

St. Anne's Church

October 28, 2018

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Mission Statement: *We, the people of St. Anne's Parish, together with the Diocese of St. Cloud and the Roman Catholic Church, are called to know, love and serve God through Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to educate ourselves and our children and to carry on Christ's ministry in our daily life as His members.*

Reconciliation: Saturday at 4:30pm.

Weddings: Engaged couples should see the pastor at least 6 months before the planned wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the parish office for homebound/hospitalized.

Secretary's Hours: Lana Vossen - Mon., Thurs. 8:30-12:00 & Wed. 8:30-3:00 (Bulletin materials must be in by Thurs.AM)

Religious Education: Betty Nystrom 320-398-2211 Ext. 12, email – reledsanne@meltel.net

Diocesan Web Site: www.stcdio.org

Trustees: Tom Ehlinger and Robin Schiefelbein

Parish Council: Greg Stang, Trudy Westrich, Lois Jensen, Fritz Hoffmann, John Donnay and Mary Lou Pivec

MASS INTENTIONS

October 29	Monday	[SA]	8:00 a.m.	Weekday	+Bev Kuechle
October 30	Tuesday	[SN]	8:00 a.m.	Weekday	
October 31	Wednesday	[SA]	8:30 a.m.	Weekday	+Betty Adolph
November 1	Thursday	[SN]	8:00 a.m.	All Saints	
		[SA]	7:00 p.m.	All Saints	+George & Alvera Gohmann
November 2	Friday	[SA]	No Mass	All Souls Day	
November 3	Saturday	[SA]	5:00 p.m.	31 st Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Melvin Blair
November 4	Sunday	[SA]	8:00 a.m.	31 st Sunday in Ordinary Time	Members of Both Parishes

Weekend Masses at St. Nicholas are Saturday at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>SACRISTAN</u>
Nov. 3, 5:00 p.m.	Rita Donnay, Kathy Tenney Mary Spaulding	Tammy Konz	William Serbus Matt Serbus	Pat Brandt Teresa Schiefelbein	Tammy Konz
Nov. 4, 8:00 a.m.	Paul DeGree, Tracy Theis Colleen DeGree	Dave Traurig	Ralph Anderson Austin Decknatel	Jeff Hilsgen Nick Brandt	C. DeGree

STEWARD OF TREASURE

Adult	xxx	34 Envelopes of 281
Youth	xxx	3 Envelopes of 97
Loose	<u>xxx</u>	
Total	xxx	

Furnace Replacement	xxx
World Missions	xxx
Hurricane Relief	xxx

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: Thank you all who put their faith into action by responding so generously on World Mission Sunday! Our parish raised \$339.00 for the work of the Pontifical Mission Societies and the needs of the Catholic Church around the world.

PRAY FOR THESE PEOPLE of the parish and community who have asked for our prayers: Steven Whalen, Allen Kuhn, Walter White, Barb Huckenpoehler, Mary Ann Bechtold, Nancy Stang, Mary Baker, Julie Anderson, Kathy Wholman, John Decker, Ed Ougel, Madison Brown and Madison Woodford. Also pray for the women and men serving in the armed forces. Your contact persons are 236-7947, 398-7525 (also the prayer line) or the parish office 398-2211.

SUNDAY MORNING MASS TIME CHANGE:

Starting Next **Sunday, November 4th,**

St. Anne's Mass time will change to **8:00**

a.m. and St. Nicholas to 10:00 a.m.

Saturday evening Masses remain the same.

Remember it is Daylight Savings also, so don't forget to set you clocks back one hour.



LECTORS: Please pick up your new Lector workbook in the Sacristy.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION: Thursday, November 1st is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be at 7:00 p.m. at St. Anne's and 8:00 a.m. at St. Nicholas.

LECTORS, SERVERS, EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, USHERS AND SACRISTANS are needed to help with the Mass on Thursday evening, November 1st, All Saints Day. Please sign up in the Gathering Area or call the Parish office 398-2211.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: St. Anne's monthly Eucharist Adoration will be Wednesday, November 7th from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. St. Nicholas' Adoration is on Tuesday, November 6th from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. We need two people throughout the day please sign up in the Gathering Area, even if you have a regular time each month you attend.



---RELIGIOUS EDUCATION---

***Safe Environment Training:** We will hold Safe Environment Training for students in grades K – 8. If parents do not want their student to receive this training, please send a written notice to the office by Oct. 31. All parents are welcome to join their students for the training.

***Reminder to Families:** Mass times change on Nov. 4, so R.Ed. classes do also. Beginning Nov. 4, classes will begin after the 8AM Mass (approximately 9 o'clock). Classes end at 10:30.

THE KIMBALL KRUISERS 4H CLUB is Scaring Away Hunger this Holiday Season. There will be a box in the Gathering Area labeled Food Shelf, leave donations to help support the Kimball Area Food Shelf. Donations will be picked up November 5th. Thank you for your generous donations.

MEDICARE EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP: On Wednesday, 11-7-2018, @ 12:45pm Catholic United Financial will be hosting a "Medicare Educational Workshop." David Stang will be presenting information about Medicare and the changes that are happening, who is affected & what you need to do. It will be held in the dining room at St Anne's Parish.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone;" Listen with your spouse for God's message of love by exploring a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend. The next weekends are: Apr 5-7, 2019 in Baxter, MN and Sep 20-22, 2019 in Alexandria, MN. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: northmnwwme.org or contact us at applications@northmnwwme.org or 888-455-3496.

GOSPEL CONNECTION: 30th Sunday of the Year
Seeing *all* the colors

A professor of ministry and spirituality asks her students to take part in a little experiment:

She directs them to look around the classroom and focus on one particular color: for example, take note of everything that is red, she says. After a few moments, she asks them to close their eyes and quietly recall all the red items they saw. Then comes the unexpected: With their eyes still closed, the professor asks them to name all the *blue* things they had seen. Most often, because they were so focused on the color red, they missed all the blue and any other color.

The professor explains that this is similar to what we focus on in everyday life:

"We focus on the negative and tend to notice all that is going wrong in our world, and we miss God's grace and presence before us. What we focus on is what we give power to! In focusing on the negative we miss God's grace."

[C. Vanessa White, Assistant Professor of Spirituality and Ministry at Catholic Theological Union in Chicago, writing in the August 2018 issue Give Us This Day www.giveusthisday.org (Collegeville, Minn.: Liturgical Press, 2018). Used with permission.]

In today's Gospel, Jesus restores the sight of the blind Bartimaeus - but not just the vision of his eyes, but the vision of his soul. Jesus redirects his sight to perceive the presence of God in his life, to see and embrace the many signs of God's grace in the world around him. Our own vision can use a similar re-focus: we can be so attuned to one "color" - the color of disappointment, the color of self-centeredness, the color of cynicism - that we are blind to the colors of God: compassion, mercy, forgiveness, peace. Bartimaeus receives his sight - but Jesus also affirms the vision that he already possesses: the ability to "see" God's love in his midst, to "see" the possibilities for God's transforming hope and re-creating love to heal the brokenness in his life, to "see" his own ability to be the means for God's justice and reconciliation. To see our lives and our world with the eyes of faith is to recognize the many colors of God's grace radiant in every human being, in every place, in every moment.

AREA BENEFITS:

The annual St. John's University Holiday Craft Sale and the St. John's Boys Choir Bake Sale is Saturday, November 3 from 9AM – 3PM in the Great Hall at St. John's University, Collegeville. All proceeds from the bake sale will benefit the Boys Choir.

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G	J	E	R	I	C	H	O	U	V	JUMPED	RABBUNI	MASTER	FAITH
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