

Assumption Catholic Church

206 Dakota Street, PO Box 67, Callaway, MN May 19, 2019

Here is a thought from last week's homily: *You talk to your kids; you lead them and guide them. In your parenting you need two sets of eyes; one fixed on your kids and the other fixed on Jesus.*

As I left the church building on Tuesday morning a BIG loader was passing by with its BIG bucket filled with our spring clean-up items. Ahead of the loader was a dump truck filled to capacity. I didn't, but I wanted to follow them. I wanted to see the size of the mountain, a mountain not made of rock but of items we no longer use, items we have deemed useless. It is cathartic to clean and create space on our shelves and cupboards. This catharsis is blind—we don't really care what happens to the stuff so long as it is out of our sight.

If I had time and space, I could very easily become the king of salvage. Driving through town, I noted items I could save. I saw a picnic table that I could disassemble and repurpose the wood. I saw some thick glass that could be used for a door or a tabletop. I saw a futon and a recliner that merited further examination. But alas, no time, no space, and an awareness that I am one truck load away from acting suspiciously like a hoarder.

Eventually, the earth will assimilate all the material we have taken from it. In time, be it a hundred years or a hundred million years, all these materials will return to the dust from which they came. In the meantime, we are not absolved from consumerism or careless stewardship.

Since the City of Frazee initiated home recycling, I don't have even a single bag of garbage a week. And if I created a compost site in the rectory yard, I might not have a single bag each month. If you know how composting works, set me up! I am ready.

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

Wednesday, June 5th will be Craft Day with potluck lunch starting at 10:00 am.

Baccalaureate is May 19th.

Ordination Anniversary

Fr. Bob Kieffer will celebrate his 50th anniversary of ordination on Tuesday, May 28, at Saint Mary's Church in Alexandria. You are invited to join the celebration: Mass is at 5:00 PM, followed by a light supper and reception at the church until 7:00 PM.

Question of the Week: Am I willing to put others before myself? How can I show this love for my sisters and brothers?

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), , Mark Stalberger, Sherry Steffl, Ernie Clark, Martha Donley, Connie Olgaard, Rita Pearson, Deb Clark, Rick Flottesch, Cleo Baker, Brent Pearson, Jerry Flottesch, Peter Pearson, Jeanine Kivi, Alice DuChene, Peg Braaten, Kenneth Winter, Gene Zurn, Connie Collman Bergren, Sharon Winter, Darrell Beck, Gerald Galbrecht (RIP), Allen Gulseth, Irene Hazelton, Brian Hazelton, Hali Thomas, Lillian Welle, Jim Heisler, Michael Herzog, Jim Hazelton, Chris Fairbanks and Jim Foltz

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."
John 13:34

It is easy to love someone when they love you back. But it takes strength and courage to love someone when we feel unappreciated, used or feel our opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage to "love my neighbor" when he may be someone I don't like, someone I don't know or someone that doesn't look like me

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UPCOMING

Sun., May 19: Baccalaureate
Wed., June 5: Craft Day/potluck lunch @! 10 am
Sun., Sept. 8: Parish Fall Dinner

Mass Intentions

Thurs., May 23: In Honor & petition to good St. Joseph
Sun., May 26: +Lowell Baker

Ministry Schedule for May 26

Ministers of Holy Communion

Roger Foltz, Max Klarer & Lori Stalberger

Lector

Christina Loreth

Ushers

Ken Pearson & Jerry Spry

Presentation of Gifts

Brent Hazelton Family

Altar Servers

Isabella Steffl & Natalie Steffl