CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

"As I have loved you, so you also should love one another This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:31-35

> May 15th, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter

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 **Rosary:** Saturdays: 7:30 pm Weekdays: 8:10 am Monday - Friday

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

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Weekly Words from The Rock

Life's Lessons

To teach the lessons of life, one must never be afraid to share the ups and the downs. Let us look at a couple of stories which point towards the downward trajectory today.

Story 1: Father Charles Quinn has died and gone home to the Lord. I think about him from time to time and keep him in my prayers. With his retirement from the parishes of Jackson, Sherburn and Lakefield, I was assigned as pastor and Father Quinn took up residence in Sherburn. We would see each other often whether weekday Mass, weekend Mass, funerals, weddings, etc. We would ride together when we attended meetings and in our travels would share stories. He shared a story about driving home on a Friday after Thanksgiving and was thinking about the weddings he had on his docket. It was then that he realized, I am supposed to be doing a wedding in Jackson right now. He stomped on the accelerator. Arriving on the scene, everyone was present and in an apologetic tone told everyone that he was sorry. The wedding went on as planned albeit a little later than scheduled.

I used to rib him about it until...on one particular Saturday, I attended a graduation party earlier than the time on the card because I knew I had a wedding in Jackson. I hung around for a period of time and headed back to Jackson. As I got back to the church, the funeral home director met me and said, "The wedding party is looking for you. You are late for the wedding." I thought he was full of (I think you know the word) so we talked for a bit. Then he got serious and said, "Father, they have been looking for another minister because you are late." It then dawned on me that they had asked to have the wedding at an earlier time than we originally scheduled. With my head down and embarrassed, I went into the church. The bride was crying, people were restless and upset. I understood. I apologized and we got underway.

With the wedding finished, all I couple think about was the bride and groom and Father Quinn. I thought to myself, "I hope he never finds out." The next time we met, he had this smile on his face and I knew. Needless to say, he found out and never let me forget it. The lesson: We are dealing with Murphy's Law. If you are going to make fun of another's mistake, be prepared because inevitably you will make the same mistake.

Story 2: While out duck hunting with my brother, the hunting had been slow on this particular morning. We were talking with another hunter when a flock of ducks landed on the far end of the lake. The man was willing to oar to the end of the lake, scare up the flock and if everything went as planned send them our way and we would get a shot. It took a period of time but then it happened. We heard a shot and the flock headed straight for us. My brother and I were no longer in the weeds so our boat had no way to support itself if we shot. In my excitement, I stood up to shoot only to hear my brother yelling, "Sit down. Sit down."

I didn't listen to him as there were shots to be fired. I shot and just then it happened. The boat rocked back and forth, not certain if it should tip over or not. With all this rocking motion and me still standing, the boat made its final decision. It would stay upright but a hunter had to go. Over I went and under I went. I was soaked. My brother was really upset now, "You (beep), when you aren't in the weeds, you can't stand up and shoot." Back in the boat, we headed to shore.

"But Father," you ask, "the story isn't complete as I need to know." Did you get a duck? The answer is "No" and maybe it was all for the best.

The lesson: Keep your life on firm footing. Keep close to the Lord and his ways and life is much more manageable.

The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen

I have been reading a book entitled The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen. The book shares a thread of Bishop Sheen's wisdom for each day of the year. In the weeks ahead, I would like to share some of his wisdom.

August 25 – "The nearer Christ comes to a heart, the more it becomes conscious of its guilt; it will either ask for His mercy and find peace, or else it will turn against Him because it is not yet ready to give up its sinfulness. Thus, on the basis of man's response to the heart, he (Jesus) will separate the good from the bad, the wheat from the chaff."

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster

Parish News

Thank you for your contributions to our Easter Flower Fund. We also say thank you to those who decorated our Church for the Easter Season. The beauty of the Easter Season is the everlasting beauty of God. (Donors and In Memory or Honor of their families or friends.)

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Liturgical Ministries for May 21st/22nd

If unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled, please request 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.

Lectors

8:00 pm Darci Kopischke 8:30 am Denise Koster, Patricia Rossman 10:30 am Thomas Kelly, Regina Boehmke

Greeters

8:00 pm Peter Kopischke8:30 am Carroll Doherty, Elaine Doherty10:30 am Annabelle Notermann

Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski 8:30 am Char Robinet 10:30 am Bob Voss

Servers

8:00 pm Ari Jones, Beli Jones 8:30 am NOT FILLED (2x) 10:30 am Chase Boehmke, Fiona Robertson

Ushers

8:00 pm Fred Noser, Josh Noser, Marie Noser 8:30 am Kenneth Mueller, Tom Pries, Char Robinet 10:30 am James Maronde, Gordon Robertson, Scott Walston 8:00 pm Jackie O'Connell,B1, Theresa Root,B2, Ryann Witter, B5 (IF NO DEACON)

Eucharistic Ministers

8:30 am Timothy Geisler, B1, Douglas Hudson, B2, Jerry Krantz, B5, (IF NO DEACON)

10:30 am Denise Kelly, B1, Barbara Vareberg, B2, Rebecca Woodcock, B5 (IF NO DEACON)

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel 24 hours/7 days a week



Open Hours in need of Adorers

	Sun	Wed	Fri	Sat
	2 pm	1 am	11 am	2 pm
	7 pm	2 am	11 pm	
		3 am		

Contact the church office at 507-288-5528 for more information or to sign up for an hour of Adoration.

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

Resurrection Young Adult Gathering

with Fr. Peter Schuster, Pastor will be held next Sunday, May 22nd at 4:00 pm. All are welcome, ages 18 -39, married or single. We will start in the Church with prayer and move to the Zenk Hall for discussions and refreshments ending at 5:00 pm

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Catholic Ministry Appeal 2022

Resurrection's parish goal is \$80,166 As of May 6, 2022, we have received \$62,795 (78.3%) of our goal from 174 households.

A pamphlet with more information, along with CMA envelopes are in the kiosk(near the office door) located in the Gathering Space.

To give online, visit www. catholicfsmn.org

CA\$H CALENDAR RAFFLE #2



Weekly winner of our \$50 cash calendar raffle is Mary Riles!

Congratulation to Mary!

Resurrection's Knights of Columbus breakfast will be held next Sunday, May 22nd after Sunday Masses. We thank our Knights for their support of our parish and ministries.

Weekly Calendar with Readings					
Monday 16 May	Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26 • Rosary 8:10 am • Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm				
Tuesday 17 May	Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a • Rosary 8:10 am; Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00 - 5:00 pm • Adoration Team Meeting 6:00 pm • Pastoral Council Meeting 7:00 pm				
Wednesday 18 May	Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8 • Rosary 8:10 am • Mass 8:30 am • Closed Office 9:00 - 1:00 pm - Opens 1:00 - 5:00 pm				
Thursday 19 May	Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11 • Rosary 8:10 am • Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00-5:00 pm • Music Ministry 6:00 pm • RCIA 6:30 pm				
Friday 20 May	Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17 • Rosary 8:10 am • Daily Mass 8:30 am • Serran Board Meeting 9:00 am				
Saturday 21 May	Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21 • Sacrament of Reconciliation 9:15-10:15 am • Saturday Mass 8:00 pm				
Sunday 22 May	Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/ Jn 14:23-29 • Sunday Mass 8:30 am • Sunday Mass 10:30 am • Young Adult Gathering 4:00 pm • Music Ministry 6:30 pm				





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Did you know that many liturgy positions don't extend over the summer because liturgists do not have as much to organize during Ordinary Time following the Easter season? The same holds true for choir directors, as most choirs will stop meeting over the summer and return in the fall. Most parishioners, too, use the summer to go on vacation and spend more time with family. The number of people at a church, therefore, is usually quite low after Pentecost. The last parish I served at in Arizona was mostly for snow-birds. Over the summer, we'd be lucky to have 20 people at Mass.

Now, I think it's important to take vacations. I think liturgists, choir directors, ministers, and clergy should use the calm of Ordinary Time to renew their desire to love and serve. The last thing I like to see from anyone is burn-out. At the same time, I want to encourage you, too, to use this time to recommit ourselves to Christ. As much as I love the liturgies of the other seasons, it's easy to get stressed out by them with all of life's craziness. During this Ordinary Time, we have an opportunity to calmly and quietly pray to God, open our hearts to him without fear of time constraints, and create more opportunities to worship him and grow in his love.

This summer, I encourage you to incorporate your faith into your vacation plans, your family time, even your day-to-day life. For instance, visit a church along your travels, join us for an hour of adoration, or take ten minutes after dinner to pray as a family. There is an infinite amount of things you can do to become closer to Christ.

Don't let Christ be a second priority; rather, use your vacations and family time to express your gratitude and love for our loving Savior.

Song of the Week: "Grateful" by Tom Tomaszek

Mass Intentions

Mon	May 16th	8:30 am	Lisa Bourgeois
Tues	May 17th	8:30 am	†Lawrence Wheeler
Wed	May 18th	8:30 am	†Souls In Purgatory
Thu	May 19th	8:30 am	†Vince Kelly
Fri	May 20th	8:30 am	†Deceased Member of Catholic United Financial
Sat	May 21st	8:00 pm	†Marilyn Nash
Sun	May 22nd	8:30 am	For the Parish
Sun	May 22nd	10:30 am	†Marge Jacobson

Community News

Beckley's Office Products 2nd Annual Shred

Event to support Local Non-profits (schools, churches, clubs, etc.) will be held on Wednesday, May 18th and Thursday May 19th from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. They are located at 125 Woodlake Dr. SE, Rochester near Whistle Binkies on the Lake. The cost is \$12/box and Beckleys will donate \$6/box to your choice of local non-profit. Cash or checks only please as we are not able to accept credit cards for this special event. Any questions, please call 282-8659.

May 21, 9am-3pm: "You Are Made for Freedom" Unbound Conference and Prayer

Day, St. Ann's Church, Janesville (1 hour from Rochester). Do you wish for deeper freedom in your life and a stronger relationship with the Lord? Come to this conference run by the Diocese of Winona-Rochester's Unbound prayer ministry. Dcn. John Hust and Nancy Hust, directors of ministry, will present on the five keys to spiritual freedom in Christ, and individual prayer will be offered in the afternoon. Habra traducción al español en las charlas de la mañana. Please register by May 16 at www.dowr. org, scroll down to "events." Contact Susan for more information at swindley@dowr.org.

ROCHESTER ROSARY RALLIES

Weekly Rosary Rallies for our country, conversion, and peace at 3pm near the Rochester Government Center at the corner of 4th St. SE and 3rd Ave. SE. They last 35 minutes and include the Patriotic Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet. Families are welcome. Please join us. Questions: Contact Janela Hubka at daveandjanela@ gmail.com or 507-282-6090.

Faith Formation



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org.

Totus Tuus 2022: Stop by the Faith Formation table in the Gathering Space to check out the Totus Tuus board. Flyers are available with a description of the Day Camp for grades 1-6. The Team will be at Resurrection Monday, June 27-Friday, July 1st. Cost is \$25/child and \$50/family maximum. Online registration is open now. Go to Faith Formation,

Grades 1-5, Totus Tuus.

Teaching Kids to Care by Practicing Virtues: We will spend the summer months talking about virtues with the assistance of a catechist book by

Sr. Janet Schaeffler, OP. This week, we are practicing trustworthiness by being reliable and loyal, keeping our promises, and doing the right thing. Let us remember from Luke 16:10

"Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much." As a family, watch for examples of trustworthiness in each other, in your friends, and on TV shows or movies. Talk about what happens to the relationships if one person is not trustworthy. Families can make a list of people they know who are trustworthy. Share some specific stories with children about why these people are trustworthy and then post your family list in a prominent place where everyone can see it.

Prayer for trustworthiness: God, who can always be trusted, help us to be like Jesus: a person of integrity, honesty, reliability, and loyalty. Amen.

FUSION RESURRECTION'S FAMILY NIGHT. SAVE THE DATE Friday, June 3rd 6:30 pm.



News from Sheila, Birth-KG, Grs 6-12, RCIA, dresscm@rescathroch.org SUNDAY SCHOOL & NURSERY NEWS We are looking for volunteers for the much desired return of Sunday School and Nursery!

Resurrection has an amazing group of families actively seeking a faith filled learning environment for their children. Our goal is to relaunch Sunday School and Nursery during the 10:30am Mass beginning October 2nd, 2022 and running through May 7th, 2023. We

meet most Sundays, however we take time off when there is a holiday week or no school on a Monday.

Nursery age requirement is birth through age 3; Sunday School is for age 4 through KG. Before we can start taking registrations, we need volunteers. We need at least 2 adult volunteers in both Nursery and Sunday School; youth middle school and up are welcomed volunteers to assist them. Kris Dobbelaere is heading up the search for Virtus trained adult volunteers. We will have an interest list for volunteers in the Gathering Space. In the meantime, if you have any questions you can contact Kris at krisd28@hotmail.com. Any youth volunteers (or adults) can also contact Sheila Pelowski at sheilap@rescathroch.org.

To be Virtus trained please go to the following website: https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm? OR contact Stacey Dorsey at staceyd@rescathroch.org





