

# Church *of the* Resurrection

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## Totus Tuus 2017

Thank you to the team, staff, families, volunteers, teens and children who participated in this week long spiritual growth of Catholic youth. Please continue to pray for the Totus Tuus team as they continue to serve throughout our Diocese.



*July 9th, 2017, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



## Weekly Words from The Rock

### Question for the Week

In February 1993, Karl Keating in the periodical This Rock composed a quiz entitled “The World’s Toughest Catholic Quiz.” Trust me, it is difficult. Over the course of several weeks we have looked at certain questions from the quiz. Last week, I provided the final question to the quiz. Here is the question and answer.

Question: Apologetics means

- Never having to say you’re sorry.
- The art of apologizing for being a Catholic.
- A course that seminarians used to have to take but that they now are exempted from by canon law.
- Giving reasoned explanations and defenses of the faith.
- None of the above.

Answer:

- Wrong, because while apologizing means to say “I am sorry” the word we are looking at here is “apologetics” and there is a Catholic definition of the word.
- Wrong, because one should never apologize for being a Catholic.
- Wrong, even though it is true that almost no seminaries have courses in apologetics.
- Correct, because this is a concise Catholic definition of the word.
- Wrong, because d. is correct.

### Biblical Terminology

I would like to introduce something new to my bulletin column. There are many words and names that we find in the Bible however do we know what they mean? Do we know why they are important? My source for this will be Harper’s Bible Dictionary, Harper & Row Publishers, Copyright 1985.

This week we look at three names.

**Abba** – the definite form of the Aramaic word for “father” (literally “the father”), properly translated “my father” or “our father.” Used by Jesus (and early Christians) to address God (see Mark 14:36; cf. Romans 8:15; Galatians 4:6). Many scholars find indications of such use of the word in ancient Judaism/Israel, but others argue that it originated with Jesus.

**Abel** – the second son of Adam and Eve (Genesis 4:1-16). Abel is the one who offers an acceptable sacrifice to God, although we are not told why it is acceptable. He is murdered by his jealous brother Cain. Abel in Hebrew means “breath, vapor,” suggesting the fragile quality of life. In the Old Testament, it is noteworthy that Abel is not again mentioned. In the New Testament, Abel becomes a theological reference for innocent blood (Matthew 23:35; Luke 11:51; Hebrews 12:24) and an exemplar of faith (Hebrews 11:4).

**Cain** – the first son of Adam and Eve. Cain was a farmer whose offering God rejected in favor of the firstlings brought by his brother Abel. Angered, Cain killed Abel and subsequently denied knowledge of his whereabouts. As a punishment, God withheld the ground’s fruits from Cain, who was condemned to a life of wandering. God placed a mark on Cain to warn would-be attackers that he remained under God’s protection. Cain later built the first city and is regarded as the eponymous ancestor of the Kenites, who are often considered to have originated as a tribe of wandering metalworkers.

### Holy Humor



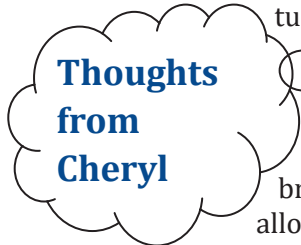
God’s blessings! Father Schuster



One of the joys of being Resurrection's Director of Ministries is having the opportunity to work closely with parishioners who step forward in service as a leadership council or committee member. The ability of this parish to respond in significant ways to the needs of our parish and within the Rochester community is in large part due to the commitment,

dedication and active involvement of each council or committee member. This past year alone, we had over 80 leadership ministry volunteers. You can see the lists of council and committee members for 2017 on the back of the current leadership nomination board in the gathering space. I don't think that the average parishioner is

tuned into the important role that our leadership ministry plays in bringing about all that we do. When the voices of parishioners share their hopes and concerns with those in leadership, they in turn can bring these suggestions to the table. This allows the leadership teams to have meaningful conversations that affect the course of future action. It is in the voice of many that we can more clearly hear the promptings of the Spirit. Your involvement does make a difference.



**Leadership Ministry nominations**

This weekend we begin the process of building our Leadership Ministry teams. The first and most important step requires your participation. Please take a moment to nominate a parishioner or parishioners who you feel demonstrate qualities that would be helpful in advising the pastor as he guides his people and Resurrection in meaningful ways. This person might even be you. There will be slips of paper and pens available in the gathering space through Sunday, July 23. Place the name of the person you would like to nominate on the slip of paper and drop in the box provided. If possible, contact the person that you have nominated and let them know why you think they would be a good leader for our parish. On Wednesday, July 26 those nominated will receive a letter of invitation to the **Leadership Discernment Meeting on Wednesday, August 9, from 6-8 pm**. If you have any questions about the process or specifically about the role of the councils or committees don't hesitate to ask me. You may contact me [cherylk@rescathroch.org](mailto:cherylk@rescathroch.org), call 288-5528, ext. 103, or stop by my office located between the sacristy and the bathrooms.

**Story in the Park**

This will be the second year that Stacey Dorsey, Faith Formation Director of grades 1—5 and Family Ministry, has offered Story in the Park nights. Our first year was a great success and Stacey is a consummate story teller and combines activities that are fun and relevant to the story that is highlighted for the evening. It really is worth the time and effort to bring the entire family. I thoroughly enjoyed every one that I attended, even without children. Come and check it out on Monday, July 10 at 6:30 p.m. "The Suitcase Day."

Enjoy God's embrace.

**Parish News**

**Building the Church in Mission Land, USA**

This weekend we welcome Fr. Francois Pellissier, from the Glenmary Home Missioners to talk about missionary work his Society is doing in serving the spiritual and material needs of people right here in the United States. Hundreds of U.S. counties do not have a resident priest and in many of these counties the Catholic Church is not present. That means no celebration of the Eucharist, no sacraments, not even a parish community in which to find fellowship and support. Glenmary Home Missioners are working hard to fill the void-to bring the love of Jesus and His church to the small towns and rural areas of our nation. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to hear of the Glenmary apostolate in Appalachia, the rural South and the Southwest and to offer our prayers and financial support for their important ministry in the Church. Please be generous. This collection for Glenmary Home Missioners marks the annual Mission Awareness presentation promoted by our diocesan Society for the Propagation of the Faith.



**Elder Care Ministry of Church of the Resurrection** invites you to attend the Resource & Health Fair for Seniors and Caregivers, Family & Friends on **Thursday, July 20, 9-11 am**, in Father Zenk Hall. All are welcome to join us to gather information on topics related to aging, health & safety, wellness and caregiving! 20 businesses and groups will be represented. Visit with friends & meet new friends over coffee, tea and breakfast breads! Blood pressure checks, Caring Hands hand massages, door prizes and more! Bring a friend and plan to attend! 1600 11<sup>th</sup> Ave SE, Rochester, MN. Please call the church office with any questions, 288-5528.

**Baptism**

*Born to a new life in Christ and joined to our faith community through the Waters of Baptism, we welcome:*

**Cara Margaret Cummings**  
Child of Casey and Phiyada



# Liturgy Notes from Joann

## Weddings and Customs

During the seasons of summer and the fall we have many weddings here at the Church of the Resurrection. It is my honor to meet with couples who are preparing for the Celebration of Matrimony to talk about the readings, the rites and the music.

The first consideration is whether the Celebration of Matrimony will take place within Mass or outside of Mass. Father Shawn and Father Schuster meet with the couples and decide what would be best for the couples. Normally, the Celebration of Marriage between two Catholics takes place within Mass. In fact, one option that many couples may not realize they have, is to celebrate Matrimony at a Sunday Mass! When Marriage takes place between a Catholic and a baptized non-Catholic, the rite for celebrating Marriage can take place outside of Mass during a Liturgy of the Word. In all cases, Father Shawn and Father Schuster direct the couple as to what is best.

There are specific readings, prayers and rites for the Celebration of Marriage and every couple can chose which of these they want to use. There are four customs that have become popular at weddings: the lighting of a unity candle, presenting flowers to a statue of Mary, the blessing and giving of arras and the blessing and placing of the lazo.

### The Lighting of a Unity Candle

This rite, though popular with many couples, is not an official rite of the Church. This is because the symbol of unity at a wedding is already present in the exchange of rings. We do allow the lighting of a unity candle after the exchange of rings, but encourage the couples to consider the wedding reception as another option for this rite.

### Presenting Flowers to Mary

This rite, though very popular, especially in some ethnic Churches, is also not an official rite of the Church. What this means is that there is no specific place within the Mass where a presentation of flowers takes place. We certainly encourage flowers as part of the décor for weddings and have even brought the statue of Mary into the Church from the Gathering Space so that where there is a great devotion to Mary, the statue can be part of the décor. We do allow for the presentation of flowers to a statue of Mary after all have received Holy Communion and before the final blessing.

The blessing and giving of arras and the placing of the lazo are official rites of the Church and I will tell you more about those next week.

### Psalm Refrain for July 16 – 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Luke 8:8)

*The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.*

# Liturgical Ministries

**NOTE:** Please remember to find a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled. Thank you.  
July 15th/16th

## Altar Servers

- 8:00 pm Reilyn Schoenfelder, Cassie Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Carolyn Jones, Beli Jones
- 10:00 am Will Weick, Nick Weick, Abby Weick
- 11:30 am Stella Pelowski, Felix Pelowski

## Eucharistic Ministers

- 8:00 pm Jane & Rick Haeflinger, Judith Pelowski, Theresa Root, Patricia Schoenfelder, Kim Shimak-Hansen, Elizabeth Teuteberg, **Need Substitute**
- 8:30 am Elaine Doherty, Nancy Hass, Michael & Mary Lose, LeeAnn Mueller, Audrey Nervig, Eugene Nolan, Charlotte Robinet, Deb Rowekamp, Patrice Steier, Kevin Sutter
- 10:00 am Robert Degnan, Charles DeVos, Melody & Douglas Hudson, Joseph & Aida Kostick, Brett Maronde, Mary Stettler, Robert Techentin, Bob Voss, Shannon Weick
- 11:30 am Marianne Aksamit, Tim Fague, Janet Helgren, Lynette Lenoach, Daniel McCormick, Jackie O'Connell, Sheila Pelowski, Catherine Tiegs

## Lectors

- 8:00 pm Therese Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Denise Koster, Micki Miller
- 10:00 am Regina Boehmke, Esther Connelly
- 11:30 am Allen Aksamit

## Greeters

- 8:00 pm Kirt & Diane Grantner , Need substitute
- 8:30 am Tom & Christiane Lund, Chuck Radloff, Clara Radloff
- 10:00 am Renee Kreter , **Need Substitute**
- 11:30 am Jennifer Gehling , **Need Substitute**

## Ushers

- 8:00 pm Greg Hansen, Braeden Schoenfelder, John Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Tom Brown, Eric Ladin, Francis Mueller, Kenneth Mueller
- 10:00 am James Maronde, Alejandro Rueda, Jim Sinn, William Sullivan
- 11:30 am Mick Garvey, Brett Parks, Karen Reopelle

## Rosary

- 7:30 pm Saturday

# About the Parish

Weekly Bulletin deadline is Monday before noon.  
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**Phone** 288-5528 **Fax** 252-0763

## Parish Office Hours

**Monday-Friday** 9:00 am – 5:00pm

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday** 8:00 pm

**Sunday** 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 am

**Daily Mass** 8:30 am Monday - Friday

## Rosary, Prayer and Devotions

**Rosary:** 8:10 am Monday-Friday

Saturday: 7:30 pm (starting January)

Adoration Chapel: 24 hours, 7 days

## Parish Registration

We warmly welcome new parishioners and request that they register by calling the parish office.

## Pastor

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Judy Pelowski

Tom Kowalewski

## Parish Trustees

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Cathy Tiegs

[cathytiegs@yahoo.com](mailto:cathytiegs@yahoo.com)

## Communion for Shut-ins

Each First Friday and upon request.

Call the office for assistance.

## Hospital Visitation

Please notify the parish office if any parishioner is confined to a hospital and would like a visit from a priest.

## Calvary Cemetery

Joseph Vroman 288-1770

[www.calvarycemeteryrochester.org](http://www.calvarycemeteryrochester.org)

## Rochester Catholic Schools

RCS Office 507-424-1817

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

For those considering becoming Catholic contact Joann Reier: 288-5528.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday from 6:45 - 7:45 pm

## Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism preparation is held the second Tuesday of each month.

Consult the Parish Office for the Pre-Jordan class and to schedule a baptism.

## First Communion

First Communion/Reconciliation is usually in second grade.

## Confirmation

Confirmation is a two year program starting in ninth grade with Confirmation being at the end of the tenth grade.

## Marriage

Please make arrangements with the parish at least six months prior.

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, July 9th

Glenmary Mission Weekend

Teen night 6:30 pm

Bonfire 8:00 pm

### Monday, July 10th

Prayer Shawl Meeting 2:00 pm

Story in the Park 6:30 pm

Heart of Trinity Prayer Group 6:30 pm

### Tuesday, July 11th

Pre Jordan Class 6:30 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society 7:00 pm

Holy Hour 7:00 pm, Social Hour  
8:00 pm

### Wednesday, July 12th

Food for Friends 5:00 pm

### Thursday, July 13th

Marketing & Communications

Meeting 5:30 pm

### Friday, July 14th

Widow's Prayer Group 9:00 am

### Saturday, July 15th

Society of Divine Mercy Monastery

Prayer Group 6:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:45 pm

Rosary 7:30 pm; Mass 8:00 pm

# Catholic School News

**Preschool & Childcare Openings at Rochester Catholic Schools** Beginning in the fall of the 2017-2018 school year, Rochester Catholic Schools will offer expanded child care opportunities for children ages 3, 4, and 5 year olds. Families can choose from a menu of options to design a program that meets their needs. With these flexible, affordable care options, parents can feel comfortable knowing their young children are in a safe, loving, Christ-like learning environment throughout the day including before and after school. Rochester Catholic Schools still has available preschool openings. To learn more or to take a tour, email [admissions@rcsmn.org](mailto:admissions@rcsmn.org)! We would love to meet you!

# Community News

**The Winona Diocesan Council of Catholic Women** invites all Ladies to our gathering at St. Stanislaus Basilica in Winona on July 12th. It begins gathering at 9:00 am, with Mass at 11:30, followed by Lunch (free-will offering), then Tour of the Basilica and the Polish Museum! Car-pooling encouraged, bring a friend! Jackie Mickow, Area Pres.

**Our Lady Of Fatima** Thursday, July 13 marks the 100th Anniversary of the 3rd apparition of Our Lady of Fatima to three shepherd children. The message is to pray the Rosary daily for the conversion of sinners and do penance for peace in the world. This message is more urgent today than it was in 1917. On behalf of Msgr. Mahon, Pastor of St. John the Evangelist (Rochester) everyone is invited to join the Rosary procession beginning at 11:30 AM and concluding with Mass at 12:10 PM on Thursday, July 13 at St. John's. The Rosary procession will begin in the prayer garden, proceed around the block and conclude in the Church.

**The Holy Family Team of Catholic United Financial is hosting a Frisbee golf tournament** on July 29, 2017 at 2:00pm at East Park (1738 E Center St. Rochester, MN, 55904). Arrive at 1:45 to sign in and get your starting point. Monetary prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Bring your own Frisbees/Discs. Beverages and snacks will be provided. Teams of four (all ages welcome) can register by emailing Bryan McCaleb ([bmccaleb@catholicunited.org](mailto:bmccaleb@catholicunited.org)) with the contestant names. Register your team now! Registration closes at noon on July 26.

### Readings for the Week of July 9, 2017

Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30  
 Monday: Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab/Mt 9:18-26  
 Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15/Mt 9:32-38  
 Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19/Mt 10:1-7  
 Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Ps 105:16-21/Mt 10:7-15  
 Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mt 10:16-23  
 Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-4, 6-7/Mt 10:24-33  
 Next Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10-14/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9 ©Liturgical Publications Inc

# Mass Intentions

Mon., July	10th	8:30 am	†Francis Mulvihill
Tues., July,	11th	8:30 am	Rob Frisby (healing)
Wed., July,	12th	8:30 am	†Vera Strain
Thurs., July	13th	8:30 am	†Lorraine Peterson
Fri., July,	14th	8:30 am	†John Neylon
Sat., July,	15th	8:00 pm	Priests in Recovery
Sun., July,	16th	8:30 am	†Chris Mulvihill
		10:00 am	For the Parish
		11:30 am	Elaine York

### Financial Blessings Sunday, July 2nd, 2017

Church Support.....	\$12,099
Capital Projects.....	\$1,536
Children's Collection.....	\$14
EFT Church Support.....	\$7,148
EFT Capital Projects.....	\$1,102

### Dedication Candles

**July 8th/July 15th**

1. †John Motl
2. †Don Motl



### Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

*Hours of Need*


**Life changes when we spend time with Jesus face to face.**

Prayerfully consider committing to one hour a week before Him in Eucharistic Adoration.

***Could you not spend one hour with Me?"***

*Matthew 26:40*

Call Tim Fague at 507-288-6578 to sign up.  
Any hour is welcomed.



**\* We are looking for a second adorer in these hours.**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 am	11 am*	1 am	12 am	12 pm	3 am*	12 am
		3 am*	11 am*	1 pm	10 am	5 am*
		4 am			1 pm	8 am*
		9 am*			2 pm	1 pm
					4 pm*	2 pm
					5 pm*	9 pm
						10 pm

# Faith Formation



**News from Sheila, Sunday School** [dresscm@rescathroch.org](mailto:dresscm@rescathroch.org) or 288-5528 x101

**No Nursery during summer break.** Let me know if you are interested in volunteering.

**July 23rd- Summer Sunday School.** Please RSVP to me so I can evaluate if there is enough interest to have Sunday School on July 23rd.

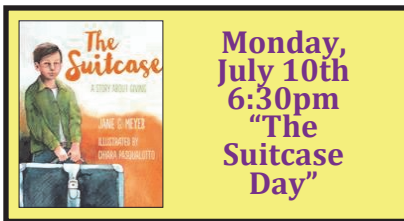
**Have you ever thought about blessing your home?** Perhaps you have thought of it, heard of it being done, but never thought it was something you should practice? Think about this: When you receive an invitation in the mail to a special event, does your heart leap for joy? Personal invitations are intentional and purposeful.

Blessing your home can be understood the same way. Jesus's heart leaps for joy when he is invited intentionally and purposefully into our homes, our domestic churches. Blessing homes with holy water and prayer is an outward sign of our inward faith. Intentionally invite Jesus into your home. Show him that you are purposeful in your faith. Begin by filling a bottle with holy water (we have a font that you can use by the bathrooms). Make the Sign of the Cross, sprinkle holy water in each room. While doing so, pray out loud an Our Father, Glory Be, or any prayer that comes to mind. Let God know that "for you and your household you will serve the Lord." (Joshua 24:15). Remember you can also ask a priest to come bless your home! Please contact me if you have questions or want to chat about faith.



**News from Stacey, Grades 1-5** [dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org](mailto:dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org) or 288-5528 x108

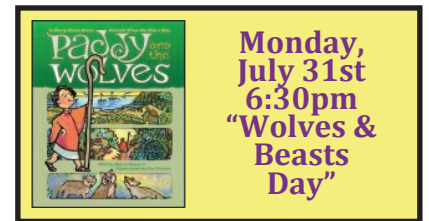
**Story in the Park:** It's fun! It's free! It's family time! No registration required. All families are welcome.



**Monday,  
July 10th  
6:30pm  
"The  
Suitcase  
Day"**



**Monday,  
July 24th  
6:30pm  
"Little  
Flower  
Day"**



**Monday,  
July 31st  
6:30pm  
"Wolves &  
Beasts  
Day"**

If you like to listen to stories, learn about summer saints, play games, and use your imagination, you'll love "Story in the Park." We meet in Fr. Zenk Hall at 6:30pm, walk to Our Park area (the land south of the labyrinth) and return together by 7:30pm. If the weather is too hot or too wet, we will meet in Room C. Please bring a beach towel or a blanket to sit on at the park.

**First Communion 2017 Photos are in!** Every child has an envelope to pick up from the bucket sitting on the table by the church office windows. Next time you are near the church, stop by and pick up your envelope.



**News from Rosemary, Grades 6-10** [dre6to10ym@rescathroch.org](mailto:dre6to10ym@rescathroch.org) or 288-5528 x104

**Please pray for our parishioners attending Steubenville Rochester Youth Conference** July 14-16!

**Totus Tuus:** Thanks to our team (Isaac, Vianney, Shanna, and Kirsten), Fr. Schuster and Fr. Shawn, and the teen helpers. It was a great week for all!



**News from Georges, Grades 11-12, Young Adult** [dre11to12yam@rescathroch.org](mailto:dre11to12yam@rescathroch.org) or 288-5528 x116

Bonfires will be every Sunday from 8:00pm- 10:00pm

Teen FIRE will be from 6:30pm - 8:00pm on Sundays except during Steubenville and the Mission Trip.

## Teen Leaders\*

Claire Creighton & Linda O'Connell

July 9th

\*Due to crazy summer schedules, teen leaders are subject to schedule change

-No FIRE = Steubenville-

July 16th

-No FIRE = Mission Trip-

July 23rd

Abbey Mueller

July 30th

Sierra Welch & Cindy Nash

Aug 6th

Angela Spors & Mia Cuccio

Aug 13th