

The Catholic Churches

St. Edward

St. Francis of Assisi

St. Mary



Penecost Sunday

June 5, 2022

Mass, Devotions & Events Schedule

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RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE
 Saturday: St. Francis ~ 7:15-7:45 pm,
 Sunday: St. Edward ~ 7:15-7:45 am, & St. Mary ~ 9:15-9:45 am
 Tuesday St. Mary ~ 5- 5:45 pm
PRAYER LINES
 (SM) Karen Liebsch 573-4127 & Kathy Koehn 573-2363
 (SF) Judy Theisen 573-2933 & Joyce Koopmeiners 573-2728
 (SE) Sally Schleper 573- 2127
 *Bulletin deadline is on Wednesday at noon

Tuesday 6/7		<i>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church –memorial</i>
6 pm St. Mary	†	Francis 'Sunny' & Betty Zwilling ~Kari & Ervin Hartung
7 am– 7pm St. Francis	†	*Anointing of the Sick Adoration & Benediction
Wednesday 6/8		
8 am St. Francis	†	Ken Hartung
7:30 pm St. Francis		Cemetery Mass ~For the Deceased
Thursday 6/9		<i>Saints Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church</i>
8 am St. Edward	†	Leonard Czech ~ Margaret Carlson
Friday 6/10		
9:00 am St. Mary	†	Alcuin Harren
Weekend Masses		The Most Holy Trinity
Saturday 6/11		
8 pm St. Francis	†	Scott Keppers
Sunday 6/12		
8 am St. Edward	†	Don Maciej
10 am St. Mary		For the People

Three Saints News

Summer Cemetery Mass Schedule

St Mary's: 6pm; St Edward's: 7pm and St Francis at 7:30pm.
 Dates: June 1 & July 13 - SE; June 8 & July 20 - SF; June 22 & 27 –SM. Bring your own lawn chairs. Mass will be inside church in case of rain.

Weekend Mass Time Change: July 2/3

Please help get the word out that St Francis will be starting having the Sunday 8am Mass while St Edward's will have the Saturday 8pm Mass.

Weekday Masses Rescheduled: June 13-17

Please help spread the word that there will be no regularly scheduled Masses next week. Instead, there will be 11:15am Masses Monday-Friday as our children will be joining us from Totus Tuus/Summer Vacation Bible School. All are invited to join the children as Fr David and Fr Gregory will have the Masses.

Thank you for awarding me the St. Mary's Church Scholarship! I will put it to good use at St. Mary's University of Minnesota in Winona towards my accounting degree. I appreciate it so much!
 -Christian Ripplinger

Remembering Leonard Czech: June 5th

A gathering celebrating the life of Leonard Czech who passed away January 30th, 2022, will be held at the Elmdale Community Center on Sunday, June 5th, 2022 from 1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. Please come and share memories with family and friends remembering the full life he lived.

Peter's Pence Collection: June 4/5

This worldwide collection supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. If you forgot, please leave your gift in a marked envelope in next week's collection.

Please pray for us:

Raymond Kurowski, Ken Wielenberg, Margaret Carlson, Ron Dingman, Kristy Brezinka, Ramona Heurung, Arnold & Donna Scholz, Irene Lashinski, Darwin Binek & Kathy Hennek, Linus & Marjorie Lehner, Carol Langner, Judy Gerads, Bruce Wolters, Rose Beniek, Marlene Vornbrock (SM, recovery from Covid), Dennis Biniek (SE, recovery from colon cancer), Rosie Harren (Complications from Knee Surgery), Donald Herzog (SF, Pine Villa-Melrose), Collin Prom (SM, Summer missionary in Colorado), Christine Wuebkers (SM, Lung/respiratory difficulties), Marilyn Grundman (recovery-back surgery), Linda Mader (SF, heart complications), **LeRoy Harren (SM, recovery from broken hip)**



Over 80 Blessings for June

Dorothy Gerads (SF) 6/22
 Irene Lashinski (SF) 6/24
 Clarence Maciej (SE) 6/29
 Roger Gerads (SF) 6/30



Youth/Children News

Valleyfair Trip: June 27

Attention the deadline is fast approaching! Forms are in the entrance of our churches and available on our website. Grades 1-12 are invited to join us. Please invite your friends. The coach bus seats 55, so we will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Unless we get enough people, we will have to cancel by June 11!

Summer Vacation School: June 12-17 at St Mary's

Next week, the four collegians will be introducing themselves at various Masses within our six communities. Parents, know that even up to the day (June 13), you can still bring your kids. Know that even if your children are in summer school, they can still come Totus Tuus half days. Also, welcome Shanna Dobmeier from St Francis (320-733-0761) who will be helping out. Please give her a call if you have any questions. Registration forms in the entrances of our churches and on our webpage. Please email Jamie Heurung (250-7332) at totustu-us@tworiverscatholic.com

Area Gatherings

Rural Catholic Singles Group: June 11 Meet at 7 pm in the basement of All Saints-St. Mary's. Contact: Janel 290-2877.

National Eucharistic Revival Kickoff: June 18

Come to St Mary's Cathedral in St Cloud at 1pm as the day includes: Fr Derek Wiechmann (originally from St Rose), witness speakers, reflections, small group activities and refreshments. Eucharistic adoration and confession concluding with 5pm Mass with Bishop Kettler and Corpus Christi procession. The day is free and all are welcome.

St Stanislaus in Sobieski: June 26

Come to their Spring Festival beginning with Mass at 10am. Live music by Gene Retka & Main SqueezeLite. Hamburgers, hot dogs, homemade pie served all day both inside their newly remodeled handicap accessible basement and outdoors.

Immaculate Conception Church Bazaar, St. Anna: June 26

Mass will be celebrated at 10 am with Bazaar to follow until 5 pm Music by The Gene Ostendorf Band. Beer Garden, Silent Auction, Bingo, gun, quilt & cash raffle, kids games, burgers & more!

ST EDWARD'S NEWS

Sun., June 12th, 8:00 am The Most Holy Trinity

EM of HC: Julie Wensmann **Lector:** Jeff Czech

Server: Isaac Harren

Ushers: Jim Bartkowicz

Greeters: Sally Schleper

Gift Bearers: Mark & Kaye Nienaber

Coffee and Rolls: June 5th

Please join in today after the 8 am Mass here at St. Edward's for coffee and rolls. All are welcome!

Cemetery Presence

"From the rectory, it was so beautiful to see so many people paying visits with flowers, flags, etc. placed upon their loved one's graves. In all of our cemeteries, so many people coming out. Thanks to everyone who helps keep our loved one's final resting place holy." Fr David

ST FRANCIS' NEWS

Sat., June 11th, 8:00 pm The Most Holy Trinity

EM of HC: Roseanne Voss

Lector: Barb Moorman

Servers: Carter Roerick

Ushers: Bob Theisen & Dan Lange

Gift Bearers: Chris & Abby Fuchs

Mass in Cemetery: June 8 @ 7:30pm

Come and join us as we offer Mass for our loved ones buried in our cemetery. Please help get the word out to family and friends who may not see this announcement. In case of rain, Mass will be held in Church.

Table and Chair Rental If you are in need of tables and chairs for an upcoming party. St. Francis has 11 tables and 150 chairs available to rent. Tables are \$5 each. Chairs are \$.50 each. Call Bob if interested. 573-2933.

ST MARY'S NEWS t

Sun., June 12th, 10:00 am The Most Holy Trinity

EM of HC: LeAnn Beneke **Lector:** Michelle Fleischhacker

Servers: Emily Ripplinger

Ushers: Matt Ripplinger

Greeters: Mikel & Julie Nelson

Gift Bearers: Tom & Jan Kilian

Bank Deposit: Marvin Wensmann

Welcome Kevin Lampert as Head Maintenance

Please remember to extend thanks and gratitude for him coming forward to take this position. It is so beautiful how he and so many others from our parishes share their time and talents. Thanks to Robert Maciej for his commitment for many years.

Baptized into our faith: Carstin Robert Pelzer

Blessings to his parents Ryne and Barbara along with his god-parents Jacob Pelzer and Amy Kobylinski. Congrats to his grandparents: Ronald & Karen Kobylinski and Jamie & Julie Pelzer.

Monstrance Fund: \$6000

Please consider donating as we recently purchased this new vessel. This is used during adoration. We have a couple of months before it will be delivered, so you have some time to discern how much you would like to give.

This summer, kids can watch something good on FORMED



FORMED sign up

- *Go to our website: 238catholic.org
- *Click on the button: FORMED.org
- *Click on 'Sign up'
- *Type in: St. Mary, Upsala
- *Select: St. Francis of Assisi
- *Click Next
- *Enter your

Praise and Adoration: June 6

Join in with the Holdingford parishes at 7 pm at All Saints-St. Mary's. There will be music and of course, Jesus! Spend an hour with Him!



WEEKEND COLLECTION May 22, 2022

St. Edward: Adult: \$970, Loose: \$85, Cemetery: \$5, Ascension \$45 **Total: \$1,105**

St. Francis: Adult: \$980, Loose: \$100, Ascension: \$30

Total: \$1,110

St. Mary: Adult: \$3,091, Loose: \$251, Cemetery Fund: \$70,

Votive: \$ 41.25, Ascension \$135 **Total: \$3,588.25**

Three Saints News Continued

Home Scripture Rosary

Are you open to Fr David coming for a visit and pray the rosary? Know that it can simply be yourself, your household or invite others. He would love nothing more than come to your home. There's no better way than by asking Our Blessed Mother to intercede with us as we pray the scriptural rosary. Evening times are flexible: June 20 & 28; July 11 & 12; August 1, 2, 8, 9, 16 & 22. Please call him on his cell if another date works better.

Trip to Our Lady of Good Help Shrine: Aug 30-31

Your former pastor Fr Jerry Mischke is excited to offer this to you. The only approved Shrine in our United States in which Our Blessed Mother truly set her feet down here! His words: "let's go and have some fun and ask our Blessed Mother to intercede for us. She was right here in our backyard! I am excited to go with parishioner friends!" The cost is only \$325. Please note that there 5 complimentary tickets for youth/children. Brochures are in the entrances of our churches.

ACC/Mary and the Saints Mtg

Thanks much for your prayers the previous week. Unfortunately, not everyone was able to be present, thus we failed to choose a Chair and Secretary. Thanks to Steve St. Marie from St Anna who volunteered to be Vice-Chair. We will be having a six-parish Corpus Christi Procession June 19 beginning with potluck dinner at 12noon followed by 2pm procession at AS-SM in Holdingford. The diocese is asking all ACC (us and Holdingford area) to have this procession which will be the official start of this three year 'Eucharistic Revitalization" journey taking place throughout the world! Our next meeting is scheduled for September 22 in Holdingford.

Mass Servers URGENTLY NEEDED!

The number of Mass servers has been severely dwindling ... even to the point of Fr. David having to be on his own for a few of the Masses! Please, if you have made your 1st Holy Communion and would like to be one of our Mass servers, please call the Parish Office. Call soon and you can go to Valleyfair FREE!

Daughters of Isabella's meeting: June 6

Our meeting will be at 1:00 PM on June 6 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church's basement. It will be a post luck, bring your favorite dish. New members are welcome.

Experience the Real Presence of Jesus!

You are invited to spend some time in prayer with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament during our Twenty-four hour Eucharistic Adoration Prayer Vigil following the National Eucharistic Revival Kickoff on June 18th. Adoration will take place at St. Mary's Cathedral from 6:00 p.m. on June 18th and will conclude before the 6:00 p.m. Mass on June 19th. We would love to have representatives and groups from across the diocese participate in this beautiful time of prayer. Please contact Tricia Walz to sign up for an adoration hour: 320-248-7358, tricia.walz@yahoo.com. Security will be provided during the overnight adoration hours.

Notes from Fr David

We complete the fifty-day celebration of Easter the feast of Pentecost, we try to imagine the world before the coming of the Holy Spirit. For many centuries, people did not have any sense of the possibility, God was in the Heavens, unreachable and unintelligible. Later, prophets imagined the spirit of the LORD animating our lives and our world. But not until Jesus spoke of the Spirit and promised the Advocate to His disciples did this gift from God seem real. Let us realize how fortunate we are at this stage of history, blessed with God's abiding presence with us in the Holy Spirit.

In the parable of the talents (Mt 25:14-30) goes beyond what earlier texts state. Not only does Christ expect faithfulness in duty and preparedness even through a long delay, but He also expects an improvement upon what He initially bestowed. It will be most interesting to assess your participation in our "Stewardship: Time and Talent Survey". One church I know organizes a ministry fair with lots of engaging information about different programs and someone on hand to talk about each ministry, committee, etc. Thank you for being open. This can be the first step as we ask for outpouring of the Holy Spirit.