



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



“Whoever enters through the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens it for him, and the sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.” - Jn 10:2-3

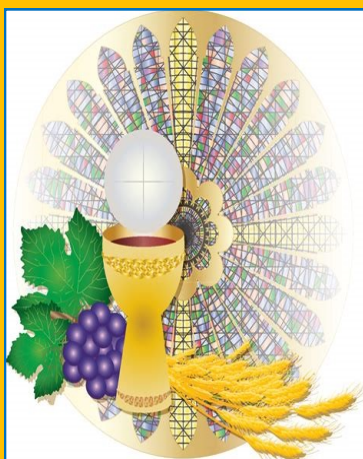
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Too often, unjust distinctions between who is “in” and who is “out” plague our communities. People are welcomed or cast aside based on who they voted for, the amount of money in their bank account, the color of their skin, and countless other human-made categories. In today’s gospel, the Christ the Good Shepherd does establish a boundary for his sheep, but he does so for the sake of drawing all people toward fullness of life. The Good Shepherd’s fence is ever-expanding. Our Lord longs to welcome all of creation into his pastures - and indeed, calls each of us into the sheepfold by name.

In today’s gospel, we are told Jesus came so that we “might have life and have it more abundantly.” Now is a good time to take stock of our realities and consider: Am I living my life to the fullest? If not, what is preventing me? How can I live more deeply into Christ’s gift of life?

Today’s psalm is one of the more popular ones in Scripture. The familiar phrase is often prayed in times of trial: “The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.” The psalmist does not claim that the Lord will take away all suffering. Instead, the psalmist assures us of God’s constant presence as we wade through the darkness. God will not leave us to face our fears alone. No matter what happens in this life, we can be assured that goodness and kindness will follow us always. Dwelling in the house of the Lord is our destiny. *Living Liturgy, p. 117*



First Holy Communion

Congratulations - We welcome you to the Table of the Lord.

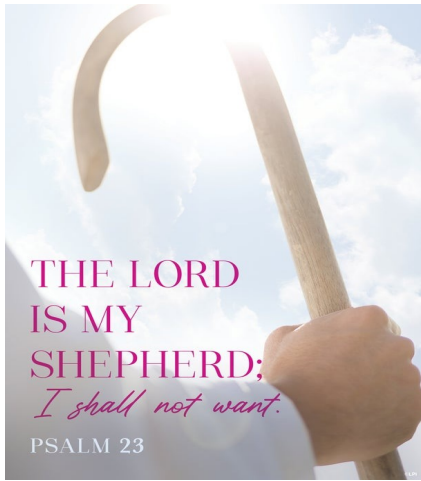
May you receive Him often and stay close to Him.

St. Anastasia, Hutchinson, MN

Julia Kay Blom + Madeline Grace Boncquet + Brynlee June Doering + Tyson Nicholas German + Grayson James Johnson + Amelie Grace Mach + Cora Renae Reyes + William Jon Skoog + Kaden James Young + Charles Juel Ziegenhagen + Tucker Brian Arndt + Hernan Estrada + Yartezi Estrada + Lucille Audrey Madden + Samantha Jeovana Maganda + Jayden James McKay + Avery Carolyn Redmann + MaKenna Rosemarie Kasid + Joseph Walter Kasid + Youme Vasallo Kasal + Daisy Renee Schiefer

St. Boniface, Stewart

John Paul Stifter + Adley Elizabeth Tanata



Readings for the Week

Mon: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:11-18
Tue: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30
Wed: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14
Thu: Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20
Fri: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6
Sat: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14
Sun: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22)/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12



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 Phone: 320-587-6507
 Emergencies: 507-829-0965

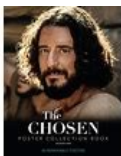
St. Boniface Catholic Church
 551 Main Street, Stewart, MN 55385
 Phone: 320-562-2344

This Week's Area Worship Schedule

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
<i>Eucharistic Adoration: 6am on Mondays until Noon on Friday.</i>		
MONDAY, May 1 5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	Donna Conrad
TUESDAY, May 2 7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	++Clarence & Loretta Kulberg
WEDNESDAY, May 3 5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Grace Kosek
THURSDAY, May 4 9am, Mass	St. Anastasia	++Kitty & John Ortmeier
FRIDAY, May 5 7am, Mass 10am, Mass	St. Anastasia Pines	++ Chuck & Mary Seivert + Genny Lhotka
SATURDAY, May 6 9am, Mass 3pm, Confessions 4:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	+ Gayle Oestreich Day Chapel + Neal Braun
SUNDAY, May 7 7:30am, Mass 9:00am, Mass 10:30am, Mass 7:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia St. Boniface St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Brenda Crane + Carsten Homan + Bill Germscheid For our Area Faith Community

Calendar of Events

MONDAY, May 1 6pm, <i>Chosen</i> discussion group	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
TUESDAY, May 2 6:30pm, Education Advisory Committee	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
WEDNESDAY, May 3 7:30pm, Knights of Columbus 7:45pm, Youth Group	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Cafeteria
THURSDAY, May 4 9am, School Mass	St. Anastasia	Church
FRIDAY, May 5		
SATURDAY, May 6		
SUNDAY, May 7		



A group has formed to watch and discuss the series called "The Chosen." If interested they have a series of discussion questions and will dig into the life and story of the Bible. Mondays, 6:00pm Hospitality Area.

Construction Notice for Roberts Road SW (in front of the Church of St. Anastasia)!!! Construction is scheduled to begin May 1st and be completed ? weather and other issues permitting. Please enter the parking lot off of Lake Street SW. We will be losing two entry ways to the parking lot during construction, please driving carefully.



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



Common Cup Ministry is collecting new and gently used coats, snow pants, hats, mittens and boots now through the end of May. Drop them in the collection bin. Thank you for all do for our community.

Free Lunch

St. Anastasia, with the help of the Knights of Columbus, will be putting on the last “free lunch” for the high school on Thursday, May 25th, in the late morning/early afternoon. If your interested in helping set-up and serve lunch, please contact Jake. We will need help. We are very happy to be back, serving the high school kids. Come, spend some time with the kids!

NEW TO SCRIP



We now have Scrip available for River House Kitchen & Drinks at 15% rebate. They have \$25 cards.

Please see the attached flyer for “This is My Body”, a **Eucharistic Congress 2023** presented by the Diocese of Winona-Rochester on June 10, 2023 at the Mankato Civic Center. I have personally spoken with Bishop Barron and he has extended invitations to all the dioceses in Minnesota.

Registration opens to the public on April 1 and runs through May 15.

St. Anastasia Easter Flower Memorials

Dorothy Lindenberg; Veronica Caswell; Donald & Irene Vorbeck; Paul Troska; Nick & Erma Troska; Melvin & Loretta Schmeling; Sharon Dusoski; Henry & Helen Dusoski; Ed & Cloe Karl; Bruce & Christopher Karl; Joshua Schultz & Brynn Engstrom; Rita Patterson; Bob & Carol Cogley; Leo & Betty Cogley; John & Kitty Ortmeier; Donald Ludewig; Carl & Florence Christensen; Alex Doering; Conner Forcier; Joe Ritchey; George & Clara Erpelding; Roman Haas; Ron Swenson; Steven Swenson; Robert Schmid; Ralph Krebsbach; Henry & Helen Dusoski; Kathy Andreen

St. Boniface Easter Flower Memorials

Paul & Margaret Maiers; John & Helen Tanata; Hillard Kaufman; Carsten Homan; Alfred & Flora Schaufler; Edward Altrichter; Jacquelyn Nathe



3rd Annual Knights of Columbus “**BLESSING OF THE BIKES**” on May 21st RAIN OR SHINE at Immaculate Conception Church 109 Angel Ave NW Watertown, MN from 11am-3pm. Kick off the riding season with a blessing. 9am Biker Mass at church.

Silver Lake Knights of Columbus will be having a **Paper Drive** on Friday and Saturday, May 12 & 13 from 7am-7pm. Please drop off your paper on the North side of Holy Family Church in Silver Lake. We collect the following: paper grocery bags, junk mail, newspapers, cereal boxes, cake mix boxes, cracker boxes, cookie boxes, telephone books, magazines, shredded paper.

NO plastic, hardcover books, or cardboard.

Enkindle, Rekindle, and Deepen a Living Relationship with Jesus in the Eucharist

The U.S. Catholic Bishops Secretariat of Evangelization and Catechesis has launched a **Heart of the Revival** weekly email newsletter for ongoing inspiration and information as we journey forward toward the 2024 National Eucharistic Congress.

CATHOLICS OF ALL AGES ENCOURAGED TO SIGN-UP!

It's the simplest way to stay connected to what the National Eucharistic Revival is all about.

Visit the Diocese of New Ulm website, dnu.org to sign-up for the newsletter, learn of various upcoming Eucharistic Revival events, and more.



Faith Formation - ADULT FORMATION

St. Boniface CCW Spring Luncheon

The Theme is **Faith-Family-Friend**

Please join us on Saturday, May 13, 2023. St. Boniface Social Hall, Stewart, MN Social hour: 10:30a.m.: Luncheon: 11:00a.m.

Our speaker will be Kristen Soley– She is a wife, mother of seven, cancer survivor, public speaker, blogger and author. She is married to her husband Nathan for twenty three years, home schools their children and teaches at Holy Trinity Catholic School. She has published two books, and speaks at a variety of conferences and retreats, encouraging wives and mothers on their path to holiness through their vocation.

RSVP and payment due by Sunday, May 7th to Lisa Stifter 320-562-2305 or Wendy Tanata 320-562-2237. Cost is \$10. Make checks out to St. Boniface CCW. Payment can be sent to St. Boniface Church, 551 Main St. Stewart, MN 55385. Space is limited so make your reservations early.

Common Cup

Collecting Ramen Noodles, Personal Care items, Laundry soap, dryer sheets.



Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are considered mission territories because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home_missions.



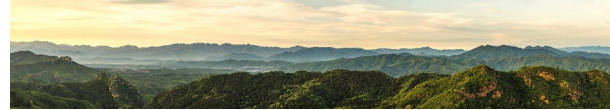
Tootsie Roll Drive

The Knights of Columbus will hold their 40th Annual Tootsie Roll Drive after Masses on April 29th and 30th.

100% of the proceeds will go to organizations providing service to people with developmental disabilities.

This year Averyon Homes, McLeod County ARC, Hutchinson Special Olympics and KC Special Olympics will receive funding.

Chairs : Mike Heinen & Art Winkler (St. A's)
Louis Stifter & Mark Maiers (St. B's)



Mission Trip Envelope Board

Please continue to support the mission trip if you are able. We have 50 envelopes left and a few dozen that have not been turned back in. These funds are necessary and tremendously help our group be able to do this ministry and serve in various communities. The board will continue to be up for a couple more weeks. Thank you for your support.

Youth Projects

We are wondering if there are any parishioners in need of any help with projects, between now and the end of summer. We have groups of youth who are willing and looking for service projects! We would love to have them come, help wherever there may be a need. Please, let Jake know if you might have a service opportunity for our youth this summer. Thanks!

Baccalaureate

The St. Anastasia graduate Mass will be on Sunday, May 21st at 10:30 a.m. The graduates will process in with their parents and be celebrated during that Mass. Families of the graduates will then sit down and be celebrated at a meal—put on with the help of the junior class and their families. Please, join with us for Mass this day, to celebrate our graduates and wish them well!

The Diocese of New Ulm has clearance to cablecast **Crossing the Goal: Marks of a True Christian** on HCVN public access, channel 10, at 4 p.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays. Former NFL player and coach Danny Abramowicz welcomes fellow CROSSING THE GOAL team members Brian Patrick, Curtis Martin, and Peter Herbeck (*a native of New Ulm and currently the vice president and director of missions for Renewal Ministries*) to a just-for-men discussion on the Marks of a True Christian. Join their conversation to learn what steps we can take to become more devoted to our Faith, and thus fully live out our lives as true spirit-filled Christians.

Date	Episode
May 2, 5	Episode 1 Genuine Love
May 9, 12	Episode 2 Brotherly Affection
May 16, 19	Episode 3 Honor and Humility

School News

Thank you to all who supported our first Roots to Wings Gala! It was a beautiful evening with great food and great company gathered together to raise funds for a very worthy cause.

We had 116 guests in attendance, and while we are waiting for final numbers, a preliminary glance shows us raising around \$50,000! We look forward to sharing the final amount raised in the near future!

Thank you to all of those who made donations to the silent and live auction as well monetary donations. Thank you to the Gala Committee who worked hard to make the evening a huge success!



St. Anastasia Baby, Kid and Teen Garage Sale!

Friday, May 12 from 4pm-7pm
Saturday, May 13, from 9am-1pm

- Name Brand Clothes
- Sports Equipment
- Toys
- Bikes
- Furniture
- And More!

Hutchinson's BIGGEST Baby, Kid and Teen Sale!



Shari's Jo to Go Coffee and Treats on Saturday only!

First Friday Adoration at the Capitol

Join MCC each first Friday of the month from January to May any time from 9am- 4pm in the Governor's Dining Room located on the lower level of the Minnesota State Capitol. Bring your family, bring a careful from your parish or town. Come and pray at the CAPITOL for Minnesota's unborn babies, for our families, for a conversion of our MINNESOTA leadership. **PASS THE WORD TO EVERYONE YOU**

KNOW!! By now we have become aware, that humanly, we have no power- - let's turn this over to GOD!

(Judy Haag 40 Days for Life- St. Cloud)

We are in need of the following MINISTRIES: Eucharist to the Homebound, audio/visual operators in the church, and Eucharistic Ministers at the altar. If you are interested and would like to minister in these areas please call or email the parish office. Thank you.

Adoration Moment

God is not impatient like us, who often want everything all at once, even in our dealings with other people. God is patient with us because he loves us, and those who love are able to understand, to hope, to inspire confidence; they are able to forgive. Let us remember this in our lives as Christians: God always waits for us, even when we have left him behind! He is never far from us, and if we return to him, he is ready to embrace us.

NEEDED AVAILABLE TIMES

WEDNESDAY: 4:00 P.M.
THURSDAY: 1:00 A.M. /5:00 P.M. / 11:00 P.M.
FRIDAY: 10:00 A.M. (2nd & 4th)

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

Please Keep In Your Prayers

*Nicole Glesener Jenny Trettin Terry Bisbee
Bonita Quast Brenda Popp Donna Conrad
Special Intention Robyn Chrast Lois Pollei
Special Intention Randy Lange Reiden Cichoski
Phyllis van der Hagen Phyllis Skurdahl Jim Waldron
Nellie Czech Bernie "Butch" Funk Tom Donohoo
Gerry Brown Marilyn Stevens Sarah Lindstrom
Ava Heinen Sheldon Nies For peace in our world
For those who serve our country*



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

Stewardship

St. Anastasia

April 23 Contributions \$11,047.00

Capital Campaign

Pledges Received \$1,509,332.
Contributions Received \$1,545,316.36
CC Fund Balance \$ 485,697.69

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

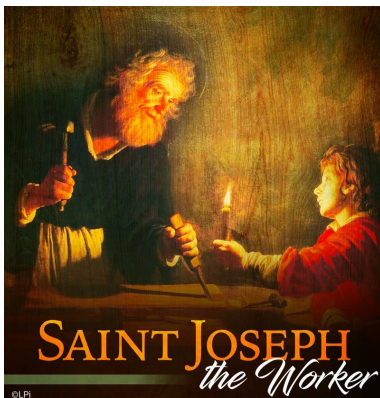
April 23 Contributions \$1,199.00

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Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!

Gary Stang from LPI, our bulletin printer, will be in our office securing new ads for our church. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.

LPI Gary Stang
320-266-0520
gstang@4lpi.com



**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 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> I would like a call or visit from | <input type="checkbox"/> Father Paul |
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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> May 16, 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> May 2, 6:30pm	St Anastasia	hospitality area
Home & School Association Chair: Gina Jennissen	<i>usually meets on the 2nd Tuesday each month</i> May 9, 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	<i>usually meets on the 2nd Thursday each month</i> May 11, 10am	St Anastasia	hospitality area
STB Council of Catholic Women	TBA, 6pm	St Boniface	basement
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight: Paul Mraz	May 3, 7:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria
Knights of Columbus Squires	May 3, 5:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria

Area Faith Community Staff

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St. Boniface Staff		
LaMae Maiers, Administration	320-583-1302	
Merri Schaufler, Contributions/Admin.	320-562-2245	
St. Anastasia School		
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Marilyn Schreiner, Secretary	320-587-2490	secretary@stanastasia.net
Kids' Depot Daycare & Preschool		
Michelle Nies, Director	320-587-4760	depot@stanastasia.net
Religious Education & Youth Ministry		
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	1 mile north of Hutchinson on Highway 15	
Mike Schall, Manager	320-583-7199	mgschall@mediacombb.net
St. Boniface Cemetery	1 mile south of Stewart on City Rd 7	
Terry Maiers, Co-Manager	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) 233-5313.