

Assumption Catholic Church

206 Dakota Street, PO Box 67, Callaway, MN January 13, 2019

Henceforward, Father David's homilies will be recorded and available at frazeesacredheart.org>Homilies.

Holidays Afterthought

By an anonymous old Man.

The Spirit of Christmas need not stop with the celebration of New Year's.

An incident at Eagle Lake (and on the lake) last summer was much on my mind this Holiday season. While pulling grandchildren in a large tube with a small fishing boat, with my daughter (their mother) in the boat, I was given the thought to beach near the swimming area where I have had before. There a mother asked if we would go out to help her son & friend who, with their inflatables, had drifted out with the wind & waves.

I quickly untied the tube & with my daughter headed out to get them. They had fallen off the inflatables—no life jackets, tired and concerned. With a small fishing boat, it was important to have my daughter holding down the front of the boat as I helped them in from the back—using a fin on the outboard as a helpful step.

When back on the beach they said, "You saved my life." WOW!! I had never heard that before! Now to the SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS!! The Birth of JESUS was GOD'S GREATEST GIFT TO US ALL!!! But God's love for us does NOT stop after Christmas. It's there for us every day of the year. So it was not I, but THE LOVE OF GOD that saved the boy and his friend.

The feeling to beach where I did, the mother of the BOY asking me to go help—it was GOD'S LOVING SPIRIT moving us.

Have a BLESSED 2019 !!!!

An older parishioner shared this with me after attending Sacred Heart's mission, by Missionary Brendan Case. They want to remain anonymous, because it's not about them, but how God works in our lives every day of the year!

Brendan Case will be back January 19th. His presentation begins at 10:00 am. All are welcome!!!

Msgr. David Baumgartner

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 9:00 am

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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

Our next church cleaning is scheduled for Wednesday, January 16, at 5:00 pm, to be followed by a potluck supper. All parish families are encouraged to help.

If you would like to have a Mass said for loved ones or for some special intention for the year 2019, please let Marlys know. If you want a Mass intention for January or February, please get your request in ASAP. You can put your Mass intention requests in the collection basket, stop in the office on a Monday morning, or call or e-mail Marlys. The typical Mass stipend is \$5.

The Christian Mothers will be going to the Health Resource Center on Thursday, January 17, 2019, at 10:00 am. The Health Resource Center is located in the former David-Donhower Funeral Home Building on Lake Avenue, Detroit Lakes. Please bring items to be donated to the HRC—baby items are needed, diapers, clothing, etc. We will be going out for lunch afterwards and have our January Christian Mothers' meeting there.

Question of the Week: How does my baptism affect the way I live my life? Does prayer help guide me?

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

Rosella Olson (Ginny Warren's mother), Alice Bellefeuille, Mark Stalberger, Sherry Steffl, Ernie Clark, Lowell Baker, Martha Donley, Connie Olgaard, Rita Pearson, Shauna Donner, Deb Clark, Albert Schouviller, Rick Flottesmesch, Cleo Baker, Brent Pearson, Jerry Flottesmesch, Peter Pearson, Jeanine Kivi, Alice DuChene, Peg Braaten, Kenneth Winter, Gene Zurn, Connie Collman Bergren, Sharon Winter, Darrell Beck, Gerald Galbrecht (brothers-in-law of Don Tietz), Allen Gulseth, Irene Hazelton, Brian Hazelton, Verlin Aarness, Hali Thomas, Amy Tietz, Dr. Darryl Beehler, Lillian Welle and Jim Heisler.

Christmas Flower Memorials: Milo & Lucille Winter

"John answered them all, 'I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming...he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit..."

Luke 3:16

The Catholic Catechism states that "Jesus' immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God's will." In other words, as baptized Catholics there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus—the gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

**Sunday, January 6, 2019--\$738
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UPCOMING:

**Wed., Jan 16: Church cleaning @ 5:00 pm,
followed by a potluck supper.
Thurs., Jan 17: Christian Mothers at Health
Resource Center @ 10:00 am**

Mass Intentions

**Thur., Jan 17: +Marcel Zurn
Sun., Jan 20: Christian Mothers**

Ministry Schedule for Jan 20, 2019

Ministers of Holy Communion

Lori Stalberger, Mark Stalberger & David Steffl

Lector

Gina Steffl

Ushers

Roger Foltz & Don Tietz

Presentation of Gifts

Max Klarer Family

Altar Servers

Natalie Steffl & Noah Steffl