

Assumption Catholic Church

206 Dakota Street, PO Box 67, Callaway, MN April 10, 2016

Here is a thought from last week's homily, "Because we have been adopted by the Spirit, we should give up our earthly lives...The Church is our Mother... We should cling to Heaven, not to things in this world."

PRAYER TO CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

Father of all,
 Creator and ruler of the universe,
 You entrusted your world to us as a gift.
 Help us to care for it and all people,
 that we may live in right relationship--
 with You,
 with ourselves,
 with one another,
 and with creation.

Christ our Lord,
 both divine and human,
 You lived among us and died for our sins.
 Help us to imitate your love for the human family
 by recognizing that we are all connected—
 to our brothers and sisters around the world,
 to those in poverty impacted by environmental devastation,
 and to future generations.

Holy Spirit,
 giver of wisdom and love,
 You breathe life in us and guide us.
 Help us to live according to your vision,
 stirring to action the hearts of all—
 individuals and families,
 communities of faith,
 and civil and political leaders.

Triune God, help us to hear the cry of those in poverty, and the cry of the earth, so that we may together care for our common home.

Amen.

This prayer from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops is based on Pope Francis' [Laudato Si': On Care for Our Common Home](#)

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Mass Times
 Thursday @ 7:00 pm
 Sunday 10:30 am

CONFESSIONS:
 Thursday @ 6:15 pm
 Sunday after Mass

ADORATION:
 Thursdays: 5:00-7:00 pm

Because Sacred Heart has Confirmation on April 17 at the 8:30 am Mass, Assumption will not have its regular 10:30 am Mass next weekend. Instead, Assumption's Mass will be Saturday evening, April 16, at 7:00 pm.

On Wednesday, April 13, we will be spring cleaning the church, starting at 9:00 am and with a pot luck lunch. Please come and help out.

On Sunday, April 17, there will be a Christian Mothers meeting with Sunday Fellowship.

Thank you for all the We Care receipts we redeem at Central Market. Please turn them in frequently. Remember that Central Market does not honor any receipt more than a year old.

Question of the Week: Whom should I seek out this week and invite to a real breakfast with me? Can I then invite them to a spiritual breakfast with Jesus in a community that welcomes everyone to Jesus' feast of mercy?

PRAYER REQUESTS: A PRAYER TO PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE BELOW:

Lord, we pray for your loving support for the people listed below and their families as they deal with their illnesses. Guide the doctors who are seeking answers and making decisions about care/ treatments. We pray that their illness is at a stage favorable for effective treatment. Enable their bodies to respond well to care/treatment and their soul to experience comfort and peace in you. Make this an experience that draws them and their loved ones closer to you as well as to one another. We commit them to your mercy. Amen

LaMae Blattenbauer, Wendy Berg (Ginny Warren's sister), Rosella Olson (Ginny Warren's mother), Danny Nelson, Ray Lundberg, Stella Hazelton, Alice Bellefeuille, Dan Rousu, Mark Stalberger, Milo & Lucille Winter, Jenny Shea, Peter Pearson, Shelly Scheler, Gabriel Fain, Sherry Steffl, Leroy Olk, Ernie Clark, Lowell Baker, Martha Donley, Kristine Hazelton, Connie Olgaard, Jeff Wirth, Rita Pearson, Walt Welle, Shawna Donner, Brian Hazelton, Landon Hochstetler, Irene Hazelton, Steve Strawsell, David Strawsell, Jerry Braaten, Deb Clark, Cindy (Schouville) Myhre, Jamie Weigel, Albert Schouville, Rick Flottesch, Lori Stalberger, Jim Hazelton, Cleo Baker, Brent Pearson, Jerry Flottesch, Phil Bellefeuille, Ken Jacobson.

Mass Schedule for Sacred Heart Church in Frazee
 Saturdays – 9:00 am and 5:30 pm
 Sundays – 8:30 am
 Weekdays: Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays 9:00 am
 Wednesdays – Frazee Care Center 10:00 am

"Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" (John 21:17)

All of us are challenged to show our love for Jesus by "feeding His sheep." Through prayer ask God how you should best use your time, talent and treasure to assist those who are in need. Remember that giving is an act of worship and helps advance the mission of our parish and greater Church.

Collections for April 3, 2016
\$885.00
Maintenance Fund
\$20.00

UPCOMING:
Apr 13: Spring Cleaning of the church starting at 9:00 am and with a pot luck lunch.
Apr 17: Christian Mother's meeting during Fellowship

Mass Intentions
Thursday, April 14: Christian Mothers
Saturday, Apr 16: +George & Leona Chilton

Ministry Schedule for Apr 17, 2016

Ministers of Holy Communion
 David Steffl, Crystal Dibley & Colleen Schmit
Lector
 Gina Steffl
Ushers
 Roger Foltz & Jerry Spry
Presentation of Gifts
 Todd & Stacey Frank Family
Altar Servers
 Natalie Steffl & Isabella Steffl
Money Counters
 MaryAnn Jorgenson & Kristi Stalberger