



CHURCH OF THE
RESURRECTION
CATHOLIC CHURCH

*"I am the Good Shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."
John 10:11-18*

April 25, 2021
Fourth Sunday of Easter

An Ever-growing Eucharistic Community Boldly Serving Others Through God's Love

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturdays: 9:15 am - 10:15 am
Daily Mass: 8:30 am Monday - Friday

Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday: 8:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am
Sunday: 10:30 am

Sunday Mass can be viewed on our
website: rescathroch.org

Office Hours Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

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Weekly Words from The Rock

A Unique Quiz on the Catholic Bible

In my online browsing, I came upon a quiz entitled "A Unique Quiz on the Catholic Bible." I do not know the author of the quiz but would like to give credit where it is due. Here are the questions I posed last week along with the answers.

Question 1: What is scripture?

- A. Inspired word of God
- B. Book written by God for His people
- C. A collection of stories written before the time of Christ

Answer: A. Inspired word of God

Question 2: The word "Gospel" means _____.
(Fill in the Blank)

Answer: Good News

Question 3: Three of the Gospels are called _____ Gospels because they basically present the same view of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus.

- A. Catholic
- B. Pauline
- C. Synoptic
- D. Epistle

Answer: C. Synoptic

Question 4: Which of these is NOT a Synoptic Gospel? (pick two)

- A. Matthew
- B. Mark
- C. Luke
- D. John
- E. Peter

Answer: D. John and E. Peter

Question 5: The writers of the Gospels are called _____.

- A. Evangelists
- B. Epistles

Answer: A. Evangelists

Question 6: There are 21 letters in the New Testament. These letters were written to early Christian communities. These letters are called _____.

- A. Messages
- B. Apocalypse
- C. Epistles

Answer: C. Epistles

Question 7: The New Testament letters written by Paul are called Pauline Epistles. The rest of the letters are called _____.

- A. Catholic epistles
- B. Singular epistles

Answer: A. Catholic epistles

Question 8: The author of 2 John was _____.
(DO NOT OVERTHINK THIS ONE!)

- A. Matthew
- B. Mark
- C. Luke
- D. John
- E. Peter

Answer: D. John

Question 9: The Book of Revelation contains many _____ to tell how God is overcoming evil.

- A. Stories
- B. Parables
- C. Testaments
- D. Symbols
- E. Signs

Answer: D. Symbols

Question 10: The Old Testament tells about God's relationship with the _____ people.

- A. Christian
- B. Pharisee
- C. Muslim
- D. Israelite
- E. Prophet

Answer: D. Israelite

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster

Parish News

Totus Tuus will be here in June for Grades 1 - 5, Jun 28th - July 2nd 9:00 am-2:30 pm. Grades 7-12, Jun 27th-July 1st, 6:00 - 9:30 pm. Information and registration is on our website www.rescathroch.org; go to Faith Formation tab, select Grades 1-5, then select Totus Tuus.

Resurrection's Ca\$h Calendar Winner



This week's winner for our \$50 cash calendar raffle is Brent Miller
Congratulations Brent!



2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal Share the Light of Hope

Ending April 9th

Resurrection's Parish Goal	\$80,166
Received and/or Pledged	\$64,584
Percent of Goal	80.56%

TO THE MEN OF OUR PARISH AGES 18 AND UP

WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE,
during this Year of St. Joseph,
Resurrection will be starting a
Men's Prayer Group
beginning in September.



The group will meet twice a month with no meetings planned during summer months.

The purpose of the group is to help men grow in their faith, help men understand their purpose, to provide fellowship and encouragement to men and to strengthen families.

All men of Resurrection ages 18 and older are welcome. Contact the parish office at 507-288-5528 if interested.

Baptism

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



Bennett Daniel
Baptized April 18th
Child of
Daniel & Micaela Ignash
Siblings, Eleanor and Clara



Claire Lynn
Baptized April 18th
Child of
Christopher & Dacia Talmo



We need some help from May through September. We have a great team for you to join in keeping our flower beds watered and free of weeds. A team member will train you and the best part of this ministry is you do not have to be experienced or have a green thumb; just enjoy being outdoors. Families are welcome. This usually involves about a total of 3 weeks of time during the season.

The Garden Team will be raking; planting and spreading new bark on Saturday, May 15th starting at 8:30 am. All are welcome to come and help even if you will not be able to commit any other time. You are welcome to bring your rake and planting tools, along with gloves.

Any questions, please call Nancy Brehmer at 507-271-1184 or Mary Kessler 507-261-2760.

Liturgical Ministries for May 1st/2nd

If unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled, please find a substitute. Thank you.

Are you interested in serving in a Resurrection Liturgical ministry? Contact Michelle Perrier, Music and Choral Director, Coordinator of Liturgy at michellep@rescathroch.org or call 507 288 5528, ext 112.

Lectors

8:00 pm Therese Schoenfelder
8:30 am Denise Koster
10:30 am Fran Filzen

Greeters

8:00 pm Not Filled (2x)
8:30 am Joanne Huegel, Dianne Plager
10:30 am Tara Engel, NOT FILLED

Ushers

8:00 pm John Schoenfelder, Lee Witter
8:30 am Kenneth Mueller, Tom Pries
10:30 am William Sullivan, Brody Tyrrell

Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski
8:30 am Gretchen Cutshall
10:30 am Shelley Filzen

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm Jerry Krantz - LG, David Poirier, (1), Theresa Root - (IF NO DEACON) (1)
8:30 am Michael Lose - LG, John-Howard Carroll (1), Mary Lose - (IF NO DEACON) (1)
10:30 am Brenda Tschann - LG, Rebecca Woodcock (1), Gary Tschann - (IF NO DEACON) (1)

SACRED RELICS OF THE SAINTS

Treasures of the Church



SAVE THE DATE On Saturday, May 15th, the Church of St. Dominic in Northfield will have an Exposition of many Sacred Relics that has traveled all the way from the Vatican. The evening begins with Mass at 5:00p.m. followed by teaching and exposition of the Relics. Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will bring an extraordinary Vatican collection of over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Dominic, St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. There will also be a portion of the Veil of Our Lady and one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. Throughout history, many healings have been worked in the presence of relics; and many have come about through this ministry. Do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members, which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession. This event is free and open to all. For more information on the Exposition, please visit churchofstdominic.org or call their Parish Office at 507-645-8816.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

Open Hours



Tue	Wed	Fri	Sat
12 am	6 pm	10 pm	5 pm
11 pm			11 pm

To sign up or for more information, call the church office at 507-288-5528.

Dedication Candles April 24th-May 1st

1. †Robert & Huguette Dorsey
2. †Rosie Harris
3. Walter & Patricia Max
(35th wedding anniversary)
4. Special Intention



The Diocese of Winona Rochester's monthly newsletter is available to read on line. We have a link to the May issue on our website's front page, rescathroch.org.

Weekly Calendar with Readings

The dispensation from the obligation of Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation remains in effect until further notice.

Monday
26
April

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 [cf. 3a]/Jn 10:1-10

- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:15 am - 5:00 pm

Tuesday
27
April

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 [117:1a]/Jn 10:22-30

- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:15 am - 5:00 pm
- Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 7:00 pm
- Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:00 pm

Wednesday
28
April

Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8 [4]/Jn 12:44-50

- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office hours: 9:15 am - 5:00 pm
- Music Theory 6:30 pm

Thursday
29
April

Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27 [2]/Jn 13:16-20

- Mass 8:30 am;
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
- RCIA Class 6:30 pm
- Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm

Friday
30
April

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab [7bc]/Jn 14:1-6

- Daily Mass
- Office Hours 9:15 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday
1
May

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 14:7-14
St. Joseph the Worker: Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/
Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13, 14 and 16 [cf. 17b]/Mt 13:54-58

- Sacrament of Reconciliation 9:15 am - 10:15 am
- Saturday Mass 8:00 pm

Sunday
2
May

Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 [26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

- Sunday Mass 8:30 am
- Sunday Mass 10:30 am



Michelle's



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All of you who read my articles know that I am an opera singer as well as a servant of the Church.

Before arriving in Rochester last year, I was supposed to sing in several performances. One in particular thrilled me to no end. Titled Lucia di Lammermoor, I was offered the lead role at an Arkansas company designed for young artists like myself.

But, like everything else at the time, it was put on hold. I was therefore surprised when the company contacted me and offered me the role this summer instead. It has given me so much joy to know that I will actually get to perform in one of my dream roles, but what has given me even more joy is the instant support and congratulations I've received from those here who have heard the news, even after I tell them that it means I'll be away for two months.

This is one of the many ways that I see Christ's love here at this parish through all of you. You really are an inspiration to me daily, and I constantly pray that I use your lives as example for myself.

I might physically be away for two months, from May 25 through July 23, but I am not going anywhere mentally! I'll still be working for Resurrection, just in Arkansas. If you ever need me or want to reach out, just shoot me an email. And you can be sure that whatever I'm singing, I'll be pouring out Christ's love into every note for anyone to receive.

God Bless,
Michelle Perrier

Song of the Week: His Eye is On the Sparrow
Check it out on YouTube!

(This month's Parish Spotlight has been moved to May 9th—be on the lookout for it!)

Mass Intentions

Mon	Apr 26	8:30 am	†Mildred Dee
Tues	Apr 27	8:30 am	†Sharon Nolan
Wed	Apr 28	8:30 am	†Owen Sudman
Thu	Apr 29	8:30 am	†Gerald & Grace Simon
Fri	Apr 30	8:30 am	†Lilia Guelas
Sat	May 1	8:00 pm	†Allan T. Brown
Sun	May 2	8:30 am	†Rae Ann Vigen
Sun	May 2	10:30 am	For the Parish

St. Francis School News

April 25th is Good Shepherd Sunday. We recognize our pastors for the work they do and thank them for their commitment to our school!

Tuesday, April 27th is our HERO Day. We will learn about the virtue of Responsibility.

The weekly school Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 27th at 9:15 am with grades 5 and 7 attending.

Community News



Lourdes High School presents in person performance *To Whom it May Concern* (a musical, dramatic comedy) by Carol Hall on Thursday, April 29th, Friday, April 30th; Saturday, May 1st. All live performances

are at 7:00 pm. Live Stream performance is on Friday, April 30th at 7:00 pm. Directed by Robert S. P. Gardner, Technical Design by Neil Stiller.

This joyful musical took Off Broadway by surprise. It is a tuneful, warm and witty observation of what really goes on in the hearts and minds of people as they participate in a church service.

Due to social distancing ALL tickets must be purchased online at lksmn.booktix.com. Tickets will not be sold at the door. Adults \$10; Sr Citizens \$5, Non RCS students \$5. Lourdes High School, 2800 19th St NW.

Faith Formation



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org.
First Communion: Today, 25 Resurrection children will receive their First Communion. Congratulations and many blessings to the children and their families!

Layne Joseph Adams
Roslyn Ann Boehmke
Grayson Alfred Bos
Julia Ann Carroll
Andrea Virginia Collett
Ruthie Marie Collett
Grace Marjorie Collura
Maizy Sue Klassen Dube'

Elliott Kathryn Frahm
Jensen Wayne Fratzke
Liam Steven Gerlesberger
Mayer Deane Larson
Bradley Benedict Limpert
Tula Ann Matusiewicz
Hannah Jean Mundt
Seth Robert Paulson

Brooklyn Gray Pierce
Ethan Jameson Priebe
Eli William Ranfranz
Colin James Severson
Kaia Madelyn Marie Sullivan
Evelyn Marie Tourdot
Mia Faye Tyrrell
Caleb Richard Urban
Brynn Elizabeth Vanderboom

First Communion children wrote Prayers of Petition and Thanksgiving:

Dear God, please... let Covid go away so I can see my friends again and so more people don't die; help me learn more about you more and thank you for my family and my life; give us food; please protect us; help my leg; keep me safe; keep great-grandma Mary healthy in her old age; allow Pete and Whitney to have a healthy baby; pray for people who do not have enough money to buy food; help me be a nice person and to pray more.

Thank you, God, for... my brothers, mom and dad, my friends and God; helping me and thanks for getting closer as I do; bringing us to earth; thank you for making a family; my family, friends, food, life, home and nature; being kind and loving everyone; food, water, love, a home, mother nature, art, school, tv, animals, Jack the cat, my family; my family; letting us receive the Eucharist or the host, thank you for shining on us; my family and friends. Amen; loving me; being there for me and my family; my family; please get rid of covid 19; help people who are sick; my family, my friends and my pets; your sacrifice, amen; giving me food to eat; my life, food, my house, my family and having money to help us live.



News from Sheila, Birth-KG, Grs 6-12, Children & Youth Ministry, dresscm@rescathroch.org
Our final Year Two Confirmation retreat was held on Sunday, April 18th. We were blessed to have a panel discussion with Father Shawn Haremza, Dr. Georges Montillet, and Catechist Todd Smith answering a wide range of questions about topics such as: dignity of the body, self-identification, natural family planning, and what "to do" after Confirmation. Four students stayed extra late and continued the Q & A session. Felix Pelowski, Ava Robertson, Eric

Smith, and Cam Vareberg all shared an interest in further exploring the Catholic faith through more Q & A nights centered around Apologetics. We have a very basic plan in place for Wednesday nights at 8pm, but no start date. For now, if you are a Catholic teen, send in your questions to me so we can plan a student-centered Q & A youth night. Then, stay tuned for the launch date!

Confirmation was held on the evening of Wednesday, April 21st with the Most Reverend John M. Quinn presiding.

Please continue to pray for our Confirmandi as they explore how to best serve the parish and focus on their vocational discernment.

