Pastoral Care 251-4831 #210

St. Paul- Dianne Janorschke 252-4911,

St. Michael- Gloria Flint 230-6946 or 251-6923

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