

CHURCH OF THE  
**RESURRECTION**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

*"But, who do you say I am."  
Mark 8:27-35*

September 12th, 2021  
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*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

**Rosary:**

Saturdays: 7:30 pm

Weekdays - 8:10 am Monday - Friday

**Office Hours** Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

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## Weekly Words from The Rock

### U.S. Catholic Quiz

In the October 2010 edition of U.S. Catholic, a series of multiple choice quiz questions were presented. Over the next weeks, we will look at some of these questions.

Here were the questions composed last week and their answers.

Question 1: The apostle Matthew was a

- A. Pharisee
- B. Tax Collector
- C. Priest
- D. Fisherman

Answer: B. Tax Collector

Question 2: The apostles Peter and Andrew were

- A. Cousins.
- B. Friends.
- C. Rivals.
- D. Brothers.

Answer: D. brothers.

Question 3: Mary Magdalene was

- A. A staunch defender of Herod
- B. Once possessed by demons
- C. Cured of leprosy
- D. A prostitute

Answer: B. Once possessed by demons. There is no evidence to support Mary Magdalene being a prostitute.

Here are the next three questions:

Question 1: When Jesus visited her, Peter's mother-in-law was

- A. sick.
- B. despairing.
- C. fearful.
- D. near death.

Question 2: Thomas wouldn't believe in the resurrection until

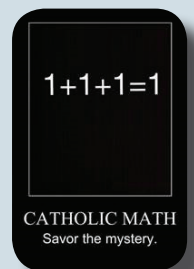
- A. he heard it from the apostles.
- B. the cock crowed.
- C. he touched the wounds of Jesus.
- D. witnessed the empty tomb.

Question 3: The following stories appear in all four gospels except

- A. the multiplication of the loaves and fishes.
- B. the bread and wine at the Last Supper.
- C. the cleansing of the Temple.
- D. the burial of Jesus.

Take a week, look over the questions, and I will provide the correct answers next week.

Do You Know... Last week, I posed a mathematics question for you. It is as follows:



It might seem like imperfect math yet it is a central belief of our Catholic faith. Still puzzled? The answer:  $(1 = \text{God the Father} - \text{one person}) + (1 = \text{Jesus Christ} - \text{one person}) + (1 = \text{the Holy Spirit})$ . Those three persons equal one God. The equation is perfect Catholic math because it defines the Holy Trinity.

### The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen

I am currently reading on book entitled The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen. Within its pages, an inspirational thought is provided for each day of the year. I will share some of Bishop's Sheen thoughts in the weeks ahead. Let us begin with a thought from February 6.

"You cannot always depend on prayers to be answered the way you want them answered but you can always depend on God. God, the loving Father often denies us those things which in the end would prove harmful to us. Every boy wants a revolver at age four, and no father yet has ever granted that request. Why should we think God is less wise? Someday we will thank God not only for what He gave us, but also for that which He refused."

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster

# Parish News



Mark your calendars for the St. Vincent de Paul Society, Friends of the Poor Walk/Run/Pancake Breakfast **Saturday, September 25th at 9:00 am** at Resurrection.

**Join us also for a freewill pancake breakfast from 9:00-11:00 am in the Zenk Hall.**

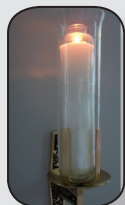
For Information to register to walk or donate <http://www.svdp-rochmn.org/fop-walk-2021>.

Fr. Schuster and Fr. Shawn will be at a retreat with the priests of our Diocese, along with Bishop Quinn, next week, Monday, Sept 13th - Thursday, Sept 16th. There will be no morning Mass at Resurrection.

The Co-Cathedral of St. John, 11 4th Ave SW, Rochester will have daily Mass at 12:10 pm.

A recent natural disaster has recently affected our brothers and sisters in Christ. A massive earthquake and tropical storm that hit Haiti has created widespread destruction. We will be having a second collection this weekend, Sept 11th/12th for a special emergency collection. Catholic Relief Services is the official international relief agency of the U.S. Catholic Church and is already responding to urgent needs for shelter, water, and food of those affected by this disaster. Checks should be made payable to Church of the Resurrection. For more information, go to [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) or to Catholic Relief Services at <https://support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake>.

For registered families of Resurrection who have students attending Mayo High, we have opened our parking lot for them to park their vehicle during school hours. Please have them stop in the church office to register and receive a permit to park. For more information, contact the church office at 507-288-5528.



## Dedication Candles

**Sept 11th - Sept 18th**

### 1. Special Intention



This week's winner of our \$50 cash calendar raffle is Cheryl Kieffer.

Congratulations Cheryl

## Liturgical Ministries for Sept 18th/19th

*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](mailto:michellep@rescathroch.org) or call 507 288 5528, ext 112.**

### Lectors

8:00 pm Therese Schoenfelder  
8:30 am Denise Koster, Patricia Rossman  
10:30 am Denise Kelly, Regina Boehmke

### Greeters

8:00 pm Tara Engel, NOT FILLED  
8:30 am Carroll & Elaine Doherty  
10:30 am Bob Voss, NOT FILLED

### Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski  
8:30 am Tracy & Donna Smith  
10:30 am Fran Filzen

### Ushers

8:00 pm John Schoenfelder, Kelton Schoenfelder, Reilyn Schoenfelder  
8:30 am Kenneth Mueller, Tom Pries, Char Robinet  
10:30 am Aaron Davis, Carter Davis, William Sullivan

### Servers

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

### Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm Connie Curtiss, B2,  
NOT FILLED, B1 (IF NO DEACON)  
8:30 am Dianne Plager, B2,  
John-Howard Carroll, B1 (IF  
NO DEACON)  
10:30 am Rebecca Woodcock, B2,  
Char Stocker, B1 (IF NO DEACON)

# Community News

## St. Joachim Catholic Church Fall 2021 Festival

located at 900 West Broadway, Plainview

Saturday, September 25th and Sunday, September 26th

Contact their office with any questions at 507-534-3321

**Saturday event is a Backyard BBQ** from 5:30 pm - 11:00 pm. Adults, join us for a fun night out! Enjoy a buffet dinner from Smoak BBQ at 6:30pm with wines from Whitewater Wines and beer from Schott Distributing. Lots of games (bring \$1 bills for games) such as Spin the Wheel, Jenga, Hammerschlagen and more. Entertainment by local musician Logan Hofschulte, SILENT AUCTION throughout the evening, LIVE AUCTION at 8:00pm, and cash bar. Location: St. Joachim's parking lot under big tent. Register in advance for \$30 per person or \$35 at the door. Adults only 21 and older. Contact St Joachim office at 507-534-3321 to register!

*Registration due 9/15/21.*

**Sunday, September 25th:** Big Ticket Raffle, Silent Auction from 9:30am - 1:00 pm, Bingo Basket Raffle, begins at 1:00 pm; Chicken Dinner from 11am - 1:00 pm; Kid's Games & Prizes, beginning at 11:00 am. Also included on Sunday will be train rides, concession stands, bake sale, Farmer's Market, and more all starting at 11:00 am

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## The 16th Annual Awaken Fall Live Drive for the Real Presence Radio Network

Tune in Wednesday, September 15 through Friday September 17th, 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM CT

Hear inspiring stories of faith and hope from across the RPR Network (970 am)

RPR is 100% listener supported and your generosity has helped us reach 5 states, 10 diocese and a listening area of 2.5 million people!

Call in or donate online to help us reach our \$560,000 goal and to continue to bring you great Catholic content! Donate and you will also be registered to win one of our great daily prize drawings!

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## The Church of Saint Michael Annual Fall Festival

located at 451 5th Street SW, Pine Island

Friday, September 17th through Sunday, September 19th

**On Friday, our fabulous St. Michael Fish Fry** at 4pm-8:30pm, both baked & fried fish will be offered!

Prices: \$11 Adults, \$5 Children (6-12 yrs), 5 yrs & under free, and \$35 family max.

**On Saturday, Starting at 10:00 am;** Antique Tractor Pull, Arts & Crafts vendors, Farmers Market with fall mums, Silent Auction, Bingo and Concessions available (pork chop sandwiches/on stick, BBQs, Hot dogs, chips, ice cream treats and water/pop).

**On Sunday, Starting at 10:00 am;** Antique Tractor Show, Arts & Crafts vendors, Silent Auction, Kids' outdoor games, Bingo, Raffle, Farmers Market with fall mums, Kiddie Pedal tractor pull starts at 2pm, and Concessions available (pork chop sandwiches/on stick, BBQs, Hot dogs, chips, ice cream treats and water/pop)

We hope to see you at our Fall Festival! Everyone is welcome. Please come join us!

# Weekly Calendar with Readings

**Monday**  
**13**  
**Sept**

1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [1Cor 11:26b]/Lk 7:1-1

- NO MASS
- Faith Formation Classes/Parent Meeting 6:00 pm

**Tuesday**  
**14**  
**Sept**

Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 [cf. 7b]/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

- NO MASS; Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00 pm
- St. Vincent de Paul Society 7:00 pm
- Finance Council Meeting 7:00 pm
- Stewardship Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

**Wednesday**  
**15**  
**Sept**

1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

- NO MASS
- Office hours: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
- Faith Formation Classes Gr 6-10pm 6:00pm

**Thursday**  
**16**  
**Sept**

1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50

- NO MASS
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
- Resurrection Choir 6:30 pm
- RCIA 6:30 pm

**Friday**  
**17**  
**Sept**

1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3

- Rosary 8:10 am
- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Serran's Council Meeting 9:00 am

**Saturday**  
**18**  
**Sept**

1 Tm 6:13-16/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2]/Lk 8:4-15

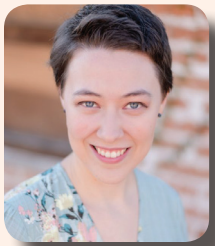
- Sacrament of Reconciliation 9:15 am - 10:15 am
- Rosary 7:20 pm
- Mass 8:00 pm
- Ministry Days following Mass

**Sunday**  
**19**  
**Sept**

Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37

- Mass 8:30 am
- RCIA 9:30 am
- Mass 10:30 am
- Ministry Days following Sunday Masses





## Michelle's

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

Throughout the year you hear us asking you to consider becoming ministers at Resurrection. It's easy to think, therefore, that our invitation is an expectation that all parishioners here serve this parish. But that's not why our music ministry sang today, why our liturgical ministers assisted during the Mass, or why any of our other ministries choose to serve outside of Mass. In fact, this raises an important question: Why do we minister? We could easily go back to pre-Vatican II and have the priest do it all, certainly.

But Jesus instructs us to, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations." That is the sole point of ministry. Ministry is not about what you have to do for us, but what it can do for you, bestowing you an opportunity to foster a deeper, more intimate encounter with Christ. Though that engagement, we can use the talents we were blessed with to become blessings for others.

Liturgical Ministry is how I first witnessed this. As an altar server, I was able to understand for the first time my relationship with Christ. As a Eucharistic Minister, I realized our desire to be one with Christ. As a greeter, I learned all about belonging to a loving, supportive community of faith.

And as a singer, I realized how sincerely I wanted to spread Christ's love as my way to help this world. I also learned the importance of making time to be with Christ. Our music ministry, for instance, could meet right before Mass to rehearse, but instead we take an extra hour every week to dedicate ourselves to Christ and encounter him through community and music. That is the power of ministry. That is why we advocate it as much as we do and encourage you to explore it, too.

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## Mass Intentions

Mon	Sept 13	xxx	NO MASS
Tues	Sept 14	xxx	NO MASS
Wed	Sept 15	xxx	NO MASS
Thu	Sept 16	xxx	NO MASS
Fri	Sept 17	8:30 am	†Jack & Luella Bien
Sat	Sept 18	8:00 pm	†Rodney Hanson
Sun	Sept 19	8:30 am	Dave Rocca & Family
Sun	Sept 19	10:30 am	For the Parish

## Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel 24 hours/7 days a week



Open Hours in need of Adorers

Tue	Wed	Fri	Sat
3 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

(Continued from Michelle's article)

Next weekend, we will have a Ministry Fair after all the Masses in Fr. Zenk Hall. We invite you to come and visit with representatives from the many ministries at our parish, including Liturgical Ministry, St. Vincent de Paul, Elder Care Ministry, Knights of Columbus, and Adoration. Ask questions, learn more about how these ministries can help you foster a relationship with Christ, and if you feel inspired, you can sign up that day. I encourage you all to join us as we learn more about how can become the disciples Christ calls us to be.

God Bless,  
Michelle Perrier

Song of the Week: "God So Loved" by We the Kingdom

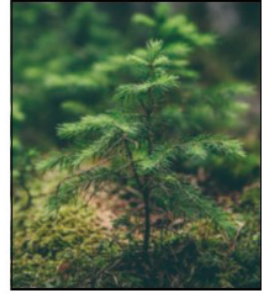
# Faith Formation



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, [dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org](mailto:dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org)

## Faith Formation 2021-22:

Monday, Sept. 13 Faith Formation classes begin and Parent Meetings at 6:00pm in Fr. Zenk Hall  
Registration available online  
Monday, Sept. 20 Word of God Learning Centers for Parents/Children, open 4:00-7:00pm  
Fr. Zenk Hall  
Monday, Sept. 27 Faith Formation for grades 1-5, 6:00-7:00



**First Reconciliation:** We are beginning a new year of sacrament prep from children in grades 2 and above. If you missed the parent meeting on August 23rd and would like your child to prepare to receive the sacraments of reconciliation and first communion, contact me this week.

**Do you know our story?** All Families with children in grades 1-5 are invited:

**WORD OF GOD Read it! Live it! Love it!**

**Learning Centers for Grades 1-5 and Parents**

Monday, September 20th Open 4:00-7:00pm Fr Zenk Hall

Every family will receive a **FREE, BLESSED BIBLE!!**

We will open, search, and learn from the books in our new bibles: What is the Bible?, In the Beginning, Psalms, Proverbs, Prophets, Parables, Miracles, Prayer, Beatitudes, Gospels, Acts, Letters and Revelation.



News from Sheila, Birth-KG, Grs 6-12, Children & Youth Ministry, [dresscm@rescathroch.org](mailto:dresscm@rescathroch.org)

## OPERATION WARM-UP OUR COMMUNITY

Help our students in grades 4-8 and Confirmation make "no-sew" fleece blankets as a service project for community members in need. Suggestion donation \$20. See the display by the office mail slot. Blankets will help meet the needs for Food for Friends Community Room, Family Promise, and The Landing.

## FALL HARVEST YOUTH FUNDRAISER!

Stay tuned to the arrival of our annual pumpkins, squash, and gourdes! Are you creative and handy? Contact Pat or Sheila if you can make a scarecrow display for family photo-ops in our pumpkin patch.

## SACRAMENT PREPARATION: CONFIRMATION

Contact Sheila if you know a 9th grader and up who is interested in being confirmed. Classes begin Wednesday, September 15th.

## FAITH FORMATION CLASSES:

Register online via our website ([rescathroch.org](http://rescathroch.org))! Classes begin Wednesday, September 15th!

## 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 will renew the face of the earth. Lord, by the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful. In the same Spirit help us to relish what is right and always rejoice in your consolation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*