

HOLY NAME CATHOLIC CHURCH

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“This is my commandment: Love one another as I love You.”
John 15:12



FROM FR. JOHN: There could hardly be a more fitting gospel reading for Mother's Day! We hear the words of Jesus: “Love one another, as I love you.” Mother's are called to this vocation of love in a most special way. Through a most intimate bond with their family, they are called to be instruments of life and love. It is a challenging vocation, as mothers know well, but one of great blessings.

Mother's Day can be a day of many different feelings—joy in celebrating with your mother or grandmother, a sense of sadness for mothers who are no longer here with us, but also much gratitude for all they meant to us. It has been four years since my own mother's passing, and she is always missed, but especially on this day. But I know that she and all faithful mothers have been rewarded with the kingdom of heaven, and my faith in that gives me hope and strength. My Easter faith in the resurrection of the Lord reminds me that I will see her again one day. My trust in the promises of God lets me know that she is happy in eternity.

Take time today to remember your mother. Thank her for blessing your life, forgive the shortcomings that she may have had, and ask God to bless her richly. Remember the ways of love that she teaches you, and be sure to pass them on. When we love others, we honor the mother who loved us. **Happy Mother's Day, Mom!!**



SUNDAY GIVING UPDATE: The Lord's command- “Love one another, as I have loved you,” forms the basis of a life of stewardship. The commandment to love is fundamental to all human sharing. Thank you for your gifts of \$9,700.19 this past weekend. Our 45 week average is now \$10,707.23 per week. This is slightly below our needed budget average of \$10,800.00 a week, but pretty close. Keep up your good efforts!

CATHOLIC FAMILY SHARING APPEAL 2012: We continue to receive gifts for this year's appeal, and I thank all who have given. We currently have \$90,259.00 either received or pledged toward our goal of \$81,000.00. We have 344 families who have given thus far, just a little over 1/3 of our parish. We need everyone to help, so please consider a generous gift toward this important annual need. Your gift can be dropped in the Sunday collection, or mailed to the parish office.

WE REMEMBER: We pray for those recently deceased: Lila Miles, Ralph Kranz, Fr. Dennis Deis, and Bonny Lou Diaz. May the Lord grant their families hope and peace.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: There are a lot of people who believe that it is very important to follow the commandments. There are even those who believe that the public display of them is so important that they are willing to fight for that right in court. The Ten Commandments are an important part of our Judeo-Christian tradition. But they are only a part. There is a reason we call the New Testament “new.” In this Sunday's Gospel Jesus gives one commandment to his disciples: Love one another as I love you. While every commandment is important, this final one from Jesus is what is expected of all of his followers.

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION: The feast of the Ascension of the Lord traditionally falls on a Thursday, the 40th day after Easter. In the United States, this holyday of obligation is not celebrated on Thursday, but is moved to the nearest Sunday. So there will not be an holyday masses on Thursday of this week, but we will celebrate the Lord's Ascension at the masses next weekend.

FISHING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN: The 16th annual Bishop's Charity Fishing Tournaments are scheduled on June 4th at Big Stone City Lakeside Park, and Monday, June 11th, at West Whitlock Resort on Lake Oahe near Gettysburg. Proceeds from the tournaments go toward the formation and education of our diocesan seminarians. For more information contact the Catholic Foundation at 605-988-3765, toll free at 1-888-246-3386, or on line at www.cfesd.org. Get a group together, support an important cause, and have a fun day as well. Each tournament includes an auction, and a banquet, which can be attended separately, if you not planning on fishing.

HOME MISSION APPEAL: Don't forget the Catholic Home Mission Appeal. Envelopes can be found in the church lobby, at the main bulletin board. Please consider a gift for the home missions!

SOME ITEMS TO BE GIVEN AWAY: After the recent update of our church PA system, there were a couple of items from the old system that are available for give away- if someone has use for them. There are three pieces- a microphone mixer unit, a feedback control unit, and a graphic equalizer. If you have need of them, or know someone who might, let us know. They are older units, but might have a little service left in them.

The other item for give away is the Sony TV in the Angelus center. It was recently replaced by a larger projection TV, donated by one of our parish families. The Sony TV is working fairly well yet, and might provide a working television to someone who needs one. (It is a 36" set.) It includes a swivel stand under it as well. The set and stand are quite heavy, so be prepared to supply manpower to move it, if you would like to take it!

Baptism Blessings: Through the waters of Baptism we welcome:

Lainey Michele, daughter of Michael and Megan Byer
Chase Jeffry, son of Kurt & Brandy Paszek.



Masses & Sacraments

Weekend Masses: Sat. 5:00 p.m.; Sun. 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Nursery Service: 10:30 a.m. Mass

Daily Masses: Tuesday through Friday, 8:30 a.m.

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 –4:30 p.m.

Baptisms: First Sunday of the month following the 10:30 Mass and third Saturday of the month following the 5:00 Mass. Pre-baptismal classes are to be taken.

Marriage: At least 6 months pre-notice is required

Immaculate Conception Masses:

Weekdays– Tues. & Wed. 5:15 p.m. Thurs. –8 a.m., Fri.- 9 a.m.

Weekends: Sat.-4:30 p.m. & Sun. 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.



5/15	Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	†Emily Flakus
5/16	Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	†Janice Nogelmeier
	Golden Living Center	2:30 p.m.	†Deceased members of Sage family
5/17	Thursday	8:30 a.m.	†Virgil & Michael Rukstad
5/18	Friday	8:30 a.m.	†Lila Miles
5/19	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Holy Name Parishioners
5/20	Sunday	8:30 a.m.	†Deceased members of Sage family
		10:30 a.m.	†Rosy Junso

Serving the Assembly May 19-20

Liturgical Ministers	5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Altar Servers	Hannah, Grace, Nick Stein	Lydia & Sam Hulscher Abigail Lenssen	M. Decker J. Schoenbeck W. Bierschbach
Eucharistic Ministers	B/K Pellish Paul Reisch Kathy Leighton Norm Stahl John Stransky Lori Wensing	Wilma Bull Morrie Comes J. Lawrence K/C Mack M.L. Gripp Betty Spanton	D. Schoenbeck M/L Danforth J. Flaherty Mary Triplet Mike Steinhoff R. VanLaecken
Ushers/ Greeters	M/D Horsman Tom Holmes Helen Schmidt	S/N Hulscher M/C Gough	D/M Meyer J/A Roby
Lector	Ron Schneider	George Heller	Lee Schoenbeck
Gift Bearers	Dan & Sarah Reiffenberger Family	Gary & Linda Schumacher	Class of 2012
Music Ministers	Kathy & Kathy	Choir	Shalom
Sacristan	Mary Reihe 886-7532	Ann 881-0291	Ann

Liturgical Ministers needed for the Confirmation Mass on June 3rd at 3:00 p.m. Please call Mary at 886-3368 to volunteer!

Holy Name CCD News

Thank you to Colleen Lindberg, Betty Sheehan, Sandy Thyen, Sharon Hejl, Nancy Hulscher, Jo Maag, Elaine Peterson, Kobe Roe, Rick Holinka family and Rita Brownlee for helping with the CCD appreciation dinner. You are appreciated!

We would like to extend a special thank you to Marilyn Schulte for being a prayer tutor and classroom aide for Grades 1-6 this year.

Totus Tuus Registration: Stop by the Religious Education office or call : 886-3368 to register your children for Vacation Bible School/Totus Tuus. There are also registration forms in the church on the Time & Talent counter.

Meal needed for Totus Tuus Team– Sunday, June 3rd, brunch following 10:30 Mass. This is for 8 team members . Call Mary at 886-3368 if you can help with this.

Baccalaureate Mass- May 20th at 10:30 a.m.

Confirmation Rehearsal and retreat- May 30th

Confirmation Families please RSVP to the Dinner by May 15th.

Confirmation, Sunday, June 3rd, at 3:00 p.m.

Class of 2012: Remember to pickup and complete and return the poster on the table in the church lobby to be displayed for the Graduation mass on May 20th.

News from Immaculate Conception School

On Tuesday, May 8th, the 4th Gr. Students traveled to Brookings to SDSU to attend the Water Festival.

On Wednesday, May 9th, Mrs. McElhany's Kindergarten students traveled to Brookings to the Children's Science Museum. If you have young children and they have never been to the Children's Science Museum, you will need to take a trip to Brookings. This is an interactive science museum and most children do not want to leave.

On Monday, May 7th, Mr. Young took the 4th, 5th and 6th Gr. Students on a bike ride. Prior to the ride Mr. Young did some pre-teaching on bike safety. The bike ride is an annual event as part of our health unit.

On Tuesday, May 8th, the 5th Gr. Class enjoyed a field trip to the Washington Pavilion.

On Wednesday, May 9th, the second grade class traveled to the Chippewa Historical Museum in Montevideo, MN.

On Thursday, May 10th, at 6 p.m., we held a graduation mass for our 6th Gr. Students and their families as well as other guests. After the mass the graduates and their guests attended a catered dinner in the Parish Hall.

Our sixth Gr. Graduates are: Faith Baumberger, Anna Dage, Brady Fonder, John Grabow, Makayla Knight, Houston LaQua, Alex Lindner, Derick Mack, Audrey Moran, Jaadon Ries, Justice Ries, Nick Sadler, Grace Stein, and Margaret Stromseth.


Together for Children and Families,
Mrs. Dage, Principal



May 2012

- 5/14 Monday
Adult Choir 6:30 p.m.
- 5/16 Wednesday
Shalom rehearsal 6:15 in the Church
- 5/20 Sunday
Graduation Mass for Class of 2012

A Parish Social will be held following the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, May 20th
This is a special recognition of our 2012 graduates.



Healing Retreat with Fr. Bernie Weber-June 8-9-KC Hall
 Fr. Bernie Weber, CP has been a Passionist for 35 years. His dominant ministry has been preaching of parish missions. God has given him the gift of physical healing. You will be inspired by his emotion, stories and charismatic gifts. For info contact Mavis Kemnitz @ 605-880-5996 or mavis.kemnitz@gmail.com or Julie Cotton at 605-532-3738 or juliecotten@hotmail.com. Free will offering plus costs of meals Sponsored by Loving Servants prayer group.

The Catholic Daughters wish to thank all who took Lifesavers and Abuse Awareness information a few weeks ago. Due to the generosity of the parishioners of Holy Name, the Catholic Daughters were able to collect \$416 to be used in local and state Abuse Prevention

Come & celebrate Fr. Joe Vogel's 25th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood on Sunday, May 27th at the St. Katharine Drexel Parish Multipurpose Room (Sioux Falls)! Open house from 2-4 p.m. with a light lunch served, followed by a program & root beer floats at 4 p.m.
 If you cannot attend, but would like to leave a note of congratulations for Fr. Joe, please visit <http://celebrating25yrs.wordpress.com>

Holy Name Comfort Givers: Have you or a loved one been diagnosed with cancer? We are a group of cancer survivors from Holy Name Church, that are here to support you through your challenges. We hope that you can find comfort and understanding through us. We would be happy to visit with you at any time, to be of help and support. For more information, or if you have questions, please call Margaret Schneider at 886-5958 or email her at: marg1953a@hotmail.com

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 * **Happy Mother's Day** *
 * In her eyes...concern and understanding *
 * In her smile...tenderness and compassion *
 * In her heart...unyielding and forthright devotion *
 * In her love...all the warmth and joy a mother can *
 * feel for her children *
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May : St. Henry

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