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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

There will be a Liturgy Committee meeting July 22, @ 7PM

Please continue to submit the UPC's from "Our Family." Nash Finch Co. extended the program through July 2016.

We mailed 1,000 UPC's this month and will receive a check for \$50.

We also thank everyone for donating the grocery receipts from Central Market in Detroit Lakes. In 2013 we received at total of \$717 from Central Market.

Holy Family Icons pictures are available. If you would like to purchase one, the picture alone is \$2.00 and the framed one is \$10.00. These are the pictures that were gifted to those signed up for the Marriage Mass and breakfast. If you did not receive your picture yet, please contact Cheryl

Father Ilango will be the Spiritual Director for the Women's Cursillo at Fosston, MN, September 25-28, 2014. If you are interested, application forms are in the vestibule.

KC's: Knights of Columbus Sportsman Raffle tickets are in. See Mark Byer, Tim Stenger, Dave Riewer or Jim Jaroszewski for tickets.

Diane Mistelske will be selling Premier Designs Jewelry on Saturday and Sunday, July 19th & 20th for a fundraiser for the church improvements ALL proceeds, plus a matching amount, will be donated. For example, if the sale takes in \$200 from the sale of jewelry, matching funds will bring it to \$400. Please help with this fundraiser.

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	-William Swan
-Ken Jacobson	-Roger Wolden
-Tammy Soyring	-Norman Buseth
-Kenny Sprouls	-Lisa Flynn
-Clem Neisen	-Paula Stegeman

Collections July 6, 2014

Collection Basket	Attendance:
Adult \$3,715.00	468
Loose 686.73	
Children 4.00	
Total: \$4,405.73	

Other Budgeted Income

Vigil Lights	\$ 9.50
Building Fund	1,121.75
Steeple Fund	1,268.45
Window Fund	1,068.40
Bible Study Books	12.00
Franciscan Media	15.00
Assumption reimbursement	18.20
Total	\$ 3,513.30

Other Parish Fund Raisers: RE—\$300; Arouni Scholarship—\$75

Non-Parish Collections: Peter's Pence—\$9; Retired Priests—\$125

UPCOMING:

Jul 16: St. Thomas Aquinas Book Club 7:00 pm at Church
 Jul 19: The 3 M's (Mass, Meal, and Movie): After 5:30 pm Mass
 Jul 21: KC Officers' meeting 7:00pm at Church
 Jul 22: Liturgy Committee meeting @ 7:00 pm
 Jul 29: Stewardship Committee meeting 7:00 pm @ Church
 Jul 30: St. Thomas Aquinas Book Club 7:00 pm at Church

Ministry Schedule for July 20, 2014

	5:30 PM	8:30 AM
FCC— Paul and Sharon Guck		
Ministers	Ruth Ann Lehmann	Marlys Jacobson
Of Holy Communion	Jill Mickelson	Dale Sattler
	Jeanne Riley	Tammy Sattler
		Roxie Riewer
		Mark Byer
Lectors	Keith Adams	Kay Furey
Ushers	Bruce Hofer	Bud Hensel
	Kyle Wothe	Dan Giefer
Servers	Autom Moe	Braylee Riewer
	Scott Seim	Ricky Roforth
	Abigail Wothe	Zach Roforth

Circle 6 is in charge of donuts in July
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July 2nd Collections: 13th—Peter's Pence; 27th—FACC

July 13, 2014

Youth

Safe Environment

All that have done or are new to ministries that need Safe Environment: The new test and Acknowledgement Consent forms are available online. Go to frazeesacred-heart.org. Click on the Safe Environment, and it will take you through the test etc. If you are new or have not done SEP in 2 years or more, you must use the New Volunteer option. Even if you did the SEP last week you MUST do it again. This needs to be done before September 27, 2014. Any questions— contact Cheryl. Thank you!

Youth will be running the **Cake Walk at Turkey Days**: Anyone that would like to donate cake mixes, frosting, disposable pans (the small ones), decoration items (candies etc.) or would like to help make and decorate the cakes...we would really appreciate the donations. Thanks

Christian Mothers:

Turkey Days is only 2 weeks away. Turn in your raffle tickets for the Cedar Chest. Please bring a donated item so we can fill the Cedar Chest. The drawing will be held on July 27, 2014 at 12:00 PM. Thank you.

Congratulations and Thank You to the entire parish for another successful bake sale last weekend. As a parish we raised \$684.85 for our steeple and window repairs..

The CD for this month is titled "Meet Your Mother-- An Introduction to Mary", by Mark Miravalle. In this CD, Dr. Mark Miravalle, a professor who has taught and written about Mary for over 25 years-- covers most of the major teachings about the Mother of Jesus. He introduces and explores the truth about Mary that will renew your existing knowledge and love for the woman divinely appointed to bring Jesus into the world. There is a Bonus talk titled 'Our Lady, Undoer of Knots', also by Dr. Miravalle. This CD and many others are available in the kiosk in the back of the church for a \$3.00 donation to the Christian Mothers.

Weekday Mass Schedule July 14-20

Mon:	5:30 p.m.	+Kathryn Parker
Tues:	9:00 a.m.	+Chad Jutz
Wed:	9:00 a.m.	+Jeffrey Aarness
Thurs:	9:00 a.m.	Ill in the Parish
Fri:	7:30 a.m.	+Norman and Mabel Mickelson
Sat:	5:30 p.m.	+Virginia Quiggle
Sun:	8:30 a.m.	Pro Popolo

My dear friends in Christ,

Can you survive one day without any money? Just listen to the experience of this German woman called Greta Taubert from her book **Apokalypse Jetzt** "For one year, Greta Taubert renounced our consumer society. Eating, drinking and dressing without spending a cent, the 30-year-old German woman wanted to see what life would be like if the economic system collapsed. The first thing she badly wanted after her 12 months of consumer abstinence? "Tights," she replied spontaneously, nursing a cappuccino in a cafe in Leipzig, a city in what used to be East Germany. "And toiletries," she added quickly, pushing aside a strand of her long blonde hair. Gone now are the homemade deodorants, face creams and toothpastes, all guaranteed 100 percent organic. "I even made my own shampoo," she said. "But I started to look like a Neanderthal. My friends told me, 'Now you're going too far'," she laughed. For an entire year Taubert, a freelance journalist, swapped skirts and trousers at second-hand clothes exchanges and tilled the soil to grow cabbage and potatoes in a community garden. For a holiday, she hitchhiked some 1,700 kilometres (more than 1,000 miles) to take time out in Barcelona, albeit in a squat. Having endured the extreme experience, she wrote a book, **Apokalypse Jetzt!** -- German for "Apocalypse Now", the title of Francis Ford Coppola's epic 1979 Vietnam war movie -- which came out in February. In the book, she recounts her life far from the clothes racks of H&M, the cardboard boxes of discount supermarket chains, and from the considerable waste of modern consumer society. -- 'More, more, more mantra' - The eco-minimalist adventure began one Sunday afternoon at her grandmother's house, where she contemplated a table laden with ham and cheese canapes, apple pie, cheesecake, cream pie, vanilla biscuits and coffee -- just a couple of hours after a hearty lunch. "When I said 'I would like some milk', my granny put on the table powdered flavours to add chocolate, banana, vanilla or strawberry taste," Taubert recalled. "Our economic system is based on the perspective of infinite growth, but our ecological world is limited," she wrote. "The mantra 'more, more, more' will not take us very far." In Germany, in 2012, nearly seven million tonnes of food landed in the garbage, averaging 81.6 kilogrammes (180 pounds) per person. Taubert says Europe's years of crisis have heightened awareness about the limits of the current economic model. "People have realised that they haven't settled anything with the bailouts and the European Stability Mechanism," she said. "We're just continuing as in the past, but this system doesn't have a sound basis." Her arguments reprise those made in the 2012 book "How Much Is Enough?" by British writers Robert and Edward Skidelsky, who argue that the modern world is ruled by an insatiable desire to accumulate ever more money and things."

The above experience of an individual may sound really crazy. However, when we look and reflect a little more into our daily lives, are we not over-using and wasting lots of things that we could use very sparsely? Let us not brush aside this as a simple argument of some ecological fanatics. This is the truth. Our food, water, air and all other resources given in our hands are not inexhaustible. All the resources need to be used more responsibly. Just think about so many things we buy and use once a year. Why do we end up in rummage sales so much? I do not recommend going back to primitive style in everything. But can we resist our culture and say "No" to its ever-increasing demand of asking us to buy more? Do we have the honesty to push this culture back and say that I am a disciple of Jesus and I can survive with whatever I already have! This is an open invitation of our Pope Francis to live a simple and joyful life for Jesus. Will you pay attention to his call?

Your brother in Christ, Fr. Xavier Ilango