

June 6th, 2021
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Corpus Christi Sunday

An Ever-growing Eucharistic Community Boldly Serving Others Through Gods 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

Who Are We?

In the Liturgy of the Hours, there is a reflection entitled "The Christian in the world." It is a letter to Diognetus and reads:

"Christians are indistinguishable from other men either by nationality, language or customs. They do not inhabit separate cities of their own, or speak a strange dialect, or follow some outlandish way of life. Their teaching is not based upon reveries inspired by the curiosity of men. Unlike some other people, they champion no purely human doctrine. With regard to dress, food and manner of life in general, they follow the customs of whatever city they happen to be living in, whether it is Greek or foreign.

And yet there is something extraordinary about their lives. They live in their own countries as though they were only passing through. They play their full role as citizens, but labor under all the disabilities of aliens. Any country can be their homeland, but for them their homeland, wherever it may be, is a foreign country. Like others, they marry and have children, but they do not expose them. They share their meals, but not their wives. They are in the flesh, but they are not governed by the flesh. They pass their days on earth, but they are citizens of heaven. Obedient to the laws, they yet live on a level that transcends the law.

Christians love all men, but all men persecute them. Condemned because they are not understood, they are put to death, but raised to life again. They live in poverty, but enrich many; they are totally destitute, but possess an abundance of everything. They suffer dishonor, but that is their glory. They are defamed, but vindicated. A blessing is their answer to abuse, deference their response to insult. For the good they do they receive the punishment of malefactors, but even then they rejoice, as though receiving the gift of life. They are attacked by the Jews as aliens, they are

persecuted by the Greeks, yet no one can explain the

reason for this hatred.

To speak in general terms, we may say that the Christian is to the world what the soul is to the body. As the soul is present in every part of the body, while remaining distinct from it, so Christians are found in all the cities of the world, but cannot be identified with the world. As the visible body contains the invisible soul, so Christians are seen living in the world, but their religious life remains unseen. The body hates the soul and wars against it, not because of any injury the soul has done it, but because of the restriction the soul places on its pleasures. Similarly, the world hates the Christians, not because they have done wrong, but because they are opposed to its enjoyments.

Christians love those who hate them just as the soul loves the body and all its members despite the body's hatred. It is by the soul, enclosed within the body, that the body is held together, and similarly, it is by the Christians, detained in the world as in a prison, that the world is held together. The soul, though immortal, has a mortal dwelling place; and Christians also live for a time amidst perishable things, while waiting the freedom from change and decay that will be theirs in heaven. As the soul benefits from the deprivation of food and drink, so Christians flourish under persecution. Such is the Christian's lofty and divinely appointed function, from which he is not permitted to excuse himself."

Written in the late fourth, early fifth century, how true these words remain to this day!

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster



2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal Share the Light of Hope

Your generosity to the Catholic Ministries Appeal from year to year is so greatly appreciated! You are making a difference in our Catholic community through faith-enriching ministries that take place throughout each year.

Ending May 20th
Resurrection's Parish Goal \$80,166
Received and Pledged: \$70,484
Percent of Goal: 87.92%

Parish News

















You can make a difference!

Become a sponsor for the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.**Qualifications: Resurrection parishioner willing to journey in faith with a person seeking out the Catholic faith.

Contact Sheila Pelowski for more information. - sheilap@rescathroch.org

"Thank you to all who helped prepare our church flower gardens on May 15. We have gained four new members. Many hands made light work. We are so grateful. Wish I had pictures of all who helped."

Nancy Brehmer on behalf of the Garden Committee.





Garden members and parishioners who answered our call for help.

Liturgical Ministries for June 12th/13th

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 Patricia Rossman 10:30 am Allen Aksamit

Greeters

8:00 pm Tara Engel 8:30 am Jim McCarthy, Mary McCarthy 10:30 am Charles DeVos, Bob Voss

Ushers

8:00 pm John Schoenfelder, Lee Witter 8:30 am Jerry Krantz, Kenneth Mueller 10:30 am Gordon Robertson, Scott Walston

Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski 8:30 am Gretchen Cutshall 10:30 am Lynn Walston

Servers

8:00 pm NOT FILLED 8:30 am NOT FILLED 10:30 am Ian Teshirogi

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm Jackie O'Connell - LG, Theresa Root, Connie Curtiss - (IF NO DEACON)

8:30 am Timothy Geisler - LG, Helen Alexander, Patrice Steier - (IF NO DEACON)

10:30 am Barbara Vareberg - LG, Regina Boehmke (1), Anthony Vareberg - (IF NO DEACON)

A Vocation Prayer: "Father you call each one of us by name and ask us to follow you. Bless your church by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve your people as Sisters, Priests, Brothers, Deacons, and Lay Ministers. Inspire us as we grow to know you, and open our hearts to hear your call. We ask this in Jesus name. Amen."

Fr. Peter Schuster, 26 year anniversary, Fr. Shawn Haremza, 21 year anniversary, Deacon Rob Miller, 1 year anniversary. Michael Churchill, will be ordained a Deacon on June 11th at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Winona. Michael will be with us through August and will return to the seminary in September to finish his final year.

Fr. Andrew Beerman will be celebrating his 25th anniversary as a priest. He is currently serving at St. John Vianny Church located at 901 S. Prairie Ave, Fairmont, MN 56031.



Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

Open Hours

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

"Sitting before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, a new life begins. Another birth takes place; eternal life within us."

Mother Elvira Petrozzi

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

Dedication Candles June 5th - June 12th

1. For our current and past priests who have served our parish.





Resurrection's Ca\$h Calendar Winner

This week's winner of our \$50 cash calendar raffle is Patrick Baune
Congratulations, Patrick

Weekly Calendar with Readings

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

Monday					
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Jun					

2 Cor 1:1-7/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9]/Mt 5:1-12

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

Tuesday

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2 Cor 1:18-22/Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135 [135a]/Mt 5:13-1

- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours: 9:00 am 5:00 pm
- Joint Finance and Pastoral Council Meeting 6:00 pm
- Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 7:00 pm
- Stewardship Council Meeting 7:00 pm

Wednesday

9 Jun 2 Cor 3:4-11/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9 [cf. 9c]/Mt 5:17-19

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

Thursday 10

2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b] /Mt 5:20

- Mass 8:30 am; Office Hours 9:00 am 5:00 pm
- Kitchen Crew 9:00 am
- Marketing & Communication Meeting 5:00 pm

Friday 11

Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-3

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

Saturday

Jun

2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 2:41-51

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

Sunday

Jun

Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/2 Cor 5:6-10/ Mk 4:26-34

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



Michelle's

Music & Choral Director & Coordinator of Liturgy choirdirector@rescathroch.org

Ever heard of Carlo Acutis? If you haven't, the feast of Corpus Christi is the perfect time to learn about him! Carlo Acutis was born in 1991 in Italy. From a very early age, he was a wiz with a computer. He was fascinated by the Eucharistic miracles and spent years researching all the ones recorded in history. He took all the information he gathered and created a website with his computer skills to allow everyone the chance to learn more about them.

Throughout his life, he battled with leukemia. Even then, he inspired others to have faith in Christ and to believe in the Gospel. He died in 2006 at the age of 15.

There are four steps a person goes through to be canonized, or called a saint:

- 1. A formal request is made that a person be considered a saint. A bishop gathers information and listens to witnesses. If the bishop agrees, the person is given the title "Servant of God."
- 2. The Congregation for the Causes of Saints review the bishop's information. If they decide that person was indeed virtuous in his/her faith, that person is given the title "Venerable."
- 3. If that person was a martyr or if a miracle is attributed to him/her, that person is given the title "Blessed"
- 4. If one more miracle is attributed to that person, he/she is canonized as a "Saint."

Carlo was granted the title "Blessed" in October 2020. Other miracles witnesses attribute to him are currently being reviewed. If he becomes a saint soon, he will become the first millennial saint. Carlo is a great reminder to all of us that saints aren't superhuman beings, but people like us that made a choice to dedicate their lives to Christ.

God Bless.

Michelle Perrier

Song of the Week: "Panis Angelicus" by César Frank Check it out on YouTube!

Check out Carlo's website dedicated to the Eucharistic Miracles:

http://www.miracolieucaristici.org/en/liste/list.html

Mass Intentions

Mon	Jun	7	8:30 am	David Rocca (healing)
Tues	Jun	8	8:30 am	†Frisby Family
Wed	Jun	9	8:30 am	†Deceased members of Shimak/Nemgar families
Thu	Jun	10	8:30 am	†Margery Strauss
Fri	Jun	11	8:30 am	†Sharon Heppelmann
Sat	Jun	12	8:00 pm	Winnie Mueller
Sun	Jun	13	8:30 am	†Clarence Meyer
Sun	Jun	13	10:30 am	For the Parish

Resurrection's Holiday Bazaar 2021

We will not be able to schedule our 2021 Holiday Bazaar until we have at least two parishioners to volunteer as Chair and Co Chair for our Holiday Bazaar.

We are open to new ideas and welcome you to come in to discuss your thoughts with us. If interested, please contact the parish office at 288-5528 before August 1st.

Community News

Summer Retreats

In a hard year, do you need time away, rest, and spiritual renewal? Diocese of Winona-Rochester has that for you. "The Power of Spiritual Friendship: Being a friend of Christ and others in a hostile age" is being offered this summer to all interested adults in southern Minnesota

The eastern retreat is June 18-20 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Seminary, led by Fr. Jeff Dobbs and Dr. Susan Windley-Daoust.

The western retreat is August 13-15 at Shalom Hill Farm retreat center outside of Windom, led by Fr. Jonathan Fasnacht and Dr. Deb McManimon.

Each is \$110 for two nights room, meals, and talks. \$55 for commuters. Contact Rosalie Beyer at rbeyer@dowr.org to reserve a spot ASAP. More info: https://www.dowr.org/offices/missionary-discipleship/retreats.html

Faith Formation

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YOUTH MINISTRY GR 7-12



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THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES
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MEDITATION
CONFESSION
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STEWARDSHIP

JUNE 27-JULY 1

6-7pm~ dinner & social 7-9pm~ totus tuus 9-10pm~ fire & s'mores

FREE EVENT!