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He said to them in reply,
"Who are my mother and my
brothers?" And looking
around at those seated in the
circle he said, "Here are my
mother and my brothers. For
whoever does the will of God
is my brother and sister and
mother." - Mk 3:33-35

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June 9th, 2024

Weekly Liturgy Schedule / Horario de Misas

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. at Saint Nicholas Sunday: 12:30 p.m. in Spanish

Daily Masses:

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. Thursday: 8:00 a.m. Friday: 6:00 p.m.

bilingual at Saint Nicholas

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 8:00 -8:45 a.m. Saturday: 3:15 -4:15 p.m. Or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration:

Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Misas dominicales:

Sábado: 4:30 p.m.

Domingo: 8:00 a.m. / 10:00 a.m. Domingo: 12:30 p.m. en español

Misas diarias:

Martes: 5:30 p.m. Miércoles: 8:00 a.m. Jueves: 8:00 a.m. Viernes: 6:00 p.m.

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Reconciliación:

Sábado: 8:00-8:45 a.m. Sábado: 3:15-4:15 p.m.

Adoración Eucarística:

Jueves: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Grupo de Oración

Jueves: 7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

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If you wish to receive an anointing please call the Parish Office: (952) 227-4000.

HOSPITAL, NURSING HOME, AND HOMEBOUND VISITS

Churches are no longer notified by hospitals or nursing homes when a parishioner is admitted unless the family has requested it. If you or a family member are homebound, hospitalized or in a nursing home and would like a visit from a member of the ministry staff, please call the Parish Office.

Church Calendar

Monday, June 10th

9:00 a.m. Totus Tuus (Elementary), Campus-Wide

11:30 a.m. Mass

6:00 p.m. Daughters of Isabella Meeting, St. Francis Hall

6:30 p.m. Totus Tuus (Teens), St. Nicholas

Tuesday, June 11th

9:00 a.m. Totus Tuus (Elementary), Campus-Wide

11:30 a.m. Mass, ⊕ Catherine Jarosch and

her surviving relatives

5:30 p.m. Mass, ⊕ Bill and Helen Koness

6:30 p.m. Totus Tuus (Teens), St. Nicholas

Wednesday, June 12th

11:30 a.m. Mass,

Peggy Scott

9:00 a.m. Totus Tuus (Elementary), Campus-Wide

6:30 p.m. Totus Tuus (Teens), St. Nicholas

Thursday, June 13th

9:00 a.m. Totus Tuus (Elementary), Campus-Wide

11:30 a.m. Mass, & Ray and Helen Therres

12:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

6:30 p.m. Totus Tuus (Teens), St. Nicholas

Friday, June 14th

9:00 a.m. Totus Tuus (Elementary), Campus-Wide

11:30 a.m. Mass

6:00 p.m. Mass (SN)

7:00 p.m. Bible Class in Spanish, St. Francis Hall

Saturday, June 15th

8:00 a.m. Confessions, GA Church

8:30 a.m. Mom's Group, Rooms 004 & 006

3:15 p.m. Confessions, GA Church

 $3{:}30\ p.m.\ D$ of I Bake Sale, St. Francis Hall

Sunday, June 16th

9:00 a.m. Coffee and Donuts, Knights of Columbus

9:00 a.m. D of I Bake Sale

10:00 a.m. Mass,

Betty Jean Baumann

11:00 a.m. Coffee and Donuts, Knights of Columbus

11:00 a.m. D of I Bake Sale

10:00 a.m. Mass (SN), ⊕ Tom Remick

12:30 p.m. Mass (Spanish), Para la gente

Mass Intentions:

Mass intentions may be for the living and/or the departed, with a \oplus designating in the bulletin a deceased person. There is a \$10 suggested donation per Mass intention. Permission from the sick person or his/her family must be granted before a name's inclusion in these prayers. To schedule a Mass intention, please call the Parish Office.

Baptism:

Our Baptism Belonging Class is required for all parents as a first step to Baptism of your child. Please call Father Tony VanderLoop, Pastor, at 952-679-9415 to sign up for a class. We encourage Godparents to attend. Baptisms are scheduled once per month after the 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. Special dates requested for Baptism will be considered and accommodated depending on circumstances.

Matrimony:

Marriage preparation is required. Please call Father Tony VanderLoop, Pastor, at 952-679-9415 at least 8 months in advance.

Communion for the Homebound:

When we come together to pray at our Eucharistic liturgy, we do not forget the members of our community who are unable to be with us because of ill health. We remember them in our prayers, and we wish to include them in our Holy Communion. Members of our community bring the Blessed Sacrament to them to comfort them and to unite us in the Eucharist. We are not always aware of those who have this need. Please call the Parish Office to let us know if you or a member of your family would like to have Holy Communion brought to them. Then we can schedule a time for our ministers to visit and bring the Sacrament.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Gn 3:9-15/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7bc)/2 Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35

Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 5:1-12 Tuesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/ Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26 Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27 -32

Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10/Mt 5:33-37

Next Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see 2a)/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Gn 3, 9-15/Sal 129, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8 (7)/2 Cor 4, 13—5, 1/Mc 3, 20-35

Lunes: 1 Re 17, 1-6/Sal 120, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8/Mt 5, 1-12 Martes: Hch 11, 21-26; 13, 1-3/Sal 97, 1. 2-3. 3-4. 5-6/Mt 5, 13 -16

Miércoles: 1 Re 18, 20-39/Sal 15, 1-2. 4. 5 y 8. 11/Mt 5, 17-19 Jueves: 1 Re 18, 41-46/Sal 64, 10. 11. 12-13/Mt 5, 20-26 Viernes: 1 Re 19, 9. 11-16/Sal 26, 7-8. 8-9. 13-14/Mt 5, 27-32 Sábado: 1 Re 19, 19-21/Sal 15, 1-2 y 5. 7-8. 9-10/Mt 5, 33-37 Domingo siguiente: Ez 17, 22-24/Sal 91, 2-3. 13-14. 15-16 (ver 2)/2 Cor 5, 6-10/Mc 4, 26-34

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE



Adam and Eve were banished from the Garden because of their disobedience. But Jesus says in today's Gospel that when we are obedient to God's will—when we use our gifts to serve one another—we are part of His family. "Whoever does the will of God is brother and sister and mother to me." This is the gift, and fruit, of Baptism.

Maintenance Expenses Paid 7/1/23 to Date:

Friary Doors, Church Fence, Repair Sanctuary/Sacristy windows, replace furnace room windows, church boilers, Gym Lights

Guardian Angels St. Nicholas
Goal, Year-to-Date \$692,909 \$55,713
Last Sunday's Collection \$8,196 \$264

Year-To-Date 7/1/23-6/3/24

Total Giving YTD \$571,468 \$57,784

Percent of Goal Funded 82% 104%

Guardian Angels Maintenance Fund:

7/1/23—4/30/24 Contributions: \$58,481 7/1/23—12/31/23 Expenses: \$139,262.91 Fund Balance: \$106,670

Please remember the Church of the Guardian Angels or Saint Nicholas in your Will.



AS SUMMER TAKES HOLD, KEEP JESUS CLOSE TO YOUR HEART

Early summer is a time of transition in our thoughts about what is now important and also, it is a time of graduations and new beginnings. Our archbishop, in his monthly video address, asks, "What happens to prayer time when we have a full class load and are holding down a part-time job?" This question isn't immediately on our minds, but it soon will be for many of our young adults graduating from college or will go back to college in the fall. Further, "Is Mass still a priority when mom or dad are not around?" Maybe your

son or daughter are in a time of transition, or you are in such a time yourself. If so, keep our Lord Jesus close. He is pursuing your heart at every moment. Pursue him. Seek out peer groups, campus ministries, and parish communities that can encourage you in your faith. At the University of Minnesota and the University of Saint Thomas, we are blessed with effective campus ministries with The Brotherhood of Hope and Saint Paul's Outreach, respectively, who are both game changers. Many college students also find their way to our Cathedral or other parishes with young adult ministry that they discover to be vibrant in ways that they could not have anticipated. These are just some examples. Help your young adult son or daughter get connected!

Summer is also a time for vacations. Take a great vacation! To me, when I go to Mass with those with whom I am vacationing, it is a great part of the experience. Yes, there is a need to plan for it ahead of time, but that makes it part of the vacation plans. Sometimes, we are with those, even our own family members, who do not think it is that important. But when we assert that we need to go to Mass, we are being witnesses to Jesus Christ. It is okay to say that we need this to be a part of our experience. It really does make for a vacation that is balanced, wholesome, interesting, and something for which to be thankful to God when we return home after experiencing the universal Church at a faraway place. MassTimes.org is a great resource for Mass times in a local area as well as confession and Eucharistic Adoration. Whether you really have the opportunity for Eucharistic adoration or not, keep prayer and our Lord Jesus a priority wherever you go. I always love to see how the different Catholic churches in different areas do things. It is always a nice part of the vacation to visit another Catholic Church.

May God bless your vacation times with your family and this time of transition for our young adults!

Father Tony

DAILY MASS TIMES WILL CHANGE THIS WEEK Dear Parishioners, our Daily Mass schedule will change due to our Totus Tuus (Totally Yours) program taking place this week. Our Mass schedule will be:

Monday, June 10th at 11:30 a.m. (GA) Tuesday, June 11th at 11:30 a.m. (GA) Tuesday, June 11th at 5:30 p.m. (GA) Wednesday, June 12th at 11:30 a.m. (GA) Thursday, June 13th at 11:30 a.m. (GA) Friday, June 14th at 11:30 a.m. (GA) Friday, June 14th at 6:00 p.m. (SN)

Come and join the grade school children at our 11:30 a.m. Masses! Thank you for accommodating them.

THANK YOU FROM BOUNTIFUL BASKET FOOD SHELF

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for your generous donation of \$1,072.00 to Bountiful Basket Food Shelf. Our mission is simple—To eliminate hunger for people in need of food. And, thanks to your generosity, we are able to provide just that—nourishment *and hope* to individuals and families facing food insecurity.

We see many hard-working families walk through our door—nurses, teachers, bus drivers, construction workers, etc., whose wages are not keeping up with the cost of living. According to the Census Bureau, the poverty rate rose to 12.4% in 2022 from 7.8% in 2021, the largest one-year jump on record. People are working hard yet not making ends meet.

The demand we are currently experiencing is something we have never experienced before. This past year, we have served 78% more households than last year. We distributed over 750,000 pounds of food, compared to 340,000 last year. This growth is in response to community demand for service stemming from housing costs, inflation, high food prices, and stagnant wages. Thanks to a supportive community, like you, we have been able to meet this demand.

Thank you again for your gift. Our success, and our community's stability, is predicated on the kindness of individuals like you.

With gratitude, Patti Sinykin, Executive Director

CANTORS FOR MASS

Have you ever thought about becoming a cantor? Summer is a great time to start! We are looking for new cantors for both Guardian Angels and Saint Nicholas. You will get trained in on how to lead the congregation in joyful praise to the Lord!

For more information or to sign up, contact Brittany Kaufmann at bkaufmann@gachaska.org

RUMMAGE SALE

We will be having the Rummage Sale this month, so keep us in mind when you're doing you spring cleaning.

We will be accepting donations on Monday, June 17th, Tuesday June 18th, and Wednesday June19th from 8 a.m.-8p.m.

The sale dates are:

- Thursday June 20th Early Bird Sale 5p.m.-8p.m.
 \$3 admission
- Friday June 21st, 8a.m.-8p.m.
- Saturday June 22nd, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Bag Day

The sale will be in the school gym at 1st Street and Cedar Street.

We need volunteers to help set up for the sale. Please contact Joey Reynolds at (952) 448-3489 if you can spare some time on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday during 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Also, we need volunteers to help with cleanup on Saturday starting at 2:00 p.m. Anytime you could spare would be greatly appreciated.

DO YOU HAVE NEWS?



Attention parishioners at Saint Nicholas!

If your ministry is hosting an event, feel free to email the details to bulletin@gachaska.org to get your ad into the bulletin!

The editor has been informed that Saint Nicholas events don't get mentioned in the bulletin and she thinks that's a crying shame!

Please send the information BEFORE the event happens in order to get the word out.

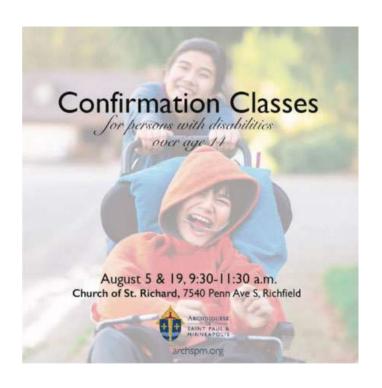
D OF I BAKE SALE



The Daughters of Isabella are having a bake sale next weekend June 15th and 16th in St. Francis Hall after all Masses. Lots of home baked goodies will be available for purchase.

D OF I MEETING

The Daughters of Isabella will meet in St. Francis Hall, June 10th at 6 p.m. for social hour, 6:30 meeting.



MARYKNOLL LAY MISSIONERS ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL



Liz Mach, a native of Pine City Minnesota, has served for 44 years as a Maryknoll Lay Missioner, primarily in Tanzania. Liz is our longest serving lay missioner, working as a nurse in women's health and for the rights of women in Tanzania and at an international level. Her life vocation has been meeting the needs of women and girls in her community, supporting an end to gender-based violence, and working with those impacted by HIV.

Liz will speak at all Masses at Guardian Angels during the weekend of June 22-23, to share her mission experience as part of the Archdiocese of St. Paul & Minneapolis' Missionary Cooperation Plan 2024. A written appeal will be read during the 10 a.m. Mass at St. Nicholas on our behalf. The second collection will be taken to support Maryknoll Lay Missioners. Your kind welcome and generous support is most appreciated.

Maryknoll Lay Missioners is one of the largest U.S. Catholic organizations sending laypeople into global mission. Over the past four and a half decades, we have prepared and sent more than 900 missioners who have accompanied people experiencing poverty and marginalization around the world.

Your donations will allow Maryknoll Lay Missioners to prepare and sustain laypeople in global mission and to help build a more just, compassionate, and sustainable world. This once-a-year opportunity is a wonderful way for all of us to participate in the on-going global mission to bring the Good News of Jesus Christ to the ends of the earth! To learn more please visit www.mklm.org



ADAPTIVE FAITH FORMATION

Wednesdays, July 10th-August 7th, 6:15 p.m.-7:05 p.m., St. John the Baptist, Jordan

This is a faith program for children with special needs ages 3-6 to expose them to Jesus' love and the basics of the Catholic faith with one-on-one support. Children will move through various stations on how to make the sign of the cross, set the altar, match pictures of Jesus and Mary, and learn songs about Jesus (to name a few). Space is limited, register today at sjbjordan.org/registration.

RURAL LIFE SUNDAY CELEBRATION

Sunday, June 23rd

Please join in this year's Archdiocesan Rural Life Sunday Celebration on June 23rd, hosted by Fr. Michael Miller on his farm—"Taste of Heaven" at 12890 70th Street West, New Prague. The celebration begins with Sunday Mass at 1:30 p.m. Following, there will be lunch, music, fun activities for children and families, and animals to see. Please join the parishioners from the Churches of St. Patrick and St. Catherine, along with others from throughout the Archdiocese to pray, remember, and celebrate all the good things God has given us in our rural way of life. For more details, including a map and directions, visit archspm.org/events, or call (651) 238-2074.

HEALING MASS

Wednesday, June 26th, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., Church of Saint Paul, Ham Lake

Father Jim Livingston will celebrate a Mass that aims at helping people find healing in whatever areas they may require it, including physical, emotional, or spiritual situations. A time of individual prayer follows. Prayer teams will also be available to pray for specific needs. All are welcome.

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS: THE MUSICAL

Thursday, June 20th-Saturday, June 29th, St. Agnes School (Helene Houle Auditorium), St. Paul, Tickets available at missedtheboattheatre.com

At Catholic Beer Night, the CYAs hear a rumor that St. Stephen's is closing! Can they rally together to find a way amidst the chaos of their own dating novenas, come-and-sees, and lust for Latin to beat the odds and do what no one ever expected a band of young adults to do... save the parish? Fr. Kyle Kowalczyk's new musical distills the essence of Catholic young adult subculture in an uncomfortably accurate, unexpectedly poignant, and reverently hilarious brew.

Disclaimer: Some content may be more suitable for those ages high school and up.

ENCOUNTER MINISTRIES: SCHOOL OF HEALING

Friday, July 12th-Saturday July 13th, NET Center, West St. Paul, Cost \$65

Come and experience God's supernatural love with Encounter Ministries.

The School of Healing offers an excellent foundation to learn how to pray for healing and continued growth for those with experience in healing ministry. It is a 2-day event that provides theological foundations for healing, practical means of praying, and opportunities to gain hands-on experience.

Register at encountertcc.regfox.com/encounter-twin -cities-school-of-healing (all dashes included)

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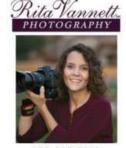




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