



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

ASCENSION OF THE LORD - MAY 13, 2018

Parish Council message...

- The Parish Council is grateful to each of the parish households and school families who participated in the feasibility study regarding parish needs, priorities and fundraising possibilities. This information will be extremely important for our parish's future.
- The Parish Council, Church Building Team, and Finance Council appreciate all of the feedback and input received regarding the future of our parish since our 2/11/18 presentation to the parish. This feedback continues to be gathered through feedback forms, committee meetings, parish workshops with Ken Griesemer (Liturgical Design Consultant), and many individual conversations with parishioners. This information has been given to Ken G. and the parish's architect (HMA) resulting in continued changes and improvements being made to the design of our worship space and related structures.
- Parish leadership will present its proposal for a new worship space and facilities to the Diocesan Building Commission in June 2018.
- The Parish Council and St. Mary's School Board continue to work on options for the lunch program at St. Marys School.

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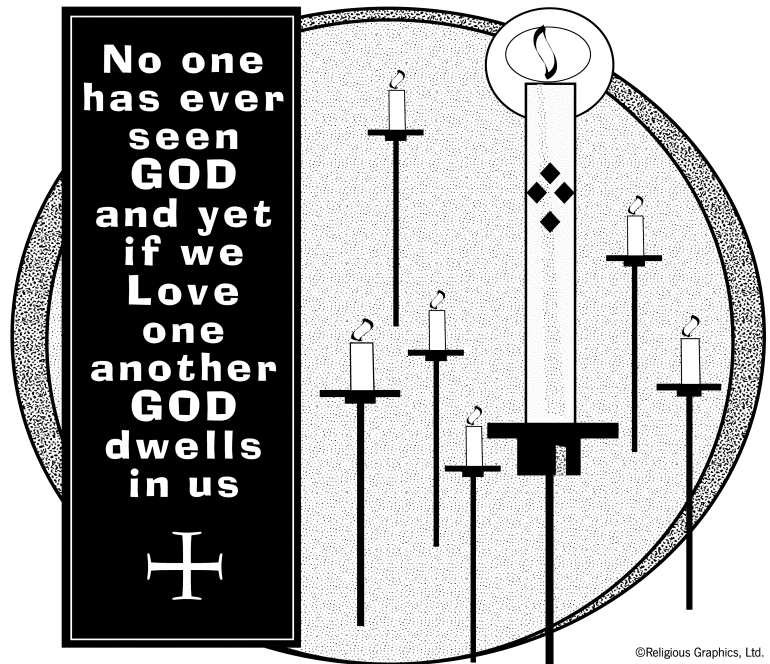
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ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY MASS SCHEDULE

MAY 14 - 20, 2018

MELROSE—Church of St. Mary

Monday, 6:30 p.m.	Misa en Español
Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.	†Ruth Ann Gieske
Wednesday, 7:30 a.m.	†Leo A. Meyer
Thursday, 7:30 a.m.	††Sandra, Margaret & Jerry Sand
Friday, 8:30 a.m.	†Carol Billigimeier/ All School
Saturday, 5 p.m.	†Mary Lou Walz
Sunday 8 a.m.	††Pete & Dorine Terres
Sunday, 9 a.m.	†Pat Carstens / Pine Villa
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.	Senior Baccalaureate /For the People
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Misa en Español

GREENWALD—Church of St. Andrew

Thursday, 8 a.m.	†Marcel Eibenstein
Saturday, 8 p.m.	Senior Baccalaureate

MEIRE GROVE—Church of St. John

Wednesday, 8 a.m.	†Joseph Illies
Saturday, 2 p.m.	Christina Schulzetenberg & Mark Schumacher Nuptial Mass
Sunday, 10 a.m.	††Andrew & Clara Lahr

SPRING HILL—Church of St. Michael

Monday, 8 a.m.	†Clarence Bertram
Tuesday, 8 a.m.	†Edward Schoenberg
Thursday, 8 a.m.	†Gerry Wensman
Sunday, 8 a.m.	†Marlene Lieser

Sacrament of Penance - Saturday evening before the 8 p.m. Mass at St. Andrew's, Greenwald.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY - MELROSE

Died in the Hope of Resurrection - Vernon "Vern" Jacobs, 87.

Gerald "Jerry" Pfannenstien, 75.

Baptized in Christ - Colter Lee Tschida**Banns of Marriage I** - Tiffany Ahrens & Tyler Petermeier**Liturgy** - The Parish Choir will rehearse this Wednesday, May 16th at 5pm in the school music room, to sing at the 5pm Mass on Saturday, May 19th.**Servers Schedule**

Saturday, 5 p.m. - Turner Beuning, Carsyn Worms

Sunday, 8 a.m.— Tom & Judy Kluempke

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.— Drew Pundsack, Erin Thompson

Weekdays, May 15-17 - Connor Anderson, Nathan Welle

St. Mary's Calendar Raffle - Sponsors this week:**Melrose Main Street Repair, Inc., Munson Feed Company, Inc.**

05/06 Daniel Beaver Melrose—\$25

05/07 Christy Morgel, Avon - \$25

05/08 Roman & Carol Bertram, Melrose—\$25

05/09 Lori & Justin Drossel, Melrose—\$25

05/10 Ryan & Sandi Jaeger, Melrose—\$50

05/11 Lorraine Gangl, Melrose—\$25

05/12 Michelle Warzecha, Melrose.— \$25

St. Mary's Baccalaureate Masses:**Baccalaureate Mass in English** on May 20th at 10:30 in St. Mary's School gym. Graduates, please come at 9:45 to practice your part for the Mass.**Baccalaureate Mass in Spanish** on May 27th at 12:30 in St. Mary's School gym. Graduates, please come at 11:45 to practice your part for the Mass.

Graduates are welcome to attend either or both liturgies -- whatever works best for you and your family!

Call/text Juliann Heller 320 491-7537 with any questions!

Healing Heart Suicide Loss Support Group - meet Tues. May 15, 8 p.m. at St. Mary's School.**On Liturgy – The Sacraments**

--Chris Calderone

Mark's narrative of the Ascension of Jesus is short, as is his Gospel. No sooner was Jesus taken up to heaven than did the disciples turn around and go forth to preach and minister in the name of the Lord. The Feast of the Ascension also celebrates the sending forth of disciples to all places and for all time to proclaim the Gospel, in word and in deed. We continue this mission today.

The continued grace, presence, and effective action of God here on earth is perhaps most recognized in the Sacraments. While the number and significance of Sacraments have changed throughout Church history, today we celebrate seven Sacraments, instituted by Christ and entrusted to the Church. By celebrating these Sacraments, we, the disciples of Christ, continue God's work on earth through initiation, healing, and service to communion.

One of the primary missions of our new church and facilities must be to support and encourage the celebration of these Sacraments. For the next seven weeks, we will focus on one sacrament at a time and explore how various components of our new church can and must support that sacrament. With next week being Pentecost, perhaps to nobody's surprise, we will begin with Confirmation. As we participate in Sacraments, let us also participate in dialogue on how we will celebrate them in our new church!

Stewardship Church of St. Mary**Total Regular Adult Offering..... \$5,936.00****Additional Gifts Received**

Loose 1,006.09

Children 4.00

Cemetery Upkeep 55.00

St. Cloud Visitor 17.00

Sponsor a Child 50.00

Home Missions 90.00

New Church..... 120.00

Total additional gifts received \$1,342.09**Total Regular Offering \$5,936.00****Budgeted Regular Adult Offering..... \$8,077.00****St. Mary's Edu. Endowment Fund \$100.00**

Next week, we will take the **Peter's Pence Collection**, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous.

**St. Mary's School News**

Congratulations to the 2nd graders who made their First Holy Communion this past Sunday.

Bishop Donald Kettler will celebrate Mass with the children on Friday, May 18 at 8:30 a.m. in the school gym. Refreshments will be served after this celebration. All are welcome!

St. Mary's Catholic School in Melrose is seeking a Full Time 2nd Grade Teaching Position for the 2018-2019 school year. Individuals interested in this position are asked to send a letter of application, resume and 3 letters of reference to anelson@smsmn.org. The position will be open until filled.

St. Mary's School Board will meet Wednesday, May 16, 6:30 p.m., St. Mary's School.

Our Big G Box Tops for Education payout for the 2017-2018 school year was \$861. Please continue to save these boxtops during the summer months. Our next submission of boxtops will be next school year.

St. Mary's students began eating lunch in the gym catered by Cornerstone on Monday, May 7. We are grateful to Melrose Area Schools for allowing us eat lunch in their facility for the past 2 years.

Job opening- Director of Faith Formation / Religious Education

The Director of Faith Formation/Religious Education serves as overall coordinator of the Religious Education Program, a total faith formation program offered for preschool through high school youth.

The person also coordinates limited diocesan youth ministry opportunities for junior and senior high youth. This individual, in collaboration with the Pastor, parish leaders and parish staff will primarily plan, provide direction, and direct Christ-centered programs of catechesis & evangelization for children and youth and adults. If interested please contact Fr. Marv Enneking at 402 Second Street South East, Melrose, MN 56352 or call 320-256-3108. Position open until filled.

Cemetery Volunteer Day - will be Monday, May 21st at 6 p.m. rain or shine. In case of bad weather, May 22nd at 6 p.m. Please bring lawn movers, weed trimmers, leaf blowers, rakes and brooms. We request that old flowers that are not attached to tombstones be removed by Volunteer Day.

CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW GREENWALD

Stewardship Church of St. Andrew

Total	\$2,004.46
Reg. Adult Offering	1555.00
Children	6.00
Plate/Loose	24.00
Votives	8.88
Fuel Fund	50.00
Tuck pointing	300.00
School Subsidy	30.00
Catholic United Financial	30.58


Liturgical Ministries -Saturday, May 19, 8 p.m. – (S) Lauren Dehmer, Luke Dehmer; (L) Graduates; (U) Peter Heinze, Al Inderrieden; (GB) Graduates; (EM) (B) Mike Barten

In need of Mass intentions for St. Andrew's Parish.

We'd appreciate some donations 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 & parish house – est. cost \$3,300.

Monday, May 14: St. Andrew's Christian Women Barley Day Chair & Co-chairs will have a meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the SJSA School Basement, Greenwald.

Open House: Sister Suzanne is celebrating her 90th birthday and 70th Jubilee as a Sister of St. Benedict. Open House Saturday, May 26, 2-4 p.m. Jitters, 403 Main St. Sauk Centre, MN Everyone Welcome!

 **St. John's/St. Andrew's School News**
St. John's - St. Andrew's School Board meets Tuesday, May 15th at 7:30 pm in the school basement.

Scrip - Gift cards make great graduation gifts! SJSA has a variety of local and national gift cards. Stop by the office or call 987-3133 for more information!

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.

*Lord,
Bless our Mothers!*

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CHURCH OF ST. JOHN MEIRE GROVE

Stewardship—Church of St. John

Total	\$1,226.50
Reg. Adult Offering	1082.00
Children	2.50
Plate/Loose	55.00
Votives	57.00
Home Mission	30.00

Liturgical Ministries –Sunday, May 20, 10 a.m.

– (S) Luke Funk, Miranda Meyer; (L) Kurt Meyer; (U) Elmer Meyer, Joe Meyer; (GB) Gary & Irene Marthaler; (EM) (B) Char Meyer, John Nathe

Banns of Marriage III

Mark Schumacher & Christina Schulzetenberg

To all St. Mary's Society, Meire Grove and St. Joseph Society members: Please join us for an evening of cleaning the Meire Grove church basement on Tuesday, May 15th, starting at 6 pm. Refreshments and door prize drawing to follow.

Please join us as we pray the rosary every Wednesday evening, throughout the month of May, at 7:00 pm by Mary's Grotto in MG. We will provide chairs. In case of inclement weather, we will pray it inside the church in front of Mary's altar. **All** are welcome from **ALL** parishes. Thank you!!

Join us for the Fourth Annual Bishop's Golf Tournament, Monday June 18th at the Territory Golf course. All proceeds go to the "Seminarian Education Fund" which is a Fund held by the Catholic Foundation. This Fund supports our diocesan seminarians with tuition and expenses. Join us with a team of 4 (\$300) to join in 18 holes of golf, hole contests, prizes, silent auction, food and the satisfaction of following the footsteps of Jesus Christ as we help pass on the faith. Not a golfer???? Please join us as a hole sponsor (\$200), a silver sponsor (which includes a team of 4, \$500) or donate an item or basket to our silent auction. To sign up a team, you can register online at catholicfoundation.info. Any questions, please contact Alice @320-258-7656 or Jill @ 320-258-7653.

Mass for the 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.

CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL SPRING HILL

Stewardship Church of St. Michael

Total	\$975.00
Reg. Adult Offering	822.00
Children	2.00
Plate/Loose	30.00
Votives	111.00
Maintenance Fund	10.00

Liturgical Ministries –Sunday, May 20, 8 a.m.

– (S) Jack Orbeck, Eric Sunderman; (L) Gary P. Lieser (U) Paul Orbeck, Mark Schoenberg; (EM) (B) Kathy Welle; (RL) Werner & Marilyn Gruber (CC) Dennis Orbeck, Marvin Rademacher; (HK) Darlene Schoenberg, Jackie Schoenberg, Marilyn Schoenberg

In need of Mass intentions for St. Michael's Parish.

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.

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

will have their 28th, "Fun, Food and Fund Day", Thursday, June 14, 2018 hosted by Cold Spring Deanery at St. Louis Catholic Church, 505 Burr Street, Paynesville. All women in St. Cloud Diocese are invited. The theme this year is "Angels Among Us". Registration & Refreshments at 8:30 AM followed by Mass, Silent Auction, Lunch & Entertainment. Registration fee is \$ 15.00 by June 4th; \$20.00 after & walk-ins. Make checks to: Cold Spring Deanery. Mail to: Irene Burg, 27212 Co. Rd 32, Paynesville, MN 56362. 320-548-3539. For questions contact Deanery President: Lois Wesbur 320-894-5837 or lwesbur@greaterminnesota.org Each parish is welcome to donate items to the Silent Auction as well as cash. Bring items to the dining area before Mass.

YOU ARE INVITED

May 16: "500" cards, 1:30 p.m. at the Melrose Senior Center.

May 21: Ending Well, join us for this FREE, workshop exploring topics on living and dying well, what gives your life meaning and understanding health care directives. Light refreshments will be served.

May 27: The Grey eagle/Swanville Council of Knights of Columbus Sausage & Egg breakfast serving 8 a.m. - 12 noon at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in Grey Eagle. A free will donation.

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