



ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY OF
ST. ANDREW—GREENWALD, ST. JOHN—MEIRE GROVE,
ST. MARY—MELROSE & ST. MICHAEL—SPRING HILL

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 22, 2018

Parish Council message

- **SAVE THE DATE. A SITE BLESSING AND MASS will take place on Sunday, September 9, 2018 at 11:00 am on the site of our new church!** This will be an important and joyous event for all of us! A large tent will be in place to accommodate all of us as we share this moment of spirit and fellowship. Many thanks to a committee of volunteers as they are working hard to make this event a huge success! Please plan to join your family, friends and us. More details will be available in future Parish Council Messages.
- The Parish Council, Church Building Team, Finance Council, St. Mary's School Board, and committees of volunteers met this week for an informational meeting regarding the recent presentation to the Diocesan Building Commission and Bishop Kettler's response and recommendations. The meeting went well and there was much excitement, excellent questions and insightful feedback discussed. This information is being worked on with our committees, volunteers, architect and Liturgical Design Consultant as we prepare for a follow up meeting with the Diocesan Building Commission.

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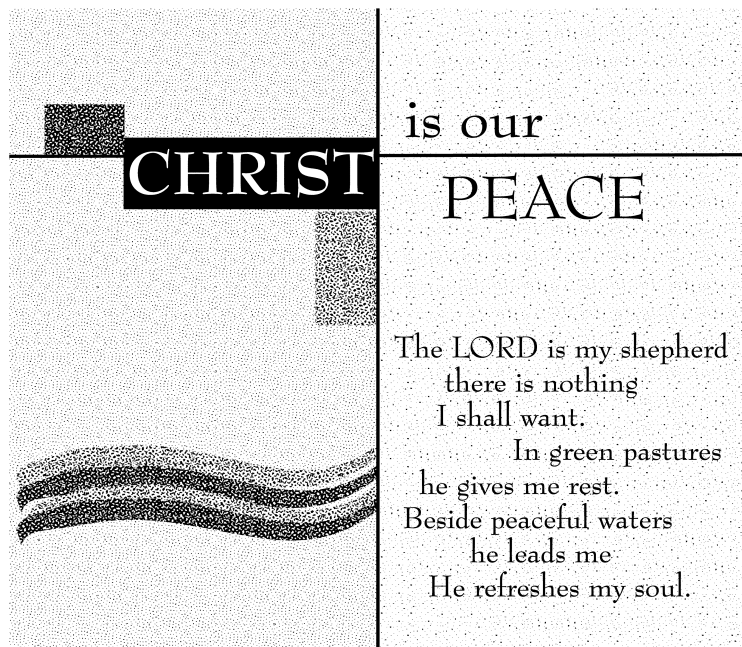
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ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY MASS SCHEDULE

JULY 23 - 29, 2018

MELROSE—Church of St. Mary

Monday, 6:30 p.m.	Misa en Español
Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.	†John Tomasek
Wednesday, 7:30 a.m.	†Bob Kemper
Thursday, 7:30 a.m.	†Mary Lou Walz
Friday, 7:30 a.m.	†Armella Bueckers
Saturday, 5 p.m.	†Ron Kettler
Sunday 8 a.m.	For the People
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	†Dorothy Moorman / Pine Villa
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.	†Leo A. Meyer
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Misa en Español

GREENWALD—Church of St. Andrew

Thursday, 8 a.m.	†Ed & Delores Wehlage
Sunday, 10 a.m.	†Jason Schaefer

MEIRE GROVE—Church of St. John

Wednesday, 8 a.m.	Dec. family of Ray & Carol Schneider
Sunday, 8 a.m.	Thanksgiving Mass for Denis & Emily Schneider

SPRING HILL—Church of St. Michael

Monday, 8 a.m.	†Peter Waldorf
Thursday, 8 a.m.	†Irene Sundermann
Friday, 8 a.m.	†Gary Rush
Saturday, 8 p.m.	†Calvin Bertram

Sacrament of Penance - Saturday evening before the 8 p.m. Mass at St. Michael's, Spring Hill

CHURCH OF ST. MARY - MELROSE

Liturgy

The Parish Choir will sing for the 5 p.m. Mass on July 28. Rehearsal will be at 4:30 p.m., half an hour before Mass. See you there!

Banns of Marriage I

Austin Van Beck & Jordan Doetkott

Servers Schedule

Saturday, 5 p.m.—Carsyn Worms, Ethan Ettel

Sunday, 8 a.m.—Tom & Judy Kluempke

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.—Ellie Heller, Ava Wensmann

Weekdays, July 24 - 27 —Owen Funk, Nathan Welle

St. Mary's Calendar Raffle

Sponsors this week: Central MN Credit Union

07/15 Fr. Ken Thielman, Melrose—\$25

07/16 Janet Notch, Melrose—\$25

07/17 Joey & Tricia Klaphake, Melrose—\$25

07/18 Merle Meyer, Danbury, Wis.—\$25

07/19 Jerry Blenker, Melrose—\$25

07/20 Randy & Lori Ostendorf, Melrose—\$25

07/21 Elmer & Virginia Meyer, Melrose—\$25

Mass for residents of Pine Villa and tenants at Park View are intended for family and friends of those that live there.

Please be aware that space is limited to those that live within our campus. Thank you, CCH Melrose Pine Villa Care Center.

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On Liturgy – Mission, Part 2

--Chris Calderone

Last week I mentioned that a small group of parishioners is currently examining our Parish Mission Statement. This is a healthy process for any parish, and while it is not related to or a result of our new church project, it can tell us a great deal about ourselves, our parish life, and ways that our new church can support that parish life. Here's how:

I invite you to ask yourself and each other these questions: Who are we? What do we as a faith community believe in? What is our parish mission? Some answers are obvious: as Christians, Christ himself has given us our mission: "Love God and love one another as I have loved you," or perhaps more sacramentally, "Do this in memory of me." However, each faith community is unique, just as each of us is a unique member of the one Body of Christ. We, the Church of Saint Mary, have our own identity and our own mission as a community of believers. We will each have our own unique answers to the above questions. When we identify the common answers between us, we find our community's mission. As discussed last week, this mission can and often does inform how we worship together. Like cherished family traditions, our parish holds onto liturgical symbols and traditions that speak to our unique identity. Our mission can even dictate what design aspects of our new church are more important than others. Our Parish Mission Statement is a powerful force!

Stewardship Church of St. Mary

Total Regular Adult Offering\$5,717.72

Additional Gifts Received

Loose647.10

Home Missions65.00

Bazaar305.00

Sponsor a Child25.00

Total additional gifts received.....\$1,042.10

Total Regular Offering\$5,717.72

Budgeted Regular Adult Offering\$7,692.00

**St. Mary's School News**

This past year we collected \$1,645.60 from recycling aluminum cans. All income collected from the aluminum cans in our can wagon is used for the Sixth Grade Long Lake experience.

We still have openings for the 3-4 and 4-5 year old Little Saints program for the 2018-2019 school year. Please call 256-4257 or email Autumn Nelson at anelson@smsmn.org for more information or registration materials.

Melrose Area Youth grades 7-12 invited to Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) and Twins game Aug. 1, FMSC and Valleyfair Aug. 13. Forms are in the St. Mary's parish office, Contact Elisha for more info. elishaseanger@hotmail.com

The Sauk Centre/Melrose Deanery is hosting a pilgrimage to view and have a guided tour of the St. John's Bible on Friday, Aug. 3. We will be meeting at 11 a.m. for lunch at Fischer's Club, 428 Stratford St. W. Avon MN 56310. Lunch cost will be under \$10.

Stewardship Day 2018 - Stewardship as a Way of Life: Building Vibrant and Engaged Parishes - The keynote speaker is Eric McArdle, president and co-founder of Catholic Stewardship Consultants. For nearly 20 years, he has worked with hundreds of parishes across the country on every aspect of stewardship development. The event is Wednesday, Aug. 22, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., at St. Mary Help of Christians, St. Augusta. The cost is \$35 and includes lunch. Register online at www.stcdio.org/stewardship.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church invites kids to Vacation Bible School

- All children ages 4 through 5th grade (going into 6th grade) are invited to St. Paul's Lutheran Church's Vacation Bible School. This year our theme is Shipwrecked "Rescued by Jesus." Each evening starts out with Castaway Sing and Play along with other activities like, One of a Kind Crafts, a snack at Tropical Treats, learn stories at Bible Discovery, Shipwreck games and Kidvid Cinema. The fun starts Sunday, Aug. 5 -Aug. 9 and is each night from 6:30-8:45 p.m. with the final night on Thursday, Aug. 9 with root beer floats for everyone. Registration forms will be sent to children who attended last year. New registration forms can be picked up and dropped off at the church or you can call the church at 256-3847. If any adults or teens would like to help with VBS, please call the church. To learn more please contact Julie Ulbricht at 320-249-0257.

CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW GREENWALD

Stewardship Church of St. Andrew

Total	\$1,234.00
Reg. Adult Offering	975.00
Plate/Loose	138.00
Votives	21.00
Boiler	100.00


Liturgical Ministries – Sunday, July 29,

10 a.m. – (S) Taylor Young, Tommy Ahrens; (L) Julie Kulzer; (U) David Welle, Chuck Winter; (GB) Mike & Julie Kulzer; (EM) (B) Dustin Gregory.

For Sale: 2 – 32 inch x 7 foot oak doors, 1 – air compressor. Call Roger Schoenberg for more details at 987-3641.

Donations are appreciated toward the following projects: Tuck-pointing on School building – est. cost \$12,000; Boiler in school – est. cost \$34,000; Re-surfacing road around church and parish house – est. cost \$3,300.

St. Andrew's Parish is in need of Mass intentions.

 **St. John's/St. Andrew's School News**
Barley Days Float-SJSA students-please join us on the Barley Days Float on Sunday, Aug. 5. We will meet at the staging area at 10:45. Please wear your Barley Days or school shirts. We will have plenty of candy to toss to the crowd!

Aluminum can recycling brought in \$158.85 this past week. Thank you for dropping your cans off at the SJSA trailer in the St. John's Church parking lot. Thank you to the SJSA parents who help with this project!

SJSA has a full-time kindergarten/preschool teacher position open for the 2018-2019 school year. Candidates must hold a current Minnesota Teaching License. Please send a letter of application, resume and three letters of recommendation to sjsamarym@gmail.com. The position will remain open until filled.

Thank you to the volunteers who removed the old carpet from the first and second grade classroom and to the anonymous donor who donated the new carpet for the room. Blessings to all of you!

Open House for the 2018 - 2019 school year is Thursday, Aug. 30 from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Preschool Open House is Wednesday, Sept. 5. Times will be announced later this summer.

Scrip gift cards are available for purchase during the summer. Please call the school at 987-3133 or email Kristen at sjsakristenu@gmail.com or Mary at sjsamarym@gmail.com with your order.

Please continue to collect Big G Box Tops, Country Hearth Proof of Purchase UPCs, and aluminum cans during the summer. We appreciate your support of these programs.

Sign up for Coborn's MORE Rewards at morerewards.com to designate a school that you would like your Coborn's points to go towards. Thank you for your support of this program! Recycle your aluminum cans with SJSA! Please place empty, bagged aluminum cans in the recycling trailer in the parking lot of St. John's Church.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN MEIRE GROVE

Stewardship—Church of St. John

Total	\$4,223.05
Reg. Adult Offering	1,080.00
Children	3.00
Plate/Loose	118.50
Votives	21.55
Fuel Donation	3,000.00

Liturgical Ministries – Sunday, July 29,

8 a.m. – (S) John Brang, Makiya Luetmer; (L) Rita Meyer; (U) Herb Imdieke, Jerry Imdieke; (GB) John & Virginia Nathe; (EM) (B) Nick Kelzer, Jim Leukam.

Meire Grove Parish Council will meet on July 24, 7 p.m. finance committee, 7:30 p.m. parish council.

The Annual Men's Breakfast will be on Sunday, Aug. 19. We need everyone's help to make this a successful event. The work schedules will be coming out soon. A Park planning committee has been formed to work on improving and beautifying our school playground into the "St. John's Community Park." Plans are to clean up the grounds by edging the pea rock, planting grass and trees where the tennis court was and other areas for shade, a school memorabilia bench, and resetting the angel.

Future plans include a pavilion, one hoop basketball platform, and additional playground equipment. This will require a community effort and your support is needed. Contact a committee member if you would like to offer your help or contribute monetarily to this effort.

A fundraiser "Meire Grove Harvest Festival" will be held on Saturday, Sept. 1 starting with a 4 p.m. Mass on the grounds by the cemetery with our beautiful chapels open for viewing. After Mass there will be food, refreshments, and music by Fr. Marv, Marcie Welle, and Donny Brang in the city hall.

Blessings to all of you!

CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL SPRING HILL

Stewardship Church of St. Michael

Total	\$3,991.08
Reg. Adult Offering	658.00
Children	6.00
Plate/Loose	14.00
Votives	112.00
Maintenance Fund	50.00
Men's Society-kitchen	3,148.08
Blessed Candle	3.00

Liturgical Ministries – Saturday, July 28,

8 p.m. – (S) Paige Gruber, Devin Orbeck; (L) Sue Meyer; (U) Melvin Kalthoff, Jim Klassen; (EM) (B) Jeanette Kalthoff; (RL) Tony & Mary Gruenes; (CC) Mark Schoenberg, Rick Terres Welle; (HK) Terri Winter, Lisa Wuertz, Mary Wuertz.

Faith, Food and Fellowship on Wednesday, Aug. 15

Feast of The Assumption, St. Michael's, Spring Hill. Mass at the Grotto at 7:30 p.m. – bring your own lawn chairs. (In case of inclement weather, we will move to the church). Free hot lunch in the church basement after Mass, compliments of St. Michael's Catholic United Financial. **Everyone is Welcome!**

Anyone willing to lead the rosary before Mass, please call the parish office to put your name on the list, or put a note in the collection basket.

Pilgrimage to Ireland with the Catholic Foundation. There are only 4 spaces left to join us on our pilgrimage to Ireland Oct. 17-29. Registrations must be received by July 29. For more information or to reserve a seat, please contact Bursch Travel at 320-251-3180.

YOU ARE INVITED

July 31 - Elrosa Senior Citizens Bologna Days, serving from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Bucky's Bar, Elrosa. Music by The Backes Brothers.

Aug 4/5 - 69th Annual Greenwald Barley Days, Polka Mass at 7:30 p.m., parade, hamburger stand, chicken dinner, music by Contention, bingo, many other games.

Aug. 19 - Annual Men's Breakfast/Bake Sale, St. John's Parish in Meire Grove. Serving from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the church basement. Menu includes ham, scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, applesauce, peaches and frosted cinnamon bread.

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