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Mass Times

Monday 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday-Thursday
9:00 am
Friday 7:30 AM
(Care Center)
Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 8:30AM

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:30PM

ADORATION:

Tuesdays: 9:30AM-6 PM

Father Ilango will be conducting 2 Town Hall Meetings to discuss the current and long-term maintenance needs of our parish. These meetings will be Tuesday, April 29, and Thursday, May 8. Both meetings will be in the Hall of Saints at 7:00 pm. Parishioners are encouraged to attend.

May 18 (note date change): Altar server training and commissioning at 11:00 am; Thumper Pond at noon. May bring a friend at their own cost. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule

Till Death Do Us Part—A Diego House Retreat: Women's Retreat September 26-28, 2014; Men's Retreat October 24-26, 2014. See flyer on bulletin board for more details.

Reserve the date: We are planning a parish pilgrimage to the Cathedral at Crookston for Saturday, July 12. The pilgrimage will earn a Plenary Indulgence. There will be more information soon.

Easter Flowers: Thank you to all who made donations for Easter flowers. Again, our church was beautiful for all who came to worship the Risen Christ on Easter Sunday.

Parishioners' Prayer Requests

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

-Jim Wallace -Emily Martin
-Luella Baumgart -Dan Hodgson
-Casey Courneya -Ron Jensen
-Dave Goebel -Terri Quittschreiber
-Tammy Soyryng -Norman Buseth
-Kenny Sprouls

April 27, 2014

Collections Apr 20, 2014

Collection Basket
Adult \$4,117.00
Loose 924.60
Children 6.00

Total: \$5,047.60

Other Budgeted Income

Vigil Lights \$ 21.14
Assumption Church 126.07
Building Fund 130.00
Minnkota Recycling 8.20
ARISE Books 12.00
Window Fund 500.00
Easter Flowers 195.00

Total \$ 992.41

Other Parish Fund Raisers: FACC—\$5.00

Non-Parish Collections: Food Shelf—\$60.20

Attendance:
591

Needed per Week to Reach Budget:

\$4,202.29—This figure includes all sources of parish income (i.e., funerals, flower collections, fall dinner, etc), not just the Sunday collections.

This week's Total:

\$ 5,047.60

\$ 992.41

5.00

\$ 6,045.01

UPCOMING:

Apr 26: Baccalaureate, 5:30 pm Mass

Apr 29: Town Hall Meeting, 7:00 pm at Church

May 4: First Communion

May 4: Pancake Breakfast, Circles 4 & 5; Circle 4 in charge

May 4: KC's Highway clean-up, 10:00 am

May 5: Christian Mothers' meeting: Mass @ 5:30 pm, Rosary, light supper, meeting @ 7:00 pm

May 8: Town Hall Meeting, 7:00 pm at Church

May 18: Altar server training, commissioning and appreciation starting at 11:00 am

Ministry Schedule for May 4, 2014

	5:30 PM	8:30 AM
FCC—Mark Byer and Barb Rice		
Ministers	Jeanie Wothe	Marlys Jacobson
Of Holy	Linda Mack	Cheryl Stegmaier
Communion	Kristi Roers	Mark Byer
		Kathy Peichel
		Heather Mitchell
Lectors	Jim Courneya	Bev Roberts
Ushers	Adam Jaroszewski	Kyle Wothe
	Jim Jaroszdwski	Bud Hensel
Servers	Cath. Jaroszewski	Ethan Wothe
	Grace Jaroszewski	Madison Ketter
	Hayley Courneya	Ricky Roforth
	Isaac Courneya	Zach Roforth

*Note to ministers: This schedule does not reflect any recent changes or substitutions you may have made.

Circle 3 is in charge of donuts in April
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April 2nd Collections: 27th—Home Missions

Parish Directories are here. Any directories not picked are available in the Office

Pope Francis' Easter Message from 2013 (Part 2)

2. But let us return to the Gospel, to the women, and take one step further. They find the tomb empty, the body of Jesus is not there, something new has happened, but all this still doesn't tell them anything certain: it raises questions; it leaves them confused, without offering an answer. And suddenly there are two men in dazzling clothes who say: "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; but has risen" (Lk 24:5-6). What was a simple act, done surely out of love – going to the tomb – has now turned into an event, a truly life-changing event. Nothing remains as it was before, not only in the lives of those women, but also in our own lives and in the history of mankind. Jesus is not dead, he has risen, he is *alive!* He does not simply return to life; rather, he is life itself, because he is the Son of God, the living God (cf. Num 14:21-28; Deut 5:26; Josh 3:10). Jesus no longer belongs to the past, but lives in the present and is projected towards the future; Jesus is the everlasting "today" of God. This is how the newness of God appears to the women, the disciples and all of us: as victory over sin, evil and death, over everything that crushes life and makes it seem less human. And this is a message meant for me and for you dear sister, for you dear brother. How often does Love have to tell us: Why do you look for the living among the dead? Our daily problems and worries can wrap us up in ourselves, in sadness and bitterness... and that is where death is. That is not the place to look for the One who is alive! Let the risen Jesus enter your life, welcome him as a friend, with trust: he is life! If up till now you have kept him at a distance, step forward. He will receive you with open arms. If you have been indifferent, take a risk: you won't be disappointed. If following him seems difficult, don't be afraid; trust him, be confident that he is close to you, he is with you and he will give you the peace you are looking for and the strength to live as he would have you do.

3. There is one last little element that I would like to emphasize in the Gospel for this Easter Vigil. The women encounter the newness of God. Jesus has risen, he is alive! But faced with empty tomb and the two men in brilliant clothes, their first reaction is one of fear: "they were terrified and bowed their faced to the ground", Saint Luke tells us – they didn't even have courage to look. But when they hear the message of the Resurrection, they accept it in faith. And the two men in dazzling clothes tell them something of crucial importance: remember. "Remember what he told you when he was still in Galilee... And they remembered his words" (Lk 24:6,8). This is the invitation to *remember* their encounter with Jesus, to remember his words, his actions, his life; and it is precisely this loving remembrance of their experience with the Master that enables the women to master their fear and to bring the message of the Resurrection to the Apostles and all the others (cf. Lk 24:9). To remember what God has done and continues to do for me, for us, to remember the road we have travelled; this is what opens our hearts to hope for the future. May we learn to remember everything that God has done in our lives.

On this radiant night, let us invoke the intercession of the Virgin Mary, who treasured all these events in her heart (cf. Lk 2:19,51) and ask the Lord to give us a share in his Resurrection. May he open us to the newness that transforms, to the beautiful surprises of God. May he make us men and women capable of remembering all that he has done in our own lives and in the history of our world. May he help us to feel his presence as the one who is alive and at work in our midst. And may he teach us each day, dear brothers and sisters, not to look among the dead for the Living One. Amen.

Weekday Mass Schedule April 28-May 4

Mon: 5:30 p.m. +Barb Hanson
Tues: 9:00 a.m. +Jeffrey Goddard
Wed: 9:00 a.m. No Mass; Communion Service
Thurs: 9:00 a.m. Aaron Lowry
Fri: 7:30 a.m. +Peter Korzendorfer
Sat: 9:00 a.m. +Bob Stroschein
5:30 pm. +Annette George
Sun: 8:30 a.m. Pro Popolo

Youth

April RE schedule: Grades 7-11, April 30; May 7 Last class

First Communion: May 4, 8:30 am Mass

Confirmation: May 24, 5:30 pm Mass

Discipleship Week 2014: Duluth, June 9-12 (Mon-Thurs); Cost Per Student: \$230. Register online by May 10, www.diocesseduluth.org/d-week.

Download all forms & follow all directions. Mail completed forms and payment to: Diocese of Duluth, Attn: D-Week 2014, 2830 East Fourth Street, Duluth, MN 55812.

Saint JPII Middle School Camp, Sunday, July 6-Thursday, July 10, for students entering grades 7-9.

□ On behalf of Bishop Hoepfner and the Diocese of Crookston, thank you for your generosity in supporting the Diocesan Church. Your support through the **Diocesan Annual Appeal** is vital and very gratefully received!

□ As of today, 81 generous members of our parish have contributed a total of \$11,955.00 to the 2014 DAA. We are \$3,993.00 from our parish goal of \$15,948. If you haven't yet participated, please consider joining your friends and family in supporting the DAA. You'll find DAA envelopes for your use in the vestibule. Additionally, on May 10th, you will receive a letter from our Bishop asking for your participation in the 2014 DAA.

□ Bishop Hoepfner would like you to know that he will be speaking about the spirituality of stewardship live on Your Catholic Radio on April 29th at 10:00 AM. Please tune in at one of the following stations: AM 1370 KWTL Grand Forks * AM 1280 KVXR Moorhead * FM 106.3 Bemidji (affiliate)