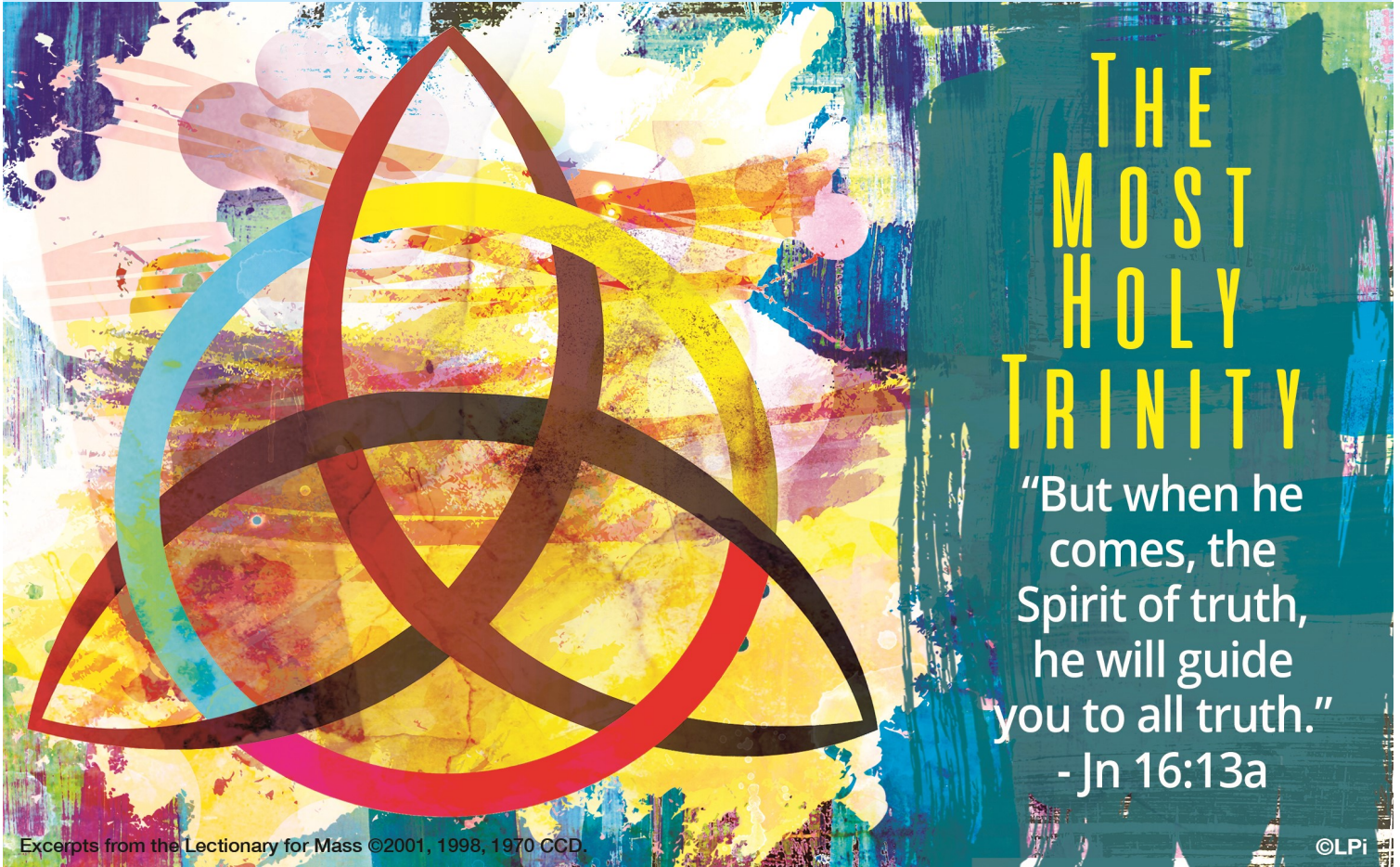




Church of St. Matthew

A Catholic community that is a visible expression of God's love



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth."

- Jn 16:13a

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June 12, 2022 ***The Most Holy Trinity***

Liturgy Schedule

Masses

Saturday 4:15 PM (in-person)

Sunday 10:15 AM (in-person)

Sunday 10:15 AM (Saturday Mass available for viewing online)

Reconciliation

2nd & 4th Saturday and 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month following Mass

Please contact the Parish Office regarding
Baptism, Matrimony, First Communion,
Confirmation and Anointing of the Sick

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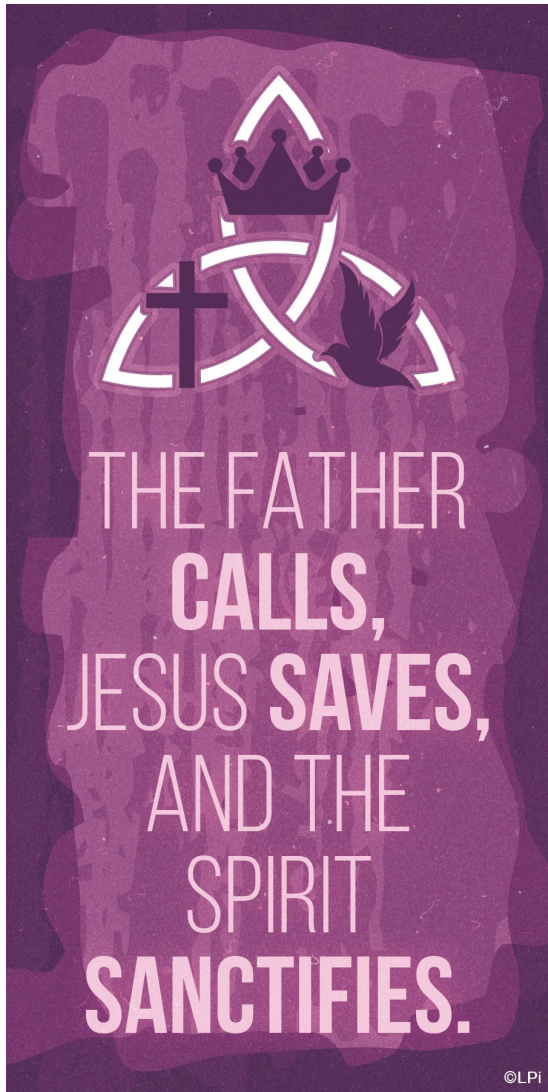
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Office Hours

Mondays & Wednesdays 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Fridays Closed



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Volunteer Opportunities and Parish Needs



Mary Leibl,
Volunteer Coordinator

“Then I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?” Then I said, “Here am I. Send me!” Isaiah 6:8

GREETERS: St. Matthew parish seeks additional “Greeters” for Sunday Masses. We welcome people who are able to extend a warm welcome to those arriving for Mass. Your friendly smile and enthusiasm for the Church of St. Matthew are all that is needed. To help, contact: jill.kilzer@st-matts.org, mleibl@st-matts.org or the Parish Office.

OFFERTORY PROCESSION: We are returning to having an Offertory Procession at each Mass. If you are willing to bring up the bread and wine occasionally, please speak to a sacristan before Mass. You may also call the Parish Office or email Mary Leibl at mleibl@st-matts.org.

MINISTRY OF COMPASSION: Each week, we have several parishioners, listed in the bulletin and included in the Intercessions at Mass, who need our prayers as they deal with health issues. We are looking for a volunteer who would be willing to occasionally call to let these families know we care about their loved ones, and if needed, we will continue listing them in the weekly bulletin. If you feel this is a ministry you would like to be a part of, please call the Parish Office or email Mary Leibl at mleibl@st-matts.org.

THANK YOU: To the **110 people** who attended the Saturday Mass and **77 people** who worshipped on Sunday. Thank you to **Fr. Adrian**, who through his homilies helps us to see how the readings pertain to our own lives. Thank you to our Saturday pianist **Brian** and trumpeter **Phil** and Sunday pianist Jill. Our cantors **Christina** on Saturday and **Linda** on Sunday. We thank lectors **Miles** on Saturday and **Jerald** on Sunday. Eucharistic ministers **Maggie, Josie, Ann** and **Tim** on Saturday and **Becky** on Sunday. Thank you to **Chris R.** and **Chris W.** who brought the gifts of Bread and Wine to the altar on Saturday. Ushers **Tim, Tom, Kevin** and **Doris** on Saturday; **James** and **Steve** on Sunday. To greeters **Chris** on Saturday. Thank you to sacristans **Mary** on Saturday and **Joanne** on Sunday.

THANK YOU: To **Ann, Corrine, Dave** and **Tim** who took communion to parishioners unable to attend Mass.

THANK YOU: To **Jerry** who has volunteered to take part in our **Ministry of Compassion!** We thank him for offering to reach out to our parishioners who are experiencing health issues and to assure them that their fellow parishioners are holding them in prayer!

WE ARE A VOLUNTEER PARISH!

Weekly Contributions for June 11 and 12, 2022 will be provided in a future bulletin.

Paypal QR Code: Simply scan with your phone to make an electronic payment. Thank You!



THE SOUNDS AND SIGHTS OF ST. MATT'S

The Sanctuary Lamp will be lit June 11 - 18, 2022 for **Deb Bickel**.

If you would like to schedule a day to ring the bells or a week to light the sanctuary lamp for your special memory, person or event, please contact the Parish Office at (651) 224-9793 by 1:00 PM Monday – Thursday.

ST. MATTHEW WELCOMES ALL TO OUR PARISH!

New to the area, joining us for the first time or coming home again?

Please contact Angela Rakow at arakow@st-matts.org to become a member. It would be great to have you join our parish family!



Parish Administrator's Note

PARISH FINANCES

I've been promising to provide more financial reporting for a few months. Here's a start, based on our monthly financial reports from our accountant at PASC (Parish Accounting Service Center).

Total April contributions were \$40,646.56. That's well over our monthly budget projection of \$20,133.33, largely because of Easter season contributions. Compare those results* with the other months since the beginning of the calendar year, January 1:

Month	Contributions (\$)	Budgeted (\$)**
April 2022	40,646.56	20,133.33
March	27,588.68	20,133.33
February	15,218.52	20,133.33
January	23,065.73	20,133.33

As you can see, giving fluctuates a lot from month to month. Christmas and Easter boost results. By contrast, summer often reduces revenue. Last July, for example, contributions totaled \$17,586.85.

Our overall picture is clear, however: your continued generous support of St. Matt's means we're on track to finish the year in the black. Thank you!

*Technical note 1: these contribution totals include amounts from weekend and holyday collections, whether by envelope or in cash. They also include Electronic Funds Transfers (EFTs) and PayPal. I'll have more to say about EFTs and PayPal in a future bulletin.

**Technical note 2: when we prepare each year's budget, we make conservative projections for all sources of revenue.

If ever you have questions about parish finances, please let me know. You can also talk to any member of our Finance Council. Also, our monthly meetings are open, should you wish to attend. Our next meeting is Thursday, June 30 at 4:30 PM in the Parish Center.

Again, thank you for your generosity!

PARISH OFFICE VOICEMAIL

Our office voicemail is still unavailable. To leave a message, please call during office hours (Monday -Thursday, 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM). You can also reach us by emailing Angela Rakow at arakow@st-matts.org. Thank you for your patience while we get the voicemail up and running again.

Phil Grant
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(651) 224-9793

PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

Please remember in your prayers our parish family and friends who are ill or in need of prayers. Pray for their recovery and for their family members who are with them and caring for them: **Jeremiah Baker, Louise Breidel, Bill Brengman, Carolina Gomez, Bernie Klein, Greg Lothenbach, Kendrick Morrison, Annamarie Moseng, Pam Perkovich, Virgil Roethler and Chris Stevens.**



If you have a loved one you would like to add to this list, please call the Parish Office, provide us with your name and the name of your loved one. *We are strong as a community praying together.*

News and Events



The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated during Mass on **June 18 and 19, 2022**. This is the time to pray for

and with those in our community who are struggling with illness or other difficulties. People of all ages who are in need of healing of body and soul are welcome to come forward and take part.

ROSARY IN CHEROKEE PARK

All are invited to join members of the Rosary Society and others as we gather together on Tuesday, June 14th at 10:00 AM in Cherokee Park to pray the rosary. We will meet by the intersection of Chippewa and Winona. Bring your own chair and rosary if you have them. Extra rosaries will be available. We will meet in the large picnic shelter if the weather is bad. Future Rosary in Cherokee Park dates are Tuesday, July 12th at 10:00 AM and Tuesday, August 9th at 10:00 AM.



MARYKNOLL LAY MISSIONERS

This weekend, Liz Mach of Maryknoll Lay Missioners will share her mission experience at all Masses as part of the Archdiocese's Missionary Cooperation Plan 2022. Please show Liz a warm St. Matt's welcome and be generous in your support of Maryknoll Lay Missioners. See the insert for more information.

VATICAN SYNOD SURVEY - WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO TELL POPE FRANCIS?

From the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis

In spring 2021, Pope Francis announced that the Catholic Church would engage in a synodal process that includes "listening to all of the baptized" in every diocese around the world. What would you like to share with Pope Francis? Now is your chance to say what you think the Catholic Church needs to focus on today. **Take the survey:** archspm.org/vaticansurvey

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE DONATION

Please bring your non-perishable or monetary donation for Neighborhood House during the weekend of June 18 and 19, 2022. There will be a basket by the exit for you to place your donation. Thank you for your support!

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Suzanne Clarke	Linda Sellars
Jerald Dosch	Joanne Smith
Anthony Minus	Phil Grant, Ex Officio

Finance Council Members

John Del Vecchio	Joe Stevens
Bernie Klein	Joanne Smith
Becky Montgomery	Karen Thompson
John Sekevitch	Phil Grant, Ex Officio

Bulletin

Announcements are due on **Monday by 10:00 AM** for the next Sunday's bulletin. Items should be sent to Phil Grant at pgrant@st-matts.org. *Items received after 10:00 AM will appear in the following week's bulletin.*

Readings for the week of June 12, 2022

Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 11

4:15 PM Mass
Our Parish
+Leo Kegler
+John Leibl
Living and Deceased Rosary Members

Sunday, June 12

10:15 AM Mass
Our Parish
+Helen Bukowski

Monday, June 13

9:00 AM Cancelled

Tuesday, June 14

8:00 AM Cancelled

Wednesday, June 15

8:00 AM Cancelled

Thursday, June 16

8:00 AM Cancelled

Friday, June 17

8:00 AM Cancelled

Saturday, June 18

4:15 PM Mass
Our Parish
+Leo Kegler
+Dorinda Martineau
+Joe Savard

Sunday, June 19

10:15 PM Mass
Our Parish
+Charles "Lindy" Feeney
+Joe Savard

Calendar of Events

Monday, June 13 - Friday, June 17

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Loaves & Fishes
Meals are being served as take-out only at this time

Monday, June 13

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Parish Office Open
7:00 PM AA Meeting

Tuesday, June 14

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Parish Office Open

Wednesday, June 15

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM St. Mary's Clinic
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Parish Office Open

Thursday, June 16

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Parish Office Open
6:00 PM AA Meeting

Friday, June 17

Saturday, June 18

10:00 AM AA Meeting
4:15 PM Mass (in-person) Anointing of the Sick

Sunday, June 19

10:15 AM Mass (in-person) Anointing of the Sick
Confession after Mass
10:15 AM Saturday Mass available online

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