



No servant can serve two masters.

Luke 16:13

“The person who is trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in great ones; and the person who is dishonest in very small matters is also dishonest in great ones.”

In last Sunday’s gospel we met a prodigal son; this week we meet a prodigal steward or business manager. Both squandered property. Whether the steward’s wastefulness was because of negligence, incompetence, or malice, we are not told. Where he is efficient, however, is in the speedy formulation of a plan that will ensure his future now that he has been denounced. He thinks quickly and shrewdly. To some degree, we are all like the manager, a mix of the despicable and the commendable.

Character counts. We hear this a lot growing up, but what it really means is what Jesus is talking about here. When we are asked to do things, we should not weigh them on a scale of what benefits us and what we can “get away with,” but what is correct, as if all of our dealings were made public. In fact, they are public, in the eye of the Lord.

Jesus tells us that we cannot serve both God and the world. What good is it if we make a show of devotion and prayer, while designing a life of ensured financial comfort? Where is the line between appropriate care for one’s well-being and family, and exaggerated need based on secular expectations? Or the line between respect from one’s neighbors and awe because of boasted accomplishment? These are age-old questions, and the struggle to serve our true Master, and no one else, is a struggle in which we all participate.

As we strive to serve God, we must intentionally discern what is of God and what is not of God. Feelings and desires that bring us joy and happiness or experiences of faith, hope, and love are all of God. On the contrary, when we experience fear, inadequacy, doubt, or sadness, we recognize these feelings are not of God.

Another important practice of discernment is learning how we might use our gifts to best serve God. While our lives and experiences take different forms and paths, all of us are called to respond to God’s invitation in our lives. How do we respond? Do we use our time and talents to work for justice and the betterment of others? Do we share our gifts with people who might benefit from them? Do we serve God in our daily decisions? Or are we distracted, placing our trust in things that are fleeting? Today, we pray that we may listen attentively to Jesus’ command to serve God.

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

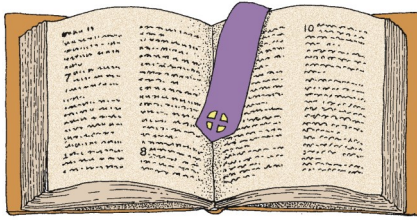
Welcome, Congratulations, and Prayers

Bishop Chad W. Zielinski

named fifth bishop of New Ulm!

**INSTALLATION MASS SET FOR TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 27, 2022**





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God . . . wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth.

— 1 Timothy 2:4

Readings for the Week

Mon: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18

Tue: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wed: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

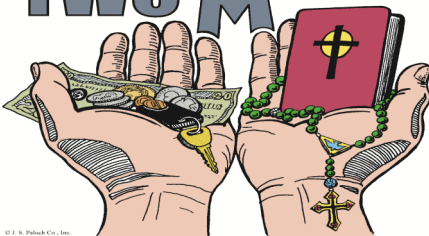
Thu: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Fri: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Sat: Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Lk 9:43b-45

Sun: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

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St. Boniface Catholic Church
551 Main Street, Stewart, MN 55385
Phone: 320-562-2344

This Week's Area Worship Schedule

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
<i>Eucharistic Adoration: 6am on Mondays until Noon on Friday.</i>		
MONDAY, September 19		
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Chuck Nielsen + Cindy Farenbaugh
TUESDAY, September 20		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Roger Lhotka ++ Dick & Bev Popp
WEDNESDAY, September 21		
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	All Souls in Purgatory
THURSDAY, September 22		
9am, Mass	St. Anastasia	++ Dick & Marie Richards
FRIDAY, September 23		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Brynn Engstrom
SATURDAY, September 24		
4:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	All Souls in Purgatory
SUNDAY, September 25		
7:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Genny Lhotka
9:00am Mass	St. Boniface	+ Ruth Wangen
10:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Steve Urban + Henry Endres
7:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	For Our Area Faith Community

Calendar of Events

SUNDAY, September 18		Twentieth-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9am, ALPHA	St. Anastasia	Youth Room
9am, The Bible Timeline	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
MONDAY, September 19		
5:30pm, GriefShare	St. Anastasia	Youth Room
TUESDAY, September 20		
7pm, Administration Council	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
WEDNESDAY, September 21		
6:30pm, Eucharist (Bible Study)	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
7:30pm, Youth Group	St. Anastasia	Youth Room
THURSDAY, September 22		
9am, School Mass	St. Anastasia	
10am Card Ministry	St. Anastasia	Parish Office
2pm, Eucharist (Bible Study)	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
FRIDAY, September 23		
No School - Teachers' Professional Day		
6am, That Man Is You (TMIY)	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
Parish Fall Family Festival	St. Anastasia	
SATURDAY, September 24		
Parish Fall Family Festival	St. Anastasia	
SUNDAY, September 25		Twentieth-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Parish Fall Family Festival	St. Anastasia	
NO ALPHA or The Bible Timeline		

The Roman Catholic Area Faith Community of
St. Anastasia & St. Boniface

Community News

CCW Rummage Sale-



The next CCW Rummage Sale is scheduled for October 20th & 21st during MEA break in the gym. Get ready to gather all your treasures for the sale.

St. Pius X Fall Festival in Glencoe, MN

Please join St. Pius X for their Fall Festival on Sunday, September 18 from 10:30am-2pm

They are serving an Old Fashioned Baked Chicken & Sausage Dinner served with sauerkraut, real mashed potatoes & gravy, dressing, corn, rolls, homemade pie and a beverage. Tickets are Adults \$12 if purchased in advance and \$13 at the door. Ages (3-10) \$7, ages 2 & under free.

The day also includes Bingo, Cake Walk, Country Store, Kids games, and a silent auction and Raffle.

St. Aloysius Catholic Church in Olivia Fall Dinner

Please join us for our annual Fall Dinner on October 9, 2022. We will be offering dine in or take out from 11:00am-1:00pm. The menu includes fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing, candied carrots, coleslaw, cranberries, dinner roll, pumpkin dessert. Cost is \$15.00 for all meals. All are invited!

REVIVE ~Women's Faith gathering~ Monday September 19th

ALL women 18+ are invited to *Revive Women's Faith gathering* at Winsted Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

The night consists of fellowship with wine/ refreshments, chocolates, Catholic Speakers, worship lead by Alex Schindler, small group discussion, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, prayer teams and personal prayer time. This is a night for women to be revived and renewed in spirit!

This is a FREE will offering ~ Invite a friend~

We welcome our young adult speaker ~ Kristin Adams ~ giving her talk "Healing through Forgiveness".

Social time 6:30-7:00pm, Event 7:00pm-8:00pm,

Holy Hour 8:00pm-9:00pm (Adoration, reconciliation, prayer teams and live praise and worship music).

Common Cup

On going needs for Common Cup are: Ramen Noodles as they give out about 200 pkgs a week, personal care products, laundry soap & dryer sheets and cash. Thank you for all you do for our community in donating to this great cause.



PRAYER OF THE WEEK

O God, who founded all the commands of your sacred Law upon love of you and of our neighbor, grant that, by keeping your precepts, we may merit to attain eternal life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How do I show love for my neighbor?

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Discovering Christ Program at both Winsted Holy Trinity & Glencoe St Pius X parishes!

~ ALL are invited~ Are you seeking more in your faith life? Are you ready to encounter The Lord in a new and powerful way? This is a seven-week experience that invites every person, baptized or unbaptized, to encounter the love of God the Father, enter into or renew a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and be empowered by the Holy Spirit to live as God's children.

Enjoy a **free dinner**, listen to a dynamic teaching and join in a small group discussion about the meaning of life in Jesus Christ. The series consists of seven weekly sessions from 5:00pm-7:30pm (Sunday evenings Oct. 9th - Nov. 27) and a retreat day (Saturday, Nov. 12th).

Questions-call Joe Neumann 612-221-4322 Register @ <https://forms.gle/eqWjzJu8akNjvGSKA>



Letter and Spirit- American Roman Catholic theologian Scott Hahn takes on the lofty subject scripture and its relationship to liturgy. He shows how scriptural texts have been intimately tied to ritual public worship since the early Christian Church and even before that in the Jewish temple. The Diocese of New Ulm has clearance to cablecast **Letter and Spirit** on HCVN, channel 10, at 4 p.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Sept. 20, 23	Ep. 7 <i>The Jewish Roots of Catholic Rites</i>
Sept. 27,30	Ep. 8 <i>The Gospel Truth About Ritual</i>

Faith Formation - ADULT FORMATION

Catechists are needed for this coming year of Faith Formation. We are looking for teachers and supervisors for all grades. Please call the parish office at 320-587-6507 and help pass on the Faith to our children.

A Prayer of Thanksgiving for Our New Bishop

God our Father and Creator,
From ancient days, you have called shepherds after your own heart, to wisely and prudently guide your people. In your abundant goodness, you have faithfully provided pastoral leadership for the Diocese of New Ulm for nearly 65 years.

With gratitude, we celebrate the appointment of Bishop Chad Zielinski, as your servant, to lead us as we strive to realize the Kingdom of God in our midst.

As we joyfully welcome Bishop Zielinski, pour out upon him the gifts of the Holy Spirit to strengthen him for his ministry in our local Church.

United with our bishop, we make this prayer through your Son, Jesus Christ the Good Shepherd, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), is a process that welcomes new members into the Catholic Church, those that would like a deeper understanding of the faith, and those that would like to be Confirmed in the Church as a adult. Included in the process are several Rites, the study of the Gospel, professing faith in Jesus and the Catholic Church, and receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. This process will begin Sunday, October 2, 2022 at 6 pm. All are welcome!



The Country Store will open at 2 pm Saturday, Sept. 24 and close at 7 pm. Sunday hours are from 10:30 to 3:00pm. Please support us by donating books, tapes, cassettes, puzzles, fruits, vegetables, houseplants, perennials, bulbs, cut flowers, dried grasses, jam, jellies, canned goods, honey, ice cream buckets, flower vases, flower pots, garden tools, bird houses, bird feed—use your imagination! We already have a large assortment of Halloween decorations thanks to a generous donator. Questions? Call Carol Notch at 587-6139

Family Fun Fest Donations

You can start bringing in your donations for the country store, pop bottles, junk food, bags of candy, etc.. on Friday, September 16 to the hospitality area. The tables will be marked.

Volunteer opportunities for Family Fun Fest

Please sign up to help with the family fun fest by going on-line or sign up on the sheets outside the sanctuary. This is a great opportunity for us to meet people who are new in our parish by working side by side with them. Maybe get a group of friends together to fill a time slot. It will be a great time.



Advance Vouchers for Carnival rides are now for sale in the parish office or after weekend Masses for \$25 until September 22. On the day you come to the festival you may trade the voucher in for a wristband for the rides at the table selling wristbands.

Raffle Tickets-We have many more raffle tickets to sell. Please stop by the parish office to pick up more .

School News

New this year: *Peace of Mind* program. The Diocese of New Ulm in partnership with Phoenix Counseling and CSCOE (Catholic Schools Center of Excellence) are offering a comprehensive series of teaching, parenting, and learning strategies that address the challenges facing today's Catholic school families.

In person Kick-off sessions with Dr. Jules Nolan will take place (choose a day that works for you) at 6:30 pm on September 21, 2022 (St. Mary's in Sleepy Eye) or September 22, 2022 (St. Aloysius in Olivia). St. Anastasia will view a recorded live stream session here in the Hospitality area at 6:30 pm on Thursday, September 22nd. Please RSVP to Mrs. Jodzio if you plan to attend (principal@stanastasia.net).

In these sessions we will learn about how our brains affect our learning, relationships, reactions, and emotions. We will also be provided with a schedule of future webinars that will dive into the psychology of parenting, teaching, learning, and supporting our students.



To access the St. Mary's Sleepy Eye livestream, parents can register with this [link](#).

Many thanks to the Catholic School Center of Excellence (CSCOE) for providing the funding to make this opportunity possible for the schools of the Diocese of New Ulm.

saint snippets


*"Victor was patient,
always patient."*

-Bl. Francisco's fellow seminarian

Bl. Francisco de Paula Victor

19th-century Brazilian slave who, against all odds, became a priest. He is remembered for his love for the poor and is invoked as a patron against racism.

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September 23

Adoration Moment


ADORATION provides a place of serenity, peace and calm to a hurting world, a place to lose and renew yourself in a simpler and quieter world for just an hour. We all find ourselves struggling with everyday life in some shape or form. Find one hour each week to unload all the distractions we have in our lives! JESUS is waiting in the Day Chapel for us.

PARISH OFFICE: 587-6507/ADORATION
HOTLINE: 320-484-7126


Please help us to fill the following hours:

- Monday:** 2:00 p.m.
- Tuesday:** 3:00 pm- 2 & 4 Tuesday
- Wednesday:** 12:00 a.m. / 1:00 a.m. / 2:00 a.m. / 9:00 a.m.
- Thursday:** 1:00 a.m./ 7:00 a.m. / 5:00 p.m./ 11:00 p.m.
- Friday:** 9:00 a.m.

Adoration Hours: Monday 6:00 a.m. – Friday Noon



Letters from Heaven



Start with the letter in the shaded square. Draw a path from letter to letter to complete the Biblical statement. Move one square at a time, up, down, right, left and diagonally until all letters are used once. Ignore any black squares.

Jesus said to his disciples, "If you are not trustworthy with what belongs to another, who will give ...

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O	T	O	S
	U	A	U
W	H	R	S

Y _ _ _ _ _ ?"

Answer: *trust to you*

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Please Keep In Your Prayers

Nicole Glesener Barb Olson Jenny Trettin
 Clinton Gruett Roger Steintl Terry Bisbee
 Delores & Martin Muetzel Cristy Wallstrom
 Roseanne Genz Bruce Bjerkelund Tom Donohoo
 Jen Schnichels Bev Wangerin Janelle Woller
 Bonita Quast Brenda Popp Sr. Lucille Matousek
 Irene Matousek Cathy Plath Donna Conrad
 Special Intention Robyn Chrast Lois Pollei
 For peace in our world.



Names will be listed for one month. If you would like to continue your prayer request after that time please contact the office and ask for reinstating.



The Capital Campaign is for the remodeling of the church. Please write out a separate check than your weekly offering check as they go into 2 separate accounts, but still write the check out to St. Anastasia not to Capital Campaign. Thanks for your assistance in this process.

FAITH AS SMALL AS A MUSTARD SEED CAN MOVE MOUNTAINS. Are you climbing a mountain in your life right now? **CENTRAL MINNESOTA KOINONIA** is a weekend retreat program that commemorates the Paschal Mystery in a community setting. The next weekend is scheduled for September 23-25, 2022, at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, Minnesota. Cost of the weekend is \$70. Go to www.centralmnkoinonia.org for more information and to register for retreats.

Are you new to St. Anastasia? Want more information? Please provide some contact information for us to reach out to you!

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

I would like more information on:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Education Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> St. Anastasia School | <input type="checkbox"/> Eucharistic Adoration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Confession | <input type="checkbox"/> Masses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I would like a call or visit from Father Paul | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> I'm Updating My Information |



Stewardship

St. Anastasia

September 11 Contributions \$13,952.54

Capital Campaign

Pledges Received \$1,509,332.

Contributions Received \$1,263,799.54

CC Fund Balance \$ 221,632.37

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. 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.

St. Boniface

September 11 Contributions \$.00

We pray for the repose of the soul of Dolores Beich & Cindy Ziemer whom we buried this week. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

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.

Area Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays, 11am, 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 schedule call 320-484-7126.

*The Area Faith Office is open Mon-Fri, 7:30am-4:30pm
320-587-6507.*

Area Faith Community Leadership

STA Administrative Council Chair: Jim Fahey	<i>usually meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month</i> Sept 20, 7pm	St Anastasia	parish office
STB Administrative Council Chair: Mark Maiers	TBA, 9am	St Boniface	church basement
Cemetery Committee Chair: Jeff Lehn	TBA, 3pm	St Anastasia	parish office
School Advisory Committee Chair: Berit Spors	<i>usually meets on the 1st Tuesday each month</i> Sept 6, 6:30pm	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	hospitality area
STB Council of Catholic Women	TBA, 6pm	St Boniface	basement
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight: Paul Mraz	October 5, 7:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria
Knights of Columbus Squires	October 5, 5:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria

Area Faith Community Staff

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Bobbi Ludewig, Secretary		bludewig@stanastasia.net
Jon Skoog, Facilities Manager	320-552-1264	
St. Boniface Staff		
LaMae Maiers, Administration		
Merri Schaufler, Contributions/Admin.	320-562-2245	
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Michelle Nies, Director	320-587-4760	depot@stanastasia.net
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RE Dir, St Anastasia	320-587-6507	religioused@stanastasia.net
Karen Maiers, RE Dir, St Boniface	320-833-6020	karenmaiers1@gmail.com
Jake Burmis, YM Director	320-587-6507	youthmin@stanastasia.net
St. Anastasia Cemetery		
Mike Schall, Manager	1 mile north of Hutchinson on Highway 15 320-583-7199	mgschall@mediacombb.net
St. Boniface Cemetery		
Terry Maiers, Co-Manager	1 mile south of Stewart on City Rd 7 320-894-8758	
Adam Tanata, Co-Manager	320-583-4345	

TO REPORT ABUSE: If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a member of the clergy (priest, deacon or bishop), and you need to talk with someone about abuse, exploitation, or harassment, please contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator or the Bishop's Delegate in Matters Pertaining to Sexual Misconduct, 1421 6th Street North, New Ulm, MN 56073; phone: (507) 359-2966.