

CHURCH OF THE  
**RESURRECTION**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

*"But when the Son of Man comes,  
will he find faith on earth?"*

*Luke 18:1-8*

October 16th, 2022  
29th 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

### Our 2022 Catholic Summer Trivia Quiz

In its July 17-23, 2022 edition, Our Sunday Visitor provided a Catholic summer quiz. It touches on many different subjects. Last week I posed multiple choice questions on Theology. Here are the answers:

Question 1: This saint is considered a patron saint for theologians:

- A. St. Francis of Assisi
- B. St. Ignatius of Loyola
- C. St. Thomas Aquinas
- D. St. Catherine of Siena

Answer: C. St. Thomas Aquinas

Question 2: Ecclesiology is the field of theological study that focuses on:

- A. Saints
- B. Sacraments
- C. Scripture
- D. The Church

Answer: D. The Church

Question 3: This field of theological study takes the Holy Spirit as its subject:

- A. Paterology
- B. Pneumatology
- C. Soteriology
- D. Eschatology

Answer: B. Pneumatology

Question 4: This theological discipline involves defending what the Church believes:

- A. Catechesis
  - B. Ethics
  - C. Apologetics
  - D. Philosophy
- Answer: C. Apologetics

Question 5: He is regarded as the first systematic theologian:

- A. St. Augustine
- B. St. Clement
- C. St. Irenaeus
- D. St. Ambrose

Answer: C. St. Irenaeus

And that brings the quiz to an end. Hope you enjoyed!

### Father Schuster's Reflections

What is your favorite season? Mine has always been the fall. Why the fall?

1. The weather isn't too hot nor is it too cold.
2. There is hunting to be done.
3. Fall can have some of the best fishing of the entire year.
4. It is the time of the harvest. If possible, I enjoy helping my brother. I enjoy sitting by and listening to the corn dryer. Remember, it only runs once per year.
5. School is back and activities are in full swing.
6. Depending upon how things play out, you can listen to Minnesota Twins games and Minnesota Vikings games.
7. The colors of the trees are magnificent.

And the list could go on and on and on.

### 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.

May 6 – "God does not love us because we are valuable. We are valuable because God loves us."

Till next week! Father Peter Schuster

# Parish News

## Deacon Book Study "*The Bible is a Catholic book*" by Jimmy Akin

Ever wonder about the Bible? Have lingering questions about the Bible? Feel like you were never catechized about the Bible? Why the Bible? Are we supposed to read the Bible? Who put it together? How was it written?

These along with many other questions are what we will be reading about and discussing in the book study of "*The Bible is a Catholic book*", by Author and theologian Jimmy Akin. He looks at the history of the Bible, the historicity of the Bible and the ways the bible can be read.

**Sunday November 13th** will be our next meeting after the 8:30 am Mass for our book study, "*The Bible is a Catholic book*". All are welcome. We will be starting with our first chapter, looking at Oral tradition and how that came to be written in the bible. Then in following months we will study more of the book and see how the Bible developed through history, how the Canon of the Bible was developed and the significance of these developments over time.

I still have some books available they can be picked up at the parish office.

Feel free to come and get a fresh start on the Bible with a new perspective of just how we got the Word of God handed to us over time.

## Diocese of Winona - Child Sexual Abuse Policy Information

The Diocese of Winona will provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employees, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 507-454-2270, Extension 255.

A caller will be asked to provide his or her name and telephone number. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. The Diocese of Winona is committed to protecting children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries.

The diocesan policy is available on the diocesan web site at [www.dow.org](http://www.dow.org) under the Safe Environment Program. If you have any questions about the Diocese of Winona's implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Mary Hamann, at 507-858-1244, or [mhamann@dow.org](mailto:mhamann@dow.org)

**Resurrection's Security Ministry** invites parishioners to a meeting on Wed, October 19th at 7:00 pm in Zenk Hall. They will explain what to do in case of a variety of emergencies, from environmental to medical. Please note the time change to 7:00 pm from 8:00 pm. Any questions, please call the parish office 288 5528.

## Resurrection's Knights of Columbus

Pancake Breakfast  
Sunday, October 16th  
following Sunday Masses  
Proceeds to benefit our  
2023-2024 Ca\$h Calendar

## CASH CALENDAR RAFFLE #2



Weekly winner of our \$50 cash calendar raffle is Kathleen Smith  
Congratulations, Kathleen!

How is the Raffle funded? Do funds come from our Parish budget? NO! Several businesses are contacted for donations to underwrite expenses such as the City of Rochester & MN State Gambling licenses, printing of the tickets and purchase of envelopes. The Resurrection KC's will be sharing proceeds from the Oct. 16th Pancake Breakfast.

Ticket sales cover the prizes with the remainder of income being earmarked for the Rectory Remodel. More tickets sold equal more net profit. Stay tuned!

## Liturgical Ministries for Oct 22nd/23rd

*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](mailto:michellep@rescathroch.org).**

### Lectors

8:00 pm Liz Hanson  
8:30 am Richard Miller, Denise Koster  
10:30 am Marilyn Baker, Fran Filzen

### Greeters

8:00 pm NOT FILLED (2x)  
8:30 am Carroll Doherty, Elaine Doherty  
10:30 am Shelley Filzen, NOT FILLED (1x)

### Sacristans

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

### Servers

8:00 pm Lucas Benz, Ari Jones  
8:30 am Madilyn Keller, NOT FILLED (1x)  
10:30 am Fiona Robertson, Ian Teshirogi

### Ushers

8:00 pm Adam Sellner, Lee Witter, NOT FILLED (1x)  
8:30 am Teresa Allers, Kenneth Mueller, Char Robinet  
10:30 am Aaron Davis, Gordon Robertson, Brody Tyrrell

### Extraordinary Ministers

8:00 pm Jackie O'Connell, B1, Ryann Witter, B2, Judith Pelowski, B5 (IF NO DEACON)  
8:30 am Deb Rowekamp, B1, Joan Miller, B2, Christiane Lund, B5 (IF NO DEACON)  
10:30 am Barbara Vareberg, B1, Rebecca Woodcock, B2, Gary Tschann, B5 (IF NO DEACON)



Thank you for your support of Resurrection's Youth Group. If you would like to decorate your car trunk for this event or volunteer to distribute candy, contact Sheila; by email, [sheilap@rescathroch.org](mailto:sheilap@rescathroch.org) or call 507 288 5528 .

**Employment Opportunity** Church of the Resurrection has an opening for a Custodian to clean and maintain the Church, Gathering Space, Restrooms and Office Space.

Position is evening work, approximately 15 hours/week. Call Fr. Schuster 507 288 5528 or email [pastor@rescathroch.org](mailto:pastor@rescathroch.org). for more information or to apply for the position.

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



We are in need of Adorers. Call the church office at 507-288-5528 for more information on how to sign up for an hour of Adoration.

Two natural disasters have recently affected our brothers and sisters in Christ. Hurricane Fiona and Hurricane Ian have created widespread destruction. We are taking up a collection this weekend to respond with the Catholic community across the United States to a special emergency collection. Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services are the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic Church and are already responding to urgent needs for shelter, water, and food of those affected by these two disasters. Checks payable to Resurrection. For more information, go to [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org), [www.catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org) or [www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org).



# Weekly Calendar with Readings

**Monday**  
**17**  
Oct

Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/Lk 12:13-21

- Rosary 8:10 am
- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Learning Centers Gr1 4:00 - 7:00 pm
- Faith Formation Classes Gr 2-5 6:00 pm

**Tuesday**  
**18**  
Oct

2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9

- Rosary 8:10 am
- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Mission Meeting 7:00 pm

**Wednesday**  
**19**  
Oct

Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48

- Rosary 8:10 am; Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Resurrection Security Meeting 7:00 pm

**Thursday**  
**20**  
Oct

Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/Lk 12:49-53

- Rosary 8:10 am
- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Bible Study 9:15 am
- Music Ministry 6:00 pm

**Friday**  
**21**  
Oct

Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-59

- Rosary 8:10 am
- Daily Mass 8:30 am
- Office Hours 9:00-4:00 pm

**Saturday**  
**22**  
Oct

Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 13:1-9

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

**Sunday**  
**23**  
Oct

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 [7a]/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

- Mass 8:30 am
- Mass 10:30 am
- Music Ministry 11:45 am



## Michelle's



Music & Choral Director &  
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I've read countless stories from mothers, fathers, workers who left abortion clinics, and more, and I've realized that in too many of these accounts their family and church would slam the door in their face instead of offering them love, compassion, and support. Many had no one to talk to, no one willing to offer them love unconditionally, and were left feeling alone and scared.

God tells us in Jeremiah that "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you." (Jer 1:5) From the very moment of conception, a child of God lives in a mother's womb. That child is precious in the eyes of the Lord. And not just the child, but the mother and father, too, and family and friends, for they are just as precious, just as loved by the Lord. Even when we sin or pull away from God, through Christ's sacrifice on the cross for all sinners, we can be assured in the fact that nothing can separate us from the love of Christ, that the love God has for us can never be diminished. As Abby Johnson says, "No one is beyond the power to conversion because no one is beyond the power of Christ."

It is not our duty as Christians to condemn those who have had or believe in the choice to have abortions; rather, it is our duty to exercise our baptismal priesthood, to be Christ's hands and feet on this earth so that others may come to know Jesus and believe through his never-ending love. Through the love we place on every single life, from conception to natural death, we bring forth God's message that every person is cherished by him and created for eternal union with himself. So let us love, brothers and sisters, and cherish God's gift of life through our words and deeds.

God Bless,  
Michelle Perrier

Song of the Week: Wonderfully Made- Triól

## Mass Intentions

Mon	Oct 17th	8:30 am	Fr. Adam McMillan (anniv)
Tues	Oct 18th	8:30 am	†Steve Colebeck
Wed	Oct 19th	8:30 am	Margaret Simonson
Thu	Oct 20th	8:30 am	Vince Deming
Fri	Oct 21st	8:30 am	†Lee Johnson
Sat	Oct 22nd	8:00 pm	Danielle K & Matt Z
Sun	Oct 23rd	8:30 am	For the Parish
Sun	Oct 23rd	10:30 am	†Gladys Pulford

## Community News

**Bishop Robert Barron with** a group of priests and seminarians will be joining the Rochester Knights of Columbus to pray to end abortion. The group will pray in front of Planned Parenthood on Monday, October 24th from 6 to 7 PM. Please join them if you are able to add your prayers on this vital issue. The address is 1212 7th St NW. Please note: we are not allowed to park in the parking lot in front of Planned Parenthood. You must park on the street or park in the north parking lot of St. Pius X Church and walk down to Planned Parenthood. Remember to dress warmly!

**Online Evening Prayer for Young Adults:** Young adults age 18+ are invited to pray online together with School Sisters of Notre Dame on Tuesday, October 25 from 7-8 p.m. CT. Learn more and register for the Zoom link at [ssnd.org/events/10-25-22](https://ssnd.org/events/10-25-22).

**Are you curious about religious life?** Single women ages 18-45 are invited to bring their questions to a casual, online conversation with School Sisters of Notre Dame on Thursday, October 20 at 7 p.m. CT. Learn more and register for the Zoom link at [ssnd.org/events/10-20-22](https://ssnd.org/events/10-20-22).

**Family Promise Fundraiser Week:** Bring the joy with Nothing Bundt Cakes and help raise money for Family Promise! Come in the week of October 17-22 and 25% of purchases will benefit Family Promise. When making your purchase, simply mention that you want to support "Family Promise." Orders must be placed and paid for during the week, but can be picked up at a later date. Orders can be scheduled for a pick up date up to 1 year from date purchased. Orders need to be placed in person or over the phone.

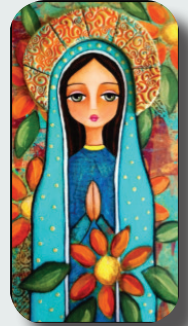
# Faith Formation



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

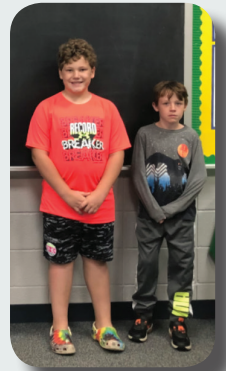
**Grades 1-5:** We have Faith Formation classes for grades 2-5 on Monday, October 17th at 6:00pm. The 1st graders and parents will not be meeting in their classrooms because they will be participating in First Grade Learning Centers on God's Family.

**A Day to Honor Mary:** Tuesday, October 18th is the Feast of St. Luke the Evangelist. Children enjoying being read to and today is a wonderful time to open to the New Testament book of Luke and read chapters 1-2 about the annunciation, the visitation, and the births of John the Baptist and Jesus.



**Faith Formation Grade 3:** Thank you to Amanda Collett for being the 3rd grade catechist this year. The third graders get to know more about the church by going on a Church Search, which takes them on a tour of the sacristy, the sanctuary, reconciliation room, and the adoration chapel. They learn the names for all the sacred vessels and items used by the priest during Mass. Some of their favorite stops are at the statues, holy water font, and stained glass windows. In November, the children and their parents will participate in learning centers about those who are poor or homeless. The 3rd graders get a deeper understanding about the causes of poverty and how they can help. They will view

a story on St. Teresa of Calcutta, who cared for the poor and helped others to see their needs. This is an exciting year as the children learn about the church and how to participate in our ministries.



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

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Sunday School started on October 9th. You can register anytime on our parish website. If there is anyone interested in running an 8:30am session please contact me. I am open to considering this option if there are volunteers on hand willing and able to lead without me present.

**FAITH FORMATION:** Trunk or Treat Volunteers needed. Decorate your vehicles trunk and hand out candy to Rochester area youth and Cascade Creek Memory Care residents or hand out candy to an already decorated trunk of an employee. Another option is to welcome people as they park their vehicles to attend the event. When: Saturday, October 29th from 4pm to 5:30pm. Those decorating a trunk should arrive at 3pm for set up. Contact Sheila for more information.

**CONFIRMATION:** Our parish formally welcomed Year Two Confirmation Candidates for ongoing sacrament preparation with the Rite of Welcome during 10:30am Mass on Sunday, October 2nd. Please take a card with the youths names and prayer to support them through their faith journey.

Year One Confirmation Preparation students started their journey toward the sacrament of Confirmation with learning centers. Half of the parents and youth attending on Wednesday, October 12th with the other half attending on Wednesday, October 26th. Feel free to check them out. Learning center topics included: Commitment, Conversation, Small Groups, Gifts of the Spirit, Sacraments, Service, Attitude, and Prayer.

**Operation Warm-Up Our Community:** Thank you to all the parishioners who took blankets home to cut and to those who donated funds to purchase the blankets. Youth are continuing to tie blankets and we will be distributing them to people in need.