Weekday Readings

Monday, October 5: JON 1:1-2:1-2, 11; LK 10:25-37

Tuesday, October 6: JON 3:1-10; LK 10:38-42 Wednesday, October 7: JON 4:1-11; LK 11:1-4

Thursday, October 8: MAL 3:13-20B; LK 11:5-13 Friday, October 9: JL 1:13-15, 2:1-2; LK 11:15-26

Saturday, October 10: JL 4:12-21; LK 11:27-28

Sunday, October 11: WIS 7:7-11; HEB 4:12-13; MK 10:17-30



Prayer List

Please pray for: Bishop John Kinney, Dorothy Ludwig, Lori Crozon, Lisa Heinen, Jane Anderson, Lucille Lahr, Tim Eder, Jackie Boulton Family, Ruth Johnson, Carol Bacon, Theresa Welle and Elizabeth Mills.

Local Events

October 4: ACT-OBERFEST Variety Show! Join us from 2 - 4 p.m. at the Falls Ballroom in Little Falls for entertainment for the entire family. Bishop Kettler and the Tri-Parish Youth Group, Frs. Joe Herzing and Jeremy Ploof, LaVerne and the Starlights, Fr. Ben Kociemba and the Cathedral Crusaders, Pierz Youth Group Band, and many more will perform a variety show, including music and comedy. There will be food available for purchase, and free refreshments. No tickets needed, but all guests will have an opportunity to contribute to Generation Next, a fund for diocesan youth retreats and faith activities.

October 10: A 2nd National Life Rally is being held at Planned Parenthood in St Cloud from 9am-11am on October 10. Planned Parenthood has been caught "on investigative video" harvesting & selling baby body parts, For more information on these revealing video's, go to the Center for Medical Progress website. To pray for an "END TO ABORTION" & this barbaric practice of harvesting & selling baby parts, we again will be doing our peaceful, prayerful "40 Days For Life" vigil at St Cloud Planned Parenthood from Sept 23 to Nov 1. Our vigil hours are 7am-7pm Mon through Friday. Come join us & don't be afraid if it's your first time. We have a captain to welcome you at the vigil anytime during these hours. Judy4life@meltel.net, 320-453-7592

October 10: Ostmark Lutheran Fall Bazaar, 8:30-1:00 PM. Bake sale, morning coffee, noon lunch, jams and pickles.

October 11: Catholic United Financial matching grant breakfast, St. Margaret's church basement 9:00 AM-12:30 PM, Lake Henry.



Wedding Banns

Randy Berg and Rebecca Vossen are to be united in Christ on October 24, 2015 at the Church of St. Anthony, Watkins.

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October 4th, 2015

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Richard Gross, Retired Priest

Welcome to the Catholic Faith Community of



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Arliss Stenger, Coordinator of Faith Formation (Grades 1-6)

Adam Teicher, Maintenance

Parish Secretary Hours *these hours are subject to change

- Monday: 8:00-11:00 Assumption, 11:30-4:00 St. Anthony Tuesday: 7:30-4:00 St. Anthony
- Wednesday: 7:30-11:00 St. Anthony, 11:30-3:00 Assumption Thursday: 7:30-4:00 St. Anthony
 - Friday: 8:00-11:00 Assumption, 11:30-3:30 St. Anthony

Assumption Mass Intentions

Monday, October 5: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Tuesday, October 6: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Wednesday, October 7: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Thursday, October 8: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Friday, October 9: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Saturday, October 10: 7:00 p.m. Mass - Ralph Haan Sunday, October 11: 10:00 a.m. Mass - Christian Women

St. Anthony Mass Intentions

Tuesday, October 6: 9:30 a.m. Mass at Hilltop - Beata Hesse Wednesday, October 7: 6:45 Youth Mass at Church - Youth of the Parish Thursday, October 8: 8:30 a.m. Mass at Manor - Mike & Arletta Turner Friday, October 9: 9:15 a.m. Communion Service at Hilltop Saturday, October 10: 4:00 p.m. Mass - Marvin & Theresa May Sunday, October 11: 8:00 a.m. Mass - CCW Members

*Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. at St. Anthony and at 6:30 p.m. at Assumption

Joint-Parish Youth Activities!!

ASA (Assumption/St. Anthony) YOUTH GROUP for 9-12 Grades

"The Gathering," will be meeting for our very first time on Sunday evening, October 18th from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the Rectory in Watkins. ALL youth from 9-12 grades are welcome to join us for an evening of fun, food and, of course, faith building with peers. All religious education students have received invitations through their classes this week.

"LEAN ON ME" YOUTH RALLY AT ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY, for all 9-12 graders is on Sunday, October 25th from 11:45-7:30 p.m. Registration forms were sent home with all 9-10 graders through their religious education classes. Parents please fill out and return with your son/daughter to their religious education classes. Must have registration forms/money for T-Shirts in by October 16. Parents can view a video regarding this rally by going to www.stcdio.org/youthrally and download. If need registration forms for 11-12 grade son/daughter please contact religious ed. office.

Legion of Mary Faith & Fun Day!

There will be a Legion of Mary Faith & Fun Day on October 7th, 3:10-5:30 PM for children and parents of all ages at the Assumption Church. There will be an adult chaperone available to walk the kids from the Eden Valley Elementary School. Come join us for prayer, crafts, games and supper! All parents and siblings are welcome. If you can attend or volunteer, please contact Molly by Sunday, October 4 at 243-7789 or email her at kmmzimmerman@gmail.com. The next Faith and Fun days will be on January 6 and April 6.

Church of the Assumption Bulletin Notes

Upcoming Events

October 4: Fall Beef Dinner, 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM

October 7: Legion of Mary Faith & Fun Day, 3:10-5:30

Legion of Mary Night, 6:30 PM, lower level

Ministry Schedule: October 10 & 11

Greeters: 7 p.m. Connor Moyer & Jamison Kuechle 10 a.m. Kenzie Berg & Jodi Phillipp

Gift Bearers: 7 p.m. The Family of Ralph Haan 10 a.m. Christian Women

Lectors: 7 p.m. Jason Huschle 10 a.m. Elaina Stommes

Ushers: 7 p.m. Chad Kuechle, Gary Sogge, Isaac Thielen & Arnie Gruenes Jr.

> 10 a.m. Lyle Laudenbach, Ron Molitor, Mitch Molitor & Mandy Molitor

Ministers of Communion- H.M: Tom Ruhland

7 p.m. Stacey Moehrle, Bill Tschumperlin & Anna Mae Gruenes

10 a.m. Rhonda Kuechle, Sheila Laudenbach & Becky Haag

Servers: 7 p.m. McKenna Moehrle*, Wyatt Moehrle, Olivia Kuechle & Brielle Kuechle

> 10 a.m. Ethan Laudenbach*, Carter Laudenbach, Marissa Laudenbach & Ethan Nohner

Rosary Leaders: October 5-9, Rose Becker

7 p.m. Anna Mae Gruenes 10 a.m. Addie DeMorett

Music: 7 p.m. Lisa Thielen 10 a.m. Kris Latcham

Collection Counters: Sheila Laudenbach & Becky Haag

Children's Liturgy: 1st Sunday: Helen Theis

2nd Sunday: High School Youth 3rd Sunday: Molly Z. & Janet Binsfeld 4th Sunday: Jenni Scherer 5th Sunday: Helen Theis

Financial Blessings

Parish Income	9/27/15	9/28/14
Loose Plate	208.00	93.50
Adult Envelopes	2281.00	1577.00
Youth Envelopes	41.25	10.25
Votive	66.21	39.00
Bazaar	0.00	1725.00
RE Tuition	50.00	<u>150.00</u>
Total	\$2646.46	\$3594.75

Monthly Auto Drafts: \$1554

Thank you for your donations!

Mass Attendance:

Sept 26, 7 p.m. 79 Sept 27, 10 a.m. 300 **Total** 379



"Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these"

Faith Formation News

-Thank you to all the families for volunteering for so many ministries at the youth Mass. The faith formation program feels complete when we can teach our youth liturgical participation and worship!

-Containers at each Church entrance contain the names of the confirmation candidates. You are encouraged to take a name and pray for that candidate during their preparation this year.

Usher Schedule

The new usher schedule is now available in the back of church.

Adoration Chapel Adorer Needed

We are now in need of a Eucharistic adorer every other Friday, 3-4 AM. If you are interested in taking this hour, please contact Mary Ann Ruhland at 453-2575 or Rose Becker at 453-7496.

Legion of Mary Night

There will be a Legion of Mary Faith Enrichment/Fun Night on Wednesday, October 7th. Come for prayers and meeting at 6:30. We will discuss who in our community may need help or a visit. Faith enrichment will go from 7-8 PM. We will watch a video by Fr. Baron and discuss and apply the messages to our lives. Fun will be available for any children that are coming. Please call Molly at 243-7789 with any questions and to RSVP. All are welcome! Our next meeting will be October 21st. (Also see the Legion of Mary "Faith and Fun Day" on the front of the bulletin)

Church of St. Anthony Bulletin Notes

Weekly Schedule

Monday, October 5: St. Theresa Mission Quilting, 12:30-4:00 PM

Mary's Cenacle, 7:00 PM

Knights of Columbus Mtg, 7:00 PM, Marty

Tuesday, October 6: CCW Meeting, 7:00 PM, Rectory **Wednesday, October 7:** Faith Formation Classes/Mass, 6:30

Thursday, October 8: Thrift Shop open 9:00 AM Saturday, October 10: Thrift Shop open 9:00 AM

Ministry Schedule: October 10 & 11

Servers: 4 p.m. Brooke Geislinger, Kennedy Schoenecker, Emma Donnay & Ellie Donnay

> 8 a.m. Reyse Hesse, Cambel Hesse, Jenifer Kipf & Josie Huberty

Lectors: 4 p.m. Lauren Libbesmeier

8 a.m. Pam Loch

Eucharistic Ministers:

4 p.m. Mary Dockendorf & Theresa Faber

8 a.m. Gene & Sherri Asfeld

Ushers: 4 p.m. Eldred Froehling, Leila Froehling, JaDyn Nohner & Laura Kipf

8 a.m. Jim Schreifels, Margi Schreifels, Matt Schindler & Tasha Donnay

Rosary Leaders:

4 p.m. Kevin & Erin Donnay Family

8 a.m. Volunteer

Homebound: Molly Schlangen, 764-2209

Church Cleaning: September 27-October 10

Sherman Roeser, Rick Reikofski, Brian Plantenberg, and Kevin Ruprecht and families.

*Please call Theresia at 764-7251 to unlock the church.

Mass Attendance:

Sept 26, 4:00 p.m. 112 Sept 27, 8:00 a.m. 150 Total 262

Thank you for your donations!

Youth Mass

There will be an All-Student Youth Mass on Wednesday, October 7 at 6:45 with a short skit about the rosary first. Students should go directly to the church at 6:30 and we encourage parents to join us. If there are any changes, reminders will go out the parents via the "Remind" text/e-mail system.

CCW Meeting

Please join us on Tuesday, October 6 @ 7:00 p.m. in the rectory. We will be discussing plans for CCW Sunday, a card and gift for Father Jerome, Caps-of-Love project and the Sani-Panti project. Hope to see you there, Kathy Erpelding, Co-president.

St. Theresa Mission Quilting

The St. Theresa Mission Quilting group will once again be meeting on Monday afternoons from 12:30-4:00 PM.

Homebound Ministry

If you are homebound and not able to come to church and would like to receive the Holy Eucharist you can make arrangements to receive communion at home. Please call the rectory at 764-2755 or Dolores Faber at 764-2185.

Safe Environment Training Update

The annual VIRTUS volunteer online training is now due for all volunteers who work with our young people. Visit the VIRTUS website at www.virtus.org and log in with your username and password. If you do not know your username or password, contact our St. Anthony Safe Environment Coordinator, Michelle Kramer 764-3025 or michelleandnorbkramer@gmail.com.

Catholic United Financial Party

There will be a pizza party for Catholic United Financial members and their families at 10:00 AM, on October 18th, at the Village Hall.

Financial Blessings

Parish Income	9/27/15	9/28/14
Adult Envelopes	1422.00	1336.00
Loose Plate	186.00	225.20
Weekly Auto Drafts	115.00	0.00
Youth	6.40	6.00
Votive	26.00	21.00
Building Fund	450.00	850.00
CCD Tuition	150.00	150.00
Total	\$2355.40	\$2588.20

 New Parish Center
 9/28/15

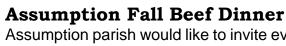
 New Total Project Goal
 1,896,954.00

 Expenses Paid
 (\$253,138.01)

 Funds on Hand
 \$1,007,149.36

 Remaining Goal
 \$636,666.63

**We have reached our goal to start Phase I, but we will still need more <u>money and pledges</u> to continue with Phase II after Phase I is complete.



Assumption parish would like to invite everyone from both parishes to their Fall Dinner. The Beef Dinner will be on Sunday, Oct. 4, 2015 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The menu includes Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Corn, Cole Slaw, Dinner rolls, Homemade Pies and Beverage. Cost of the meal is Adults \$9.00, Ages 5 to 11 \$4.00 and age 4 and under is free. This is a Catholic United Financial Matching Grant Fundraiser, sponsored by St. Joseph and St. Mary's Society. Proceeds up to \$1,000.00 will be donated to the Assumption Faith Formation Program.