TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME October 2, 2022 FATHER JOSE CHETTOOR, PASTOR jchettoor@gmail.com (320-468-2111)

MASSES FOR WEEK: TOTIN NEDOMIU

<u>SI. JOHN NEPOMUK</u>			
Friday	Oct. 7	7:00 pm	Holy Hour
Friday	Oct.7	8:00 pm	Mass
Saturday	Oct. 8	8:00 pm	Parishes
Sunday	Oct. 9	10:45 am	+Dennis Welle
<u>HOLY CROSS:</u> Thursday Thursday Sunday	Oct.6 Oct. 6 Oct. 9	7:00 pm 8:00 pm 8:45 am	Holy Hour +Ronnie Gross +John Hoppe

*Rosary and Divine Mercy Prayer-25 minutes before Mass at both Parishes. *Confessions-Saturday, 7:15 at St. John Nepomuk Church and Sunday, 8:00 am at Holy Cross Church

HOLY CROSS CHURCH:

Sunday, October 9 at 8:45 am

Dave Skwira & Willie Rudolph
Erin & Tyler Thesing
Jane Hanneken
Debbie Hoheisel & Diane Virnig
Holy Name

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CHURCH:

Saturday, October 8 at 8:00 pm

Ushers:	Jonathan Welle & Glenn Boser
Server:	Smudes
Lector:	Art Stumpf
E. Minister:	Ginny Seelen

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CHURCH: Sunday, October 9 at 10:45 am

Ushers: Donny Schommer & Colin Boser S L

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Server:	Zack Gall
Lector:	Alice or Ruth Virnig-Clemons
E. Minister:	Traci Schommer

WEEKEND MASS TIMES IN PIERZ AND BUCKMAN- Pastor Kenneth Popp

Saturday at 4:30 PM in Pierz- Sunday 8:00 AM in Pierz and 10:00 AM in Buckman

SHEPHERD'S VOICE

Faith is a gracious gift from God. No one can earn it however hard they try. You can only respond to the gift of faith with works of love and service when God graciously offers it to you. Your appropriate response makes your faith vibrant. A vibrant faith can make you strong, loving, and wise. It gives you the confidence that God will guard you from all harm. Fr. Jose

HOLY CROSS PARISH:

STEWARDSHIP:

For Sunday, September 18: Adult, \$791.00 (49 env); Adult loose, \$122.96; Children \$7.75 (8 env); Children loose, \$2.00 Campaign for Human Development, \$105.00 (2 env); Catholic Charities, \$17.00 (3 env); Building Fund, \$25.00 (1 env) For Sunday, September 25: Adults, \$1265.00 (37 env); Adult loose, \$155.00; Children, \$6.75 (7 env); Children loose, \$23.00 Campaign for Human Development, \$20.00 (1 env); Votive, \$45.00; Catholic Charities, \$7.00 (1 env); Building Fund, \$50.00 (2 env)

BAZAAR FOLLOW-UP MEETING:

There will be a bazaar follow up meeting on Wednesday, October 5 at 7:30 pm in the church basement. The purpose will be to discuss what worked well and any suggestions to make any improvements for future bazaars.

DONUT SUNDAY:

Plan to join us for donuts, beverages and fellowship TODAY after Mass. If you haven't come down for donuts before, please join us!

HELP TO SPREAD A LITTLE SUNSHINE:

If anyone is interested in helping to get cards out to people, I could use some stamps again and some sympathy or "thinking of you" cards if anyone can spare any. Also, any Thanksgiving cards would be appreciated. I always send them to all our shut-ins. I have a lot of birthday cards right now. Also, please let me know if anyone could use a card for any reason. Sometimes just getting a piece of mail to know someone cares helps a lot. They are sent and signed from Holy Cross Church. Thank you for your help.

CHURCH CLEANERS:

Kathy Halbert, Shannon Wisneski, Amber (Russell) Woitalla, Cari Woitalla, Gloria Woitalla, Melissa (LeRoy) Woitalla, Melissa (Mike) Woitalla,

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

STEWARDSHIP:

For Sunday, September 25: Adult, \$1224.00; Loose, \$486.00; Children, \$2.00; Children loose, \$46.00; Votive, \$33.50 Campaign for Human Development, \$100.00; Energy, \$95.00

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE:

*Confessional project almost complete. The kneeler and light are left to finish.

*Redoing the ceilings in the Sacristy and family room will start mid-September.

*Bulletin board makeover.

*Father is checking into hiring someone to play and sing for the Liturgy.

JOB OPENING:

St. John's Church in Lastrup has an opening for a secretary. If interested, contact Father Jose, Colin Boser or Julie Laney. Phone numbers are on the website.

BAR BINGO:

Bingo today and every Sunday at 5:00 pm at Tiny's Tavern. Jackpots are 54 numbers for \$1000 and 51 numbers for \$400. Please join us and try your luck. St. Johns Gaming #02115.

NEWS FOR BOTH HOLY CROSS AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH:

WEEKDAY MASS CHANGES:

There will be no weekday Mass this Tuesday, October 4 and Wednesday, October 5. There will be a Holy Hour for Life and Liberty this Thursday at 7:00 PM followed by Mass at 8:00 PM at Holy Cross. Holy Hour at St. John's will be on Friday at 7:00 PM followed by Mass at 8:00 PM.

DRINK DEEP:

All area Catholic Women are invited to St. Michael's in Buckman, MN on October 8th, Saturday for an event sponsored by the Eastern Deanery *Council of Catholic Women*. No registration fee. The day begins at 8:30 am, with Mass and concludes with a (free will offering) luncheon at noon. By October 4th, please register for the lunch head count. Call, text, or email <u>nitahayes@live.com</u> or <u>320-630-0388.</u>

KC BUFFALO RAFFLE:

It is time for the Annual KC's Buffalo Raffle, anyone interested in donating for the top prize, please contact: Allen or Debbie Woitalla at <u>320-277-3860</u>. We need to know by October 16, 2022, you can either have your name put on the raffle tickets or stay anonymous. This is for any KC member or anyone that wishes to donate. Thanks.

CATHOLIC UNITED:

All are invited to the Catholic United financial Saint Joseph/Saint Mary counsel, meeting at 9 AM on October 13, 2022 at Father Pierz School of Religion.

FPSR LEAVE RAKING:

FPSR students will be raking leaves in Pierz on Wednesday, October 5th from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM!

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please pray for the following: Lois Roscoe, Janie Zabel, Richie Zabel, Gina Virnig, Fran Groover (LF), Donny Schommer, Joelle Hayes, Lucy Hanson, JoAnn Kummet McDonald, Scott Bednar, Jerod Bursch (Foley), Romelle Kurtz, Alvina Kisor, Deacon Wayne Lauer, Kenny LeBlanc, Jerry Brill, Micah Olson, Doris Weiss, Pete Hoheisel, Mary Ann Schomer, Justin Lindgren, Eric Halbert, Jack Poster, Aaron Boser, Karen Schommer, Ione Hoskins. Please call me at 320-360-9720 or for Lastrup call 468-6395.

PILLOW CLEANING:

Pierz American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring a pillow cleaning (feathers) on October 3 from 7am-3pm at the Red Rooster Bar in Genola. Bring us all your dirtiest feather pillows that you can bring. Contact Barb Specker at <u>320-420-8323</u> with questions.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL: LEARNING WITH A FAITH FOUNDATION 468-6446

***COFFEE**-Guatemalan coffee is always available for purchase at the school. Holy Trinity makes \$3 on each bag sold and the rest goes to pay the farmers in Guatemala for the coffee beans. Regular (ground or bean) \$13.00, in French, Dark, or Medium Roast. Decaf (ground or bean) \$14.00.

*THANK YOU CUSTODIANS-Thank you Gunnar and Lois, for all that you do for Holy Trinity! We appreciate you!

*STEAK AND WINE FUNDRAISER- 10TH Annual Steak and Wine Fundraiser will be held on Saturday, October 8. See the attached auction bulletin for item information! Online bidding will be available starting September 30th and closed on October 8th at 9:00 PM. <u>www.givergy.us/holytrinitysw2022</u>

RAFFLE CALENDAR WINNERS:

Sept. 25-Dean Scholl-\$75 Sept. 28-Tim & Sharon Bartkowitz-\$35 Oct. 1-Al Hoheisel-\$35 Sept. 26-Colin & Cathy Boser-\$35 Sept. 29-Amy Faber-\$35 Sept. 27-Jessie Kloss-\$35 Sept. 30-Kurt & Chris Brixius-\$35

BULLETIN INFORMATION:

Please get bulletin	information to me by Thursd	lay evening at 5 PM to ensure it gets	in the next bulletin.
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