RISEN CHRIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMEJune 18, 2023Saturday, June 17, Mass for May Intentions6:30 pmSunday, June 18, Mass for the Parish9:00 amTuesday, June 20, Mass for the Soul of Dewey Coursey, rb Dick & Mary Sonju 8:45 amThursday, June 22, Mass for the Soul of Jory Schipman, rb KC #83298:45 am

Wednesdays 12:10 pm, Fridays 8:30 am Masses at St. Matthew Parish Saturday 4:30 pm, Sunday 7:00 am and 11:00 am Masses at St. Matthew Parish

Ministry Schedule, June 24 & 25, 2023

MINISTRY	Saturday, 6:30 pm	Sunday, 9:00 am
Plate Minister	Dn. Charlie Harball	Dn. Charlie
Cup Minister	Missy Kapelanczyk	Kathy Shanahan
	Jovita Kottraba	Lilia Hattel
Lector	Carol Jellison	Mike Hanson
	Dixon Rice	Minister needed
Server	Dn. Charlie	Dn. Charlie
Greeter	John & Toni Gunnerson	Dan & Tammy Newton

PLEASE NOTE

Sacrament of Baptism by appointment Sacrament of Reconciliation is Saturday, 9:00-10:30 am, or by appointment

DATES TO REMEMBER

June	18 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	Father's Day
	Knights of Columbus BreakfastAfter Mass
	25 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	Peter's Pence Collection
	26-30 Vacation Bible School, St. Matthew School Cafeteria
July	2 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
-	9 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	Bake Sale after weekend Masses
	Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday, 10:00 - 3:00pm

To be sure your announcement gets into the bulletin, please have your information in the Parish Office by noon, Wednesday.

The deadline for altar announcements is noon, Thursday.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 2023 BRISKET SHOWDOWN

The Knights of Columbus Evergreen Council is holding their 2nd Annual BBQ Brisket Showdown on **Saturday, July 15th**, at the Kalispell Fairgrounds. Proceeds go to the St. Matthew School (upgrading their security posture) and to the Special Olympics spring games. Point of contact is Mike Hanson at (406) 314-7826 or <u>mikester55@hotmail.com</u>.

PRIOR TO THE MASS

- •We should be predisposed to participate fully in the Mass, to sing and to respond, to anticipate the reception of our Lord in Holy Communion. If we are in a state of mortal sin, we should go to confession prior to the Mass.
- •We should abstain from food and drink, except for water and medicine, at least one hour before receiving Holy Communion.
- •We should dress appropriately.
- •We should not be late for the start of Mass. It is good to have some minutes of prayerful silence before the Mass actually starts.
- •Upon entering the church or chapel, we have come into a holy place. As such, we should do the following:
 - Maintain silence. Be in a prayerful posture.
 - Turn off cell phones and other gadgets.
 - Genuflect, if able or bow in front of the Blessed Sacrament before going into the pew.

HELP FOR THE BAKED GOODS TABLE FOR JULY 8TH & 9TH

We need 2 people to tend the baked goods table for both Saturday, July 8th and Sunday, July 9th. Please let the office know if you can help or if you have any questions. We also need some bakers to fill our table up with goodies!

OUR GIFT TO GOD~

Thank you to everyone who so generously supports our parish. Your financial support enables us to continue the on-going work of our ministry.

June 10 & 11, 2023

Sunday Envelopes Building Mass & Stole Gifts **Total**

6,556 75 30 **\$6.661**

SPECIAL INVITATION

WITH PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING TO ALMIGHTY GOD The Diocese of Helena

joyfully announces and invites you to attend the Ordination to the Sacred Priesthood of

Deacon Kyle Tannehill

through the invocation of the Holy Spirit and the imposition of hands by The Most Reverend Austin A. Vetter, Bishop of Helena on Friday, June 23rd, 2023 at 3:00 pm in the Cathedral of St. Helena A light reception will follow in the Brondel Center for all. Fr. Tannehill will celebrate his first Masses at Risen Christ Parish June 25, 9:00 am and at St. Matthew Parish at 11:00 am

RETROUVAILLE

4 Stages of Marriage - (1) Romance, (2) Disillusionment, (3) Misery, and (4) Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 Stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4th Stage of Awakening. **Don't give up without learning about the 4th Stage of Awakening.** If your marriage suffers from disillusionment or misery, please contact Retrouvaille. Retrouvaille is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. Our next program begins August 4, 2023. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: at 1-800-470-2230 or visit <u>www.HelpOurMarriage.com</u> Not counseling or group therapy. All contacts and names are held in strictest confidence.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2023 +++++ FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED +++++ Howard and Lorraine Carter, rb Kimberly Carter Jim Thomas, rb Bobbie Thomas Poat & Roberts Family, rb Chris Beyer Karel & David & Terry Barrett, rb Ken Barrett Shelley Hembd, rb Gary Hembd **Carol Trimble, rb Bruce Trimble** Jim Konen, rb John & Connie Babb Tom Konen, rb John Connie Babb Mike Roberts, rb George & Colleen Hutchens Christopher George Baldwin, rb George & Teresita Baldwin Father of Zach LaSalle +++++ SPECIAL INTENTIONS +++++ Ruff & Falk Families, rb Mary Ruff **RISEN CHRIST MASS REQUESTS** FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL INTENTIONS +++++ Fran Cavanagh, Greg Grace, Joe Riska, Curtis Gomes, Gene Jellison Eileen Kluesner, Maureen Neitzling, Amy Neitzling Tim & Diane Slobojan, Bob & Barbara Vine, Peg Gebhardt Mary Grace Galvin, Mike & Linda O'Neil, Larry Visocan, Mary Reckin Ron Bauer, George & Colleen Hutchens, Lou Sorensen FOR OUR SEMINARIANS +++++

Deacon Kyle Tannehill, Dillon Armstrong, Kaleb Mitchell John Cooney, Riley Helgoe, Brett Rotz, Alex Olmes Anthony Olmes, James Semling, Jamie Severson Carter Anderson, Shae Bills, Lane Buus, Matt Keck, Jack Peed

> SEMINARIAN FUND RAISER Our net proceeds from the bake sale fundraiser were \$225.00. Thank you all for your participation.

READINGS FOR THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JUNE 25, 2023

Jeremiah 20:10-13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33

PRACTICE OF HOPE

"Fear no one...What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light." Jesus seeks to draw his followers out of fear and spur them to trust and hope in him. Rooted in the promise of eternal life with God, Christian hope flourishes even despite hardship. With such faith and hope, Christians can proclaim the good news "on the housetops."
Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Blessed Josephine Bakhita, and Edith Stein are examples of people who showed hope despite suffering. Find and read one of their stories.
Hope is found, as well, in everyday, seemingly inconsequential acts; for someone suffering from depression, getting out of bed can be an expression of hope. This week, take time to identify and become more deliberate about any hopeful actions you complete automatically, without realizing it.

RISEN CHRIST PRAYER LINE

Call Helen Tobiason, (406) 212-0063 or Jackie Jensen, (406) 756-1178 should you or someone you know need prayer. Please leave a message if they are not available and they will return your call.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Council represents the interests and needs of the entire Parish community.

Jovita Kottraba, 212-8461 Judy Stack, 752-4411 Ken Barrett, 755-0269 Jamie Miller, 257-9636 Vicki Walbruch, 758-0170

FINANCE COUNCIL

Finance Council members are: Peg Gebhardt, Christopher Gill, John Gunnerson, & Wally Walbruch

FORMING A COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY

If there is a birth, a sickness, or a death in our parish community, or that of someone you know, please call **Mary Sonju**, 250-8610. She will be happy to send a card.

RISEN CHRIST GIFT SHOP

We now have scapulars, holy water fonts, rosaries, children's bracelets and much more. Please see Connie McCubbins or Andrea Wright before or after weekend Masses. If you would like to make a purchase during the week, please stop in the office.

SHEPHERD'S HAND SENDS THEIR THANK YOU

Thank you for your contribution to Shepherd's Hand! Your support makes a world of difference for those we are serving in our community... improving the health & wellbeing of those in need. Jennifer Hyatt, Executive Director

40 DAYS FOR LIFE FATHER'S DAY PRAYER VIGIL

Our local 40 DFL community will be holding a prayer vigil in front of *All Families Healthcare* abortion facility on Father's Day, June 18th, from 1-3 pm. Please keep praying for a respect for all life from conception to natural death. Point of contact is Mike Hanson, (406) 314-7826.

ST. MATTHEW CATHOLIC SCHOOL VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

SURFEN WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FREE, June 26 – 30, 2023; 9:00 am to Noon Registration forms are in our social area. This is for Pre-K through 5th graders. *Pre-registration required by June 19.*

WHY SHOULD I WEAR A ST. BENEDICT MEDAL?

The medal is a way to obtain God's blessings and protection through the intercession of St. Benedict. Wearing it is a way to remind ourselves of our life in Christ and the promises of heaven. It is a form of prayer and yet another way we can incorporate God into our daily lives.

According to the Order of St. Benedict, the medal is a prayer of exorcism against Satan, a prayer for strength in time of temptation, a prayer for peace among ourselves and among the nations of the world, a prayer that the Cross of Christ be our light and guide, a prayer of firm rejection of all that is evil, a prayer of petition that we may with Christian courage 'walk in God's ways, with the Gospel as our guide,' as St. Benedict urges us.

After reading that powerful description of the prayer of the St. Benedict Medal, I am sure that you will agree it is a "weapon" Christians need in our day and age. We are faced with evil and temptation. Anything we can use to help us in our battle will encourage and strengthen us in our fight! Catholiclink.org

****We have St. Benedict medals for sale in our gift shop.



Week of June 18, 2023



St. John the Baptist | Catholic Saints

Join Dr. John Sehorn and Taylor Kemp as they talk about St. John the Baptist, the forerunner to Christ.



Saint Thomas More: The Age of the Author

This engaging series delves into the lives of the saints who led the Catholic Counter-Reformation. In this episode, learn about St. Thomas More, a patient witness to the faith who endured a heroic martyrdom at the hands of Henry VIII.



The Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist | The Bible and Baptism | Episode 3 Dr. John Sehorn joins Fr. Isaac Morales, OP, a Dominican friar of the Province of Saint Joseph and Associate Professor of Theology at Providence College. This episode highlights the significance of Jesus' baptism at the hands of his cousin, John the Baptist.

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The Nazareth Page A gospel meditation for your home June 18, 2023 – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Matthew 9:36-10:8

I grew up in the shadow of one of America's great cities, Chicago, Illinois. Seasons of the year for me were divided into three parts: baseball in the summer, football in the fall and basketball in winter and spring. My favorite was baseball because my dad would occasionally take me to Comiskey Park where our favorite team, the Chicago White-ox would battle teams from other parts of the country – the Red Sox, the Tigers, and the fiercest of opponents, the Yankees.

It took us at most an hour to drive from our home to when we entered the confines of Comiskey Park on Chicago's southside. We had to be on our seats by the first pitch. It was almost a sin to be late. And we always stayed until the last out. And we never had to miss any of the action as vendors carrying ice cold beer and cokes and peanuts wandered among the fans selling the "needed" nourishment. I even recall having my first beer there.

Gametime was for me always very special and intense, maybe even sacred. Every pitch and every hit filled my consciousness. I didn't want to miss a single moment of the game and while I was not a player on the field, fans in attendance were made to feel that their enthusiasm for the home team helped determine the game's final outcome.

I recalled that early time of my life when reading today's gospel which records Jesus telling his disciples that "the kingdom was at hand." What they were hoping for, the entrance of God into their history, had begun. And they were to be a part of its enactment. They (and later you and I) were to be players in the great game of life. The "game" had begun with Jesus throwing the first pitch. And right now, we are on the field determining who will win, God or someone else.

The rules of this game are spelled out in the gospels and letters from the early church. We are all charged with helping those in need, feeding the hungry and offering drinks to the thirsty. And we know the general rules of the game for the rest. What's important is that we are not to be idle. We are to actively contribute to the outcome of God's reign here on Earth.

Each day (inning?) brings us opportunities to make good plays. And to make errors now and then. As you read this, think about how well you are playing today on the field or in the stands. Everyone has a role to play in determining the final outcome. So, play to win!

David M. Thomas, PhD



Join the parishes of the Kalispell Deanery for an evening event with our Diocese of Helena Bishop, Austin Vetter.



THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 Saint John Paul II Church * Bigfork 5:30 pm - Social Hour 6:30 pm - Dinner and Music

Because this will be a catered meal, advanced ticket purchases are required.

Tickets are **\$10** each and are limited to only **300 tickets** for this event. Children are free! Special musical guest for this event is Saint John Paul II Church's own dazzling violinist *Wai Mizutani and Friends*.



For more information and to purchase tickets, contact your parish office.