

St. Mary Help of Christians Church

24588 County Road 7, St. Augusta, MN 56301

August 14, 2016



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished! Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. From now on a household of five will be divided, three against two and two against three." *Lk 12:50-52*

PARISH: 320-252-1799
SCHOOL: 320-251-3937
WEBSITE: www.SMHOC.org

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Jose Edayadiyil, *Pastor*
Kelly Kirks, *Principal*
Shelly Gohmann, *Secretary*
Jan Minke,
Faith Formation Director
Deb Klaverkamp,
Youth Coordinator
Kathy Waletzko,
Music Director

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 am
Tuesday 6:00 pm
Wed. Thurs. Fri 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 4:00-4:30pm
(New Sacristy) or by
appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS

Call the parish office for
more information.

RCIA "RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS"

Anyone interested in
becoming a member of
the Catholic Faith call
the Parish Office.

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

August 8, 2016 at
7:00pm. Call the Parish
Office to register.

MARRIAGE PREP

Arrangements must be
made at least 6 months
before wedding. Call
the Parish Office.

MISSION STATEMENT

*We, the people of St
Mary Help of
Christians Parish,
are called to love and
serve the Lord through
our lives.*

*Established in 1856, the
church is the
cornerstone around
which we have built our
community of faith.*

*We encourage all to
participate through
worship, education, and
sharing of their gifts
and talents.*

*With the strength of
our families, the
optimism of our youth,
and the wisdom of our
seniors, we strive to be
advocates of the
"Good News"
as we continue to grow
and change.*

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Readings for This Sunday, August 14th


Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10
 Hebrews 12:1-4
 Luke 12:49-53

Readings for Next Sunday, August 21st

Isaiah 66:18-21
 Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
 Luke 13:22-30

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- 15 Monday - No Mass
- 16 Tuesday - 6:00 pm 65th Wedding Anniversary
 Al & Mercedes Kunkel
- 17 Wednesday - 8:00am +Julia Voigt
- 18 Thursday - 8:00am +Betty Trobec
- 19 Friday - 8:00 am +Randy Reimann
- 20 Saturday - 5:00 pm +Marlys Bischman
- 21 Sunday - 8:00 am Parishioners
 10:00 am +Richard & +Adelaide Ruehle



The Week Ahead

Tuesday, August 16th
 6:30pm CUF Meeting in Parish Center

Parish Support

Adult	\$5,5600.01
Youth	36.20
Votive Lights	51.50
St. Cloud Visitor	20.00
July Meat Raffle	1,000.00
Stole Fees	75.00
Organ Restoration	1.00
School Endowment	1.00

Nursery - Next Sunday, August 21st
 Nancy Schmidt & Jackie



Pictorial Directory Update:
 You can sign up online at smhoc.org or call the Parish Office, 252-1799, M-F, 8am-Noon.

If you wish to submit a photo, please drop off a Photo to the Parish Office by September 1st. The photo should be a 4x6 or 5x7 size. Lifetouch no longer has the photos saved from the last directory. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office, 252-1799.

Our directory won't be complete without you!



Baptism Congratulations to:
 Olivia Ann daughter of Per-Ovynd & Anglea Jansen

Summer is here and we know how busy everyone can get. Please check your schedules to see if you are a lector, usher/greeter, Eucharistic minister, or if your child is serving, etc. If you can not make your scheduled time, please find a substitute.

Ushers/Greeters - Month of August

5:00pm Joe Voigt & David Meyer
 8:00am Adrian & Judy Ethen
 10:00am Rocky Keske & Volunteer

Ushers/Greeters - Month of September

5:00pm Lloyd & Doris Rosha
 8:00am Len & Sue Meyer
 10:00am Jake Stang & Matt Siers

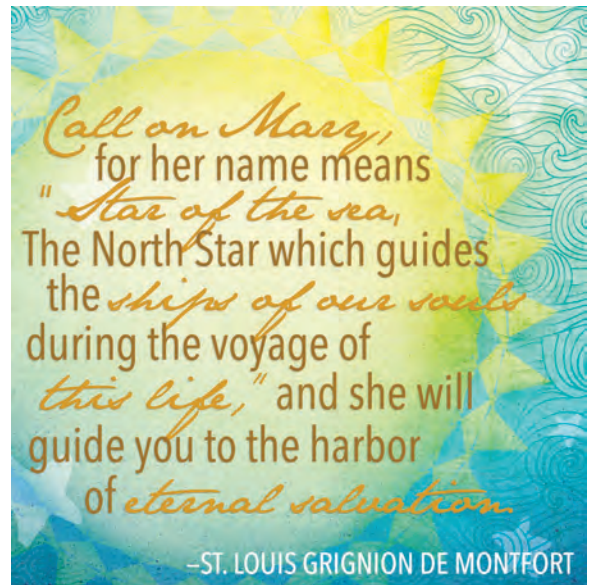
Servers This Weekend, August 13th & 14th

5:00pm Isaac Voigt & Trevor Voigt
 8:00am Everett Yarke & Thatcher Yarke
 10:00am Colin Irlbeck & Luke Ashbrook

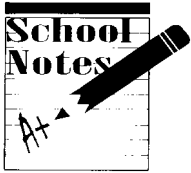
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5:00 pm Brooke Wilson & Kendra Wilson
 8:00 am Alexis Streit & Julia Massmann
 10:00 am Brandon Rosha & Hailey Keske

Monday, August 15 is The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This solemnity is not observed as a holy day of obligation in 2016.



We are being called to a nationwide prayer campaign called the "Novena for Our Nation." This campaign has been officially endorsed by His Eminence Cardinal Raymond Burke. Everyone around the nation is encouraged to join ranks, united, as we pray the Powerful 54-Day Rosary Novena from the Feast of the Assumption on August 15th to the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary on October 7th. The website and more information is available at www.novenaforournation.com. Also, to help you to keep track of the days there is a "Novena Record" at "fatima crusader.com, how to say the miraculous 54-day rosary novena (please type in the website.)"



Greetings from SMHOCS...
St. Mary Help of Christians School will be having the back-to-school Open House on Thursday, August 25th from 4:00-6:30 p.m.

There will also be sign-up for PAA Fall sports from in the school gym from 5:00-6:00 p.m. PAA sports are open to all parish members grades 3-6. The Fall sports include football and volleyball for grades 5 & 6, and intramural football and volleyball for grades 3 & 4. If you would like to volunteer to coach any of these sports, please contact Charlie Kirks or the school office. School photos will be taken the night of Open House. Please visit www.inter-state.com/order to view packages and place an order ahead of time. Our school code is 08438DA.

The school office is open most weekdays, Monday-Thursday, in the month of August. You may want to call ahead before a visit as staff will be out for various meetings throughout the month. Students return to school on Tuesday, August 30th.

Sincerely, Kelly Kirks, Principal



Save the date
2016 Harvest Celebration!

Saturday, October 15th from 6:00 p.m. -10:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. This is the biggest fundraiser for our school. The night consists of grand hors d'oeuvres and an open bar, live and silent auctions and raffle. ALL are welcome to join us at this great event! We are currently seeking donations for the raffle and auctions. If you'd like to donate, please contact Amanda Carlson 320-333-2954. Thank you!

Area Festivals:

- Sunday, August 14th - St. James Parish in Randall. Begins with Mass at 10:00am Chicken and ham dinner served from 10:30am to 2:00pm.
- Saturday, August 19th - St. Francis Xavier Parish in Sartell, begins with Teen Night (open to youth in grades 6-12) from 6pm to 8:30pm. Events continue on Sunday, August 21 with Outdoor Mass celebrated at 4:00pm
- Sunday, August 21 - Boni-Fest in Cold Spring begins with Mass at 8:30.

Religious Education (XOYE) Program

Faith Formation - Jan Minke
 Registration forms and schedules for Faith Formation are available in the entryway of the church.

Please turn forms with tuition into the church office as soon as possible.

Are you looking for a way to grow in your faith? There are some teaching and assisting positions still open. Please talk to Jan Minke if interested. Faith Formation tuition is free to teachers and classroom assistants.



Scrip News - Lacey Solbro & Brenda Jacobson

Shop Scrip for all your back to school shopping needs. Scrip has Target, Walmart, Payless, Great Clips, Foot Locker, Kohl's, JC Penny, Old Navy the options are endless.....

Do you have a special grad going off to college? Scrip cards are a great way to stock them up on all their college needs from gas cards to grocery and clothing and a little fun with itune cards. Surprise your grad with a care package throughout the year with scrip card care packages.

Scrip isn't just for students its also for our every day shopping. Parish member's, by buying scrip you can donate your 70% back to our parish or school and write that off on your taxes.

Stop by our Scrip table for more information or to buy scrip cards.

Scrip Payouts will be done on August 15th. Please contact us if you need to change where you want your rebate to go otherwise it will stay the way it is. If you have any questions please contact: Lacey Solbro 320-230-3674.

Thank you all for supporting SMHOC Parish and School Scrip Program.

Thank you to: Father Jose, Shelly, friends, parishioners and anyone who helped in anyway with our Mom's celebration of her life. It is very much appreciated.

Kevin & Tami Voigt & the family of Julia Voigt

Harvest Bank and Voigt's Bus are cosponsoring a bus trip to the Minnesota State Fair on Thursday, September 1st, 2016.

Cost: Seniors (65+) - \$19.00

Adults (13-64) - \$21.00

Children (12 & Under) - \$16.00

This fare includes the bus ride and fair admission

Pick-up & Time:

Voigt's Bus in St Augusta @ 7am

Generations Ballroom in Kimball @ 7:15am

Bus returns to both locations before 8pm.

To register stop by Harvest Bank or call them at 251-6100.

