

Eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

June 18th, 2023

# St. Mary's Warroad, MN St. Joseph's Williams, MN Sacred Heart Baudette,



## Parish Office



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## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**St. Mary's:** Saturdays 3pm—3:30pm  
Tuesdays 5:45pm—6:30pm

**St. Joseph's:** Saturdays 4-4:20pm

**Sacred Heart:** Sundays following Mass

## Sister Parishes



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P.O. Box 738 Baudette, MN 56623  
218-634-2689  
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## Knights of Columbus Council 10235

Meetings held 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month  
after 8:30 am Mass and KC Breakfast  
St Augustine's Room

Website: <https://kc10235.mnknights.org>

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

### St. Mary's Masses & Intentions

Saturday, June 17th Mass @ 6:00 pm: Jim Bishop

Commentator: Barb Kotta

Reader: Darlene Smith

2nd Collection for Retired Priests

Sunday, June 18th Mass @ 8:30am: Larry Barbot

Commentator: Nancy Ellenson

Reader: Harold Thiessen

2nd Collection for Retired Priests

### Happy Father's Day

Tuesday, June 20th Mass @ 5:15pm: Dale Telle

Wednesday, June 21st, 10:30am: Rosary Group

Thursday, June 22nd, Word & Communion @ 10:30am  
@ Care Center

\* Adoration 5pm at St. Mary's

Friday, June 23rd, Mass @ 9am: Darell Alipoyo

Saturday, June 24th Mass @ 6:00 pm: Ron Bishop

Commentator: Tim Paquin

Reader: Barb Kotta

Sunday, June 25th Mass @ 8:30am: For the Parishes

Commentator: Denise St. Germain

Reader: Kim Hruha



### St. Mary's Collection

from June 11th

Adult Envelopes: \$2000

Online donations: \$890

### Happy Birthday to:

June 18th—June 24th

Have a wonderful day,



Frank Cieklinski, Charli Kate Hams, Alex Poole,  
Max Poole, Noa Blake Erickson, Lori Grover, &  
Cody Diaz.

If you do not see your name on the list of Birthday's, download  
the Flocknote app and update your personal family  
information. Need help with that, Please see Terrie Lynn

## Sacred Heart's & St. Joseph's Week Ahead

### Sacred Heart Masses & Intentions:

Sunday, June 18th Mass @ 10:30 am: For the Parishes

Rosary @ 10:00 am

2nd Collection for Retired Priests

Wednesday, June 21st Mass @ SH @ 8:30 am

Wednesday, June 21st Mass @ Lakewood 9:30am

Sunday, June 25th Mass @ 10:30 am: All Souls in Purgatory

Rosary @ 10:00 am

### St. Joseph's Masses & intentions:

Saturday, June 17th Mass @ 4:30 pm: for the Parish

2nd Collection for Retired Priests

Saturday, June 24th Mass @ 4:30 pm: for the Parish

**Sacred Heart will be having a Pot Luck Dinner for  
Father Andrew on June 18th, Father's Day.** Rita Krause will  
be the point of contact and is coordinating the dishes that  
everyone brings.

### Weekend Offerings

June 11	Sacred Heart	St Joseph
Envelopes	\$1840	303
Plate	\$209	\$201
Total	\$2049	\$504

GOAL: \$35,000

Sacred Heart Maintenance  
Capital Campaign

Thank you to all who have contributed!  
WE ARE APPROACHING THE GOAL!  
88% \$30,690



## 11th Sunday of Ordinary Times

"As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.'" Matthew 10:7  
Many of us take our lives for granted. We think we have plenty of time to "repent." Maybe we should live with a little more urgency in making things right with God. This is the difference in living our discipleship out of obligation versus out of love.

Obligation implies we do the minimum required. Love implies we want a relationship. God wants us to be with Him in Heaven forever, but He also wants to be in relationship with us right now, while we are on earth. Start this second – invite the Lord into your heart.

## All three Parishes



### Farewell Potluck Party for: Fr. Andrew Obel

Save the Date: June 17th following Mass  
Where: St. Mary's Fellowship Hall

Please bring food to share and any memories/stories you would like to share.

### Sacred Heart will be having a Potluck

Dinner for Father Andrew on June 18th, Father's Day. Rita Krause will be the point of contact and is coordinating the dishes that everyone brings.



### Flocknote

We are still working on getting everyone's data updated into Flocknote. You can do this through the App. We will be using this App for our Rel. Ed program this next school year.

If you are in need of help installing Flocknote on your phone, please feel free to stop in the office next Tues. between 3pm -5pm or Wed. 9:30am—noon. Terrie Lynn, will be available to help. If that does not work for you, just touch base with Terrie Lynn and set up a time.

### Parting Gift to Fr. Andrew

As the time draws near to wish our beloved Fr. Andrew continued success in the next chapter of his ministry, some of us might be thinking, what would be a good parting gift? During my visit with Fr. Andrew last week, the topic of clean drinking water came up. When asked by people what was the biggest change from Uganda to the USA? His response was "being able to go to the tap and draw a glass of safe and clean drinking water and if it was not cold enough, go to the refrigerator and add ice to it." If you got to know Fr. Andrew it will come as no surprise that when asked what he would need, he said it would be to be able to drill another well for the people in the neighboring village. If you were thinking of giving Fr. Andrew any parting gift, you could consider supporting his "well project" by earmarking any donation "Uganda Well Project." Thank you and may God bless you!!

Tom Amiot

**Thank you** to those who have already made a donation toward the sign project. We have raised \$19,400  
If you did not receive a letter in the mail about the sign, please touch base with Terrie Lynn to update your mailing address.



**Quote: "The happiness you are seeking, the happiness you have a right to enjoy has a name and a face: it is Jesus of Nazareth, hidden in the Eucharist."**

Pope Benedict XVI



Thank you to those who mowed and weed whacked the Church yard and Rosary Garden this past month. You are amazing.

**The Knights of Columbus** will be holding an Exemplification for new Members on Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> after Mass. The Parish is invited to come and enjoy the ceremony.

Men interested in joining the Warroad Council Please contact Phil Kotta or Joe Kuznia.  
If you are just interested in seeing what we are about, please join us as a guest.



Please Hold in Prayer:



David Cassi, Kevin Scharfenkamp, Clint Gibbons, Harold Forpahl, Larry Sindelir, Nayana Norindr, Ron Wesolowski, Joleen Hartman, Curtis Anderson, Louise Menk, Leila & Nelson Armagon, Theodora Adikini, Mike Hovde, Hilde Barbot, & Lillian Fortier

# Kingdom of Priests: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



Readings:

[Exodus 19:2–6](#)

[Psalm 100:1–2, 3, 5](#)

[Romans 5:6–11](#)

[Matthew 9:36–10:8](#)

The words God speaks to Israel in today's First Reading are intended for us as well. The Church is the fulfillment of God's covenant promises to Israel—a kingdom of priests and a holy nation (see [Deuteronomy 26:19](#); [Isaiah 62:12](#)).

In the Church, we have been gathered as the new “Israel of God” (see [Galatians 6:16](#)). He has made us His own people, the flock He tends, as we sing in today's Psalm.

Moses was Israel's first shepherd (see [Exodus 3:1](#)). With the Promised Land in view, he prayed that God would raise up a successor so that God's people would not be left as sheep without a shepherd (see [Numbers 27:17](#)).

These same words are used in today's Gospel to describe Jesus' pity for the crowds, who are “troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd.”

Israel's shepherds—the Pharisees and scribes—had abandoned and misled the people through their hypocrisy and spiritual blindness (see [Matthew 23:1–36](#); [Jeremiah 50:6](#)).

But God had long before promised that He Himself would come and save His sheep—searching over the whole earth where they had been scattered “for lack of a shepherd” (see [Ezekiel 34:1–24](#)).

Jesus is the new Moses and new David promised by the prophets, a divine shepherd-king sent to restore God's priestly kingdom (see [John 10:11](#)).

As Moses commissioned Joshua as his successor, so we see Jesus today giving the Twelve His powers and authority (see [Matthew 9:35](#); [10:1](#)). In God's plan, they are to seek out the lost sheep of Israel first and then bring all nations into the fold (see [Acts 13:46](#); [Romans 1:16](#)).

Together we have been saved and reconciled to God, as we hear in today's Epistle. As He delivered Israel, He has also made us a kingdom of priests in the Church (see [Revelation 1:6](#)).

So we come in this Mass to serve Him with gladness, to praise His kindness, which endures forever.

## Hola!

Por este medio queremos darles la bienvenida a nuestra Iglesia de Santa María.

Estamos muy felices de su presencia aquí junto a todos nosotros.

Nuestros horarios de misas son los siguientes:

Sábados

6:00 pm

Domingos

8:30 am

Los invitamos a pasar por nuestras oficinas durante la semana para que tengan la oportunidad de conocer nuestro personal.

Estaremos siempre a la orden.



## Donation of Items on hold

We received word from Kim Lawler at Marvin Windows that they have put on hold collecting donation items. As of now the transition families have enough household items. Kim mentioned that they will probably start up the collection of items again in late August.

We thank all who have donated to such a wonderful cause.



## Donut Sunday at St. Mary's June 25th



Following Sunday Mass, come join in Donut Sunday on the 25th, visit with other parishioners and satisfy the sweet tooth.



### Education Corner

#### We Are Invited

If we listen to the news reports each day, we can begin to lose hope. What is this world coming to? "Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal. In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew, and unify the Church and the world.

How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith in the celebration of the Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the U.S. to this divine invitation." (<https://www.eucharisticrevival.org>)

We are moving into the second phase of the Eucharistic Revival, and Christ is inviting every faithful Catholic to be His hands, His feet, in the world today. Am I ready to accept this invitation?

#### Tell Us Your Story

##### **Do you have an amazing, powerful & spiritual story? We would love to hear it.**

We know your experiences are real, and to bring that fact home, we're going to compile these stories and share them anonymously in the bulletin and on our Facebook page. Please send your story to [terrielynn@stmaryswardroad.org](mailto:terrielynn@stmaryswardroad.org), or put it in an envelope and drop it at the office.

75% of Catholics under the age of 40 do not believe in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Maybe they're your friends, neighbors, or family members! How can you influence them? Tell them your story...

Year two of the Eucharistic Renewal is aimed at revival at the parish level. Sharing your story may help restore someone's faith, and what better gift could you give?