

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

202 West Maple, Frazee MN 56544 April 1, 2018 Website: <http://frazeesacredheart.org>

Here is a thought from last week's homily...I didn't preach last week! Here is a line from the Passion: *The poor you will always have with you, and whenever you wish you can do good to them.*

When I was kid, The Easter Triduum was all about Good Friday. The pastor of St. Rose in Hillsboro was an immigrant from Austria. He had a thick German accent. He immigrated to the United States as a young man. I don't know how he got connected to the Diocese of Fargo or how he ever discovered the seminary in Milwaukee. In God's providence he did, and in 1969 he was sent to Hillsboro.

My brother Paul was born on June 26, 1969. It was his privilege to be the first boy baptized by the new pastor. As the baptism was about to begin, Fr. Binder announced to my parents that he had a custom that the first boy baptized by him in a new assignment is to be given his name. Did I mention his name was Julius? My parents responded, "No, his name is Paul." Talk about tension!

When it came time for the baptism, the pastor baptized him "Paul Julius." When Paul was old enough to be a Mass server, his name always appeared in the bulletin, "Julius Baumgartner." This is not funny and really funny all at the same time. Back to Good Friday...

For the Triduum Fr. Binder had the tomb of Jesus constructed in the Church. It was a square room with plywood walls painted to look like rock walls. Inside the "tomb" was a life-size statue of Jesus lying dead. On the walls were all of the artifacts of the passion—a crown of thorns, a whip, spikes to nail him to the cross, a hammer, a bag of 30 coins, the veil of Veronica and so on. Anything you can think of was in the tomb. My favorite was a plastic chicken, skinned and ready for soup. It was to be the cock that crowed twice when Peter denied the Lord three times.

All of the Mass servers were required to do a Holy Hour *in the tomb* on Good Friday, where the Blessed Sacrament was exposed. I loved it, except for the pollen of about a hundred lilies that caused my allergies to blossom.

"Triduum" means three days. It is one liturgy that is spread out for three days. In the fourth century St. Ambrose wrote that these are the days during which Jesus "suffered and rested and rose," (et passus est, et requievit, et resurrexit). With every memory and with all that we are and have today, let us rejoice that Jesus is risen. Truly, he is risen.

Daily Mass Schedule: Apr 2-8

Tues: 9:00 am +Richard Mellen
 Wed: 9:00 am +Tony Dretsch
 Thurs: 7:00 pm +Arlene Schreiner
 Fri: 9:00 am +Ken Jacobson
 Sat: 9:00 am World Peace
 5:30 pm The people of Assumption & Sacred Heart
 Sun: 8:30 am +Agnes Weis

(Morning Prayer Tues, Thurs & Fri @ 8:40 am before Mass)

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Mass Times

Tuesday through Friday
 9:00 am
 (Wednesdays at the
 Care Center)
 Saturday 9:00 am & 5:30
 pm
 Sunday 8:30 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:30 pm
 Sundays 7:45-8:15 am
 Thursdays 8:30 am

ADORATION:

Tuesdays: 9:30AM-7:00
 PM

We are seeking nominations for 3 positions on the Pastoral Council.

Current Council members are:

- Kathy Stenger,
- MaryAnne Karasch,
- Tracy LaSart,
- Tracy Roforth
- Ross Kosowski
- Bud Hensel
- Diane Mistelske

Please get your nominations in to Father David, Bud Hensel or Marlys Jacobson no later than Easter Sunday.

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring the Forty Cans for Forty Days food drive. Please remember to bring your food items in and the KC's will collect them and transport them to the food pantry.

Parishioners' Prayer Requests:

Parish families have asked us to keep in our prayers their loved ones who are ill. Please pray for:

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| -LaVonne Goetsch (Surgery) | -Dave and Mona Matuska |
| -Eugene Roerick (RIP) | -Pete Woodard (RIP) |
| -Kristi Roers | -Dave Schram |
| -Jane Skirwa | |

March 25, 2018
 Attendance 228

Adults	\$ 3,917.00
Loose	319.36
Children	3.00
	\$ 4,239.36

Other Budgeted Income

Vigil Lights	\$ 32.75
Easter Flowers	240.00
Funeral lunch	300.00
KC Reimbursement	45.04
Assump. Reimb	63.10
Building Fund	100.00
	\$ 780.89

Other Non -Budgeted Income: FACC--\$163.95; Children's Window--\$187

Needed per Week to Reach Budget: \$4,733.00—This figure includes all sources of parish income (i.e., funerals, flower collections, fall dinner, Building, Steeple, and Window Funds, etc.), not just the Sunday collections.

Total
\$ 4,239.36
780.89
\$ 5,020.25

UPCOMING:

Mon., Apr 2: KC's meeting @ 7:00 pm

Tues., Apr 3: Finance Council @ 6:45 pm

Sun., Apr 8: Christian Mothers meeting after 8:30 am Mass

Ministry Schedule for Easter Sunday, April 8, 2018

	Saturday	Sunday
Altar Server	Wyatt Alger Rachel Kasowski	Jason Hofer Joan LaSart Sarah LaSart
Care Center		Bev Roberts Joan Schraufek Kevin Scheidecker
Commentator	Pat Metzger	Bud Hensel
Eucharistic Minister	Traci Alger Nancy Dashner Joan Schraufek	Marlys Jacobson Al Jacobson Barb Rice Roxie Riewer
Greeter	Dave Dorn	Carol Aarness
Lector	Vince Roers	Kathy Stenger
Sacristan		Mark Byer
Usher	Jerry Gibbons Jeremy Mitchell	Dan Giefer Robert Shelstad

Circle 2 is in charge of donuts in April
 Circle 3 will be in charge of donuts in May

April second collections: 1st—Building Fund; 15th—FACC; 29th—Catholic Home Missions Appeal

To submit a prayer request for our prayer chain, either text 503.791.1553 or e-mail frazeeprayerchain@gmail.com. Names will be left in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If you want the name to stay another 4 weeks, please make another prayer request.

Youth

April 4th Evening RE for grades 7th-11th
 April 11th Evening RE for grades 7th-11th
 April 18th Evening RE for grades 7th-11th
 April 25th Last Evening RE for grades 7th-11th

Summer Religion Education Camps or Retreats

JP II camps July 8th-12th or July 15th-19th

NET Ministries Discipleship Week

- June 18th-21st--High School (grades 9-12)
- June 25th-27th-- Middle School (grades 6th-8th)

If you are interested in attending any one of these, please let Christine or Father David know so you can get registered.

Congratulations to the following youth who received First Reconciliation and First Eucharist here on March 3, 2018:

- Erick Rodelo
- Valeria Rodelo
- Giselle Gastelum
- Jennifer Gastelum

1st Marriage Banns: Keith Price and Adara Payne

The 2018 **scholarship application** for the John Arouni Catholic Education Endowment is now available online and in the kiosk in the Hall of Saints. Application deadline is May 1, 2018.