



June 9, 2024

## Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Parochial Administrator**  
Rev. Msgr. Thomas Cook  
**Parochial Vicar - Fr. Gregory Parrott**  
(For St. Joseph, Sacred Heart  
& Christ the King Parishes )

# ST. JOSEPH PARISH

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### Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs 8:30am-4:30pm

Friday 8:30am-3:00pm

### Mass Schedule: Weekends

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00am and 10:00am

### Weekdays and Holy Days

(See schedule in the bulletin)

### Confession

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45pm



*With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption.*

# Monsignor Cook's Corner

9 June 2024

10<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

Today, Sunday, June 9, at the 10:00 a.m. Masses at both Sacred Heart and St. Joseph Parishes, we will honor our graduating high school seniors with a special **Baccalaureate Mass**. They will be dressed in their graduation gowns (no caps), seated in the front pews reserved for their graduating class, and receive a special blessing at the conclusion of the Mass. May the Lord send His abundant blessings upon all of our high school graduates. *“For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord, plans for your peace, not disaster, plans to give you a future full of hope.”* (Jeremiah 29: 11-12)

We also remember with great affection those members of the senior class who have “gone before us, marked with the sign of faith,” especially Dylan Lauwers and Olivia Flores. May they rest in peace through the Mercy of God.

Now is the time to register your children and grandchildren for **Totus Tuus**. *Totus Tuus* (Latin for “*Totally Yours*”) is the name of our Catholic Summer Faith Formation Program designed to help our young people to know, love, and serve God, and hopefully inspire them to give themselves “totally” to Christ. The teachers for *Totus Tuus* are a team of four college-aged men and women who go from parish to parish in the diocese all summer, providing school-age children with this outstanding one-week summer program. The *Totus Tuus* team will be at our parishes the week of June 23-28. Please see the bulletin for the complete registration information.

**Father Joe Pete** will offer Mass on Father’s Day at **9:00 a.m.** on **Sunday, June 16**, at Christ the King Parish in Medford. There will be NO MASS at 5:30 p.m., Saturday, June 15, because of *Straight River Days* in Medford.

NCCW PROVINCE CONFERENCE 2024

Tuesday, June 25

St. Mary’s Catholic Church

636 1st Ave N, Sleepy Eye, MN

8:00am - 3:00pm

Registration forms are available in the parish office.



## Thank you for your generosity!

The amount collected from last weekend’s second collection for Community Pathways was \$1,917.00.



### Totus Tuus Summer Camp

June 23-28, 2024

Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Owatonna, MN

Totus Tuus is a week-long summer camp for those entering grades 1st-12th.

Please contact Brittany Boubin at [shsjyouth@shsjfaithformation.org](mailto:shsjyouth@shsjfaithformation.org) for questions and information.

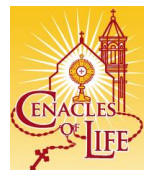
### Cenacles of Life • Hour of Prayer

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The Cenacles of Life are for renewing the Spirit of Life - from within the Church.

It is the graces from these Cenacles that will be used to transform the face of the earth and defeat this war on life.



### Please Contact the Parish Office If...

- \* A member of your family is in the hospital.
- \* You want communion brought to your home.
- \* Your address, phone, email has changed.
- \* You wish to register your family with the Parish.

Phone: 451-4845 or  
email: [parishoffice@stjosephowatonna.org](mailto:parishoffice@stjosephowatonna.org)

## Weekly Readings and Mass Intentions

Monday, June 10, 2024 <i>1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12</i>	Weekday 7:15am - Sacred Heart Church
Tuesday, June 11, 2024 <i>Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3/Mt 5:13-16</i>	St. Barnabas, Apostle 7:15am - Sacred Heart Church
Wednesday, June 12, 2024 <i>1 Kgs 18:20-39/Mt 5:17-19</i>	Weekday 8:00am - Jerry Fix†
Thursday, June 13, 2024 <i>1 Kgs 18:41-46/Mt 5:20-26</i>	St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 8:00am - Grace Rypka†
Friday, June 14, 2024 <i>1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16/Mt 5:27-32</i>	Weekday 9:00am - Christ the King - Lloyd and Doris Kern†
Saturday, June 15, 2024 <i>1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37</i>	Weekday 8:00am - Dorry Kenney†
Sunday, June 16, 2024 <i>Ez 17:22-24</i> <i>2 Cor 5:6-10</i> <i>Mk 4:26-34</i>	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 06/15/24 4:00pm - Peter J. Schneider† 06/15/24 5:30pm - Christ the King - NO MASS 06/16/24 8:00pm - Dylan Lauwers† 06/16/24 9:00am - Christ the King - Parishioners 06/16/24 10:00am - Darlene Gathje†



### June 9 - Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time:

Today, Jesus looking around those seated in the circle said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

**Through your almsgiving you are indeed doing the will of God and your gift to the St. Vincent de Paul Society indeed brings Christ's love and compassion to the poor.**

We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at **6:30 p.m.**, at **St. Joseph's Church**. **If you would like further information on growing your spiritual life and serving those in need in our community**, please join us at a meeting or contact Ed Wacek at [edwacek46@gmail.com](mailto:edwacek46@gmail.com). **Our phone is 507-676-5508.**

### Parish Staff

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**Maintenance**– Dave Oman

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## Liturgical Ministers Schedule June 15/16, 2024

### Saturday - 4:00pm

EMHC: Matt Thurnau, Volunteer, Volunteer  
Lector: Tim Vogt  
Sacristan: Matt Thurnau  
Ushers: Amador Ramirez, Volunteer  
Volunteer, Volunteer  
Altar Servers: Julio Letona, Volunteers  
Greeters: Volunteers

### Sunday - 8:00am

EMHC: Lynn Lattery, Courtney Keller, Volunteer  
Lector: Cindy Emanuelson  
Sacristan: Joan Salmonsén  
Ushers: Tyler Keller, Volunteer  
Volunteer, Volunteer  
Altar Servers: Jacob, Sam, & Charlie Dulas  
Greeters: Volunteers

### Sunday - 10:00am

EMHC: Katie Holzerland, Ellyn Jardine, Stacey Ginskey  
Lector: Tim Rice  
Sacristan: Kevin Kreiner  
Ushers: Chuck Jurgens, King Jurgens,  
Nolan Ginskey, Jacob Ginskey  
Altar Servers: Lucas Ginskey, Macey Ginskey  
Greeters: Volunteers

*Volunteers are needed in all the liturgical ministries.  
Call 451-4845 if you are able serve.*

### June Funeral Chairpersons

**Anna Marie Brick 507-390-6249**  
**Patty Jessop 507-676-7061**

*Contact the parish office if you would like to  
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Sacred Heart Cemetery is open year-round for your convenience. We ask you to please observe the following regulations:

- All flowers (real or artificial) must be kept in pots, placed in urn stands at least 15 inches above the ground, and placed to the side of the monument.
- ALL items placed on the ground for Memorial Day will be removed after June 8 for the ease and safety of the maintenance workers.
- The following items are NOT permitted at any time: shepherd hooks; hoops; lawn flag holders; solar lights; and vigil lights (solar or battery powered). These items will be removed for the ease and safety of the maintenance workers.
- In-ground plantings are NOT permitted.
- Glass or wire are NOT permitted.
- Rocks in pots are NOT permitted.
- Pets are NOT allowed on cemetery property.
- The Cemetery Board reserves the right to remove items that are faded, out of season, or hazardous to visitors or maintenance workers.

Thank you for your cooperation.

– Sacred Heart Cemetery Board of Trustees  
– Leon and Lori Bohlman  
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## Owatonna Knights of Columbus Flag Retirement Day

June 14th

The Fourth-Degree Knights of Columbus will be conducting a flag retirement on June 14th.

These worn and tattered flags will be disposed of in a respectful, proper manner. Sir Knights will be distributing flyers explaining proper flag etiquette and will have replacement flags for sale at a reasonable cost.



**COLLECTION POINT:**

(Drive-thru or drop-off)

121 W Main Owatonna, MN

Just west of the fire hall, watch for signs

**COLLECTION TIMES: 4PM-8PM**

If you have a flag you would like retired and can't drop it off,  
please contact Dean Schuette 507-475-8272,  
dtschuette@gmail.com



## Congratulations to the OHS Graduating Class of 2024 from St. Joseph Parish!

Good luck on your new beginnings!

Lola Berg	Emma Holland
Sadie Fox	Sophia Laughlin
Aaron Ginnetti	Landon Morrow
Jacob Ginskey	Jack Mullenbach
Reese Glynn	Becca Nielson
Emma Green	Ava Otto
Jena Hanson	Brooke Skalicky
Kevin Helget	Jack Thamert
Britta Henderson	Ethan Vortheims
Thomas Herzog	Alayna Wannarka
Kennedy Hodgman	

### Thank you Father Parrott!

The weekend of June 22nd and 23rd will be Father Parrott's last weekend to celebrate Sunday Mass at St. Joseph & Christ the King Parishes. To show our appreciation for his time with us, we will have coffee and rolls in Joseph Hall after the 8am and 10am Mass, Sunday, June 23rd.

A basket will be available for cards and well wishes. We thank you for your service at St. Joseph & Christ the King Parishes, Father Parrott! May God bless you and your time in Spring Valley, Grand Meadow, and Le Roy, MN!

### Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards Available!

Court Owatonna CDA members will be offering spiritual bouquet cards after all the Masses in the Gathering Hall. *The suggested offering for each card is \$5, with ALL proceeds going to Hospitality House, the men's transitional housing in Owatonna.* Prayers will be offered up to loved ones the month of June. Thank you for your support!



For all the latest news from Christ the King Church Medford, MN. Scan the QR Code!



# Fatima

and the True Devotion to Mary



WED, JUNE 12 - 6:30 PM  
DIVINE MERCY, FARIBAULT



Keynote Speaker:

## Barb Ernster

National Coordinator and Communications Director for the World Apostolate of Fatima

As Divine Mercy prepares for the International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima on September 27 & 28, we welcome Barb Ernster to speak about "Fatima and the True Devotion to Mary."

Barb hosts a weekly podcast on Fatima Today, co-hosts the Beyond Fatima show on Radio Maria, and is a regular guest on the Drew Mariani Show on Relevant Radio. She has appeared on EWTN's Bookmark and other television and video productions and speaks at conferences and parishes nationwide. Barb has been studying and writing extensively on the message of Fatima and the spirituality of the three Fatima children, since 2007. As the editor of the English edition of the biography of Sister Lucia, A Pathway Under the Gaze of Mary, she discovered the meaning of devotion and consecration to the Immaculate Heart through Sister Lucia's daily life and writings, and the heights of holiness that can be reached through the examples of Sts. Jacinta and Francisco.

JOIN US FOR A SOCIAL FOLLOWING THE EVENT IN ST. FAUSTINA COMMONS

### FAITH FORMATION FUNDRAISERS

Medford Christ the King CCW is hosting this event during Straight River Days!

WHAT: **BAKE SALE & QUILT SALE**

WHEN: **Friday & Saturday  
June 14<sup>th</sup> & June 15<sup>th</sup>**



TIME: **8am - Noon**

WHERE: **Church Rectory Garage**



Come check out our baked goods and several beautiful quilts made by our sewing group before shopping the city-wide garage sales.

\*Bake Sale proceeds benefit faith formation while quilt sale proceeds are used to purchase material to continue quilting.

Also, **JUNE 15<sup>th</sup> - from 1-3pm**

Medford Catholic Daughter's will be hosting **BINGO in the Park**

Lots of FUN for all in Medford!







Please consider becoming a Liturgical Minister at St. Joseph Church. There's something for everyone! See contact info. below:

**Altar Servers** – Parish Office (507)451-4845, [parishoffice@stjosephowatonna.org](mailto:parishoffice@stjosephowatonna.org)

**Communion Ministers** – Linda Huffington (507)456-5274 (leave message) or [lindamwhuffington@gmail.com](mailto:lindamwhuffington@gmail.com)

**Greeters** – Wayne & Betty Kubicek (507)451-8683, [bj-n-me@hotmail.com](mailto:bj-n-me@hotmail.com)

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**Ushers** – Pat Rose (507)456-1146 [rosepatp@gmail.com](mailto:rosepatp@gmail.com)

**Helpers are Needed!**

If you would like to help water outdoor potted flowers on the parish grounds, please contact the office at 451-4845.

Students looking for service hours are welcomed to help!



**Court Owatonna CDA Meeting & Potluck Monday, June 17th at 6:00pm Joseph Hall, St. Joseph Parish**



Members, bring a dish to pass and your own eating utensils. Husbands and family are invited to dine. Refreshments & dessert will be provided by the Hospitality committee. A short meeting will follow. This will be the last we meet until September 2024 when we welcome in our new officers. Hope to see you all there!

**OHS Grads & Parents—Sign up today for Catholic connections at college.**



Meet other Catholic students and receive invites to activities and Mass by connecting with the Newman Center at your college after 10 AM Mass in the Gathering Hall. or call Shirley Schultz, St. Serra Club, 507-456-8511, with graduate name, email, the college attending, the college's City, and State. The St. Serra Club is partnering with the Newman Centers on all colleges to help our graduates keep the faith.



*In Loving Memory*

Rosemarie Ann Hoffman  
May 30, 2024

*May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.*

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**Diocese of Winona-Rochester - Child Sexual Abuse Policy Information**

The Diocese of Winona-Rochester will provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employees, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 507-454-2270, Extension 255. A caller will be asked to provide his or her name and telephone number. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is committed to protecting children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. The diocesan policy is available on the diocesan web site at [www.dowr.org](http://www.dowr.org) under the Safe Environment Program. If you have any questions about the Diocese of Winona's implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Mary Hamann, at 507-858-1244, or [mhamann@dowr.org](mailto:mhamann@dowr.org).

## ST. MARY'S SCHOOL NEWS



St. Mary's 8th graders are gearing up for graduation and one of the last things they do as a class is an end of the school year retreat at Camp Lebanon. Students left St. Mary's on Tuesday morning and returned Thursday afternoon. Students were able to enjoy: kayaking, canoeing, fishing, playing ping-pong, pool, foosball, kickball, volleyball and wiffle ball. They were able to pray, have Mass together, and hang out one last time as a group before graduation. What a special tradition to end their journey at St. Mary's School!






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