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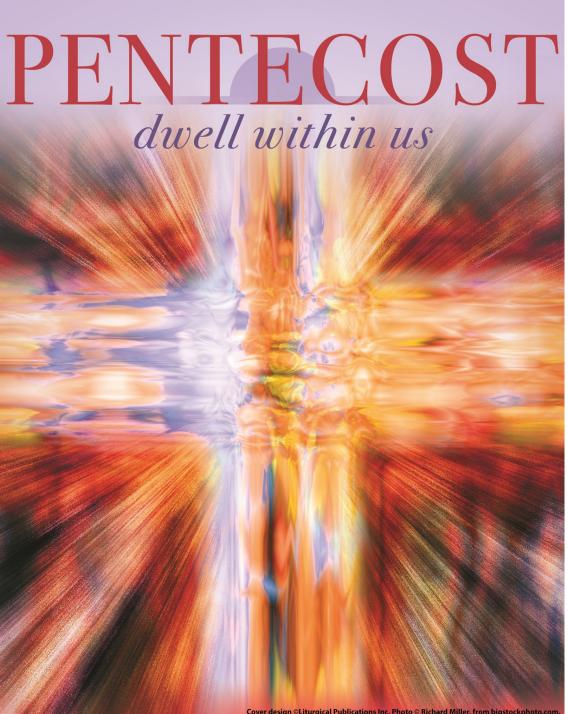
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May 20th, 2018, Pentecost Sunday



Weekly Words from The Rock

Pentecost

Jesus Christ is Risen. Alleluia. Alleluia. For fifty days, we have celebrated and proclaimed this message. With Pentecost, the Season of Easter culminates and moves us back into Ordinary Time. Pentecost surrounds the giving of the Holy Spirit to the Apostles. It is the birthday of the Church. I want to share with you some of our beliefs around the Holy Spirit with the following taken from the <u>United States Catholic Catechism for Adults</u>, pages 101-110.

Question: What is our faith regarding the Holy Spirit? Answer: To believe in the Holy Spirit is to profess that the Holy Spirit is one of the persons of the Holy Trinity, consubstantial with the Father and the Son: "with the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified." (citing the Nicene Creed)

"The Holy Spirit is dynamic, transforming our bodies into temples of God and our souls into dwelling places for Christ. Sometimes called the Paraclete, a term that describes him as advocate and consoler, the Holy Spirit wants to fill us with inspiration and encouragement" (page 103).

Question: What are images of the Holy Spirit in Scripture? Answer: In Scripture, some of the images of the Holy Spirit are fire, cloud and light, seal, hand, finger of God and dove (page 107).

Before the Ascension, Jesus said to his Apostles: "You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth" (page 108).

Question: How is water a symbol of the Holy Spirit? Answer: Water signifies the Holy Spirit's action in Baptism, since after the invocation of the Holy Spirit it becomes the efficacious sacramental sign of new birth (page 107).

Whenever the Father sends his Son, he always sends his Spirit: Their mission is inseparable (page 108).

The gifts of the Holy Spirit are wisdom, understanding, counsel (right judgment), fortitude (courage), knowledge, piety (reverence), and fear of the Lord (wonder and awe in God's presence) (page 108).

The fruits of the Holy Spirit are charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control and chastity (page 108).

Both the Hebrew and Greek word for the Spirit originally meant a "breath," or "air," or "wind." The Holy Spirit was thus understood to be the source of inspiration, life, and movement within God's people (page 104-105).

The Holy Spirit builds up, animates, and sanctifies the Church. He prepares us to go out and bring others to Christ. He opens our minds to understand Christ's death and resurrection. He makes present for us the mystery of Christ, especially in the Eucharist, and brings us to communion with God that we may bear much fruit (page 109).

God's blessings! Father Schuster pastor@rescathroch.org. Sunday homilies posted on our website: www.rescathroch.org.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray. Lord, by the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful.

In the same Spirit, help us to know what is truly right and always to rejoice in your consolation.

We ask this through Christ, Our Lord, Amen.





Your gift supports ministries and services that carry forth Bishop Quinn's mission and vision, including adult and youth catechesis, support for clergy, sacramental marriage, life at all stages, robust Catholic schools, televised Mass and much more.

Diocese Parish Goal: \$80,370, Total Pledged & Received: \$90,214.50; (received: \$76,894.45) from 258 parishioners.

Last year, our donations came to \$102,706 from 360 parishioners; our Diocese goal was \$77,850, so our parish received \$24,856 from this campaign which we will be using to update the kitchen. There is still time to make your pledge—any questions, let us know. Thanks!

Parish News and Events



Operation Hometown Gratitude was a great success with 94 boxes packed, \$882 collected for mailing, and about seventy people participating on Sunday. We were grateful and excited about the wide range of parish and community involvement including a generous monetary donation and items from the Rochester Exchange Club, home baked cookies from our Bakers Ministry, decorated boxes from our Resurrection Spark group, letters from St. Francis School students and students from Ben Franklin Montessori School as well as pictures and letters from individual adults and children from our parish; donations of an impressive variety of books and magazines and

dvd's, an amazing collection of food, toiletries, and socks, as well as miscellaneous fun, recreational and useful items.

We hope that these well-filled boxes not only bring smiles to the faces of our dedicated service men and women but also convey, in some small way, our gratitude for the personal sacrifice they have made for us and make known of the thoughts and continued prayers that go with them daily. Each box also contained a sprinkle of salt blessed by Fr. Ivo Pavic. Special thanks go to Gary and his crew from Mayo HS; Tom, our custodian; Pat, our office manager; our parishioners who volunteered to sort and organize donated items, coordinate the effort as needed, and prep and serve food on Saturday and Sunday; and to ALL of you who participated by showing up to pack or by donating, writing, or sending prayers. It is so heartwarming to see Resurrection come together to make a parish-wide event such as this a success for a cause so close to the hearts of us all. Resurrection---You are the BEST!!!

Volunteer Opportunity Liaison for Community Food Response (CFR)

Jan Helgren, our parishioner will no longer be able to be our liaison for Community Food Response.

Resurrection is scheduled first Monday of each month to assist Community Food Response at Bethel Lutheran Church.

Liaison responsibilities include making phone calls to parishioners who will help sort, pack and distribute food; day of packing, liaison will be responsible to open up the room at 12:30 pm and assist with food coolers, set up and answer the phone. Ending time is around 5:00 pm.

Every other Wednesday, liaison will call drivers to pick up food at local hospitals to be delivered to Bethel Lutheran Church.

If interested, call the office at 507-288-5528.



The 2018 Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday *Iune 3rd;* following 11:30 am Mass.

All are welcome to attend. If your child received First

Communion this year, they are encouraged to come dressed in their First Communion attire.

Fr Schuster will lead the procession and will be walking with the Blessed Sacrament to parishioner's vards.

We are looking for parishioners who live within a 4 block area of Resurrection who would be willing to allow the procession to stop in their driveway or yard with the Blessed Sacrament for a few moments to say prayers and then move on to the next parishioner's place.

If you would like us to stop at your home, please call Pat Schoenfelder at: 507-288-7167.

Adult Scripture Study Coming Soon—Sunday **Readings**

A new Scripture study group(s) is now forming. COME JOIN US—from beginners to experienced Bible readers to explore the Scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday. No previous knowledge of scripture is necessary; you can come and go as your schedule permits. Copies of the readings and supplementary material will be provided, but useful to have your own Bible as well.

Meetings would be weekly: day and times to be determined depending on your availability (see sign-up sheet on display table in the Gathering Space). Length of the study -- about 60 to 90 minutes.

Further questions, contact Judy Lorrig, at 507-288-5528, or lorrigja@yahoo.com.

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 Mon-Fri 8:30 am Rosary Mon-Fri 8:10 am; Sat. 7:30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 6:45-7:45 pm

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

Baptism Pre-Jordan class is held the second Tuesday of the month. Contact the Parish Office to register for the class or schedule a baptism.

Communion for Homebound Call the office for assistance.

Hospital/Homebound Please notify the parish office if you would like a visit from a priest.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

For those considering becoming Catholic, contact the office 507-288-5528.

Calvary Cemetery Steve Flynn, Call 507-273-0140, or email: director@gmail.com.



I wanted to take this opportunity to thank all of you for sharing your lives with me. In the past ten years we have experienced many things together, some good and some bad, some that brought great joy and some that brought copious tears. I will cherish all the memories, but here are a few that I wanted to share with you:

November 11, 2008 - The first funeral that I prepared, sang and played for at the Church of the Resurrection was for my godfather, Albert Dieser. Father Tom Loomis had met with the family, and when he gave me the information, I was stunned. Could it really be my godfather? I had lost track of where he was living as I hadn't seen or talked to him in years. I had no idea that he was living in Rochester or that he was a member of the parish. For me, it was a sign from GOD that I was in the right place at the right time. I have felt that way ever since.

February 3, 2009 - the Feast of Saint Blaise. The priest at this weekday morning mass decided that we would do the traditional blessing of throats during mass and asked me to move the Easter candle into the sanctuary. I didn't understand why we needed the Easter candle and didn't ask. I moved the candle and when it came time for the blessing of throats, the deacon and the priest took the crossed candles used for the blessing and lit them from the Easter candle. Everyone who came forward for the blessing had wide eyes as the lit candles were placed near their necks...and hair, and scarves, and coats. Not only did people receive the blessing, they got a little wax as well.

Speaking of candles...every November it has been my privilege to place lit candles in the windows of the church as we remembered those who had passed away the previous year. We kept a candle burning for each soul. As the candle burned down and needed to be replaced, I would take the flame from one candle and light a new one. As I did, I would say the name of the soul for whom that candle was lit and would pray...eternal rest grant upon him/her and let perpetual light shine upon him/her...and may the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of GOD rest in peace. Amen.

I am grateful for these memories and I am grateful for all of you! Blessings and peace,

Joann

SCRIP IS BACK AT RESURRECTION
Scrip is available to purchase during parish office hours,
Monday—Friday 9:00 am- 4:00 pm.



Dube Family Fundraiser
Sunday, June 3rd, 2018
Eagles Club, 917 15th Ave SE,
Noon—3:00 pm
Join us for a fun filled day with a Silent
auction, Bean-bag Tournament
and Bake sale.

Liturgical Ministries

NOTE: Please remember to find a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled. Thank you.

May 26th/27th

Altar Servers

8:00 pm

8:30 am

8:00 pm	Reilyn Schoenfelder, Kelton Schoenfelder		
8:30 am	Joe Copeland, Zach Guyer		
10:00 am	Nate Spors, Aidan Warrington		
11:30 am	Gavin Balderes, McKaid Schotzko		
Eucharistic Ministers			

Olson, Theresa Root, Patricia Schoenfelder, Kim Shimak-Hansen,Elizabeth Teuteberg

Elaine Doherty, Calvin Guyer, Liz Hanson, George Klann, Denise Koster, Christiane Lund, Joan Miller, LeeAnn Mueller, Audrey

Jane & Rick Haeflinger, Sophia Hyke, Debbie

Nervig, Eugene Nolan, Kevin Sutter

10:00 am Regina Boehmke, Robert Degnan, Charles DeVos, Gloria Flicek, Lynn Gaber, Julie Galkowski, Timothy Geisler, Douglas & Melody Hudson, Brett Maronde, Marylu

Nemgar

11:30 am Marianne Aksamit, Janet Helgren, Lynette

Lenoch, Jackie O'Connell, Michelle Ouh, Carrie Plumlee, Catherine Tiegs, Rebecca

Woodcock

Lectors

8:00 pm	Therese Schoenfelder
8:30am	Richard Miller, Micki Miller
10:00 am	Esther Connelly, Elizabeth Winegarden
11:30 am	Allen Aksamit

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Greeters

7:30 pm Rosary

8:00 pm	Elleen King, NOT FILLED
8:30 am	Laura Rud, Nancy Brehmer
10:00 am	Elizabeth Boxrud, Shannon & Tom Knoepke
11:30 am	Jennifer Gehling, NOT FILLED

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Ushers	
8:00 pm	Richard Clark, John Schoenfelder, NOT FILLED
8:30 am	Tom Brown, Eric Ladin, J.R. Miller, Kenneth Mueller
10:00 am	Jacob Maronde, James Maronde, Brandon Weick, Will Weick
11:30 am	Gavan Schotzko, Jeffrey Schotzko, Kilian Schotzko

Weekly Calendar

7:00 pm

Monday, May 21st Pastoral Council Meeting 6:00 pm Leadership Committee Meetings 7:30 pm Heart of Trinity Prayer Group 6:30 pm Tuesday, May 22nd Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:00 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

Food for Friends Teen Ensemble 7:15 pm Thursday, May 24th Children Choir 6:00 pm Adult Choir 7:00 pm Friday, May 25th Widow Group Meeting 9:15 am Saturday, May 26th Society of Divine Mercy Monastery

Wednesday, May 23rd

Prayer Group 6:30 am Cantor Workshop 10:00 am Monday, May 28th Labor Day—Office Closed Mass 8:30 am Wednesday, May 30th Food for Friends 4:30 pm Cantors' Practice 7:00 pm Thursday, May 31st Combined Choir Practice 6:00 pm

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now. Mother Teresa



Hours of Need call Tim Fague at 507-288-6578 to sign up. * 2nd adorer

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



Fundraiser for St. Vincent de Paul at Victoria's TODAY

Victoria's Ristorante will be offering 20% of their sales, on Sunday, May 20th to help the Rochester St. Vincent de Paul District Council when the customer mentions St. Vincent de Paul. The money raised will be used to help offset the costs of the North Central Region meeting we will be hosting in Rochester in June. We invite Vincentians and all parishioners to join us for this fundraiser. All you have to do is enjoy a delicious meal and mention St. Vincent de Paul fundraiser to your waitstaff. Victoria's is open 10:30 AM – 10:00 PM daily. Thank you for helping us in our efforts to help those in need.

St. Francis School News

The weekly all school Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 22nd at 9:15 am.

The 5th-8th grade Band Concert will be performed at Lourdes High School on Tuesday, May 22nd at 7:00 pm.

St. Francis of Assisi Spring Concert will be performed on Thursday, May 24th. Performances will be held at 1:30 and 6:30 pm.

The Student Council sponsored Big Event will be held on Friday, May 25th.

Community News Weekly Bulletin deadline is Monday. Email correspondence to officemgr@rescathroch.org.

All women are invited to "Ignite the Spirit Within" Province Conference sponsored by the Province of St.Paul/Mpls. Council of Catholic Women. Attend one or both days; on June 25th, 12:30pm-6:30pm, it offers useful information for all aspects in life and leadership, a supper, and entertainment. On June 26, 8:30am-3pm, breakfast and lunch, booths, silent auction, National speakers, and Bishop Quinn. It is being hosted at St. John Vianney Church in Fairmont, MN. Registration forms will be available at Church Office. Register before/by June 1st.

Baby Shower for Birthright St. James Coffee will host a baby shower for Birthright on Thursday, May 24th at 7 pm to provide items for mothers and babies in the Rochester area. Alicia Hunt-Welch of Birthright will share about the organization and its outreach. A list of supplies needed is available on St. James Coffee event page as well as St. James Facebook page. We hope you will join us. All are welcome!



Coming to Rochester Check it out

St. Paul Street Evangelization is a grassroots, non-profit Catholic evangelization organization, dedicated to responding to the mandate of Jesus to preach the Gospel to all nations by taking our Catholic Faith to the streets. Visit www.streetevangelization.com/rochestermn today to learn more. You can also contact Larry Mihm, 507-272-2361 or (laurmihm@gmail.com about joining a team forming in Rochester.



Musical Musings from Joy

Music and Choral Director, choirdirector@rescathroch.org.

One of my greatest joys over the two years I served in Wexford was producing **fully**-

staged, musical plays based on the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. I inherited the project from an alumna of House of Brigid, (who happened to be a music, theatre, AND French classmate of mine at Saint Mary's!), and it led to discovering a wonderful way of evangelizing the Irish.

My first year, they were fresh off of a "Passion Play", so I was asked to do a "**Resurrection Play**." While we may be used to hearing dramatic accounts of the Passion narrative, witnessing the Resurrection stories played out isn't part of the norm. I pulled out my trusty Bible and began at the Acts of the Apostles to figure out what I was going to include!

I began the story at the Crucifixion and led it all the way through Pentecost; roughly, the 50 days of Easter. We included the account of the three Marys at the tomb and Jesus meeting the disciples on the Road to Emmaus. I also used historical documents, (though non-biblical,) to craft a subplot of Pontius Pilate trying to recapture Jesus.

The best part of this endeavor? Every piece of music was originally written for liturgical use! I purposely chose music with the intent of it becoming familiar to parishioners by the next Easter. Resurrection's new song, *I Send You Out*, is one of those pieces!

The following year they asked me to go back to the traditional Passion story. Using my classmate's original script, I reworked it to make the music entirely liturgical. I was also able to recreate a "real" River Jordan for Jesus' baptism and change water into wine ONSTAGE. (How? I'll never tell!)

On the whole, Irish culture stems from the oral/aural tradition of music and storytelling. Therefore, musical drama is a viable means of evangelization. Was this Mass? No. BUT, every element was liturgical in nature, whether it be the music or the singular use of the Bible as script material. The Gospel Message was still being spread, even in this non-direct way. My hope is that the Easter Season was a bit fuller for those who attended the plays. And, if they didn't come to Mass beyond Easter Sunday, at least they still heard the Word proclaimed in an accessible way.



Hymnal Scavenger Hunt How'd you do with last week's Hymnal Scavenger Hunt? It was Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise found in the green hymnal at #429 and the red hymnal at #468. Here's this week's clue: This Pentecost weekend, we celebrate the Spirit and call Him down to us. This text is based on the Veni Creator Spiritus.

Hint: This song may be found in both hymnals!

Mass Intentions

Mon.,	May 21st	8:30 am	Thanksgiving for the Holy Family
Tues.,	May 22nd	8:30 am	†George Sobotta
Wed.,	May 23rd	8:30 am	†Mary Lou Byom
Thurs.,	May 24th	8:30 am	Jim & John (healing) SPRED Volunteers
Fri.,	May 25th	8:30 am	†Doug Stone
Sat.,	May 26th	8:00 pm	†Tom & Marlene Motley
Sun.,	May 27th	8:30 am 10:00 am 11:30 am	For the Parish †Bernice Rabine †John Neylon



Rochester Catholic Young Adult Brunch at St. James Coffee

Meet other Young Adults (age 18-39) from all over the Rochester area at our city wide brunch on **Sunday, June 3rd** from noon to 1:30pm at St. James Coffee, located at 4156 18th Ave NW, Rochester. Brunch is free, and use the coupon (below) for a free regular sized drink at St. James! *Invite your friends, and we hope to see you there!* For more information their website is www.rochestercatholicmn.org.

Coupon—You are invited to a Young Adult Brunch, June 3rd at Noon at St. James Coffee, 4156 18th Ave NW. Coupon good for a free regular sized drink at St. James Coffee, this event only.

Fr. Burke Masters was recently the guest on Relevant Radio's "Morning Air" program. He told the story of his preaching on a past weekend, when he said "Imagine I had a Chalice in one hand, and a Pepsi in the other hand, and I started to pour Pepsi into a Chalice that I use at Mass." People got shocked looks on their faces and said 'You can't do that, Father." Exactly! Why can't I do that? "Because the Chalice is sacred," they said. It is set aside for the blood of Christ. I said "Do you realize that you are too? That you are sacred? That you have such great dignity in the eyes of God?"

And I have to be careful. What am I ingesting through my eyes, on television or the internet. What am I reading? What am I eating? Am I taking care of this temple of the Holy Spirit?

One listener asked for a clarification of what it meant that our bodies are a temple of the Holy Spirit. Father answered in detail, explaining that when we are living as God created us to, and following our vocation, there is a joy and peace.

The same is true for our bodies. When we are treating our bodies properly, eating well and exercising, we feel better and have more energy. And we need to take care of our temple of the Holy Spirit.

Faith Formation

News from Sheila, Sunday School, Children's Ministry dresscm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 101



Check out pictures from our Sunday School party! **Summer Fun:** Stay in the loop by submitting your name and email to me for

our **Fusion Family Fun** nights! We are

currently planning an outdoor movie & bon fire night! Stay tuned for more information. Holy Spirit Come! Amen!













News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 108 Pentecost Sunday: Today is considered the birthday of the Church. Celebrate with family and friends with the color red! Ask the Holy Spirit to join you!

Totus Tuus Summer Faith Program: The Totus Tuus Team will be at Resurrection during the week of June 18-22. Registration forms are in the Gathering Space and on our

website under Faith Formation grades 1-5 summer activities. Come and learn new things about our Catholic Faith in a fun, upbeat atmosphere. This year we'll be learning about the Apostle's Creed and The Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary. Bring a friend!!



Virtues in Practice: Zeal is defined as being driven by an intense love for God. During May, we look to St. Dominic de Guzman to help us practice the virtue of zeal. He was so energetic about spreading the faith that he is sometimes called the "athlete of Christ." St. Dominic wanted to make sure everyone knew the truth about God. To do this, he started the Dominican Order to teach everyone about God and His good news of salvation, St. Dominic and his Dominican brothers travelled to many places in Europe on foot, spending their days and nights teaching and preaching about God to the people, some of whom were spreading confusion and error about God and His Church. At one point these people tried to kill St. Dominic, but his only response was to rejoice that God found him worthy to suffer for the truth in imitation of Jesus. St. Dominic's zeal inspires his brothers and sisters to continue to teach about God throughout the world. St. Dominic, pray for us.

Pray the Rosary for Peace with Pope Francis: Pope Francis has called on all Catholics worldwide to join him in praying the rosary during the month of May for peace in the world. He said he will be praying especially for Syria, Nigeria, and the Koreas. He issued his call on Sunday, April 29, after reciting the Regina Coeli prayer with some 30,000 pilgrims from many countries, including Italy, India, Pakistan and Portugal. He told them that on the afternoon of May 1 he will go to the Shrine of the Madonna del Divino Amore, on the outskirts of Rome, where he will recite the Rosary, praying especially for peace in Syria and in the entire world." He invited the faithful "to join him spiritually [on that occasion] and to prolong for the month of May the



prayer of the rosary for peace." A movie, "Pope Francis-A Man of His Word"—plan to go when it comes to Rochester.