



ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY OF
ST. ANDREW—GREENWALD, ST. JOHN—MEIRE GROVE,
ST. MARY—MELROSE & ST. MICHAEL—SPRING HILL
TWENTY - FIRST SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - AUGUST 27, 2017

Message from the parish council...

Church Building Team.

- We are grateful for everyone who assisted us with the “Litururgical Programming Session” with Ken Griesemer, Liturgical Design Consultant on Saturday 8/19/17.
- We are grateful for everyone who assisted us with the “user group discussions” with our architect (HMA) on Thursday 8/24/17.
- It was a great feeling to learn about our Catholic Teachings and discuss how our past can be integrated with our present and future. We have much work to do, and it really felt good to “dig in!”

Church Set Up.

- We are looking for parishioners to assist with set up and take down of our current worship space (gym). If you can help, please call John Klein (256-2261)

One In Faith Community Staff

Fr. Marvin Enneking—Pastor
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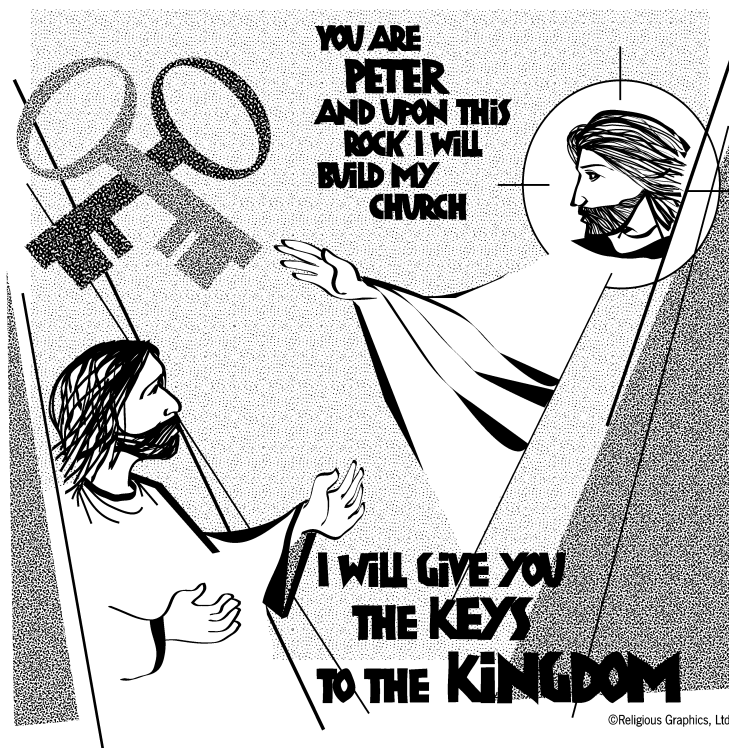
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ONE IN FAITH COMMUNITY MASS SCHEDULE

AUGUST 28 - SEPTEMBER 3, 2017

MELROSE—Church of St. Mary

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| Monday, 6:30 p.m. | Misa en Español |
| Tuesday, 7:30 a.m. | †Celina Althaus |
| Wednesday, 7:30 a.m. | Liv. & dec. Ray Bierschbach family |
| Thursday, 7:30 a.m. | †Lucy Egan |
| Friday, 7:30 a.m. | †Dorothy Moorman |
| Saturday, 5 p.m. | †Bob Osendorf |
| Sunday 8 a.m. | For the People |
| Sunday, 9 a.m. | †Delbert Petermeier / Pine Villa |
| Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | †Mary Lou Walz |
| Sunday, 12:30 p.m. | Misa en Español |

GREENWALD—Church of St. Andrew

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| Thursday, 8 a.m. | †Pat Spanier |
| Saturday, 8 p.m. | Mass of Thanksgiving for Mike & Ann Barten |

MEIRE GROVE—Church of St. John

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| Wednesday, 8 a.m. | †Alvina Brang |
| Sunday 10 a.m. | †Alan Van Drehle |

SPRING HILL—Church of St. Michael

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| Monday, 8 a.m. | St. Mary's Mission Society |
| Tuesday, 8 a.m. | St. Michael's Men's Society |
| Thursday, 8 a.m. | †Jerome Terres |
| Sunday, 8 a.m. | †Jeanette Heinen |

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

CHURCH OF ST. MARY - MELROSE**Baptized in Christ**

Alexander James Middendorf

Musicians for the weekend of Sept. 2/3

5 p.m. -Cantor; 8 a.m. - Cantor; 10:30 a.m. - Cantor

Servers Schedule

Saturday, 5 p.m.— Alexis Baumann, Caraline Braun

Sunday, 8 a.m.— Jenna & Jazmin Finken

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.— Ellie Heller, Makayla Zirbes

Weekdays, Aug. 29-Sept. 1 — Ria Nelson, Jess Pohlmann

St. Mary's Calendar Raffle Sponsors this week:**CAP Enterprises, Commercial Exchange Corporation**

8/20 Marvin Notch, Melrose—\$25

8/21 Terri Ellering, Melrose—\$25

8/22 Jason Westerhaus, Melrose—\$25

8/23 Jan Leukam, Melrose—\$25

8/24 Ralph & Kelly Revermann, Melrose—\$25

8/25 Donald Hellermann, Melrose—\$25

8/26 Dawn Carrillo, Melrose —\$25

Stewardship Church of St. Mary**Adult Offering.....\$6,649.39****Assumption 258.00****Total \$6,907.39****Additional Gifts Received**

Loose963.00

Children 3.00

Sponsor a Child6.00

Total additional gifts received\$972.00**Total Regular Offering\$6,907.39****Budgeted Regular Adult Offering -\$8,077.00**

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.

Faith Formation

We are in need of faith formation teachers for our after school program on Wednesdays. Please consider sharing your faith with our young people. Call Ruth at 320-429-

**Youth Ministry News**

5th Quarter is kicking off Friday, Sept. 22 from 9:00-11 p.m. at St. Mary's School Gym after a Dutchmen win! Open gym, food, music and more for students grades 6-12 of our surrounding area. Free event, bring friends!

Youth Leadership Team applications are available NOW! Grades 9-12 and adults are invited to be a member of this important team that offers ideas and talents to our parish youth ministry. Forms found at churches, parish office, or website. Contact Kristen for more details.

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will have their 64th Annual Fall Conference Saturday, Sept. 16th 2017 hosted by Little Falls deanery at Our Lady of Lourdes, 208 West Broadway, Little Falls. All women in St. Cloud Diocese are invited. The theme this year is "Faith, Family and Fatima". Registration & Refreshments at 8:30 AM followed by speaker - Fr. Joseph Herzing, followed by Mass and Lunch. Chris Codden, Director of Marriage and Family Life will be our afternoon speaker followed by reports of National Convention, exhibits/ door prizes and closing prayer.

Registration fee is \$ 15.00 by Sept. 10, 2017; \$ 20.00 after and walk-ins. Make checks to: Little Falls Deanery. Mail to: Lora Knafla, 11719 16th Ave. NW, Rice, MN 56367. For additional information contact Deanery President: Linda Scepurek, 1008 13th St. SW Little Falls, MN 56345; lindascepurek@hotmail.com or contact Caroline Jacobs at 256-3207 if you would like to go.

**St. Mary's School News**

St. Mary's School received a check for \$56.95 from Mattson Cartridges for recycling printer cartridges.

Thank you to everyone that has brought in their used cartridges in the past. Unfortunately this program has been discontinued at St. Mary's School.

Thirteen years ago, an anonymous donor, established an endowment with the Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of St. Cloud to benefit Catholic elementary education in Catholic schools in Stearns County. Since then, nearly every year depending upon the market, money has been distributed from this fund to the Catholic grade schools in Stearns County. The 2016 Stearns County School Distribution for St. Mary's School was \$1,310.03.

St. Mary's School also received a check for \$1,880.00 from Coborn's Labels for Learning. Find points on the bottom of your Coborn's receipt and return that portion to the school or put it in the Church collection. Thank you to Mr. Doyle who has volunteered to continue to cut, collect and turn in our receipts to Coborn's.

Scrip is once again available for pick up at school. Thank you for your support with the SMS\$4Kids program. Last year the money we earned helped up pay for part of our new computer lab.



How does it work? You purchase a card at full value and the merchant donates a portion of the card value to St. Mary's School. Example: A card value is \$100 and the merchant donates 4%, \$4.00 goes back to the school. Call or stop by the school for a list of vendors and more information.

NEW PARISHIONERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW GREENWALD

Stewardship Church of St. Andrew

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| Total..... | \$1,829.00 |
| Reg. Adult Offering | 1,179.00 |
| Plate/Loose | 252.00 |
| Assumption | 226.00 |
| Votives | 64.00 |
| Stole Fee | 100.00 |
| Children | 8.00 |

Liturgical Ministries – Saturday, September 2, 8 p.m. – (S) Carter Braun, Henry Braun; (L) Herman Lensing; (U) Al Inderrieden, Herb Inderrieden; (GB) Jason & Angie Barten; (EM) (B) Dustin Gregory; (W) Ronnie Inderrieden, Herman Lensing; (HK) God's Housekeepers September: *Joyce Schoenberg, Sharon Schwieters, Margaret Silbernack, Amy Stueve, Sheri Thull, Linda Trisko.

Sunday September 17: St. Andrew's Christian Woman's annual fall breakfast in the school basement. Serving 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

SJSA School Tuck-pointing project:

Any donations toward the tuck-pointing project can be put in the collection basket. Please mark the envelope with "SJSA School/Tuck-pointing" and your name /envelope number.



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

First day of school is Tuesday, September 5th.

SJSA Open House for grades K-6 is Thursday, August 31st from 5:30 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. with an all-family meeting at 6:30 p.m. The staff is busy getting SJSA ready for the upcoming school year!

Preschool Open House is Wednesday, Sept. 6th from 1:00-3:00 pm in the Pre-school Classroom. Please Call SJSA at 987-3133 for more information.

Scrip gift cards-SJSA has a variety of local and National Scrip gift cards. Call the office at 987-3133 or stop by the school to purchase Scrip for your Back to School and everyday shopping!

We are in need of teachers for our Wednesday evening faith formation program for the Meire Grove/Greenwald program. Call Ruth at 320-429-1460.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN MEIRE GROVE

Stewardship Church of St. John

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| Total..... | \$2,505.50 |
| Reg. Adult Offering | 1,862.00 |
| Plate/Loose | 84.00 |
| Children | 4.50 |
| Votives..... | 20.00 |
| Stole Fee | 100.00 |
| Building Removal..... | 90.00 |
| Assumption..... | 345.00 |

Liturgical Ministries – Sunday, September 3, 10 a.m. – (S) John Brang, Austin Kelzer; (L) Doug Meyer; (U) Joe Meyer, Karl Meyer; (GB) Nicholas & Kate Kelzer; (EM) (B) John Nathe ; (B-choir) Char Meyer, (HK) God's Housekeepers September: *Donna Hinnenkamp, Ann Brang, Janice Funk, Kathy Illies, Darlene Imdieke, Joni Imdieke.

We are in need of Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers in Meire Grove and Greenwald, if interested please call the parish office. Phone #: 320-987-3205

Items for sale at the Meire Grove School building:

2 modine forced air unit heaters, energy efficient florescent lights, ceiling fans, solid wood doors with frames and more. Call Tom at 987-3233 or 320-429-0784

The St. Joseph's Society Men's Breakfast in Meire Grove served 402 adults and 12 children. Thanks to all who volunteered their time to work for or support the breakfast in any way. Some bills and checks are still coming in so we will announce the net income and bake sale numbers next week."

Catholic Charities Health Promotions and Centracare Health – Melrose is offering a Diabetes Self-Management Program workshop in Melrose at the Centracare Hospital – Mini Birch conference room for 6 weeks each Friday beginning on September 15 from 9:00 – 11:00 AM. offered to those 60 and older in the community. We need a minimum of 10 registered for this workshop to be presented. We ask for a Voluntary contribution for the workshop to help cover costs. This workshop falls under the Older Americans Act of 1965 ... where no one will be denied this service based on ability to pay or not. Registration is required by September 8, by contacting Catholic Charities Senior Dining at 320-229-04584 or Mary at 320-229-4591 or Joelyn at 320-229-4594.

CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL SPRING HILL

Stewardship Church of St. Michael

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| Total..... | \$1,258.00 |
| Reg. Adult Offering | 1,159.00 |
| Plate/Loose | 44.00 |
| Assumption | 55.00 |

Liturgical Ministries - Sunday, September 3, 8 a.m. – (S) Dylan Meyer, Benjamin Welle; (L) Sue Meyer; (U) Bob Terres, Rick Terres; (B) Allen Lieser; (RL) Kathleen Meyer; (CC) Chico Welle, Steve Welle; (HK) Jane Bertram, Sherry Bertram, Lisa Feldewerd.

Sunday September 10th: St. Michael's Catholic United Financial Matching Grant breakfast in Spring Hill church basement. Serving 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Catholic United Financial of Spring Hill extends a sincere appreciation to all who made our Fatima event on August 15th a success. Because of your generosity \$203.00 was collected and donated to the Poor Clare Monastery.

Please share your faith. St. Michael's Faith Formation is in need of teachers. Please call Diane Welle at 320-241-7089. Thank you!

YOU ARE INVITED

Forever Young concert series.

Sunday, Sept. 10, Marit Elliot Performing Arts Center, Melrose; Thursday, Sept. 14, First Lutheran Church, Sauk Centre; Sunday, Sept. 17, Our Savior Lutheran Church, Albany. All performances begin at 7 p.m. Free will offering

Sunday, Sept. 3rd: St. Rosa Fall Festival, Outdoor Polka Mass at 10 am chicken and ham dinner, beer garden, games, quilt auction, evening music, grand raffle and cash raffle drawing.

September 10: St. Michael's Matching Grant Catholic United Financial breakfast. Serving 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the church basement. Menu: Sausage, eggs, fried potatoes, applesauce, peaches and coffee cake.

September 15 -17: Albany Pioneer Days Threshing Show. Located on the County Pioneer Showgrounds north of Albany. Great fun for everyone. More info check the website at www.albanypioneerday.com

Save the Date: St. John's, Meire Grove Matching Grant potato pancake & sausage supper, Oct. 15. Serving 3 - 7:30 p.m. in the church basement.

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