CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." Luke 10 1-12,17-20

> July 3rd, 2022 14th 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

Independence Day

July 4 marks our country's independence. I want to share some thoughts on Independence Day.

The gospel on July 4 speaks of freedom. There are two stories in Matthew 9:18-26. The first is of an official who comes before Jesus, kneels down and says, "My daughter has just died. But come, lay your hand on her and she will live." While on his way to the official's house, a woman suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years comes up behind Jesus and touches the tassel of his cloak saying to herself, "If only I can touch his cloak, I shall be cured." She is cured. After a conversation with the woman, assuring her that her faith played a role in her being healed, Jesus continues on the way. Entering the official's house, Jesus takes the girl by the hand and the little girl stands on her two feet. She is brought back to life. Two stories both making the same point – freedom. In the case of the woman with the hemorrhages, she seeks freedom from an illness, freedom from having to seek out a physician's advice, freedom from having to rely upon others. In the case of the little girl, her father (the official) does what any parent seeks, the health and well-being of a child. The freedom he sought for his daughter was the freedom from death, freedom from the grip of sin which causes death, freedom to once again experience life, smile and play. In both cases, both were wise and humble enough to know that freedom was beyond anything in their power. They knew where freedom was found. It came from a person, Jesus Christ.

How many times have we heard, "We live in the greatest country in the world? It isn't perfect, however, I wouldn't want to live anyplace else?" The words are true. What must not be forgotten is the cost which came in attaining and keeping our freedom. For the men and women, who died, suffered, fought and served (and continue to serve) our country, we must be grateful.

I tried to remember it while growing up; on the Fourth of July the work load was lightened a bit on the farm.

I cannot remember if that was the case in the morning and into the early afternoon. However, we always enjoyed going to a parade being held in the vicinity. Sometimes, my sisters who were in the Freeborn band would be in the parade. Candy was abundant. It was a joy to see so many people being able to come together in one place and celebrate one thing. INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM.

A word on fireworks. Fireworks were illegal to have when I was a child. My father usually had a couple of fireworks which we would enjoy thinking while lighting the fuse how we were above the law; however, the time was pretty tame and calm. It is vastly different these days. Fireworks begin booming in Rochester in June and continue into the month of August. Small fireworks, large fireworks and everything in between provide a chorus almost every night. A question: Would fireworks take on any significance if not for the Fourth of July?

And, of course, Independence Day usually meant one thing. It had to be hot, temps in the upper 80s or 90s. One thing we always sought along the parade route was shade. Yes, I would dart out in search of candy yet was wise enough to scurry back into the shade as quick as possible. And a word on the time in which we now live. We are truly spoiled. Growing up on the Schuster farm, at least in my younger years, meant no air conditioning.

I have shared some of my memories. What memories do you have of the day which marks our independence?

Children and Church I was given some jokes surrounding children and church. Here are a couple:

1. A little boy was overheard praying: "Lord, if you can't make me a better boy, don't worry about it. I'm having a real good time like I am."

2. A Sunday school teacher asked her children as they were on the way to church service, "And why is it necessary to be quiet in church?" One bright girl replied, "Because people are sleeping."

More jokes to come.

The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen A book that shares a thread of Bishop Sheen's wisdom for each day of the year.

June 25 – "A contented man is never [really] poor though he may have very, very little."

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster

Parish News

Summer Prayer Services

@ Church of the Resurrection

Structured similarly to Steve Angrisano's mission talks last February, we invite you join us in worship and song as we pray, sing, and reflect on God's word through stories and reflections.

Dates

June 7: Respect for Life June 21: Peace amidst conflict July 5: The Most Holy Eucharist July 19: Mercy August 2: Hope in Christ August 30: Go, Glorifying the Lord



CA\$H CALENDAR RAFFLE #2

Weekly winner of our \$100 cash calendar raffle is

Church of the Resurrection

Catholic Ministry Appeal 2022

Our parish goal is \$80,166. As of June 24th,we have received \$ 69,031(86.11% of our goal) from 185 households. A pamphlet with more information, along with CMA envelopes are located on tables in the Gathering Space. To give online, visit www. catholicfsmn.org. Thank you for your support.



Dedication Candle

6:30pm in

the church

All are

welcome!

July 2nd - July 9th

† Leo Rowekamp Ron Bien (healing)

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel 24 hours/7 days a week



Call 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

Liturgical Ministries for July 9th/10th

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 Marilyn Baker 8:30 am Micki Miller, Timothy Geisler 10:30 am Mary Chestolowski, Regina Boehmke

Greeters

8:00 pm Peter Kopischke 8:30 am Joanne Huegel, Mike McGann 10:30 am NOT FILLED

Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski 8:30 am Melody Hudson 10:30 am Bob Voss Servers

8:00 pm NOT FILLED 8:30 am NOT FILLED 10:30 am Chase Boehmke, Evan Chestolowski

Ushers

8:00 pm Fred Noser, Josh Noser, Marie Noser 8:30 am Jerry Krantz, Kenneth Mueller, Tom Pries 10:30 am James Maronde, Kelly Schreiner

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm Cindy Nash, B1, Mary Meine , B2 Theresa Root, B5 (IF NO DEACON)
8:30 am John-Howard Carroll, B1, Carrie Carroll, B2, Dianne Plager, B5 (IF NO DEACON)
10:30 am Rebecca Woodcock, B1, Barbara Vareberg, B2 , Charles DeVos, B5 (IF NO DEACON)



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

Resurrection's Elder Care Ministry News! As established by Pope Francis, Sunday, July 24, 2022, is World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. This is a worldwide event celebrated on the 4th Sunday of July each year and we will recognize this special Day at Resurrection as well! Please consider making plans to attend Mass with a grandchild/ grandchildren/grandparent or elderly person if you and they are able, (not limited by health reasons).

Information and prayers from the Vatican and the Catholic Grandparents Association will be available in the Gathering Space throughout the weekend and following week. Families and individuals are also encouraged to visit a loved one who is elder in years on this weekend. A work of mercy! (A plenary indulgence is available.) And, whatever your age, please join us to pray for elderly persons in your life on this special Day! "The elderly show us the tenderness of God." - Pope Francis. More information from Pope Francis at Vatican News on Facebook. #elderly. Or, www.laityfamilylife.va

Baptism

Born to a new life in Christ and joined to our faith community through the Waters of Baptism on June 12th *we welcome:*

Braxton Matthew Bos

Child of Brian and Meghan

Siblings Grayson, Caden & McKenna

Rest In Peace

Let the Perpetual Light Shine



Upon Her Mary Jane Nash June 16, 2022 Survived by her daughter, Barb Solum, parishioner

Weekly Calendar with Readings				
Monday 4 July	Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26 • Rosary 8:10 am • Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Closed			
Tuesday 5 July	Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10//Mt 9:32-38 • Rosary 8:10 am • Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm • Music Prayer Service 6:30 pm			
Wednesday 6 July	Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7 • Rosary 8:10 am • Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00 - 4:00 pm			
Thursday 7 July	Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15 • Rosary 8: 10 am • Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00-4:00 pm • Music Ministry 6:00 pm			
Friday 8 July	Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-2 • Rosary 8:10 am; Daily Mass 8:30 am • Office Hours 9:00-4:00 pm • Widow's Prayer Group 9:00 am			
Saturday 9 July	Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33 • Sacrament of Reconciliation 9:15-10:15 am • Saturday Mass 8:00 pm			
Sunday 10 July	Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37/Col 1:15-20/ Lk 10:25-37 • Sunday Mass 8:30 am • Sunday Mass 10:30 am			



Michelle's



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Try out these forms of prayer!

THE MAP PRAYER On a map or globe, pick a country with which you are not very familiar. Visit the USCCB website or the Catholic Relief Services map page to read about issues that might be impacting those countries. Spend some quiet prayer time praying for the people in those countries.

A.C.T.S. This acronym stands for Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, and Supplication. You can use the acronym to help you pray for those who are poor and vulnerable and for help in discerning how to respond.

Adoration

Praise God for his love for humanity, and for creating each human being with dignity. Express wonder for life and beauty, and the basic goodness of human beings.

Confession

Express your sorrow for an issue—a collective or social sin of humanity — that is facing the world today. This could include poverty, abortion, environmental destruction, or another issue. Take a moment to also recognize how you may have participated in the collective sin or issue, perhaps by your failure to do something about it.

Thanksgiving

Thank God for his forgiveness and for maintaining hope in the world and in humans despite our failures. Express thanks for the talents that God has given humans and the inspiration to use these talents to address issues like the one you have mentioned.

Supplication

Supplication is another word for intercession, or asking. Ask God to help bring about a positive solution to the issue you have identified – for an end to the social injustice. Ask him to help you see how you are called to be involved in addressing the issue. Invite the Spirit into your heart to inspire you. -WeareSaltandLight.org

Mass Intentions

Mon	July 4th	8:30 am	†Joyce Baumler
Tues	Jul 5th	8:30 am	†Robert Kertis, Sr
Wed	Jul 6th	8:30 am	†Hedwig Liepe
Thu	Jul 7th	8:30 am	†Arielle Balak
Fri	Jul 8th	8:30 am	†John Tauzell
Sat	Jul 9th	8:00 pm	†Marlys Gathje
Sun	Jul 10th	8:30 am	†Richard Slaba
Sun	Jul 10th	10:30 am	For the Parish

Community News



Celebrate with the Saint Joseph Lay Carmelites on Saturday, July 16th, the Solemnity of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Be officially enrolled in the Brown Scapular! The enrollment and celebration is at Saint James Coffee

located at 4156 18th Ave NW at 4-6pm. After the enrollment ceremony we will pray Evening Prayer together. Marie Theresa, Directress: 507.251.5012

Catholic in Recovery

Catholic in Recovery is a nonprofit organization that seeks to serve those suffering from addictions and unhealthy attachments (including alcoholism, drug addiction, pornography addiction, sex and relationship addiction, compulsive overeating and food addictions, gambling addiction, codependency and the impact on family, and general fear, control, and anxiety).

Catholic in Recovery meetings are held Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 5455 50th Ave NW, Rochester. Contact Peter Flies at peter.flies@protonmail.com for more information.

Website: https://catholicinrecovery.com/location/ united-states/minnesota/rochester/

Faith Formation

Summer Series: The Sacraments

News from Sheila Pelowski, Birth-KG, Grades 6-12 & RCIA dresscm@rescathroch.org

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Scripture: James 5: 14-15

"Is anyone among you suffering? He should pray. Is anyone in good spirits? He should sing praise. Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord, and the prayer of faith will save the sick person, and the Lord will raise him up. If he has committed any sins, he will be forgiven.

Our faith is expressed through visible signs. God loves us so much, he makes the invisible known to us through the visible, tangible world. The signs of holy oil and laying on of hands expresses our faith in God. When we participate in the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, we express our belief that God has power, dominion, and authority over illness and the meaning of suffering in the life of our community.

Personal Testimony:

Resurrection parishoner Marylu Nemgar, shares her experience of Anointing of the Sick as peaceful, comforting, and received as a gift: "As I made preparations for surgery, I prepared spiritually as well. I felt our Heavenly Father's blessing and love in the Anointing of the Sick. I felt at peace for the surgery and the recovery that followed. The scent of the oil was very comforting. It caused me to focus on being anointed, as was done in biblical times, and at the times of my Baptism and Confirmation. A true gift of the Catholic Church!"

Sometimes, people need more intimate signs to bring comfort. Rob Wainis, a newly confirmed Catholic who went through RCIA here at Resurrection this past year shares his experience: *"I felt a very great sense of peace. Marilyn Baker witnessed my palms turn very red. It was very noticible and really hard to explain. My hands were very red where Father placed the oil. I felt warm inside like I was begin hugged by Jesus himself. A weight was lifted off my shoulders, I instantly started to cry."*

Since I also work with teens, I searched for a testimony that a teen might be dealing with. I found this article from **Life Teen Blog:** *Twenty Seconds of Courage: How I Found Healing from Self-Hatred* by Sarah McMahon. In this article Sarah shares how the Anointing of the Sick provided her the grace needed to heal from an eating disorder and self-hatred. She also shared a beautiful explanation of the Anointing of the Sick and the graces found in all seven sacraments. Read on:

"Anointing of the Sick is an incredible sacrament. It's purpose is to give special grace to those who are experiencing difficulties related to grave illness or old age. **Especially as our understanding of mental illness increases, the Church recognizes that grave illness takes many forms.** To receive the sacrament there must be danger that exists because of the illness (danger of abuse of the body in the case of mental illness) but since Vatican II you do not need to be in imminent danger of dying to receive the anointing (Constitution of the Sacred Liturgy, #73).

God's grace comes to us in many ways. We can be given grace through others, our experiences, and in prayer but the sacraments provide us with a special kind of grace. We can be confident that in the sacraments Christ Himself is working. **As fire transforms anything it touches, so too the Holy Spirit transforms us in the grace we receive.** As baptized Catholics, we have this transformative grace available to us in all seven sacraments. Christ works in each one to transform our hearts and give us His grace and strength. For the full article: https://lifeteen.com/blog/20-seconds-of -courage-how-i-found-healing-from-self-hatred/

GOD BLESS & HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY ~ Sheila