

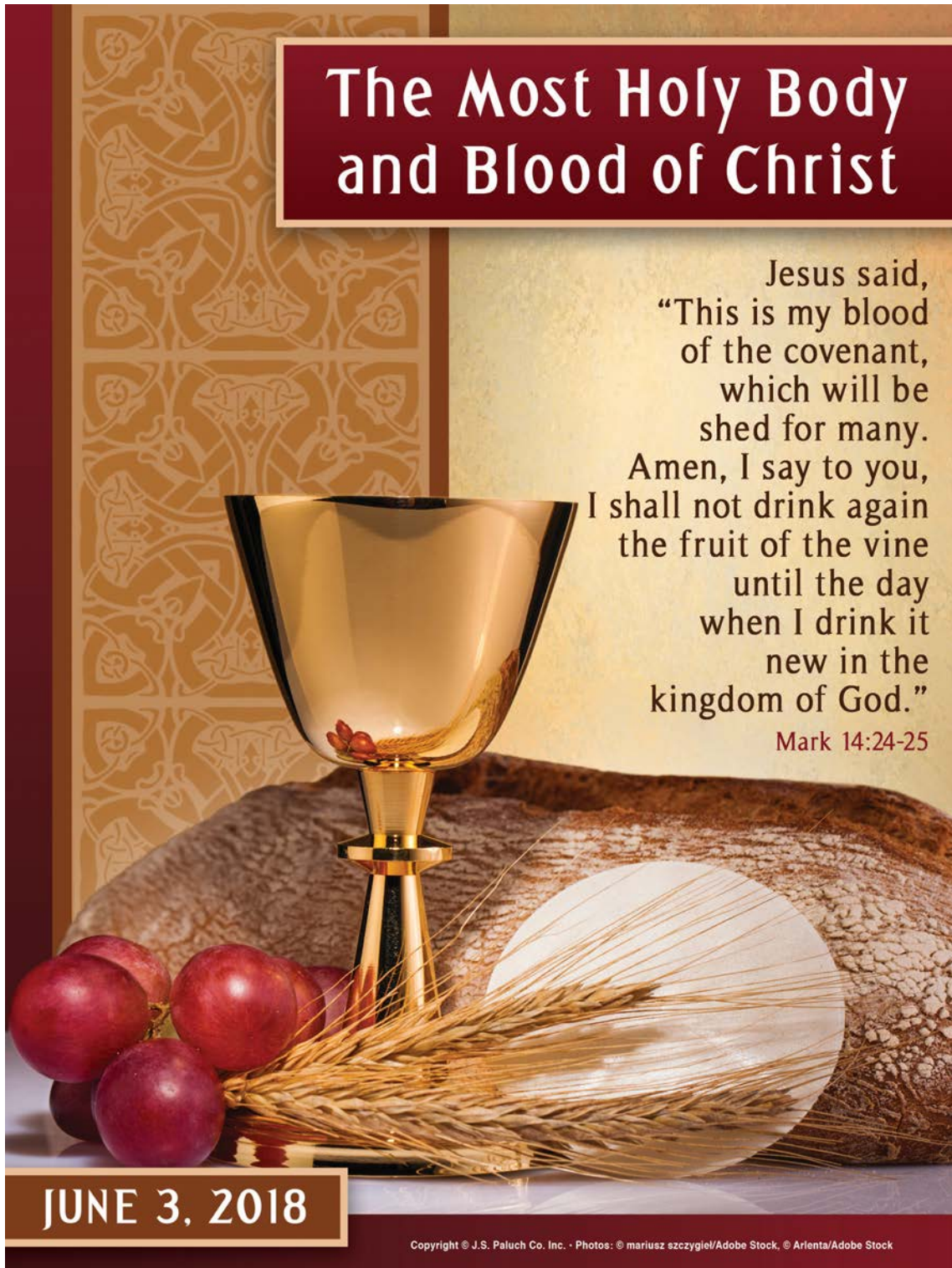
Christ the Servant Catholic Church

Serving God from your Heart

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Jesus said,
“This is my blood
of the covenant,
which will be
shed for many.
Amen, I say to you,
I shall not drink again
the fruit of the vine
until the day
when I drink it
new in the
kingdom of God.”

Mark 14:24-25



JUNE 3, 2018

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Our Mission

Christ the Servant Parish is a welcoming Catholic faith community gathered together to gratefully share and live the Eucharist, the inspiration of the Gospel, the presence of the Holy Spirit, and to follow Christ's example in service of others.

Living Stewardship Now

Pray for the willingness to make the love of Christ, as shown to us in the Eucharist, present in our world.

Lord Jesus Christ, we worship you living among us in the sacrament of your body and blood.

May we offer to our Father in heaven a solemn pledge of undivided love.

May we offer to our brothers and sisters a life poured out in loving service of that kingdom where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*Alternative Opening Prayer for Corpus Christi
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Pope Francis' Tweet for the Week
God loves us in a way that crushes all loneliness and isolation.

K N I G H T S OF COLUMBUS

Historical background

The Knights of Columbus insurance story begins in the winter of 1882 in the basement of St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Conn. It was there that our Venerable founder, **Father Michael J. McGivney**, gathered the men of his parish together to create a solution to a recurring problem. **Many Catholics**—most of whom were immigrants—were working and living in unfavorable conditions. And many, tragically, were dying young, leaving behind widows and orphans with insufficient financial resources. It was a cold reality that had confronted Father McGivney all too often—not only in the lives of his parishioners—but in his own. As a seminarian, he was forced to leave school and return home to aid his family when his father died unexpectedly.

Though this story of financial ruin for Catholic families was common, Father McGivney was convinced that there was a way to change the ending. He knew that if the Catholic men in his parish came together in mutual aid, widows and orphans could receive the support they needed. He also knew that if Catholic men banded together, **united by charity and unity, they could strengthen their faith, their families, and their communities**. So, he established the Knights of Columbus, and with it, a “pass-the-hat” insurance system to protect the Catholic families in his parish. Over time, that system has evolved, and today we stay true to our founding mission through our multi-billion dollar, top-rated insurance program. **Members in the United States and Canada have exclusive access to our insurance program and products, including life insurance, retirement annuities, long-term care insurance, and disability income insurance.**

Our charitable giving and fraternal service have continued to grow too. Nearly **2 million men in over a dozen countries** across the globe are proud to call themselves Knights. Last year alone, these men and their families donated more than **\$177 million to charity and performed more than 75 million hours of service**.

For additional info or to join on-line please visit our web site KofC.org or contact John Piotrowski via email: jtrowski@hotmail.com Membership forms are also available in the narthex.



2018 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal Pledge Report as of 5/27/18

Your participation in the CMAA is important. If you have not had a chance to participate in the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) this year, there is still time. A mailing will be arriving in homes shortly. As your pastor, I encourage you to prayerfully reflect on God's gifts to you and to give a gift to the CMAA. Participation is the key to a successful appeal and a chance for our parish to receive a parish rebate, too. Last year our rebate was over \$2500. Every gift helps!

Our parish's goal for the 2018 CMAA is \$40,600. We are **\$2,090 short of our goal in pledges**, and 48 donors short of how many donated last year. If you have made a pledge, please be sure to fulfill it!

In-pew envelopes are still available in the narthex, or you can make a gift online at jolietdioceseappeal.org.

PARISH GOAL:	\$40,600	AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$38,510
AMOUNT PAID:	\$26,997	REMAINING BALANCE:	\$11,514



DONORS THIS YEAR:	226 (48 less than last year)	REBATE AMOUNT:	none yet
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Sister Suzanne Lesniewski, OSF - 60 Years Profession

Sister Suzanne Lesniewski grew up on the south side of Chicago as a member of SS Peter and Paul Parish and attended the Parish grade and High School. In September, 1955, she came to Joliet to answer the call of living as a Franciscan Sister. She completed her high school education, graduating from St. Francis Academy (now Joliet Catholic Academy) and received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from the College of St. Francis (now the University of St. Francis). She furthered her education with a Master of Arts Degree from Mundelein College, Chicago, with an emphasis on Religious Education.

On August 13, 1956, she entered the Novitiate of the Sisters of St. Francis and received the name of Sister M. Hope. She made her profession of vows in 1958 and began her ministry of education, a ministry she performed for thirteen years in parish schools in Chicago, Joliet, and Lansing, Illinois.

In 1971, after receiving her degree in Religious Education, Sister Suzanne became the Religious Education Coordinator for St. Matthew Parish in Champaign, Illinois. During a span of 39 years, she also served at Notre Dame Parish in Clarendon Hills, St. Mary in West Chicago, St. John Baptist in Winfield, St. Joan of Arc in Lisle, St. Joseph in Addison, St. Therese of Jesus in Aurora, and St. Scholastica, Woodridge. Sister Suzanne is grateful for her interaction with all the people from these Parishes and continues to communicate with them.

For two years she gave service to the Congregation by ministering to the Sisters at Our Lady of Angels and then served as Director of Planned Giving for the Congregation while ministering at Christ the Servant Parish as a member of the RCIA Team and a Worship Commission Member.

When asked what it meant to live as a Franciscan Religious, Sister Suzanne replied, “Living as a Franciscan is living life simply. I ask myself, “do I need it or is it something I want and can do without?” Francis enjoyed all God’s creation and I try to do the same! Sunrise and sunsets are beautiful and only God could create such beauty! I try to be hospitable and available to the needs of others. Francis always met the needs of others no matter what walk of life they were in.”

An event that stands out in her life is the time she met Mother Teresa of Calcutta! She was studying during the summer for her MA and was taking “World Religions.” The instructor, Sister Carol Francis Jegen brought Mother Teresa into the class. This was before Mother Teresa was well known and called a “saint.” However, as Sr. Suzanne says, “You knew you were in the presence of a very spiritual and special person.”

Today Sr. Suzanne ministers to the Congregation as a Local Coordinator for the Sisters in her group. She enjoys her hobbies of needlework and word games.

FATHER’S DAY CARDS TO SUPPORT PROJECT LOVE

On the weekends of June 9/10 and 16/17, parishioners will have an opportunity to support a very worthy cause and honor their fathers, grandfathers, or any other special fathers at the same time. Before and after masses these two weekends, we will be distributing beautiful Father’s Day cards for any free will donation to Project Love.

Project Love is the charitable division of Illinois Right to Life. It provides grants to pregnant women and new mothers in a financial crisis. They usually need help with rent, utility bills, or food for their children. They are referred by various pregnancy centers like Waterleaf and other agencies like St. Vincent DePaul. All proceeds will be used to give help and hope to these women at a difficult time in their lives. Over 1300 Illinois families have been supported by Project Love since 1996.

Please stop by the narthex to obtain a special card for a special father in your life. All donations are greatly appreciated. Questions? Contact Eileen McGleam, Director Project Love, 630-963-8039.

Religious Formation



Enjoy the beauty of God's creation!

Grades K-8 Happy Summer!

Confirmation

Letter to the Pastor is due June 3rd.



Feed My Starving Children
service project

is scheduled for Saturday August 25th.
from 2:00 to 4:00pm at their facilities in Aurora.



**Registration forms for 2018/19
Religious Formation Classes are
available in the narthex and on the
parish web-site;
www.ctswoodridge.org**

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

- If you simply want to know more about the Catholic Church...
- If you are interested in our Catholic Faith and Traditions....
- If you have questions about the Catholic Church....
- If you seeking a sacrament....
Baptism..Eucharist..Confirmation
- If you feel that the Lord is calling you into deeper relationship....



Maybe the RCIA is the next step on your journey.

Meetings begin in the Fall. Contact Liz Wagner, Director of Religious Formation, for information about the RCIA Process or if you are interested in serving on the RCIA Team and sharing your faith. 630-910-0770 x103 or liz@ctswoodridge.org

**Christ the Servant Religious Formation has a
Facebook page!
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Protecting God's Children for Adults

This program was developed to help caring and responsible adults in keeping children safe. PGCA is mandatory for all adults who work with children in the parish. All parents are encouraged to attend this program.

Many parishes in the Diocese of Joliet are offering this program during the summer. To view a list of available opportunities, visit www.virtus.org. Select First-time Registrant > View list of sessions > Joliet IL (Diocese)

Job Opportunity

Associate Director, Development Office

The Diocese of Joliet Development Office is seeking to hire an Associate Director. The Associate Director will be responsible for general oversight of the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal and coordinating logistics. Responsibility for: coordination with parishes; direct mail and gift solicitation; Appeal's data management and stewardship of donors; and coordination others to ensure all aspects of the Appeal are coordinated effectively. A Bachelor's Degree in Fundraising, Nonprofit Management, Marketing, or related field is required. Full time position with benefits. To apply, please email resume with cover letter and salary history to: humanresources@dioceseofjoliet.org. To view a full job description, visit: <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/listjobs.php>

Business Manager, Divine Savior

To view a full job description, visit: <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/listjobs.php>

Journey into the Depths 10th Hour Initiative

Every Friday evening, through June 8, enjoy stimulating discussions, good company, prayer, and good food!

June 8: COMMUNITY ON MISSION: Our need for the Church, and the Church's need for us.

Located at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, 1450 Green Trails Drive.

Visit <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/yam/sectioncontent.php?secid=3>

Then click on the 7 pm Young Adult Formation Initiative item on the calendar for more information.

No cost; free will offerings accepted.

Hotline Numbers for Help

Family Shelter Service Domestic Abuse	630-469-5650
National Domestic Abuse Hotline	800-799-SAFE
Illinois Adult Protective Services	866-800-1409
Will County Crisis Line	815-722-3344
Mayslake Ministries	630-852-9000
Diocese of Joliet Sexual Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator	815-263-6467
Waterleaf Women's Center	630-701-6270

If you/your family would like to bring up the gifts at Mass (Bread, Wine and collection basket), let one of the "hosts" know when you come into church. (the ones handing out the music booklets) They're always looking for volunteers!

Contact Corinne Hanson, 630-910-0770, or email ctsoffice@ctswoodridge.org, for information on how to get started in a liturgical ministry. Scheduling is based on your availability. When you see a name lots of times on the lists to the right, it's because we need more people like you helping out!

+ indicates younger family member(s) may be present.



Next Weekend's MINISTERS—10th Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Litururgical color: green)

	Saturday June 9 4:45 PM	Sunday June 10 8:30 AM	Sunday June 10 10:00 AM
<u>ALTAR MIN:</u>	Kathy V+	Bill C Donna C+	Ron K Tracy K+
<u>EXT. MINISTERS:</u>	Deb G Mary K Donna M Marylou R Ken S	John C Jose S Melania S Gary W Andrea W	Patti C Susan C Maria F Tim G Dan R
<u>LECTORS:</u>	Heather J Bob C	Therese K Barb K	Scott G Jerry F
<u>HOST TEAMS:</u>	Cathy B Pat S	Todd V Maureen V+	Al D Dorothy D+

Respect for All Life

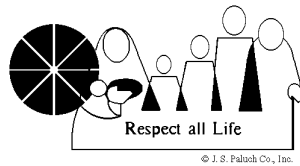
"Is Mary for Men"?

True Catholic men honor the Blessed Virgin Mary as the Mother of Jesus, and admire Mary's purity, humility and obedience. But can we relate to the Blessed Virgin as men, and find in her inspiration for our lives? Mary models for us the virtues needed for Christian greatness:

1) **Decisiveness:** In an age when many men delay decisions, fear commitment, and are quick to entertain themselves, yet slow to serve others, Mary can inspire us by her decisive action. She always gave a prompt response to the demands of the moment. From her whole-hearted "yes" to God when Mary was asked to be the mother of the Messiah, we men should learn to be bold in faith and action. We must be decisive in our resolve to serve our families, friends, neighbors, and parishes.

2) **Perseverance:** Mary did not complain, get discouraged, or run from commitments when the going got tough. Simeon prophesied that her child would be "a sign of contradiction," and her own heart would be pierced by a sword. Yet Mary persevered in her mission as Mother of the Messiah, and she remained with Jesus in his darkest hour on Calvary. By her example, Mary challenges us to remain faithful to our own commitments at home, at work, and in the community.

~"Fathers for Good", the Columbia Magazine of the Knights of Columbus
Submitted by Dave A



Sacramental Information

rites of Christian Initiation Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, the celebration of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation are invited to contact the parish office.

Baptism of Infants Baptisms are usually celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month (except during Lent) at 11:30 AM. A Baptism Preparation Class must be attended if you are planning your first child's baptism or if three years have passed since your last child was baptized. Call the Parish Office to register and to check whether adjustments have been made to the schedule.

Marriage Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance by contacting the Parish Office to set the date and reserve the church. Reserve the church before you reserve the reception hall.

Holy Orders: Are you thinking of becoming a priest or religious? Talk with Fr. Bob or email Fr. Burke Masters at frburke23@aol.com.

Reconciliation Available Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday), or by appointment with Fr. Bob.

Pastoral Care of the Sick Please contact the parish office for a visit from a priest when sickness occurs or death is imminent for the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. To arrange for Communion to be brought to the sick/homebound members of the parish community, call Deacon Tom F.

Funerals Arrangements for funerals are usually made in cooperation with the attending funeral home. Contact the parish office for pre-planning of funerals.

**Baptism Preparation Class:
Thursday, June 7, 7:00-8:00 PM**

Mass Intentions for the Week

TABERNACLE LIGHT

Eileen Nemec

MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 2

4:45 PM John & Esther Michalek, *r. family*
Gerald Johnson, *r. family*
Lilly Mary Reddy

Sunday, June 3

8:30 AM Stanley Farbotko, *r. Lee White*
10:00 AM People of the Parish

Monday, June 4

8:30 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory that are near to heaven

Tuesday, June 5

8:30 AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, June 6

8:30 AM Edna Wall, *r. family*

Thursday, June 7

8:30 AM People of the Parish

Friday, June 8—Communion Service

8:30 AM

Saturday, June 9

4:45 PM William Kolodziej, *r. Peslak family*
Al Januska, *r. Donna Mays*
Loretta Nickel, *r. Kathy Vana*

Sunday, June 10

8:30 AM Matthew Ides, *r. Gil & Alice Sarmiento*
10:00 AM Maltese Family, *r. Rosanne Maltese*
People of the Parish

*To request a mass, or the Tabernacle Light,
stop by or call the parish office at 630-910-0770.*

Bishop Conlon has issued a decree which states that only twice per week we may combine intentions of more than one person at a single mass. The stipend is \$10. If you wish to donate more, you may direct the offering to another purpose. Excess donations not specifically directed will be forwarded to the Diocesan Finance Office to be used for the purpose of maintaining underfunded diocesan cemeteries.



We pray for the Sick

Joan Ackerman	Rayna Januska	Harry Spataro
Marcie Chudzik	Steve Jascewsky	Emily Vala Tabar
Jackie Ciombor	Katie Kearns	Roger Terry
Virginia Cox	Betty Kozlowski	Frank Tiesenga
Bernice Deron	Julie Lape	Florence Tuch
Nathaniel Eagleson	Charlene Longman	Mary Vanderplow
Colton Ferguson	Joyce Maples	Rick Vendl
Jill Franklin	Anthony Nowak	Dorothy Wagner
John Gardner	Don Paul	Judy Wethington
Guy Grimmelbein	Joel Rivera	Rita Wyman
Tina Hansen	Jim Ruff	Ron Wyman
Peggy Howard	Jim Sanders	Joe Zapalac
Donna Howat	Dawn Sanzi	
Dorothy Hunter	Paula Sedlacek	

*Names remain on this list approximately three months, unless specifically requested otherwise. **To update the list, call the Parish Office at 630-910-0770 or email corinne@ctswoodridge.org. Thank you.***

We pray for the Deceased



Ronald P. Long

Joe Kohler

Sally Mosher
(aunt of Jeremy Rybicki)

We pray for those who Serve

Emily Dome, granddaughter of Paul & Brenda Czarapata
Christopher Durkovic, grandson of Joan Kurtz
Avery Jackson, grandson of Steve & Karen Jackson
David Jackson, son of Cathleen & Richard Jackson
Ben Jalove, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove
Bradley Mendez, grandson of Arturo Mendez
Joshua Plucinski, grandson of Joan Kurtz
Jim Sheehan, godson of Liz Jesse
If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. We will publish their names in the bulletin to remind everyone to ask for God's blessings on them, that they may return safely to their families. Let us join our prayers for peace and safety with yours. Also, please let us know when they return safely home, so that we may also rejoice with you.

Michael Geinopolos, nephew of Lainie Sentementes and stepson of Mary Ann Geinopolos, has completed his military service and is safely back home. Praise the Lord!

Bible Readings—June 3-June 10

SUNDAY: Ex 24:3-8 / Heb 9:11-15 / Mk 14:12-16,22-26

MONDAY: 2 Pt 1:2-7 / Mk 12:1-12

TUESDAY: 2 Pt 3:12-15a,17-18 / Mk 12:13-17

WEDNESDAY: 2 Tm 1:1-3,6-12 / Mk 12:18-27

THURSDAY: 2 Tm 2:8-15 / Mk 12:28-34

FRIDAY: Hos 11:1,3-4,8c-9 / Eph 3:8-12,14-19 / Jn 19:31-37

SATURDAY: 2 Tm 4:1-8 / Lk 2:41-51

SUNDAY: Gn 3:9-15 / 2 Cor 4:13-5:1 / Mk 3:20-35

Office Hours & Staff

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www.ctswoodridge.org**

Office Hours

Monday—Friday.....9:00 AM—4:30 PM

Mass Schedule

Monday through Thursday.....8:30 AM

Friday Communion Service.....8:30 AM

The Rosary is recited following daily Mass.

Saturday.....4:45 PM

Sunday.....8:30 and 10:00 AM

Holy Days....consult bulletin or call

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00-4:30 or by appointment

Pastoral Staff

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Rosada Heintz, Parish Life

Jean Durran, Parish Life Co-Chair

Bill Ciolek, Religious Formation

Sister Suzanne Lesniewski, Worship

Calendar of Events

Blessing of Graduates Return Baby Bottles For Life Sunday, June 3

11:00 am—Manna orders due

11:30 am—Baptism

Monday, June 4

Tuesday, June 5

Wednesday, June 6

Thursday, June 7

7:00 pm—Baptism Preparation Class

Friday, June 8

Project Love Father's Day Cards Saturday, June 9

Sunday, June 10

Upcoming Events

July 8, Peace Pole Prayer Service,
3:00 pm

Aug 19, Parish Picnic, 1-5 pm

Sept 14, Golf Outing at Twin Lakes

Oct 12, Oktoberfest! time TBA,
here at CTS. FUNdraiser with Grand Raffle

Oct 28, Confirmation, 3:00 pm



Parish Giving

The bishops' stewardship pastoral asks, "And what do Christians bring to the Eucharistic celebration and join there with Jesus' offering?" The answer: "Their lives as Christian disciples; their personal vocations and the stewardship they have exercised regarding them; their individual contributions to the great work of restoring all things in Christ."

NEEDED WEEKLY: 2017-2018

Parish Expenses	\$ 7,984.00
Mortgage Payment	3,350.00
Total Needed	\$ 11,334.00

CONTRIBUTIONS May 16-May 29:

Sunday 5/20	5,937.50
Sunday 5/27	6,010.50
Sunday other forms	1,697.00
General Funds	240.00
Debt Reduction	299.00
Total Contributed	\$ 14,184.00

RESTRICTED CONTRIBUTIONS:

Special Needs	3.88
Deferred Revenue	200.00

CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS:

Priest Care & Support	10.00
Diocesan Cemeteries	30.00

Differential this two week period:

Needed	\$ 22,668.00
Reported	14,184.00
Deficit this period:	\$ (8,484.00)

General Funds includes Holy Days, All Souls, mass intentions, etc.

Debt to Diocese as of 4/30 \$23,857
(not counting new project)

Registered Households—758

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