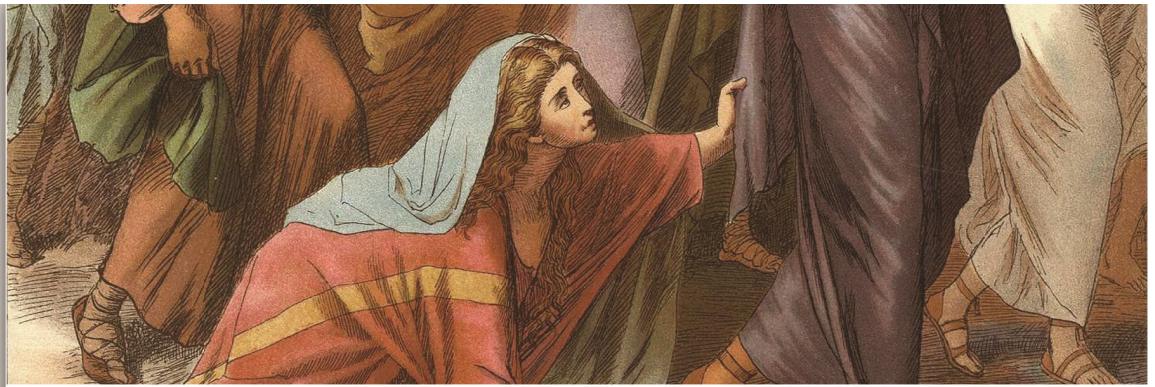


Jesus said
to the woman,
"Daughter,
your faith
has saved you.
Go in peace
and be cured of
your affliction."

MARK 5:34



Medical professionals were rare in the ancient world. We almost take them for granted today. But as we read in the Gospel for today, those in antiquity who suffered from one ailment or another, their lives were often destined for suffering and to be on the margins. We are not surprised to know that life spans were much shorter in the ancient world without access to medicine, proper care or in some cases sanitary conditions. Despite all of our advances in medicine, human beings are still subject to death. We have not conquered that, but only delayed it.

Jesus' own power is expressed by stories of curing the woman with the hemorrhage and raising the dead. Jesus restores human beings to a full, active, and healthy life in one story. He literally raises the dead to life again in another. If he and his power can do these things, we should be paying attention!

We will find later in the gospel that there is more to his ministry than grand displays of power. There will be the necessary suffering and death. Once that aspect of his ministry is revealed, many if not most of his followers will fall away. It might not be too difficult to imagine following someone who raises the dead. It's quite another to see that same one put to death.

When we encounter moments of pain, suffering, and even the death of loved ones, it is good to remember that we follow one who seeks to restore, who seeks to raise the dead to life again. This is our common Christian hope.

Saints Peter and Paul - June 29

These two pillars of the church, Peter and Paul, though not always agreeing, are eternally united as "founders" of the church in Rome. Their shared title of "founder" comes from the legends that each as martyred there; Paul was beheaded and Peter was crucified upside down.



The confession of Peter would be the rock on which the church was built. This elevated the importance of Peter and sets the stage for later theological development concerning the primacy of Peter, and therefore the primacy of the pope.

Paul wrote thirteen letters, about a quarter of the New Testament. He did not witness the historical living Jesus. Differing in view points at times, they were and are followers of Jesus. We may differ, but we are united in following Jesus, disciples of the Lord.

(Living Liturgy, pp. 162-165)

Home Mass on Tuesdays and Thursdays during the Summer at 6:30 pm

I am looking for host families, couples, or individuals to sponsor a home Mass and social time to follow. We will begin at 6:30 pm with Mass followed by a potluck lunch. Hosts are asked to provide a table for an altar, a place to put dishes for potluck, and a beverage (lemonade/water). Individuals in the neighborhood or parish are asked to bring a dish to pass, a lawn chair, and utensils for eating. No agenda, just prayer and social!

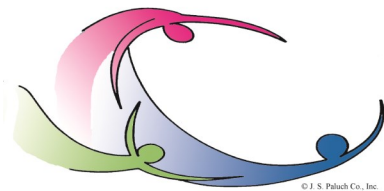
Tuesday, June 29, 6:30pm—Diane Rath, 730 Roberts St SW

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

You changed my mourning into
dancing; O LORD, my God, forever
will I give you thanks.

— *Psalm 30:13*

Readings for the Week

Mon: Gn 18:16-33; Ps 103:1b-4, 8-11;
Mt 8:18-22

Tue: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2
Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

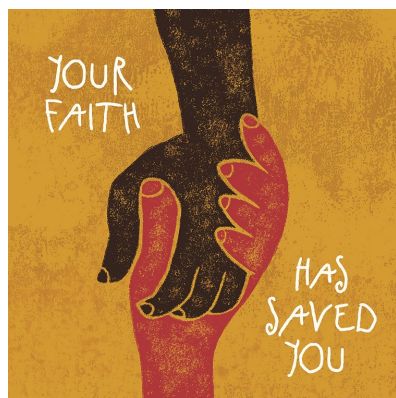
Wed: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-
13; Mt 8:28-34

Thu: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt
9:1-8

Fri: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps
106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13

Sat: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn
20:24-29

Sun: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-
10; Mk 6:1-6a



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This Week's Area Worship Schedule

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
<i>Eucharistic Adoration: 5am on Monday until 5pm on Friday.</i>		
MONDAY, June 28		
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	
TUESDAY, June 29		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Mary Ludowese
6:30pm, Mass	Diane Rath	730 Roberts St SW
WEDNESDAY, June 30		
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	
THURSDAY, July 1		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	
FRIDAY, July 2		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	
SATURDAY, July 3		
3pm, Confessions	St. Anastasia	
4:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	Larry & Betty Gunderson (60th Wedding Anniversary) +Ginny Hoffman
SUNDAY, July 4		
7:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Ray Lhotka
9:00am, Mass	St. Boniface	
10:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	For the hearts and minds of expectant mothers and fathers
7:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	For Our Parish Community

Calendar

WEDNESDAY, June 30
7pm, Knockerball & Pizza

FRIDAY, July 2
Kids' Depot closed today

SUNDAY, July 4
Happy Independence Day

MONDAY, July 5
Parish office & Kids' Depot closed

TUESDAY, July 6
7pm, School Advisory committee

St. Anastasia

WEDNESDAY, July 7
7pm, Youth Nite
7:30pm, Knights of Columbus

St. Anastasia youth room
St. Anastasia cafeteria

THURSDAY, July 8
Noon, St A's Finance Council

St. Anastasia hospitality area



THE ROMAN CATHOLIC AREA FAITH COMMUNITY OF ST. ANASTASIA & ST. BONIFACE

Community News

It's never too late (or too early) to look at St. Anastasia School to see if it would be a good fit for your child (ren) and family. You are always welcome to come and take a look around the school and classrooms. Email Principal Betty Jodzio at principal@stanastasia.net to set up a tour. <https://www.stanastasia.net/elementary-school/> (link preview includes a picture of this year's K class)

Kids' Depot

At Kids' Depot, we strive to develop an active curiosity about the world in which the child lives and to encourage an enthusiasm for learning while stimulating creativity and integrating Christian values. We have openings for the 2021-22 school year! If you'd like to learn more, call Michelle at 320-587-4760.



Holy Land Pilgrimage

There will be an informational meeting on the pilgrimage to the Holy Land in February of 2022 with Monsignor Lozinski and Father Jeremy Kucera. It will be held Sunday June 27th at Crow River Winery in Hutchinson. It will start at 2:00 p.m. Any questions call Gerald at 320-327-2441.

Knights of Columbus

Dear Catholic men: the Knights of Columbus invite you to join us! The KCs work to support our priest, parish, and community through volunteering and fundraising. We also have excellent insurance. Join or inquire via our website www.kcchurch.org, call Joe Eltgroth at 320-583-5092, or email oe.eltgroth@gmail.com. We'll have an initiation ceremony on July 7th at 7pm.

Renovations and Capital Campaign Update:

Construction plans complete: June 11
Bids for construction to be opened: July 18
Total construction timeline: July 19-October 15
Church Closed/Mass in Gym: July 19-August 27
Church open for weekend Mass: August 27-October 15

Family Help Needed

A family in our parish community is in need of some assistance. Mom in this family (mom, dad & three elementary aged children) is undergoing medical treatments that have left her unable to prepare meals for her family. If you can prepare a meal or two, drop it off at the parish office. A staff volunteer will deliver it to the family. Anything that can be kept refrigerated (or frozen) for a few days, heated and served will be greatly appreciated! If you can't help this week, perhaps next week (or the week after) it will be possible. **Many thanks to the people who have brought in meals, SCRIP grocery cards, snacks, etc. Your generosity is awe inspiring!** And—please—keep this young family in your prayers at this difficult time.

St Boniface Cemetery Notice

A reminder in accordance with our cemetery policy, please remove any free-standing items not attached to the grave stone including plants, flowers and other decorative memorabilia which were placed in memory of loved ones for Memorial Day, by Monday, June. If you visit the cemetery and do not find your items by the gravesite, please know with the high winds recently, many decorations were blown off, but items that were recovered have been placed within the center cross area. Decorations not picked up by June 14 will be removed.



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FEAST OF FAITH

Preparation of the Gifts

The altar is prepared, the gifts are received. Several brief rites follow with accompanying prayers, some prayed silently by the priest and deacon and others said aloud. We call this part of the Mass the “preparation.” What kind of preparation is happening? First, the presider holds up the paten or bowl containing the hosts, and says words that Jesus must have said many times, since they derive from ancient Jewish meal prayers: “Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation!” We have brought forward our gifts, our offering to God, and now we acknowledge that they are not really ours—the gifts that we give are God’s gift to us. It is “through your goodness” that we have gifts to offer. It is significant that we offer not wheat and grapes, but bread and wine; “fruit of the earth and work of human hands.” Bread and wine are both God’s work, and ours. These preparatory rites also prepare us for what we are about to do in the Eucharist, a mystery in which divine and human meet; a holy collaboration in which our action is caught up into God’s divine plan.

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Jesus’ Example of Helping Others

In today’s second reading Paul offers a wonderful argument to his converts at Corinth for seeking to help those in need. He is dealing with a practical problem, arranging a collection

for the poor of the church of Jerusalem; but as he often does, he develops an important teaching about Jesus to make his point.

After asking that they show their faith by generous gifts, he reminds them of the “gracious act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich” (2 Corinthians 8:9). In the Incarnation our Lord assumed our human nature, certainly becoming poor for one who is God. The ultimate gracious act of this poverty was going to the cross with all its terrible sufferings. By this act of poverty we definitely become rich. Now our sins can be forgiven; we can share in the very life of God through the sacraments; we can attain eternal salvation!

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Prayer to Sts. Peter & Paul

O holy Apostles, Peter and Paul, intercede for us. Protect, O Lord, your people who trust in the patronage of your Apostles, Peter and Paul, and by their constant protection protect your people.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Meals on Wheels

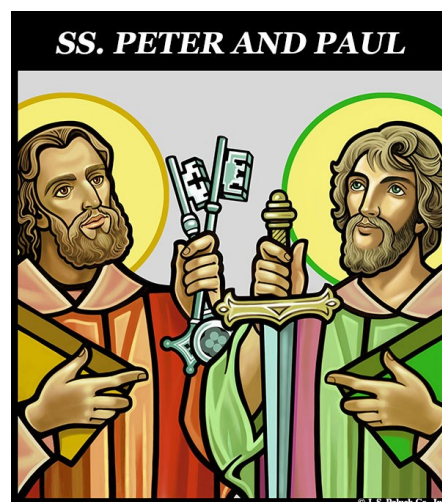
The Hutchinson Area Meals on Wheels program delivering meals out of Hutchinson Hospital is in need of volunteer drivers. It takes about one hour and each driver is only asked to deliver meals once per month. If you can help, please call Dee Powell at 587-6067. Your help will be greatly appreciated.



School Supply Collection

Common cup Ministry is coordinating a School Supply drive to help students in need begin the school year with all the necessary supplies for their grade. St A’s is asked to contribute 20 backpacks, 50 #2 pencils (24 ct packages) 100 large pink eraser and 35 Prang water colors. Please drop off your donation in the Common Tub in the entry way. Thank you for your generosity! We will collect thru August 6.

In July we will be collecting diapers sizes 4, 5, 6 and pullups to resupply Common Cup’s diaper give away for needy families. Keep an eye out for sales!



Youth Activities

June 30 - Knockerball and pizza!

All middle school and high school students are invited to join us for a night of fun and fellowship. Sign up at the link below! (Please note that a waiver is required to participate in Knockerball.) <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0844a4ad2ea6ff2-2021>



Steubenville

Our high school students are getting excited for Steubenville in July! This weekend-long conference gives students the opportunity to learn from knowledgeable speakers, worship with live music, attend daily mass, celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation, experience a powerful adoration time, and so much more. Please pray for our students and chaperones that they may grow in their relationship with Jesus during this conference.



Mission Trip Coming Soon!

Our mission trip is coming quickly—with our departure on July 10th! I can't thank everyone enough for their financial support and prayers as these plans have come together. Our group of eighteen is very excited as we count down the days! I humbly ask that you please continue to keep our participants and their families in your thoughts and prayers as we prepare for this week-long journey.

While journeying to and from Benton Harbor, our group plans on stopping at the three Marian shrines in Wisconsin: The Shrine of our Lady of Guadalupe, Basilica and National Shrine of Mary Help of Christians at Holy Hill, and the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help. We are eager to visit these places of pilgrimage and prayer. Please, know that we will holding you all in our hearts and prayers throughout the week and at these holy sites.

Please stay tuned for how you can connect and pray with us during our trip!



Please Keep In Your Prayers

Nicole Glesener Sandy Jerabek Margie Navara Maureen Reiner Barb Olson Jenny Trettin Al Cotter Delores Beich Clinton Gruett Roger Steintl Delores Muetzel Gloria Pohlmann Sr Carmen Sonnek Teri Niemeyer Betty Gunderson Darlene Artmann Terry Bisbee Sheryl Mose Marilyn Reinarts Jerome Stoll Keitha Bomstad Janice Kay Bogenrief, Brenda Popp, Zella Thode Special Intention Heidi Jagne Cristy Wallstrom Roseanne Genz Melvin Klinkner Wayne Scott Larry Richmond

For all those in the military, serving our country at home and abroad. All those suffering with illness, loneliness, mental illness and those who are helping them. All those who are making extra efforts to be of service to their family, friends and community. For a clear path in our troubled times.



He took the child by the hand and said to her, "Talitha kum," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" The girl rose immediately and walked around.

Mark 5:41-42

Stewardship

St. Anastasia

Total Contributions for:
June 21, 2021

Contribution Budget 2020-2021	\$800,000
June 13 Contributions	\$14,767
Total Contributions YTD	\$770,002
Total Budget YTD	\$784,615
Average weekly given in 2020-21	\$15,098
Average weekly needed during 2020-21 to make budget	\$15,385
Average weekly needed for remaining 1 week to make budget	\$29,998

Capital Campaign

Pledges Received	\$1,504,840.00
Contributions Received	\$675,098
Fund balance	\$479,676

DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL

<u>St A's</u>	Parish	
Goal	Total rec'd	Portion
\$50,517	\$47,070	\$9,414

<u>St B's</u>		
\$3,999	\$4,425	\$885

TRY ONLINE GIVING AT ST A'S!

Online Giving is a secure way to give to the parish. Manage your account and donations by computer, tablet, or smart phone. Go to www.stanastasia.net, and click on the Online Giving icon to find out more. You can download the free App in the App Store, Google Play Store, or go to OLGapp.com. Register by entering our church ID of 78.

Prayer For a New Bishop

Almighty God, who by the Holy Spirit moves the hearts of Your people, direct the councils of those who are appointed to choose a bishop for the Diocese of New Ulm, that we may be given a pastor who in faithfulness and wisdom shall lead Your people in the way of holiness.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.

General Information

Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at 3pm on Saturday at St. Anastasia or by appointment.

Marriages

Contact the Area Faith Office at least 6 months in advance of the planned wedding date. Couples complete a premarital inventory and are required to attend an approved pre-marriage program.

Baptisms

Contact Fr Paul Wolf, 320-587-6507, to schedule a baptism and the necessary preparation. The pre-Baptism program helps parents take an active role in their child's Baptism. It provides reflection and instructions for parents as they assume their new responsibility as the primary teachers of their child.

Hospital Visitation

If you, or anyone you know, is hospitalized or ill at home, notify the Area Faith Office to arrange for visitation.

Prayer Requests

You may list your prayer intentions in the Book of Communal Prayer in the Eucharistic Chapel.

Prayer Chain

St. A's has a prayer chain that prays for any needs you have. Anyone can call with a prayer request, and anyone can be a part of the prayer chain. If you would like to participate or ask for prayer support, call Janet Hall at 320-455-7927 email 3furballmom@gmail.com.

New Parishioners

Please register! Call or stop by the Area Faith Office.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation)

Considering becoming fully Catholic? Call Fr Paul Wolf, 320-587-6507.

Coffee Sales

Coffee from San Lucas, Guatemala is available in the Area Faith Office during business hours. Cost is \$10 per bag.

Area Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays, 12pm, at St. Anastasia.

KC Picnic Shelter Rental at St. A's

Call Mark Lewandowski, 320-583-0357.

Adoration Hotline

For the latest changes to the Adoration

Area Faith Community Leadership

STA Administrative Council

Chair: Jim Fahey

usually meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month
July 20, 7pm St Anastasia parish office

STB Administrative Council

Chair: Mark Maiers

TBA, 9am St Boniface church basement

Cemetery Committee

Chair: Jeff Lehn

July 8, 3pm St Anastasia parish office

School Advisory Committee

Chair: Jason Jennissen

usually meets on the 1st Tuesday each month
July 6, 7pm St Anastasia hospitality area

Home & School Association

Chair: Gina Jennissen

TBA, 6:30pm St Anastasia library

Worship & Outreach Committee

TBA, 7pm St Anastasia parish office

Maintenance Committee

TBA 5pm St Anastasia parish office

Social Concerns Committee

TBA, 6pm St Anastasia parish office

STA Council of Catholic Women

TBA, 10am St Anastasia hosp. kitchen

STB Council of Catholic Women

TBA, 6pm St Boniface basement

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight: Mark Maiers

July 7, 7:30pm St Anastasia cafeteria

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