

Church of SAINT JOSEPH

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Mission Statement

We, the Church of Saint Joseph, are a Catholic, Benedictine faith community. Our liturgy invites and inspires active participation and faith-filled living. Through our ministry of formation in Christ, we continue to build a solid foundation as witnesses who eagerly respond to the needs of the parish and wider community.



New Parish Pictorial Directory

Olan Mills Portrait appointments are being accepted now!

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The church, before and after Masses, on
the weekends of:

June 25-26; July 2-3; July 9-10; July 16-17

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OUR PARISH'S GOAL IS 100% PARTICIPATION



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Parish Website:

www.churchstjoseph.org

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www.stclouddiocese.org

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parish@churchstjoseph.org

New Parishioners Please stop by the parish office to register or mail your completed registration form found on the New Parishioners page of the parish website.

Prayer Corner If you know someone in need of prayers, please call the parish office. You may also call one of the chairpersons of the Prayer Network: Mary at 363-4244 or Joan at 363-4358.

Infant Baptism Attendance at a baptism class is required for all baptisms, even for parents who have had other children baptized. Please call the parish office at 363-7505, ext. 100, to register for the baptism class (held the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm). The date of baptism will be scheduled upon completion of the class.

Marriage Call Fr. Joseph, ext. 122, to set a wedding date and to register for a parish preliminary marriage session. A minimum of six months is needed for preparation.

Pastoral Care If any parishioner or family member is in need of a pastoral care visit, please call Fr. Joseph at ext. 122. Today's privacy laws do not permit hospitals to contact churches when a patient is in need of a pastoral visit. We are made aware of it only when the individual or their friends and family contact us.

Sacrament Of Anointing

Please call Fr. Joseph at ext. 122.

JUNE 19, 2011 • THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

COMMISSION OF WORD

Saint Joseph Parishioners will know, understand and daily witness to Christ-centered living inspired by God's Word and Catholic Tradition.

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Friends,

Happy Father's Day to all dads, and may God's blessings be with you! As I begin my vacation this weekend, I get to celebrate the day with my dad and my brothers who are the fathers of my nieces and nephews. Since my dad is 85-years-old, I treasure these times together.

There will be no morning Masses in the parish this coming week. Everyone is welcome to join the Sisters of Saint Benedict's Monastery for Mass, Monday through Thursday at 5:00 pm and Friday at 8:00 am.

As you know, our 4th of July Festival will soon be here. Please join me in praying for favorable and beautiful weather from set-up to take-down of the festival.

Blessings on your week!

*In Christ's peace,
Fr. Joseph*

Family Table Talk... Questions for your family discussion this week (Gospel: John 3:16-18): *We live within the Trinity whenever we live in love. How does this mystery connect to your daily life? How do you choose to live as a more loving person?* **Discussion starters:** *One time when I was hurting, someone brought me the Good News when they . . . One of the most rewarding memories I have of helping someone when I received absolutely nothing in return was when . . . Some of Jesus' apostles made mistakes in their own lives. This gives me hope when I think . . .*

Youth Ministry

One week extension!

If you have not already completed the online survey for YOUTH, please do so! All youth going into grades 7-12 this fall are invited to share your thoughts and help us prepare better for events and experiences here at the parish. PRIZES are involved!!! Go to our parish website, www.churchstjoseph.org, Formation, Youth Ministry and you'll find it there! Takes about 8 minutes. Thanks for your help!

2011-2012 7th graders and your families, mark your calendar for Sunday, July 31 at 5:00 pm! We will be having a picnic along with kickball, volleyball and maybe other types of ball to help the 7th graders get better acquainted and start building relationships among parents too. Postcards will be mailed with specifics, but please mark your calendar. Thanks to Jackie Maleska, Erinn Hawkins, Lori Lygre and Becky Ethen for their leadership in organizing this event.

*Molly Weyrens
Coordinator of Youth Ministry*

Vacation Bible School Registration

Our 2011 Vacation Bible School program for children ages 4 through the 6th grade will run from July 31-August 4. The theme this year is "Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus Was a Kid" and registrations are available in the East Entrance of the church or on our parish website at www.churchstjoseph.org. Please note that **space is limited** and that priority registration ends on **Friday, July 15**. If you have questions or if you would like to volunteer to help in the program, please call the Faith Formation Office (363-7505, ext. 152) or the Church of Saint Joseph VBS parish contact: Pam Funk (363-1864 or mommafunk@hotmail.com).

COMMISSION OF SOCIAL MINISTRIES

Saint Joseph Parishioners will know, understand and work to realize the Gospel vision of justice and Catholic Social Teaching.

Today's Tip for Reducing Your

Environmental Impact... Carbon Footprint: Visit www.nature.org/greenliving/carboncalculator to determine your carbon dioxide emissions from major sources: home energy consumption and transportation by car and plane. This information can be tracked over time, allowing you to gauge the impact of actions you take to reduce your carbon footprint. Visit www.catholicclimatecovenant.org for more tips!

Partnership with the Diocese of Vijayapuram

Please keep Bishop Sebastian Thekkethecheril and the people of the Diocese of Vijayapuram in your daily prayers.

Right Relationships... In the Scriptures we repeatedly discover a God of relationship, a God who travels with us and with the whole community. Our God is a social God who is concerned with our world and its people. We are reminded that the Trinitarian relationship that exists within our God mirrors the relationship that should exist within us as a human community: a relationship of mutuality, support, love and respect. Our Christian faith calls us into a community of mutual support. We are concerned with the issues of the world and everyday life. We have hope in the midst of all the problems and challenges of the world. Today many Christians are taking action to build right relationships among all God's people. As individuals we can choose to live simply so we can share more with others. We can live our faith by choosing fair trade products over those that are produced by companies that mistreat workers. As a community we can work to end poverty and the injustice of inequality. Visit www.inequality.org and www.makepovertyhistory.org for more information.

—Adapted from Justice Corner by Rachel Ramjattan

COMMISSION OF PASTORAL MINISTRIES

*Saint Joseph Parishioners will know, understand and practice
the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy within our parish and in the wider community.*

Good news: You will be happy and grateful to know that our local food shelf is doing very well at this time. By that I mean, we have been able to serve approximately 56 households a month with necessities by providing them with food, personal items, and supplies. You have been very generous in providing donations of food, household supplies, and money especially during this past year when a lot of people suffered through financial stress and economic difficulties. Because of your continued generosity, the food shelf has also been able to extend help through the local Farmer's Market. Families that are strapped financially are finding some relief through the efforts of the food shelf workers: those who buy the food and supplies, those who collect the food and household supplies from various donation points, and those who are on hand to serve clients as they come to the food shelf for assistance. Surely we are living out the command of Jesus: to feed the hungry and to help those less fortunate, whenever we can. Thank you.

S. Joyce Iten, Pastoral Minister

Peter's Pence

Thank you for the \$655.00 donation to assist with the essential work of the Holy Father and his charitable acts through the Peter's Pence Collection. You have helped to cast Christ's love upon the world. To ready more about the good done through the Peter's Pence Collection, please visit www.usccb.org/national_collections.

Volunteer Opportunity at the St. Cloud Hospital

The hospital is in need of Eucharistic Ministers for their Friday, Saturday and Sunday (morning) shifts. If interested in serving our patients in this ministry, please contact Chaplain Mark Donlin, 320-251-2700, ext. 54625 or donlinm@centracare.com. Parish priest recommendation is required. Thank you for your continued support for the sick in Central Minnesota!

Save the Date

This fall, Justice for Immigrants-MN is hosting an exciting event entitled "Justice for Immigrants: The Theology of Migration and Framing the Message." The keynote speaker will be Fr. Daniel Groody, CSC, associate professor of theology at the University of Notre Dame and a leading voice on theology and migration.

Participants may choose one of the following dates/locations: Friday, September 30 at Saint John's University (Collegeville) or Saturday, October 1 at Saint Catherine University (St. Paul). For more information, please contact the Catholic Charities Office for Social Justice, c/o AnneMarie Grundhauser, 328 West Kellogg Blvd., St. Paul, MN 55102—phone 651-291-4477 or email osj@cctwincities.org

Support and Pray for Military Families

Please remember in your prayers: Chad Phillipp, a Marine, serving in Afghanistan, and his family and Derek Wahl, National Guardsman, serving in Iraq, and his family. Thank you.

***Thank You, Lord, for the men and women
of our armed forces.***

Protect them as they protect us.

Defend them as they defend us.

*Encourage and strengthen their spirit, soul,
and body in the execution of
their duties and responsibilities. Amen.*

Thank you to Michael Daniel (Daniel Funeral Home), Andy Hawkins (financial representative with Northwestern Mutual), Pete Jansky (St. Joseph Police Chief), LeAnne Miller (attorney with Reichert Wenner) and Dick Taufen (Saint Joseph Parish Cemetery Board chair) who were presenters for the *Are You Prepared? A Workshop on End-of-Life Issues* that was held June 11 in the Lab School. The evaluations of the 44 participants were unanimous in their satisfaction with the workshop and its content, and people said that they would recommend the workshop to their friends if it was ever offered again. Thanks, too, to the Knights of Columbus for providing and serving the refreshments and helping clean up after the workshop.

Prayer Corner

Please pray for... Marian Brisk, Judy Bruemmer, Laken Court, Gracie Jo Dullinger, Audrey Elfering, Jim Elfering, Doris Ethen, Nancy Evans, Justin Funk, Cliff Hilsgen, Blake Hogenson, Glenn Hommerding, Ethan Johnson, Bob Kempen, Rebecca Klaphake, Claudette Klein, Darlene Kroll, Stan Kron, Larry & Linda Leither, Tamara Maslonkowski, military men and women and their families, Tom Nahan, Delores Newcomb, people of the Diocese of Vijayapuram, India, Joe Petrich, Sam Rueckert, Cindy Schmitz, Lori Sprenger, Ann Pfannenstien Stuckart, Zak Whitman, workers & volunteers in foreign lands. *(These people will be specially remembered at Mass on the first Sunday of each month. If you would like a name added to, or removed from, the Prayer Corner, simply call the parish office, ext. 100. Names remain on the Prayer Corner for about two months.)*

COMMISSION OF WORSHIP

Saint Joseph Parishioners will know, understand and honor Benedictine values and the dignity of their role as members of the worshipping assembly.



Liturgy Spotlight

*from the desk of David Orzechowski,
Director of Music and Liturgy*

Invitation to Communion

This week we would like to share with you the new translation of the Invitation to Communion that will be used when new Mass texts are implemented the weekend of November 26-27, 2011. (First Sunday of Advent)

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: **Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.**

The people's response is inspired by the story in Luke's Gospel of the centurion who sends messengers to meet Jesus while Jesus is on his way to heal the centurion's servant:

And Jesus went with them, but when he was only a short distance from the house, the centurion sent friends to tell him, 'Lord, do not trouble yourself, for I am not worthy to have you enter under my roof. Therefore, I did not consider myself worthy to come to you; but say the word and let my servant be healed' (Lk 7:6-7).

**“The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.”**

Readings for the Week of June 19

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. —Jn 3:16-17

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/
Jn 3:16-18
Monday: Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20
Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12,
15-16/Mt 7:21-29
Friday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/
Lk 1:5-17
Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/
Lk 1:57-66, 80
Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17
Next Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/
Jn 6:51-58

**Pray!
Do it every day!**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

There is a need for someone to cover the 11:00 am time slot for adoration on the second Saturday of every month. If you are interested, please call Peggy Boettcher at 320-266-2797. Thank you.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS	Saturday, June 25	5 pm	Sunday, June 26	8 am	Sunday, June 26	10 am
Sacristans	Bob & Bernadette Ethen		Virginia Meier		Susan Meyer	
Greeters	Delroy & Dianne Bechtold, Mike Nierengarten		Richard & Joyce Stock, Mary Ann Theisen		Mark & Katy Evenson, Nettie Pfannenstien	
Gift Bearers	Leo Sadlo Family		Open to volunteers		Andy & Erinn Hawkins Family	
Eucharistic Ministers	Bernadette Ethen, Meg Klecker, Laura Kutzera, Kay Lemke, Renee Lepinski, Kathy Lyon, Judy Meyer		Virginia Meier, Ann Reischl, Jennifer Oswald, Nancy Walz, Othmar Schmitz, Joan Skroch, Kristin Zimmer		Jody Terhaar, Karl Terhaar, Claire Bauer, Merle Bauer, Bruce Bechtold, Jim Boettcher, Peggy Boettcher	
Ushers	Marvin & Carol Mastey, Diane Thelen, LeRoy Warnert		Alan Glatzel, Mark Gohmann, Gary Kuefler, John Heinen		Cletus Bechtold, Jerry Ethen, Tom Ethen, Daniel Goebel	
Servers	Clare Pfannenstien & Cole Pfannenstien		Amanda Walz & Amelia Walz		Cooper Gerads & Tom Hawkins	
Lectors	Charles Kern		Peggy Jansky		Wayne Paquin	
Music Ministry	Cantors		Cantors		Cantors	

The Week Ahead

Sunday, June 19

The Most Holy Trinity

Father's Day

8:00 am Mass†Alois Pfannenstein, Jr.
10:00 am Mass for our Parish

Monday, June 20

5:00 pm Mass at Saint Benedict's Monastery

Tuesday, June 21

5:00 pm Mass at Saint Benedict's Monastery

Wednesday, June 22

5:00 pm Mass at Saint Benedict's Monastery

Thursday, June 23

5:00 pm Mass at Saint Benedict's Monastery
7:00 pm Music on the Lawn

Friday, June 24

8:00 am Mass at Saint Benedict's Monastery

Saturday, June 25

4:00 pm Confession
5:00 pm Mass†Leo Sadlo

Sunday, June 26

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

8:00 am Mass†Irene Blenker
10:00 am Mass for our Parish

Masses

Monday— Thursday Sacred Heart Chapel 5:00 pm
Friday Sacred Heart Chapel 8:00 am
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:40 pm
 And by appointment - *Please call Fr. Joseph at ext. 122.*



Parish/School

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Stewardship of Treasure

Treasure received week of June 12, 2011

Average weekly budget	\$11,495.00
Adult offering	\$5,917.94
Average weekly automated offering	\$3,045.00
Weekly difference	\$-2,532.06
Youth offering received	\$44.43
Budget through June 12	\$582,010.00
Actual through June 12	\$571,420.17
Difference	\$-10,589.83

Peter's Pence 655.00

Have you considered the convenience of Electronic Offering? Call today to sign up! 320-363-7505, ext. 120

COMMISSION OF COMMUNITY

Saint Joseph Parishioners will know, understand and demonstrate what it means to be a Catholic faith community.

July 4 Festival Update

Mark your calendars and plan to assist with set-up for our festival.

Set-up times are: **Wednesday, June 29 at 6:00 pm**
Thursday, June 30 at 8:00 am
Friday, July 1 at 8:00 am
Saturday, July 2 at 8:00 am

All are welcome!

Cleaning your closets?

The Country Store will be happy to receive your clean, like-new items such as pictures, knick-knacks, books, and household items. **Please NO clothing, electrical items or live plants.** Please also bring your empty plastic grocery bags for our use. Any questions, please call Mark & Diane Plantenberg at 363-4123.

Cake Stand Cake boxes will be provided for round, layered, and angel food cakes. The boxes will be available in the main entrance and the East Entrance of the church the weekend of June 25-26. We appreciate all sizes of cakes. Please identify the flavor of the cake on the outside of the box. Bring it to the Lab School on July 3. There will also be boxes available in the parish office and in the Lab School dining room on July 3.

Stewardship of Offering

Thank you for being faithful to your 2011 commitment of offering. If you are often away during the summer, you may want to consider automated offering. Unfortunately we see a direct correlation between Mass attendance and the offering amount received each week. Automated offering is a convenient way to keep your financial commitment to the parish. If you have any questions and would like to consider automated offering, please call Sandy at 363-7505, ext. 120.

Invitation to Mass and Coffee at the Monastery, Haehn Museum

On Friday, June 24, parishioners are cordially invited to join the Sisters at 8:00 am Eucharist in the Sacred Heart Chapel. Coffee will be served immediately after Mass at the Art and Heritage Place. There will be guided tours of the current Haehn Museum exhibit "Resounding Joy: Our Music Heritage." The exhibit features photos and historical objects depicting the place of music throughout the history of the monastery. The Whitby Gift Shop will also be open featuring handmade gifts as well as a current gallery show of paintings by Sister Galen Martini, OSB, and Gina Moeller Baird.

Making Room at Our Table

Did you know that we are planning an expansion to our church to include a gathering space and fellowship hall? To learn more about *Making Room at Our Table*, check under the Communications tab at www.churchstjoseph.org. To view the architect's schematic designs, click on the PowerPoint presentation titled "Open Forum, 5-22-11." To learn more about the proposed *Parish Storage Facility* to be built in the new parish cemetery this summer, click on "Bulletin Update, 6-5-11." We encourage you to visit other church projects completed by our architect Murray Mack. These include: Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Crosslake, MN (new church, fellowship hall, offices), Saint Boniface in Cold Spring (fellowship hall, offices), Sacred Heart in Sauk Rapids (new church), Saint Francis Xavier in Sartell (gathering space, classrooms, offices), and Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Rockville (fellowship hall and gathering space).

Please share your comments with us at makingroom@churchstjoseph.org.

Church Cleaners Needed

Do you have one hour a month, on Tuesday mornings immediately following the 8:00 am Mass, that would allow you to volunteer for a good cause? Several church cleaners have retired or are unable to continue serving on the crews, so we are in need of parishioners who enjoy working with others to clean our worship space. You would be assigned to only one Tuesday morning per month. If you are interested, please call Jean Weyer at 320-363-4316. Thank you.

Want to save three lives in under an hour? Roll up your sleeves and give the gift of blood!

Before beginning your holiday weekend, please consider giving the gift of blood to those in need. Our family relied on this gift 22 times while our son went through treatment for cancer. This drive is being held in honor of a four-year-old Richmond warrior who is fighting cancer for the **third time** in his young life. He is currently at the U of M preparing to receive his second stem cell transplant. So often, friends, family, and the community yearn to find a way to help a family in such a difficult situation, but don't know what to do. This is a great way to help! Giving blood quite literally gives life. What an incredible gift. According to the Red Cross, donations go down in the summer because people travel, BUT the need for blood goes up due to accidents and natural disasters. In addition, we know that cancer doesn't take a break over the summer. The need is constant. Please consider starting your celebration of freedom by giving a little freedom to a stranger! **Friday, July 1, 8:00 am-2:00 pm at Resurrection Lutheran Church. Call Mary for an appointment at 363-8622.**