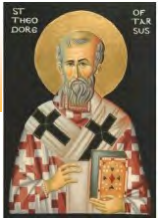


Our Lady of the Pines & St. Theodore of Tarsus Catholic Churches



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June 3, 2018

Feast of Body & Blood of Jesus Christ

Sunday Reflection: The Gift of Eucharist



St. Thomas Aquinas was one of the famous philosopher and theologian who taught in the university of Paris. He was a great devotee of the Eucharist. About seven Hundred years ago, Pope Urban IV asked him to write the liturgical prayers for the Feast of *Corpus Christi*. We still use his prayers today. St. Thomas also wrote many hymns and poems on Eucharist, like *Tantum Ergo Sacramentum*, which we sing during Benediction.

In one of the Hymns to the Eucharist, he says, "Jesus, in this sacrament, you are both a *shepherd* and the *pasture*. You lead us in the right path and in our pilgrim journey you nourish us with your body and blood." What a great image of Jesus in the Eucharist! When we are united with Jesus through the Eucharist, He leads us as our shepherd and nourishes us to sustain our pilgrim journey.

Today's feast of Corpus Christi reminds us how precious and valuable is the gift of the Eucharist! When we actively participate in the Eucharistic celebration and eat the Sacred Meal, we come before God's Presence. We are spiritually recharged that will get us through, the next six days. Soon, we begin to take on ourselves the characteristics of Jesus. The result: we begin to "think like Christ and act like Christ". True, this wonder bread can transforms us totally!

This weekend, let us take time to thank God for the gift Eucharist. May God help us to grow in reverence for this great sacrament.

Mass Times

Our Lady of the Pines, Nevis
Tuesdays: 12 Noon
Wednesdays-Fridays 9:00 AM
Saturdays: 5:00 PM
Sundays: 10:30 AM

St. Theodore's Church, Laporte
Sundays 8:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration at OLP
Fridays: 9:30-10:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays 4:15-4:45 PM at OLP
Sundays 8:00 AM at St. Theodore's

Dear Visitors

Welcome to Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis and St. Theodore Church, Laporte, MN. We are happy to have you worshipping with us! If you consider becoming a member of either of our parishes, please stop by the Parish Office or call us at 218-652-4005 to send you a registration form.

Information on Reception of Sacraments

Baptism: We are delighted to welcome you or your children into our faith community. Please call the Pastor at 218-652-4022 for Baptism preparation and for scheduling a date of your child's Baptism.

Marriage: Congratulations! We are happy to assist you in preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Do call the Pastor at 218-652-4022 as early as 6 months in advance.

Pastoral Visitation: We want to be a part of your life. If you desire a home visit with Holy Communion for the sick and homebound or would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, or just a pastoral visit, please call the Pastor at 218-652-4022.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

Saturday, 06/02	8:00 - 10:00 AM 11:00 AM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 5:00 PM	OLP Donut Sale in the Parish Hall Funeral Mass for + Colin Fehn at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Sacrament of Reconciliation: at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Mass at OLP: For + Don and Lucy Carlson by Val and Brian Slettum Projectionist: Darin Kowalke Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts
Sunday, 06/03 Feast of Corpus Christi STC 2nd Collection: For Laporte Food Shelf	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation: at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Mass at STC: For the Members of our Parishes Hospitality following the Mass Mass at OLP: For + Joe Tomas by Helen Tomas and Family Hospitality following the Mass Projectionist: Anna Hudson Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts
Monday, 06/04 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED		Diocesan Priests Retreat NO Mass
Tuesday, 06/05	10:30 AM	Diocesan Priests Retreat NO Mass Money Counters: Terry Lenz, Catherine Lenz & Sue Joerger
Wednesday, 06/06	6:30 - 7:30 PM 7:00 PM	Diocesan Priests Retreat NO Mass Group Study Program: "Rejoice and be Glad" at OLP, Nevis STC Guild Meeting at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte
Thursday, 06/07	2:30 PM	Diocesan Priests Retreat NO Mass Group Study Program: "Rejoice and be Glad" at STC, Laporte
Friday, 06/08 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED		Diocesan Priests Retreat NO Mass and NO Adoration
Saturday, 06/09	8:00 - 10:00 AM 10:00 AM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 5:00 PM	OLP Donut Sale in the Parish Hall Priestly Ordination of Deacon Nate Brunn at Crookston Cathedral Sacrament of Reconciliation: at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Mass at OLP: For + Leola Geisen by Jona & Jim Seifert Projectionist: Anna Hudson Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts
Sunday, 06/10	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation: at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Mass at STC: For + Dolores Noyes by Theora and Lynn Goodrich Mass at OLP: For the Members of our Parishes Projectionist: Anna Hudson Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts
Upcoming Events	June 12 June 13 June 13 June 14 June 14 June 14 June 16 June 16 - 17 June 16 - 17 June 19	OLP Parish Council Meeting in Nevis at 6:30 PM OLP Hospitality Ministry Team Meeting at 10:00 AM Group Study Program: "Rejoice and be Glad" at Nevis 6:30 - 7:30 PM OLP Finance Council Meeting at 10:00 AM in Nevis Group Study Program: "Rejoice and be Glad" at Laporte 2:30 - 3:30 PM OLP Choir Practice in Nevis at 6:30 PM Diaconate Ordination of Mr. Michael Arey in Moorehead Father's Day Second Collection: For Retired Priests OLP Birthday and Anniversary Celebration following the Mass NO Mass at Nevis: Priest Council Meeting in Crookston

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Saturday, June 09, 2018	
Sacristan	Help Needed
Musician	Don Hudson
Cantor	Don Hudson
Lectors	Jesse Clack, Jill Clack & Theora Goodrich
Altar Servers	Help Needed
Ushers	Mark Carter, Dan Carlson, Frank Adrian & Ed Dvorak
Greeters	Florence Kramer & Richard Daniels
Eucharistic Ministers	Sue Joerger (C), Pat Dietenberger & Jeanne Thompson (<i>Marlyn Meyer & Rita Schuldt</i>)

Stewardship Report For the Week of 05/27/2018	Our Lady of the Pines	St. Theodore's Church
Sunday Offering	\$3746.50	\$1326.18
Catholic Communications Envel.	\$50.00	\$3.00
Cemetery Envelopes	\$95.00	- -
Rectory Project Fund	\$70.00	- -
Candle Envelopes	\$29.00	- -
Building Maintenance Envelopes	\$20.00	
2018 DAA Contribution \$ as of May 11, 2018 % of Parish Participation	\$11,349.00 (Goal: \$13,852 30%)	\$2,455.50 (Goal: \$3,526 25.68 %)

St. John's Bible at Villa St. Vincent, Crookston

The Heritage Edition of Saint John's Bible is brought to Crookston with support from Benedictine Health System and Benedictine Health System Foundation. Please join us for a special viewing of the renowned Saint John's Bible Heritage Edition on **Wednesday, June 13, 2018 6-8 PM** at Villa St. Vincent 516 Walsh Street, Crookston. To schedule a group visit or special viewing, please contact Pastor Bill Humiston, Spiritual Care Director, at 218-280-0908.

Ecumenical Bible Study at OLP

The Ecumenical Bible Study Group will be meeting at Our Lady of the Pines Church, from **Wednesday, June 06, 2018 through August 29, 2018** from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. All are welcome! For more information call Sally Froelich at: 218-371-1313.

Baby Bottle Campaign

There are only two more weeks to fill that baby bottle for the Walker Area Pregnancy Support Center. You are welcome to tuck in dollars and checks also. If you would like a receipt to be used for tax purposes please put your name and address in the bottle with the money. These donations go a long way in purchasing cribs, mattresses, bottles, diapers and other equipment to help our clients get off to a better start in raising their babies.

Sunday: June 10, 2018	
Sacristans	Bob DeCrans & Mary DeCrans
Musicians	Don Hudson
Cantors	Don Hudson
Lectors	John Lindow, Bob DeCrans & Anna Hudson
Altar Servers	Help Needed
Ushers	Bob DeCrans, Ed DeLaHunt, Cheri Stallman & Ted Stallman
Greeters	Mary DeCrans & Cheryl Van Guilder
Eucharistic Ministers	Kevin Lindow (C), Cheri Stallman & Ted Stallman, Mary Schiebe & Carol Lindow (<i>John Pollard & Sharon Pollard</i>)

OLP Monthly Assignments: June 2018

Hospitality Ministers	Cheryl Van Guilder (C), Sandra Armstrong, Leah Pigatti, Anna Hudson, Marion Goeden, Jeanne Thompson & Mary Jo Downs
Altar Linen	Anna Hudson

Prayer Requests

Cecilia Daniels, Art Meyer, Elijah Clack, Ruth Hrubes, Ed Juelich, Carla Wheeler, Nicholas Davis, Julie Mischel, Rita Cole, Trent Cole, Ed Dvorak, Brenda Nulliner, Marie Hassler, Jerry Amundson, Jack and Kathy Roberts, Shawn Karl, Greg Carter, Jan Lundberg, Dennis Schafer, Alan Knott, Shirley Tatro, Barbara Dietenberger, Peg Koktavy, Dorothy Goeden, Priscilla Dietenberger, Harold Dietenberger, Paul Mockenhaupt, Jean Dryness.

St. Theodore's Church Liturgical Ministers Sunday: June 10, 2018	
Sacristan	Charlotte Rauch
Musician	Angie Jobe
Cantor	Sharon Lembke
Lectors	Kevin Warne, Joe Eisterhold & Ruth Grandy
Altar Servers	Abbey Richardson, Caine Richardson & Gabby Nelson
Ushers	Ken Nelson & Roger Rudbeck
Greeters	Lisa Katzenmeyer & Bonnie Conrad
Eucharistic Ministers	Bonnie Conrad (C), Lisa Katzenmeyer & Dee Warne

Please call the Parish Office at 652-4005 to keep a name on the Prayer List or to add someone new. Names will be removed after 4 weeks, unless a fresh request is made.

Father's Day Collection

We will take up the Father's Day collection on the weekend of the 16th and 17th of June. This collection is very important as it provides for the health insurance, Medicare and unreimbursed medical and dental expenses for our retired priests. Priests in the Diocese of Crookston may not retire until they are 70 years old (unless their health dictates early retirement) and many continue to serve as weekend substitutes, long term substitutes, spiritual directors, chaplains and participants in reconciliation services long after they officially retire.

Msgr. Mike Patnode, who most recently served as Pastor of St. Francis de Sales Parish in Moorhead is featured on the back cover of the OND (May 16, 2018 edition). He speaks from the heart about his first year of retirement. Enjoy the article and please give generously to the Father's Day Collection!

Marriage Banns

Please join us in praying for the following couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony to be celebrated in our parishes:

Alexander Ronald Koch & Margaret Ann Lindow

*Exchange of Vows on Saturday, July 7, 2018,
at 2:30 PM at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis*

Hunter Reid Schroeder & Lydia Lorraine Lutz

*Exchange of Vows on Saturday, August 18, 2018,
at 2:30 PM at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis*

Our Sympathy and Prayer

St. Theodore's Parish Community extends its sympathy and prayerful support to Irene Fehn and Katrina Nelson at the death of **Colin Fehn**. His funeral services are held in Laporte on Saturday, June 02 at 11:00 AM. May God grant him Eternal Rest!

Electronic Giving

'Direct Deposit' is a safe and secure way to submit your Sunday offering and support our Parishes during the many out of town weekends you may be away. In collaboration with the Citizen Bank, Park Rapids, our parish has now the facility for all the parishioners who would like to give electronically. Signup forms are available in the Gathering place.

Fresh Donuts Sale at Our Lady of the Pines

OLP Fundraisers Group is happy to present you freshly made Donuts for sale on **Saturdays from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM**. If stock lasts, you may be able to buy after weekend Masses. Preorders are accepted by email: parishoffice@nevis@gmail.com or voicemail at: 218-652-4005.

Welcome Back!

These days, we see a lot of familiar faces in our Congregation - our summer residents, "snow birds" and other visitors who are returning to the lake area. Our Lady of the Pines and St. Theodore's Churches warmly welcome all of you. Here are some of the opportunities for you to worship with us!

Our Weekend Masses

Saturday: 05:00 PM at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis

Sunday: 08:30 AM at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte

Sunday: 10:30 AM at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis

Our Weekday Masses

at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis

Tuesday: 12:00 Noon

Wednesday-Friday: 09:00 AM

Thank You

St. Theodore's Cemetery Committee thanks all those who supported the Bake Sale at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte. This Fundraiser brought in \$843.00 with donations and sales that will go toward the projects of St. Lawrence's Cemetery, Guthrie. We thank Jackie Duff for her generosity to organize the Bake Sale last Sunday.

You are aware that we have recently got back the cemetery property from the State government after its forfeitures were cancelled. The committee has just completed the survey of the land. We need to fence the property this summer. For this we need your help. Our next Cemetery Fundraiser is: **July 8th**. A Second collection will be taken at St. Theodore's Church to complete the Cemetery projects. Please support us generously.

Convocation of Parish Leaders

A Convocation of Parish Leaders will take place this fall from **November 30 to December 1st** in Fargo, ND for representatives of all parishes in the Diocese of Crookston and the Diocese of Fargo. The schedule on Friday runs from 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM and on Saturday from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM. The convocation theme is *Evangelizing Missionary Disciples*". It will offer parish leaders the opportunity to reflect on what a culture of missionary discipleship could look like in our parishes and the steps to take to bring it to fruition.

The bishops are asking to prepare a parish delegation. We may be able to make about 5 persons delegation from our parishes. As we get more information, we will reach out to you. Till then, we ask you to say a special prayer for the upcoming Convocation of Parish Leaders and that it may help us meet the needs of the people in our parishes and how to reach others who are not in communion with us.