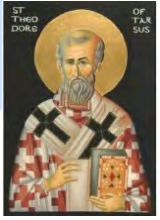


Our Lady of the Pines & St. Theodore of Tarsus Catholic Churches



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Mass Times

Our Lady of the Pines, Nevis

Tuesdays: 12 Noon

Wednesdays-Fridays 9:00 AM

Saturdays: 5:00 PM

Sundays: 10:30 AM

St. Theodore's Church, Laporte

Sundays 8:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration at OLP

Fridays: 9:30-10:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:15-4:45 PM at OLP

Sundays 8:00 AM at St. Theodore's

May 7, 2017

Fourth Sunday Of Easter

Baptized in Water and Sealed by the Spirit

We welcome into the Parish Community of St. Theodore's Church the following children who will receive Baptism this **Sunday, May 07 during the 08:30 AM Mass** at Laporte. Abbey and Caine also will receive the Sacrament of Eucharist on that day.

Abigail Lynn Richardson

(Daughter of: Seth Michael Richardson & Samantha Lynn Miller)

Caine Michael Richardson

(Son of: Seth Michael Richardson & Samantha Lynn Miller)

Lilly Ann Richardson

(Daughter of: Seth Michael Richardson & Samantha Lynn Miller)

Addison Lou-Ann Stewart

(Daughter of: Trey Alan Stewart & Sara Jo-Ann Miller)



Congratulations and God's blessing be upon you always!

World Day of Prayer for Vocation

On **Sunday, May 7**, the universal Church celebrates World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Year 2017 marks the 54th Anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The purpose of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations is to publically fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2).

While appreciating all vocations, the Church concentrates its attention this day on vocations to the ordained ministries (priesthood and diaconate), to the Religious life in all its forms (male and female, contemplative and apostolic), to societies of apostolic life and to secular institutes.

Bishop Hoepfner asks us to offer special prayers on the weekend of May 6-7. As we thank the Lord for vocations in our diocese, we ask him to continue to bless our diocese with the vocations we need.

Information on Reception of Sacraments

Baptism: We are delighted to welcome you or your children into our faith community. Please call the Pastor at 218-652-4022 for Baptism preparation and for scheduling a date of your child's Baptism.

Marriage: Congratulations! We are happy to assist you in preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Do call the Pastor at 218-652-4022 as early as 6 months in advance.

Pastoral Visitation: We want to be a part of your life. If you desire a home visit with communion for the sick and homebound or intend to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, or just a pastoral visit, please call the Pastor at 218-652-4022.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

<p>Saturday, 5/6</p>	<p>9:30 AM 10:30 AM 11:30 AM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 4:30 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Eucharistic Ministers Training at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Lectors Training at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Baptism Rehearsal at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Sacrament of Reconciliation at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Rosary at OLP. Leader: Loren Kramer Mass at OLP: for +Mike Duclos by Sandy Smith Projectionist: Anna Hudson</p>
<p>Sunday, 5/7 4th Sunday of Easter</p> <p>CLOW</p> <p>2nd Collection at STC: For Laporte Food Shelf</p> <p>2nd Collection at OLP: For Rectory Project</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM</p> <p>10:10 AM 10:30 AM</p> <p>11:45 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Rosary at STC. Leader: Rosemary Moss Mass at STC: For the Members of our Parishes Baptism at St Theodore's Church, followed by Hospitality</p> <p>Rosary at OLP. Leader: John Lindow Mass at OLP: For +Leo Kueber by Duane & Christine Kueber CLOW Leader: Help Needed; Projectionist: Anna Hudson Hospitality and Haiti Mission: Mother's Day Flower Delivery at OLP after Mass Eucharistic Ministers Training at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis</p>
<p>Monday, 5/8 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>		<p>NO Mass Pastor's Day Off</p>
<p>Tuesday, 5/9</p>	<p>Noon 1:00 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: Birthday Remembrance of +Mary Fernando by Ed & Cecilia Pettit Spring Bible Study at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis</p>
<p>Wednesday, 5/10</p>	<p>9:00 AM</p> <p>Noon - 2:00 PM 6:30 - 7:30 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: Death Anniversary Remembrance of +JoAnn O'Connell by the Family</p> <p>Last Faith Formation Classes for Laporte School Release Time Students Confirmation Classes for Grades 8 - 11 at Our Lady of the Pines Church</p>
<p>Thursday, 5/11</p>	<p>9:00 AM 10:00 AM 2:30 PM 6:30 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: For +Shirley Leyendecker by Louis Leyendecker OLP Corporate Board Budget Meeting Spring Bible Study at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte OLP Choir Practice</p>
<p>Friday, 5/12 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>9:00 AM 9:30 - 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: For the good health of Teresa Leal by Barnes Family Eucharistic Adoration</p>
<p>Saturday, 5/13</p>	<p>4:15 - 4:45 PM 4:30 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Rosary at OLP. Leader: Joan McGuire Mass at OLP: For +Leo Kueber by Duane & Christine Kueber Projectionist: Anna Hudson Monthly Birthday and Anniversary Celebration and Hospitality after Mass</p>
<p>Sunday, 5/14 5th Sunday of Easter</p> <p>CLOW</p> <p>2nd Collection: For Completing Trinity Dome at the National Shrine, Washington DC</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM</p> <p>10:10 AM 10:30 AM</p> <p>Noon</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Rosary at STC. Leader: Irene Fehn Mass at STC: Birthday Blessings on Joe Kulas by Mary Kempf</p> <p>Rosary at OLP. Leader: Mary Schiebe Mass at OLP: For the Members of Our Parishes CLOW Leader: Help Needed; Projectionist: Anna Hudson Monthly Birthday and Anniversary Celebration and Hospitality after Mass Rectory Building Groundbreaking Ceremony in Nevis</p>
<p>Upcoming Events</p>	<p>May 15 - May 19 May 16 May 16 May 18 May 18</p>	<p>NO weekday Masses at OLP due to Priests GLGS Program in Detroit Lake Spring Bible Study at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis, at 1:00 PM Knights of Columbus General Meeting at 7:00 PM Spring Bible Study at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte, at 2:30 PM Haiti Mission Committee Meeting at 7:00 PM</p>

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Saturday, May 13, 2017	
Sacristan	Anna Hudson
Musician	Don Hudson
Cantor	Don Hudson
Lectors	Judy Thompson, Dustin Wroolie & Anna Hudson
Altar Servers	Lydia Bjorklund, George Bjorklund & Adeline Bjorklund
Ushers	Ken Thompson, Mark Carter, Loren Kramer & Ed Dvorak
Greeters	Judy Thompson, Florence Kramer, Loren Kramer & Dee Dvorak
Eucharistic Ministers	Theora Goodrich (C), Maureen Waltman, Ed Waltman, Jarod Senger & Pat Dietenberger

Sunday, May 14, 2017

Sacristan	Bob DeCrans & Mary DeCrans
Musicians	Don Hudson & Ardis Johnson
Cantor	Choir
Lectors	Bob DeCrans, Mary Schiebe & Jan Lundberg
Altar Servers	Addison Lindow, Daniel Lindow & Liddy DeWulf
Ushers	Jason Funk, Stephen Lindow, Chuck Tangeman & Jim Warner
Greeters	Mary DeCrans, Deb Tangeman, Carol Lindow & Cheryl Van Guilder
Eucharistic Ministers	John Lindow (C), Holly Funk, Nancy Greene, Carol Lindow & Thomas Pacholl

OLP Monthly Assignments: May 2017

Hospitality Ministers	Richelle Kowalke, Pat Edwards, Peggy McAllister, Kathy Krause, Joan McGuire, Jen McNamee, Katherine Roberts & Helen Mockenhaupt.
Altar Linen	Carol Lindow

**St. Theodore's Church Liturgical Ministers
Sunday, May 14, 2017**

Sacristan	Charlotte Rauch
Musician	Angie Jobe
Cantor	Sharon Lembke
Lectors	Karen Copa, Joe Eisterhold & Irene Fehn
Altar Servers	Gabby Nelson, Blake Watson & Calli Watson
Ushers	Gary Roerick & Darin Katzenmeyer
Greeters	Karen Copa & Charlotte Rauch
Eucharistic Ministers	Charlotte Rauch (C), Ray Copa & Rosemary Moss

Stewardship Report For the Week of 4/30/2017	Our Lady of the Pines	St. Theodore's Church
Sunday Offering	2337.00	1419.00
Second Collection: Catholic Home Mission	704.00	154.00
Candle Offering	21.00	--
Rectory Project	70.00	--
Fuel Envelopes	35.00	--
Easter Envelopes	35.00	--

2017 DAA Contribution (\$ as of April 13, 2017) % parish participation	\$6,081.00 (Goal: \$14,215.00) 24.17 %	\$1,322.00 (Goal: \$3,632.00) 19.72 %
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OLP Money Counters for 2nd Tuesday of May 9, 2017

Terry Lenz, Catherine Lenz & Florence Kramer

Rectory Building Collection at OLP

This weekend, there will be a second collection at Our Lady of the Pines Church for the Rectory building at Nevis. Your generous donations of last summer has enabled us to begin our Rectory project in a couple of weeks. We continue to rely upon you to complete this project. On the advice of Finance Council and the Building Committee, we will be taking a second collection on the 1st week of upcoming months, May through November 2017. We request you to help us generously.

KC Food Drive

The Knights of Columbus wish to thank everyone who participated in the Food Shelf Drive. Thanks to your generosity we have 778 lbs of food and \$220 in cash for the Laporte and Nevis/Akeley Food Shelf operations. Both Food Shelf operations and the Knights of Columbus greatly appreciate your gift giving.
~ Marcel Noyes

Trinity Dome Collection

The Bishops of the United States request us to help complete the Trinity Dome of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, before its 100th anniversary. This second collection will be taken on Mother's Day weekend, **Sunday, May 13 -14** at Our Lady of the Pines Church.

St. Theodore's parishioners may drop their donation in the regular collection with a memo: For Trinity Dome or send your donations to the Parish Office at Nevis. As you do not have any envelopes in your Sunday Offertory box for this special collection, please use a regular or visitors envelope to donate for Trinity Dome work. Thank you for your support.

Prayer Requests

Chad Jacobson, Lance Sorenson, Maxine Stranger, Janet Ramlet, Jenny Avenson, Joan Blumberg, Dorothy Pohl, Karen Mondry, Alan Knott, Shirley Tatro, Cindy Blair, Jody Mockenhaupt, Peg Kuktavy, Carla Wheeler, Ray Copa, Barbara Lockwood, Dorothy Goeden, Jan Pollack, Daryl Pollack, Barbara Dietenberger, Priscilla Dietenberger, Harold Dietenberger, Paul Mockenhaupt.

Our Lady of Fatima



This May, we celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Marian apparitions at Fatima, Portugal and the canonizations of Blessed Francesco Marto and Blessed Jacinta Marto – two of three shepherded children who received miraculous visions of Our Lady of Fatima.

In the year 1917, in the village of Aljustrel, Fatima, Mother Mary appeared to three young children. She appeared six times to Lucia, 9, and her cousins Francisco, 8, and his sister Jacinta, 6, between May 13, 1917 and October 13, 1917. ‘A woman all in white, more brilliant than the sun’ presented herself to the three children saying “Please don’t be afraid of me, I’m not going to harm you. I am the Angel of Peace”.

Lucia asked her where she came from and she responded, “I come from Heaven.” The woman asked them to pray and devote themselves to the Holy Trinity and to “say the Rosary every day, to bring peace to the world and an end to the war.” In the last apparition the woman revealed her name in response to Lucia’s question: “I am the Lady of the Rosary.”

This year, let us come together as a community to recite the Rosary 20 minutes before the weekend Masses and say the following prayer at home:

*O Most Holy Virgin Mary,
Queen of the most holy Rosary,*

*you were pleased to appear to the children of Fatima
and reveal a glorious message.*

*We implore you, inspire in our hearts a fervent love for
the recitation of the Rosary.*

*By meditating on the mysteries of the redemption
may we obtain the graces and virtues that we ask,
through the merits of Jesus Christ,
our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.*

Journey with Our Lady of Fatima

All are invited to join the 100th Anniversary observances of each apparition of Our Lady from May 13th through October 13th. Our opening Mass will be held at St. Joseph’s Church, Red Lake Falls, on **Saturday, May 13 at 10:00 AM**. We will have Mass, recitation of the Rosary, a talk on the 1st Apparition and a light lunch. For more information call Fr. Bob Schreiner at 218-253-2188.

OLP Lectors Training

If you are a Lector and commissioned in July 2014 or someone who is interested in serving as a new Lector, please join us for a Training Program on **Saturday, May 20 at 6:00 PM** at Our Lady of the Pines Church. Visitors and summer Residents are invited to join us and be a part of our Liturgical Team.

New Evangelization Summit

This year St. Philip’s Church in Bemidji will be 1 of 34 host sites worldwide for the New Evangelization Summit that is held in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada from **May 12 to May 13, 2017**. Register for the two-day event streamed to Bemidji, MN by visiting <https://www.newevangelization.ca> The cost is only \$35!

Join us for Spring Bible Study Program

Our first Session of Spring Bible Study, based on Mathew Kelly’s book, “Resisting Happiness” has just begun last **Tuesday, May 2 at 1:00 PM** at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis and last **Thursdays, May 4 at 2:30 PM** at St. Theodore’s Church, Laporte. It is never late. You are welcome to join us and enjoy the Spring study.

Automatic Giving

In collaboration with the Citizen Bank, Park Rapids, our parish can now help the parishioners who would like to give electronically their Sunday Offerings. Signup forms are available in the Gathering Place of our Church. For more information, please contact the parish office.

Seminar on End of Life Issues

Hackensack / Walker Knight of Columbus Council is sponsoring a seminar on Pro-Life at the End of Life on **Wednesday, June 7, 2017 at 7:00 pm** at Sacred Heart Catholic Church Hackensack, MN.

Deacon Dan Gannon will present how can we consider the end of life issues in harmony with medical care and the dignity of human person. Practical guidance on completing a Catholic Health Care Directive and a personal medical directive will be provided. All are welcome. ~ Jim Dawson

Kinship Fish Fry – Friday, May 12th

Join the Kinship Fish Fry on **May 12, 5:00 – 7:00 PM** at American Legion. Adults: \$9; children 10 and under: \$4.

Adopt-a-Highway Needs your Help!

We’re looking for volunteers to help with our ‘**Spring 2017 Highway Cleanup**’ project. We maintain two miles of Hwy 34 between Akeley and Nevis in the spring and fall each year. If you can spare a few hours starting at **8:30 am on Saturday May 20th**, we could use your help. Sign-up sheets will be available following the Masses on May 6-7 and May 14-15. Coffee, juice, fruit, and donuts will be available at the church before we head out for the cleanup. If you have any questions, please contact Don or Anna Hudson (218-252-8409) or stop by the sign up table. We look forward to seeing you there.

Confirmation Candidates: this is a great way to earn 2 hours towards your Christian Service requirement.