

# Assumption Catholic Church

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Here is a thought from last week's homily: *To seek holy joy is to live with Christian integrity. We ought not seek Jesus with half our heart and then see unholy joys with the other half.*

I have been thinking about our Pastoral Council and the place they are to have in the parish. I reviewed canon law regarding the role of the pastor. Here is some of what it says.

Can. 528 §1. A pastor is obliged to make provision so that the word of God is proclaimed in its entirety to those living in the parish; for this reason, he is to take care that the lay members of the Christian faithful are instructed in the truths of the faith, especially by giving a homily on Sundays and holy days of obligation and by offering catechetical instruction. He is to foster works through which the spirit of the gospel is promoted, even in what pertains to social justice. He is to have particular care for the Catholic education of children and youth. He is to make every effort, even with the collaboration of the Christian faithful, so that the message of the gospel comes also to those who have ceased the practice of their religion or do not profess the true faith.

§2. The pastor is to see to it that the Most Holy Eucharist is the center of the parish assembly of the faithful. He is to work so that the Christian faithful are nourished through the devout celebration of the sacraments and, in a special way, that they frequently approach the sacraments of the Most Holy Eucharist and penance. He is also to endeavor that they are led to practice prayer even as families and take part consciously and actively in the sacred liturgy which, under the authority of the diocesan bishop, the pastor must direct in his own parish and is bound to watch over so that no abuses creep in.

Can. 529 §1. In order to fulfill his office diligently, a pastor is to strive to know the faithful entrusted to his care. Therefore, he is to visit families, sharing especially in the cares, anxieties, and griefs of the faithful, strengthening them in the Lord, and prudently correcting them if they are failing in certain areas. With generous love he is to help the sick, particularly those close to death, by refreshing them solicitously with the sacraments and commending their souls to God; with particular diligence he is to seek out the poor, the afflicted, the lonely, those exiled from their country, and similarly those weighed down by special difficulties. He is to work so that spouses and parents are supported in fulfilling their proper duties and is to foster growth of Christian life in the family.

§2. A pastor is to recognize and promote the proper part which the lay members of the Christian faithful have in the mission of the Church, by fostering their associations for the purposes of religion. He is to cooperate with his own bishop and the presbyterium of the diocese, also working so that the faithful have concern for parochial communion, consider themselves members of the diocese and of the universal Church, and participate in and sustain efforts to promote this same communion.

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**Mass Times**

Thursday @ 7:00 pm  
Sunday 10:30 am

**CONFESSIONS:**

Thursday @ 6:15 pm  
Sunday after Mass

During the month of May, we will be praying the Rosary before Sunday Mass, starting at 10:00.

The family of Gen Olk will be hosting a 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party for her on May 14<sup>th</sup> at Holy Rosary from 2-5 pm.

Congratulations to our graduating seniors: Nick Larson, Mathew Molacek, and Karlee Stalberger. Next Sunday, May 22, will be our Baccalaureate Mass followed by the Baccalaureate Luncheon put on by the Christian Mothers.

**Military Families:** Do you have a child, grandchild or relative in the service? The Knights of Columbus would like to send them a St. Michael's Medal and prayer card. All we need is their name, rank and military address. Call 844-6407 and we will get the medal sent to them with our thanks for their service.

**Question of the Week: To whom should I go and how exactly can we share together the renewing presence of the Spirit's gentle love "resting" upon us?**

**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, Shelly Scheler, Gabriel Fain, Sherry Steffl, Ernie Clark, Lowell Baker, Martha Donley, Connie Olgaard, Jeff Wirth, Rita Pearson, Walt Welle, Shawna Donner, Brian Hazelton, Irene Hazelton, Steve Strawsell, David Strawsell, Jerry Braaten, Deb Clark, Jamie Weigel, Albert Schouville, Rick Flottesmesch, Lori Stalberger, Jim Hazelton, Cleo Baker, Brent Pearson, Jerry Flottesmesch, Phil Bellefeuille, Ken Jacobson, Sharon Winter, and Ken Blattenbauer.

**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

*"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you."*

*(John 14:26)*

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to put the right words in our mouths when challenged about our faith.

**Collections for May 8, 2016**

**\$927.00**

**UPCOMING:**

**May 15: St. Rachel Circle's Brunch after Sunday Mass; also Marlys will be here to guide families through completing a new family data sheet for our parish software.**

**May 22: Baccalaureate Mass and Luncheon**

**Mass Intentions**

**Thursday, May 19: +Ray Zurn**  
**Sunday, May 22: Thanksgiving from the Flottesmesch Family**

**Ministry Schedule for May 22, 2016**

**Ministers of Holy Communion**

*Mary Frank, Max Klarer & Roger Foltz*

**Lector**

*Ken Pearson*

**Ushers**

*Damian Zurn & Jerry Spry*

**Presentation of Gifts**

*Allan & Kristi Foltz Family*

**Altar Servers**

*Tyler Stalberger & Lori Stalberger*

**Money Counters**

*MaryAnn Jorgenson & Kristi Stalberger*