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**ST. ANDREW—GREENWALD, ST. JOHN—MEIRE GROVE,
ST. MARY—MELROSE & ST. MICHAEL—SPRING HILL**

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - SEPTEMBER 25, 2016

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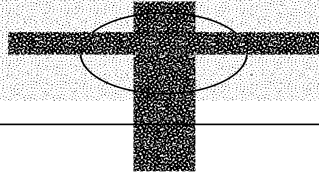
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FOR US**

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GIVE UP OUR
LIVES FOR
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ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY MASS SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 26 - OCTOBER 2, 2016

MELROSE—Church of St. Mary

MG (Meire Grove); SMS (St. Mary's Gym)
Mon., 6:30 p.m.. Misa en Español (SMS - Music Rm)
Tues., 7:30 a.m. †Erma Walz (SMS)
Wed., 7:30 a.m. †Loyola Petermeier Jenkins (SMS)
Thurs., 7:30 a.m. †Lorraine Kraker (SMS)
Fri., 8:30 a.m. †LaVonne Nelson (SMS) **All School**
Sat. 2:00 p.m. Beth Thieschafer & Kevin Sieben
Nuptial Mass /St. Andrew's, Greenwald
Sat., 5:00 p.m. †Frank Hartung (SMS)
Sun., 8:00 a.m. For the People (MG)
Sun., 9:00 a.m. †Alcuin Kortenbusch / **Pine Villa**
Sun., 10:30 a.m. ††Henry & Eleanor Hollermann (MG)
Sun., 12:30 p.m. Misa en Español (MG)

GREENWALD—Church of St. Andrew

Thurs., 11:00 a.m. Special intentions for Francis Uphus family
Sat., 8:00 p.m. Deceased brothers of Duane Frieler

MEIRE GROVE—Church of St. John

Wed, 8:00 a.m. Living & deceased members of Poor Souls Society
Sun, 8:00 a.m. St. John's/St. Andrew's Catholic United Fin.

SPRING HILL—Church of St. Michael

Tues, 8:00 a.m. †Joan Otto/*Adoration after mass*
Sun., 10:00 a.m. †Gayle Moen

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. in Greenwald

**Please Note: St. Mary's School doors will open at 4:00 p.m. for
the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturdays. Thank you!**

CHURCH OF ST. MARY - MELROSE

Banns of Marriage III - Beth Thieschafer & Kevin Sieben

Liturgy

Parish Choir rehearses on Wednesday at 5:00 pm in the St. Mary's School Music Room.

Musicians for the weekend of Oct. 1/2

5 p.m. - Parish Choir; 8 a.m. - Meire Grove Musicians

10:30 a.m. - Cantor

Servers Schedule

Sat., 5 p.m.—Ethan Frieler, Avery Kraemer - SMS

Sun., 8 a.m.—Meire Grove servers - St. John's - MG

Sun., 10:30 a.m.—Ellie Heller, Alexa Schaefer - St. John's, MG

Weekdays, Sept. 27-29—Alexis Baumann, Ellie Heller - SMS
Gym

St. Mary's Calendar Raffle

Sponsors this week:

CAP Enterprises, Commercial Exchange Corporation

9/18 Melanie Wensmann, Melrose—\$25

9/19 Fr. Marv Enneking, Melrose—\$25

9/20 Mary Horn, Melrose—\$25

9/21 Ralph & Rose Ann Inderrieden, Melrose—\$25

9/22 Dennis Waldvogel, Grey Eagle —\$25

9/23 Dave Stone, Melrose—\$25

9/24 Roger Mehr, Melrose —\$25

St. Mary's Mission Society - will meet Tuesday, Oct. 4, 10:30 a.m. at the Melrose City Center.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS!

CLASSES BEGIN on Wednesday for 9th and 10th grades at 7:00 p.m. in St. Mary's School...see you there!

Also, grades 1-6 meet Wednesday as scheduled—after school until 4:05. **Grade 11** starts class at 6:30 on Wednesday out at Whispering Oaks Winery.

Children's Liturgy of the Word begins next Sunday, Oct. 2. This is open to all in preschool through those who have not yet made their First Communion. Registration is not necessary to participate in this activity. Children will be called forward once Mass begins by a teacher, who will bring them to the church basement and break open the Scriptures from mass in a relevant way for children. Parents are always welcome! Please call Dawn Carrillo at the Parish Center with questions.



Youth Ministry News

Grades 7-12 are invited to OCAFAM (Osakis, Collegeville, Albany, Freeport, Avon, Melrose Area) Youth Night on Sunday, October 16th from 6-9:30 p.m. in Avon. Father Mitchell will be presiding and we need two servers. Come together with youth from surrounding parishes for lively Mass, fun, food, games, small group, and more! Contact Kristen for more info.

Seniors/Young Adults: We want YOU to join the **Youth Leadership Team!** Take ownership of our youth events by assisting with youth group nights, 5th Quarter events, Castaway prep, and much more. Lead by example and continue to grow in faith. More info and forms are found on bulletin boards, Parish website, or by contacting Kristen. youthministry@stmarysofmelrose.com or (320) 249-3032.

Thank you to all who participated in our Castaway Mass last weekend and bought goodies to support our youth!

Stewardship Church of St. Mary

Total Regular Adult Offering..... \$6,926.99

Additional Gifts Received

Loose 791.00

Children..... 14.75

Fire Restoration 123.09

Campaign for Human Development..... 371.98

Sponsor a Child 235.00

Total additional gifts received \$1,535.82

Total Regular Offering \$6,926.99

Budgeted Regular Offering -\$8,654.00

Shortfall YTD (7/01/16-9/18/2016) -\$9,385.62

Giving Opportunities - Automated Fund Transfer is an option when you authorize your financial institution to automatically forward your contribution to the parish from your checking or saving account. Payments are withdrawn from accounts on the 2nd and/or 4th Mondays of the month. If interested please call the parish office at 320-256-4207.



St. Mary's School News

School Administrative Assistant Ms. Colleen Butte has been chosen to be one of the four representatives of the St. Cloud Diocese to be recognized at the 2016 Educational Support Staff Recognition Event on Wednesday, Sept. 28 at the River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud. This event recognizes individuals who possess a thorough knowledge of work responsibilities. Portray a positive role model for students, staff, and the community. Seeks to improve personally and professionally and is making a difference every day in the lives of students, staff, and their community. Colleen is beginning her third year as the administrative assistant at St. Mary's School. Previous to this employment she served as St. Mary's Parish Bookkeeper for fifteen years. We congratulate Colleen on this well deserved recognition. Resource Training & Solutions of St. Cloud the coordinator of this event is pleased to recognize and honor the outstanding school personnel who have a profound impact on the schools and their communities in Central Minnesota.



SMS 4KIDS St. Mary's School sells local and national cash cards at face value and the vendor/retailer donates a percentage of the sale back to our school. Stop by the school office or call 256-4257 with questions. We would love your support!

Interested in becoming Catholic or know someone who is?

All non-Catholics are invited to join RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation). This rite is a journey through the Catholic Faith. Those who participate are not obliged to become Catholic, but if you have ever thought of becoming Catholic or know someone who is, this is a way to get a glimpse at the faith. Catholics are welcome to come to classes in order to grow in faith. Contact Deacon Ernie Kociemba, RCIA Coordinator for details at (320) 256-4207.

Guatemalan Coffee - Enjoy for yourself or as a gift. This delicious, fresh coffee comes in ground or bean in the varieties of French, Medium, Dark, or Decaf. Cost is \$13. Thank you for supporting the Youth Group.

CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW GREENWALD

Stewardship Church of St. Andrew

Total	\$1,089.00
Reg. Adult Offering	826.00
Loose	85.00
Children	5.00
Votives	3.00
Fuel Fund	30.00
Church Rental	100.00
Campaign/Human Dev	40.00

Liturgical Ministries – Saturday, Oct. 1, 8 p.m. – (S) Lauren Dehmer, Terese Dehmer; (L) Luke Dehmer; (U) Roger Welle, Chuck Winter; (GB) Ralph & Linda Van Beck; (EM) Jane Welle.

The Greenwald Christian Women are in need of two people to serve as officers. Please contact Linda Heinze at 987-2821 or Wanda Ahrens at 987-3100. "The Christian Women Barley Day Report" is available in the back of the church. Please pick up a copy. Thank you.



St. John's/St. Andrew's School News

SJSA students will have their Work-a-Thon on Friday, Oct. 7 from 12:15-2:15 p.m. They will be picking up garbage and raking lawns in Greenwald and Meire Grove. Please call the office at 987-3133 if you would like the students to rake your lawn. The students are asking for pledges and donations from individuals and businesses. Thank you for supporting our Catholic School!

Scrip is available for sale in the school office. Stop by or call 987-3133.

SJSA is in need of a volunteer hot lunch driver. This individual would need to pick up the school's hot lunch from Melrose Public School. You must be able to lift 50lbs. Please call Kristen at 987-3133 for more info.

Blessing of the Animals will be Tuesday, Oct. 11 at 1:30 p.m. on the school grounds. We'd love to have some farm animals as well as cats and dogs.



TEC is a three-day retreat weekend based on the Paschal Mystery: the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. TEC Center is located just outside of Little Falls in central Minnesota. Check out www.cmtec.org for more info.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN MEIRE GROVE

Stewardship Church of St. John

Total	\$5,885.75
Reg. Adult Offering	1,378.00
Loose	87.50
Children	10.75
Votives	14.50
Faith Formation	60.00
Fuel Fund	155.00
Stole Fee	100.00
Men's Breakfast	4,000.00
Campaign/Human Dev	80.00

Liturgical Ministries – Sunday, Oct. 2, 8 a.m. – (S) John Brang, Cahil Haskamp; (L) Doug Meyer; (U) Denis Schneider, Don Schneider; (GB) John & Virginia Nathe; (EM) Marcy Klaphake, Jim Leukam.

Baptized in Christ: MaKenzie LaVonne Schneider

Meire Grove Parish Council will meet Monday, Sept. 26 at 7:30 p.m. The Finance Council meets at 7 p.m.

St. John's and St. Andrew's Catholic United will be praying the rosary before the 8 a.m. Mass on Sunday, Oct. 2.

CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL SPRING HILL

Stewardship Church of St. Michael

Total	\$3,255.47
Reg. Adult Offering	1,032.00
Loose Plate	9.00
Children	2.00
Votives	50.00
Fuel Fund	262.00
Grain Box Donation	1,900.47

Liturgical Ministries - Sunday, Oct. 2, 10 a.m. – (S) Raelin Welle, Benjamin Welle; (L) Ralph Klassen; (U) Conrad Gruber, Stan Heinen; (EM) Allen Lieser; (RL) Gerald & Marlene Lieser; (CC) Mark Schoenberg, Rick Terres; (HK) Pam Lieser, Theresa Lieser, Pam Loehr.

Parish Council – Parish Council elections will be Sept. 24.

Thank you to everyone who came out and supported our Catholic United Financial Matching Grant Breakfast on Sunday Sept. 11. The weather was perfect for food and fellowship! Congratulations to our quilt winner, Daniel Spanier. We would like to thank Deb Bertram and Group 3 for doing a wonderful job in serving a delicious breakfast. Thank you to all for the terrific support!

YOU ARE INVITED

St. Bernard/St. Elizabeth Society - Catholic United Financial Matching Grant breakfast. Sunday Sept. 25, 8:30 - 12:30 p.m., Melrose American Legion.

St. John's, Meire Grove Matching Grant potato pancake & sausage supper, Oct. 16. Serving 2:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the church basement.

St. John the Baptist Church in Swanville - Annual Craft Fair & Raffle Saturday, Oct. 1, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Swanville school gym.

Immaculate Conception Church, New Munich - Matching Fund breakfast, Sunday, Oct. 2, serving 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the church basement.

Holy Family Catholic Financial Matching Grant games party, Roscoe - Oct. 2, 7:30 p.m. in the St. Agnes church basement. Lunch will be served.

St. Margaret's Parish, Lake Henry - Catholic United Financial Matching Grant breakfast, Sunday, Oct. 9, serving 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the church basement.

St. Alexius Parish, West Union - Annual sausage supper, Sunday, Oct. 2, serving 1-6 p.m. Buffet style dinning - drive thru take outs available. Live music 12-2 p.m. Bingo begins at 2 p.m. Fun for the whole family.

Actoberfest Variety Show - Oct. 16, 2 - 4 p.m. at the Freeport Community Center in Freeport. Admission is free! A gift to help diocesan youth participate in faith-forming retreats would be appreciated. Sponsored by the Catholic Foundation & DCCW.

Melrose Senior Center - "500" cards, Sunday, Oct. 2, 1:30 p.m.. All are welcome.

Day of Prayer for Peace and Mercy - Our Lady of Fatima Centennial US Tour of Peace
Join us in this Jubilee Year of Mercy on Friday, Oct. 14 at St. Mary's Cathedral, St. Cloud from noon to 8 p.m. for a special Day of Prayer for Peace and Mercy. For more information, please visit www.oneinfaith.org and click on the 'bulletin' tab.

New ministry schedules for Oct.-Dec. are available for pick up in the back (or entrances) of the churches. The schedule is also available for download/viewing at www.oneinfaith.org under the Liturgical Life/Liturgical Ministries tab.

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