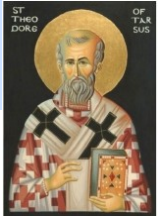


Our Lady of the Pines & St. Theodore of Tarsus Catholic Churches



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October 15, 2017

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entering the Mysteries of the Rosary

I have a confession to make: I haven't memorized all the mysteries of the Rosary. That may sound disappointing or scandalous, since I'm a priest. But since I never went to Catholic schools, and spent only a few years in religious education, I wasn't taught the Mysteries as a boy, and I find it a challenge to memorize them as an adult. That doesn't mean that I don't pray with them, just that I need a "cheat sheet".

The Mysteries are events and themes from the life of Jesus and Mary that one meditates on while saying the Rosary. They are a kind of backdrop for the "Hail Marys" and "Our Fathers". And since Jesus' life was a mixture of both happy and sad moments, there are "Joyful," "Sorrowful," and "Glorious," and, thanks to additions from St. John Paul II, "Luminous Mysteries. Traditionally, one prays a different set of mysteries for different days of the week.

My favorite insight into the Mysteries came from an elderly women I met after a parish talk I had given. When she brought up the Rosary, I shared that I had a hard time remembering the mysteries. She smiled and said, "Oh, I love the Mysteries. When I remember all the things that happened to Jesus, it's like I'm with Mary and going through her scrapbook with her. We remember all those events, and I tell her what I think about them, and how they make me feel, and sometimes Mary tells me what she thinks and feels."

That night I went home and started to memorize them.

~ Fr. James Martin SJ

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

*Join us praying the Rosary 20 minutes before
the celebration of the weekend Masses in our parishes.*

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 Holy Communion for the sick and homebound or would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, or just a pastoral visit, please call the Pastor at 218-652-4022.

New Parishioners

Welcome to Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis and St. Theodore Church, Laporte, MN. We are happy to have you worshipping with us! If you consider becoming a member of either of our parishes, please stop by the Parish Office or call us at 218-652-4005 to obtain a registration form.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

<p>Saturday, 10/14 Fall Bible Study Signup</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 Recitation of the Rosary: Cathy Krause Mass at OLP: For + Pat Hermes by Bob & Donna Lindow Projectionist: Help Needed</p>
<p>Sunday, 10/15 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time STC Altar Server's Appreciation Day CLOW Faith Formation Signup</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM 10:10 AM 10:30 AM 11:45 PM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Recitation of the Rosary: Sandy Roerick Mass at STC: For + Jo-Ann O'Connell by John and Jackie Duff Recitation of the Rosary: John Lindow Mass at OLP: For the Members of our Parishes CLOW Leader: Karie Lindow Projectionist: Anna Hudson OLP Guild Meeting in the Community Room, Nevis</p>
<p>Monday, 10/16 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>		<p>No Mass Pastor's Day Off</p>
<p>Tuesday, 10/17</p>	<p>12 Noon 10:30 AM 7:00 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: For + Joe Tomas by Helen Tomas and Family Money Counters: Terry Lenz, Catherine Lenz & Connie Walz KC General Meeting</p>
<p>Wednesday, 10/18</p>	<p>9:00 AM Noon - 3:00 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: For the Intentions of Paul Johnson by Walter & Renee Johnson Faith Formation Classes for Nevis School Release Time Students NO Faith Formation Class for Pre-Confirmation & Confirmation Years</p>
<p>Thursday, 10/19</p>	<p>9:00 AM 2:30 PM 7:00 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: Birthday Remembrance of + Ray Copa by Knight of Columbus RCIA Class at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Haiti Mission Committee Meeting</p>
<p>Friday, 10/20 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>9:00 AM 9:30 - 10:30 AM 4:00 PM</p>	<p>Mass at OLP: For + Laverna Schulte by Tom and Connie Walz Eucharistic Adoration Wedding Rehearsal of Kali Holthaus & Philip Marks</p>
<p>Saturday, 10/21 2nd Collection: For World Missions Faith Formation Signup</p>	<p>2:00 PM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 4:30 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Wedding Mass: For Kali Holthaus & Philip Marks Sacrament of Reconciliation at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Recitation of the Rosary: Mass at OLP: For + Sharon Smiens by Carol Anderson Projectionist: Judy Thompson</p>
<p>Sunday, 10/22 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time CLOW 2nd Collection: For World Missions Fall Bible Study Signup</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:10 AM 8:30 AM 10:10 AM 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Recitation of the Rosary: Loren Kramer Mass at STC: For the Members of our Parishes Recitation of the Rosary: Doug Scraper Mass at OLP: For + Joe Tomas by Helen Tomas and Family CLOW Leader: Gina Rypkema Projectionist: Kevin Lindow</p>
<p>Upcoming Events</p>	<p>October 24 October 25 October 26 October 26 October 28 - 29 October 31 November 01 November 01 November 02 November 02</p>	<p>Fall Bible Study Begins at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis at 1:00 PM Faith Formation Classes for Nevis School Release Time Students 12 - 3:00 PM Fall Bible Study Begins at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte at 2:30 PM STC Church Council Meeting in Laporte at 4:00 PM Life and Dignity Sunday Fall Bible Study Begins at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis at 1:00 PM Holy Day of Obligation Mass at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte at 8:30 AM Holy Day of Obligation Mass at OLP, Nevis at 6:00 PM Fall Bible Study Begins at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte at 2:30 PM RCIA Program at St. Theodore's Church, Laportef at 3:30 PM</p>

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Saturday, October 21, 2017	
Sacristan	Help Needed
Musician	Ardis Johnson
Cantors	Jeanette Goehring
Lectors	Jesse Clack, Judy Thompson & Help Needed
Altar Servers	Joey Senger, Johnny Senger & Jude Senger
Ushers	Mark Carter & Ed Dvorak
Greeters	Florence Kramer & Loren Kramer
Eucharistic Ministers	Theora Goodrich (C), Rita Schuldt, Jarod Senger, Loren Kramer & Judy Thompson

Sunday, October 22, 2017	
Sacristan	Bob DeCrans & Mary DeCrans
Musician	Ardis Johnson
Cantors	Karie Lindow and Angie Lindow
Lectors	Mike DeWulf, Jeanne Thompson & Carol Lindow
Altar Servers	Lydia Bjorklund, George Bjorklund & Adeline Bjorklund
Ushers	Mike Greene, Nancy Greene, Ed DeLaHunt & Tom Wenner
Greeters	Mary DeCrans & Cheryl Van Guilder
Eucharistic Ministers	Nancy Greene (C), Mary Jo Masloski, Holly Funk, Mary Schiebe & Sheldon Schiebe

St. Theodore's Church Liturgical Ministers Sunday, October 22, 2017	
Sacristan	Charlotte Rauch
Musician	Sharon Lembke
Cantor	Sharon Lembke
Lectors	Bonnie Conrad, Joe Eisterhold & Charlotte Rauch
Altar Servers	Calli Watson, Abree Katzenmeyer & Anna Katzenmeyer
Ushers	Joe Eisterhold & Marcel Noyes
Greeters	Bonnie Conrad & Irene Fehn
Eucharistic Ministers	Colleen Curran (C), Dan Janiga & Jean Janiga

Reminder for Liturgical Ministers
If you are not able to serve when you are scheduled, please notify the Parish Office by email at parishofficenevis@gmail.com.

Stewardship Report For the Week of 10/08/2017	Our Lady of the Pines	St. Theodore's Church
Sunday Offering	\$3,858.55	\$883.01
Laporte Food Shelf	--	25.00
Hurricane Irma Relief	\$105.00	--
Candle Envelopes	\$35.00	--
Rectory Fund	\$265.00	--
Building Maintenance Envelopes	\$130.00	--

2017 DAA Contribution (\$ as of September 15, 2017) % parish participation	\$11,375.00 (Goal: \$14,215.00) 37.18%	\$3,899.50 (Goal: \$3,632.00) 37.18%
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Movie of the Month: "The Case for Christ"
St. John's Lutheran Church, Akeley is screening the movie, "The Case for Christ" on **Friday, October 20**. It will be shown at 2:00 PM and at 7:00 PM. The movie is about an investigative journalist who tries to disprove the growing Christian faith of his wife with unexpected, life-altering results! It's a free movie with free popcorn, pop and water. Come and enjoy a fun and thought provoking movie.
~ Joanne Mueller

Taste of the Seasons
First Lutheran Church Women of Akeley will host "Taste of the Season" on **Saturday, October 14, 2017** from 10:00 – 2:00 PM at First Lutheran Church, Akeley. Featured are variety of hand crafted gifts, home baked goods and Danish meatball lunch served for \$10 from 11:00 to 1:00 PM. All are welcome.

40 Days for Life – Walker Campaign
Join us at "Charlie's Up North", 4 miles north of Walker at the "Y" to quietly, but visibly pray that God will change minds and hearts to preserve lives of the unborn. White Prayer Tent is open 24/7 for visitors. A book is available in the tent to schedule hours to pray.
~ Mary and Carol Hartneck

OLP Monthly Assignments: October 2017	
Hospitality Ministers	Diane Yamry, Sally Froelich, Jan Lundberg, Rose Kramer, Mary Jo Maslowski, Lori Griffith, Brenda Nulliner
Altar Linen	Mary DeCrans

Prayer Requests
Bea Larson, Ken Thompson, Trent Cole, Nancy Greene, Laurie Elsner, Jan Lundberg, John Merila, Dan Hedrick, Dennis Schafer, Kathy Quinn, Jean Dryness, Larry Yunker, Thomas Roberts, Jenny Avenson, Sue Joerger, John Carter, Art Meyer, Lance Sorenson, Daryl Pollack, Janet Ramlet, Alan Knott, Shirley Tatro, Jody Mockenhaupt, Peg Koptavy, Dorothy Goeden, Barbara Lockwood, Jan Pollack, Carla Wheeler, Barbara Dietenberger, Priscilla Dietenberger, Harold Dietenberger, Paul Mockenhaupt.

Please call the Parish Office at 652-4005 to keep a name on the Prayer List or to add someone new.
Names will be removed after 4 weeks, unless a fresh request is made.

First Communion Parents Meeting

If your child is in the second grade, it is time for us to start preparing your child for the reception of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

- ◆ We will have a meeting of parents at St. Theodore's Church along with their children on **Sunday, October 15**, soon after the Mass.
- ◆ We ask the parents of Our Lady of the Pines Church parish join us for a meeting on **Wednesday, October 25, 2017 at 6:30 PM** along with their children. We will go through the sacramental preparation needed for the child.
~ Lisa Katzenmeyer & Angie Lindow

Have you Signed up for Formed.org?

All parishioners are invited to visit www.formed.org On the right hand side of the home page you will find: REGISTER, using your parish code for free. Our parish code is: **KRRFWT**. Children, youth and adults can study our Christian faith, prepare for Sacraments, and reflect on current topics. You can watch numerous movies, listen to audio books and talks and read fiction and non-fiction books online.

"Listen to Catholic Programs on Radio"

What is keeping you from becoming Catholic? This is the theme of a call-in show hosted by Dr. David Anders, catechist, speaker, writer, and former Protestant historian who now embraces the riches of the Catholic Church. "Called to Communion" answers questions about the Catholic faith and is very informative. Tune in **Monday – Friday at 1:00 p.m.** on 820AM (Bemidji).

World Mission Sunday

Next weekend as we observe "World Mission Sunday" we will recommit ourselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice. Every year the needs of the Catholic Church in the Missions grow - as new dioceses are formed, as new seminaries are opened, areas devastated by war or natural disaster are rebuilt. Mission dioceses - about 1,100 at this time - receive regular annual assistance from the funds collected. Please be generous in supporting next week's second collection.

Signup for Fall Bible Study Program

Fall Bible Study Program will start at Our Lady of the Pines Church, on **Tuesday, October 24 at 1:00 PM**, soon after the noon Mass. Do sign up today and enjoy sharing your faith in small groups.

St. Theodore's Church Bible Study Group will meet on Thursdays from 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM in the parish Hall, starting **Thursday, October 26, 2017**. Signup sheets are available in the gathering place. Please prayerfully consider joining in this program.

STC Altar Servers Appreciation Day

This Sunday we recognize and appreciate 7 young people of St. Theodore's Parish, Laporte, who have been serving at our Sunday Eucharistic Celebration. We are grateful to the following children for their services and thank their parents for encouraging them to serve at the Altar.

Anna Katzenmeyer
Abbey Richardson
Blake Watson

Abree Katzenmeyer
Caine Richardson
Calli Watson

Gabby Nelson

Youth Rally

All Confirmation students are invited to join the High School Youth Rally on **Sunday, October 29**, from 1:30 - 8:00 PM at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Detroit Lakes. The Rally has the theme, "The Lord is my Strength", featuring Kris Fran and Aly Aleigha Band. Parents, register your children today.
~ Mary Schiebe

Pro-Life Opportunity at Bemidji

Join us for the prayer hour at Planned Parenthood of Bemidji at 2504 Hannah Ave NW, Bemidji on **Saturday, October 21, 2017, from 10-11 AM**. All are welcome.

Automatic Giving

In collaboration with the Citizen Bank, Park Rapids, our parish has now the facility for Automatic Giving or Giving electronically. If you would like to use this facility to send your Sunday offering, there are signup forms available at the Gathering Place in our Churches or you may contact the parish office at Nevis at: parishofficenevis@gmail.com

Volunteers Needed

Habitat Humanity intends to build a home for April Bower at 621 3rd Street West Park Rapids. Estimated start date: November. Everyone is welcome to help build the home! We offer on-site training. Don't want to swing a hammer? Snacks and lunches are appreciated. To volunteer call Karen at 218-828-851.
~ Karen Skarolid

Life and Dignity Weekend: Oct. 28 – 29

The bishops of Minnesota established the Minnesota Catholic Conference (MCC) Catholic Advocacy Network to develop a faithful, compassionate, moral voice for life, dignity, and justice in our state. During Life and Dignity **Sunday, October 28 & 29**, all parishioners will have an opportunity to register for the network.

You will find a bulletin insert this week describing the network. Next weekend, soon after the Communion Rite, John Lindow, our Parish Ambassador for the Catholic Advocacy Network will give further information on how we can build a diocesan and statewide community of Catholics who stand together as a positive force for good in Minnesota.