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JULY 25, 2021 | SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### **MASS TIMES**

Tues, Weds, Fri 8:15 am Saturday 5:15 pm Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am Word & Communion Service Mon & Thurs -8:15 am

#### RECONCILIATION

Confessions will take place in the Adoration Chapel **Saturday** 4:30 pm or by appointment

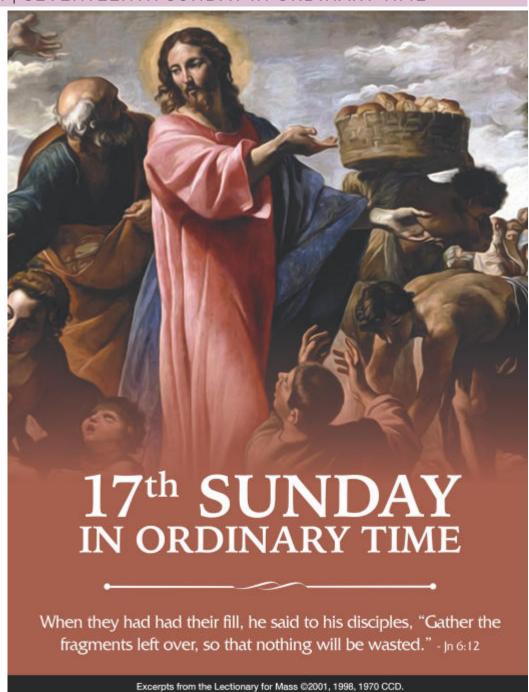
#### **ADORATION**

Adoration in the Chapel during parish office hours Mon-Fri. **NO** Adoration during Reconciliation or Mass times

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MISSION STATEMENT

With the Holy Spirit pouring the love of God into our hearts, we invite people to Christ by living like Christ through prayer, service, and learning.

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#### FROM THE PASTOR



Welcome Father Chinappa!

This year the Mission Appeal is for the Diocese of Nalgonda, India. It is to be preached by Fr. Chinnappa, presently Pastor, Holy Trinity Tri-Parish cluster, Rollingstone. The mission consists of serving Pastoral needs in the Parishes, faith formation of children and youth, education of rural poor children specially girls, economic programs for the weaker sections, training of adults for leadership roles. You are requested to be generous as this year, more than ever, the

pandemic has worsened poor people's situation in the mission.

Blessings,

Father John

There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?" Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. - In 6:9, 11

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

### MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 26 EX 32:15-24, 30-34; MT 13:31-35 8:15 am Word Service TUESDAY, JULY 27 EX 33:7-11; 34:5B-9,28; MT 13:36-43 8:15am Word Service

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28 EX 34:29-35: MT 13:44-46

8:15 am Word Service

THURSDAY, JULY 29 EX 40:16-21,34-38; JN 11:19-27

8:15 am Word Service

FRIDAY, JULY 30 LV 23:1,4-11,15-16, 27,34B-37; MT 13:54-58

8:15 am Parishioners of St John's, Clair Huettl †, Broderick Family

SATURDAY, JULY 31 LV 25:1, 8-17: MT 14:1-12 Barbara Barrie †, Gene Frassel †, Dean Dauw †,

5:15 pm

Audrey Wiebold † & Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1 EX 16:2-4,12-15; EPH 4:17, 20-24; JN 6:24-35

8:00 am Gil & Jerre Berens †, Mildred Jewison †, David Jewison †

10:00 am Stephen Murphy †, Andy, Bob & Mary Rausch †



\*BB = "Breaking Bread" Book. To help you follow along with Mass, you may request a copy in the office.

#### Gathering:

Table of Plenty (vss 1,3,4).....BB 310

#### **Confiteor**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

#### Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth
Peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,
We glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
Have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, You alone are Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit In the glory of God the Father. Amen

\*Readings are found in Breaking Bread page 191

First Reading: 2 Kgs 4:42-44

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18

R/. The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

Second Reading: Eph 4:1-6

Gospel Reading: Jn 6:1-15

#### Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation

He came down from heaven

And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead

#### Preparation of the Gifts and Altar:

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

As We Gather at Your Table.....BB 507

#### **Eucharistic Acclamation**

- 1) We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.
- 2) When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.
- 3) Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

#### **Eucharistic Prayer: Mass of Christ the Savior**

| Holy, Holy:  | BB 925 |
|--------------|--------|
| When We Eat: |        |
| Amen:        | BB 929 |
| Lamb of Cod: | BB 970 |

#### Prayer for a Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

#### Communion:

| A Place at Your Table | BB 347 |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Behold the Lamb       | BB 335 |

#### Sending Forth:

| Alleluia! Raise the Gospe | lBB 616 |
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#### SACRAMENTS

## SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

**Baptism** - To prepare your child for Baptism, it is essential that parents participate in Pre-Jordan preparation.

Marriage - Contact the parish office 1 year in advance of wedding date. Marriage prep is required.

Becoming Catholic - If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic or have questions about the process (Christian Initiation), please contact the parish office.

Sacrament of the Sick - Anointing If you have a serious illness, are facing hospitalization and/or surgery, please contact the parish office to arrange to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.



#### **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — "For thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and there shall be some left over." (2 Kgs 4:43)

**Psalm** — The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs. (Ps 145)

Second Reading — One body and one Spirit as you were also called to the one hope of your call; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all. (Eph 4:4-6)

Gospel Reading— Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. (Jn 6:11)

#### LOYOLA NEWS

#### School-Based Mentoring Program

Loyola Catholic School is participating in the YMCA School-Based Mentoring Program for the upcoming school year. The school-based mentoring program pairs Loyola Catholic School students with adult mentors for lunch once a week. For the students, it is an adult who will listen without judging, talk without preaching, and take a genuine interest in how things are going. In other words, a friend. Our hope is to have mentors ready to start in September with additional mentors being added as needed and they become available throughout the school year. If you are interested in volunteering to be a part of this program, please email Becky Gerdes, Dean of Academics at bgerdes@loyolacatholicschool.org.

#### Admissions/Enrollment

Loyola is adding spots to the 5 Day All Day preschool class! Please call Kerstyn Cafarelli at 507-386-5399, or email admissions@loyolacatholicschool.org for more information.

This program is designed for children who are ready to experience more in a school setting. Appropriately designed curriculum is tailored to fit and nurture the needs of 4-5 year old children. Children will be introduced to experiences in problem-solving, critical thinking, and reasoning. We provide



opportunities to grow in all areas of development: physical, linguistics, social, emotional, and mental. Academics focus on handwriting, math, alphabet, and library time. Outside time and physical education are also part of the curriculum.

#### **Employment opportunities**

Loyola is currently accepting applications for the following positions: Full-time Director of Finance and Operations

Full-time Special Events Coordinator
Full-time 3rd grade teacher
Full-time STREAM/STEM teacher
Full-time Preschool assistant teacher
For information about these positions,
please visit the about us tab at
www.loyolacatholicschool.org
Part time morning bus driver:
Loyola will soon be offering bus service
to some of our students outside of the
District 77 bus routes. We are seeking a
driver for the morning route, with the
potential of adding an afternoon route.
\$20 per hour; Loyola will pay for a driver
to get licensed.

For more information regarding open positions, please see Loyola's website: www.loyolacatholicschool.org. Open positions are listed under the About Us section. To apply for a position, please send a cover letter, resume, and three letters of recommendation to employment@loyolacatholicschool.org

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#### MASS TIMES AROUND THE AREA

#### DIOCESE WEEKLY TELEVISED MASS SCHEDULE:

KTTW Channel 7 (Sioux Falls) at 7:00am KEYC Channel 10 (Mankato) at 7:30am KEYC-DT, Digital Channel 12.2 or Charter Channel 19 (Mankato) at 9:30am KAAL Channel 6 (Rochester) at 9:00am WKBT Channel 8 (LaCrosse) at 7:30am

#### LITURGICAL CORNER



#### **FINANCES**

Previous Total \$ 23,027.50

JULY 9 - 16, 2021

Adult Support \$ 9,130.00

Offertory \$ 653.25

Donations via \$ 3,580.00

Weekly Total <u>\$ 13,372.25</u>

Weekly Offering goal is: \$18,163.73

Year-to-date income as of

7-16-2021: \$ 36,399.75

#### **Money Counters**

July 26: Team 2 August 2: Team 3 August 8: Team 4

THANK YOU — To everyone who has been dropping off or mailing your weekly donations. We are grateful for whatever contributions you are able to make, as we continue to pay our utilities, payroll and other expenses. Your generosity is much appreciated!

Did you know that you can now make donations by text?
Text to:
1-507-428-2929

#### Daily Communion Minister:

July 26-30 ~

July 31– **5:15 pm** 

Communion Ministers: Paul Gaspar, Lynn Klingsporn, Laura Schulte

Lector: Laura Folsom Sacristan: Don Lingen Ushers/Hospitality: Team 3

<u>August 1—**8:00 am**</u>

Communion Ministers: Betty Blace, Teresa Depuydt, Mary Westby

Lector: Ella/Betty Blace Sacristan: Sam Blace Family Ushers/Hospitality: Team 7

August 1— 10:00 am

Communion Ministers: Mike Coughlan, Jerry Goblirsch, Lucy Goblirsch

Lector: Mike Coughlan Sacristan: Terry Alfson Ushers/Hospitality: Team 11

PICK UP/DROP OFF CORNER: Please keep the 1st parking stall right in front of the main entrance available for PICK UP/DROP OFF for major events/masses in the church. Thank you!

HEARING ASSISTANCE: Do you have a hard time hearing the readings and homily at Mass? Contact an Usher before mass to arrange for use of one of our LISTEN sound devices that will clarify and enhance your listening experience. You can continue to wear your hearing aid with the device if you prefer. You will need to provide your name and phone number for us.

LOW-GLUTEN COMMUNION: If you must maintain a low-gluten diet, we offer a low-gluten consecrated host for communion. Follow the communion procession nearest to the music area and notify the communion minister.

DIFFICULTY APPROACHING THE ALTAR: If you or someone you know has difficulty approaching the altar to receive communion, please notify an usher as he/she assists those in your row to the communion procession. A Minister of Holy Communion will be happy to come to you with the Eucharist.

#### PEACE THROUGH PLANNING

Death comes to each of us. Often we have very little forewarning or control over the circumstances of our dying. Planning for these end times is a gentle way of being supportive of our loved ones who, while grieving our dying, must also try to make a peaceful, orderly, and spiritual transition to living without us.

If you or a loved one are facing final illness, death, and funeral planning, or you just want to prepare for that un-known day when you will be called home, ease the burden by picking up a "P" booklet. This guide is available at any time in the parish office and is designed to make the planning for end times a logical step in the life of a responsible and caring adult.

## Summer Fun and Friendship! FLOATING FRIDAY MASS

It's back for Summer 2021! Bring your lawn chairs and celebrate Mass outdoors in community with friends and neighbors on Fridays this summer! The weekly location will be posted in the bulletin each week.

The July 30 Mass will be at Ann Benson's home at 100 Woodhill Trail in Mankato



#### Flowers for Mary

For July 24/25

Given by Marge Grausam
In memory of Chuck Grausam

#### Legion of Mary

Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith? Do you want to deepen your prayer life?
Do you want to develop close Catholic friendships and grow closer to Jesus and His Mother?
The Legion of Mary at St. John's is seeking to welcome new members. We meet from 9-10:30 AM each
Wednesday morning in the Marian Room. We invite you to join us!
Questions? Call Pat at 507-388-7756, or Dennis at 507-327-6856.

#### The School Sisters of Notre Dame at Our Lady of Good Counsel Need Your Help!

The School Sisters of Notre Dame at Our Lady of Good Counsel campus are looking for volunteers to help at their 45th Annual Craft Fair and Garage Sale. This year's event will be held mostly outdoors, on Saturday September 25th from 9:30 a.m. – 3:00. There will be a variety of roles to fill: Greeters, Sales people, Same-day setup helpers, and Pedestrian Traffic Directors. Shifts will be available to all volunteers, along with the promise of plenty of fun to be had! For more information or to register as a volunteer, please contact Carrie Feehan at

#### Director of Liturgy and Music - Part-time Position

The School Sisters of Notre Dame are in search of a Director of Liturgy and Music for the Sisters residing on Good Counsel Hill, Mankato, MN. He/She will be responsible for directing and accompanying the choir, ensemble, handbells (optional) and for coordinating and providing quality liturgical worship. Requirements: Bachelor's degree; experience in: liturgy, music coordination, organ/piano, ensemble, choir and handbells (optional). Has knowledge of Catholic rites and rituals. Contact Beth DuChene (507) 389-4288 for full description and requirements. Apply at ssndcp.org/jobs

#### St. John's Prayer Network—

To submit a prayer request call:
Mickey Bicek 388-5906 or Alice DiMeglio 345-5273
Email: Pastoral Care Associate at: mike@stjohnsmankato.net

## Faith Formation Registration is OPEN for 2021-2022!

## Grades 1-5

They will continue with the same curriculum as last year: Discover! by St. Mary's Press. This year we are doing a combined in-person and online format. The children will meet with their grade every other Sunday from 9:00-9:55am (between the Masses) at the church. On the weeks they do not meet, they will do at home, online learning. Your child will still have the physical copies of materials to work through at home and to bring for class.

https://form.jotform.com/210674687966170

## Grades 6-12

They will continue with in-person YDisciple Small Groups Wednesday nights from 6:30-8pm.

https://form.jotform.com/210705140251136

## Please register online with the link above by July 25th

please email rlehn@stjohnsmankato.net with any questions



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