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The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time • February 10, 2013

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men.” When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.

— Lk 5:10-11



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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday

Ash Wed.....7:30 pm

Weekend

Sun.9:00 am

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490 Bench Street
Taylors Falls, MN 55084

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.-Thurs. 8:30 am -4 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday

Tues., Thurs., Fri.....7:30 am

Ash Wed. (Feb. 13):

7:30 am & 5:30 pm

Weekend

Sat.5:30 pm

Sun.7:30 & 10:30 am

24 HOUR ADORATION

8 am Fri. - 7:45 am Sat.

RECONCILIATION

Tues.-Fri.....7:00-7:20 am

Sat.4:30-5:00 pm

Call the office to schedule a time for confession if you want to receive this wonderful sacrament outside the regular schedule.

BAPTISMS

Fill out a registration form and attend a 1 hour class to schedule the date for your child's Baptism. Call the office for more information.

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MASS INTENTIONS

For the week of February 10

Saturday Vigil, 5:30 pm

Open

Sunday, 7:30 am

All parishioners of both parishes
SF-9:00 am

Open

10:30 am

Open

Tues., 7:30 am

Open

Ash Wednesday, 7:30 am

Open

5:30 pm

Open

SF-7:30 pm

Open

Thursday, 7:30 am

Open

Friday, 7:30 am

Open

For the week of February 17

Saturday Vigil, 5:30 pm

†Fr. Allan Moss

Sunday, 7:30 am

Open

SF-9:00 am

All parishioners of both parishes
10:30 am

Open

† indicates the Repose of Soul



Lent begins on
Ash Wednesday,
February 13, 2013.

Ash Wednesday Mass times:

St. Joseph Church - 7:30 am & 5:30 pm
St. Francis Church - 7:30 pm

Wednesdays in Lent -St. Francis Church
(beginning February 20, 2013):

6:00 pm Soup Supper
6:30 pm Confession
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross
7:30 pm Mass

Fridays in Lent -St. Joseph Church
(beginning February 15, 2013):

5:00 pm Stations of the Cross
5:30 pm Mass
6:00-6:30 pm Confession



Please take a free copy
of The Word Among Us,
a meditation booklet for
Lent. They can be found
by the church entrances.

Catholic Services Appeal

The CSA will be conducted today. Your support of the CSA will help to spread God's glory to countless of our brothers and sisters in our Archdiocese. Please be generous.

Let's Go Skating!

Sunday, February 17, 2013, 3 - 6 pm

St. Joseph and St. Francis Xavier Youth Group will meet at Warehouse 17 (behind Anthony's Restaurant on Hwy. 8, Lindstrom, MN). The cost is \$7, which includes rental of either traditional roller-skates or inline skates. For more information, contact Lori Jury at 651.583.2332 or educationstjoe@gmail.com.

"Young at Heart" Event at St. Bridget of Sweden Church, Lindstrom, MN

The *Young at Heart* is a group that organizes and provides spiritual enrichment and social community building activities for those in the 50 and over age group. This is an opportunity for fellowship with others who share our Catholic faith, and to enjoy some fun special events and tours together. We would like invite those that fit the *Young at Heart* group from St. Joseph and St. Francis Xavier to a our event on Tues., February 19th. The topic is: "A Lenten Reflection," presented by Fr. Wehmann 12:00 PM (noon) in St. Bridget's Social Hall. A soup lunch will be provided. Please RSVP Denise at 651.257.2474, ext. 21.

SCHEDULE OF MINISTRIES

■ ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

◆ 7:30 am Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers: Clayton Rivard
Virginia Johnson, Sandy Greene*

Reader: Mary Jo Mandell

◆ 5:30 pm Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers:
Gerry Merth, Deb Dusenka, Jan Rintoul*

Reader: Larry Julik-Heine

◆ 7:30 pm Mass (St. Francis)

Reader: Greg Coulter

■ SATURDAY VIGIL, FEBRUARY 16

◆ 5:30 pm Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers: Deb Dusenka
Kim LaBarre, Larry Julik-Heine*

Reader: Mary Jo Mandell

Altar Servers: Ashley & Shelby Peltier

■ SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17

◆ 7:30 am Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers: Sharon Peterson
Debra Rose, Jeff Rivard, Chris Hudspeth*

Reader: Rick Raffesberger

Altar Servers: Alicia & Christina Sandberg

◆ 9 am Mass (St. Francis)

Extraordinary Ministers: Linda Merrier
Bob & Debbie Ryan, Anne Nelson*

Reader: Karen Nelson

◆ 10:30 am Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers: Sharon McCurdy
Jan Rintoul, Sandy Greene, Teresa Steele*

Reader: Liturgy with Children

Altar Servers: John Deneen & Henry Budke

*Indicates people to cleanse Sacred Vessels

The 1st Sunday of Lent

February 17, 2013

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10 (24C)

2nd Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13



Altar Servers' Outing - Altar Servers from both St. Francis Xavier and St. Joseph Churches are invited to a fun afternoon of snow tubing at Wild Mountain on Sunday, February 24 from noon - 6 pm. There is no cost for past and present Altar Servers. Stop by anytime between noon and 5 pm to go tubing. We will eat around 5 pm. Please bring a potluck dish, a bag of chips or a dessert. **You must have your parent/guardian sign the necessary waivers in order to join us!** If you have any questions, please contact: Tony Zais @651.583.2194 or Lori Jury @651.583.2332.

cast out into the
DEEP



Today's Gospel Reflection

We're just a few days from the beginning of Lent. Ash Wednesday is this week, and with it we will enter into forty days of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Catholic parishes do all sorts of things to make Lent a special time. There's Bible study, days of reflection, and retreats. There are faith-sharing groups and Stations of the Cross, extra times for prayer and the celebration of the sacrament of penance. During Lent we try to empty ourselves of sin and evil and make room in our hearts so that we can be filled with the love of God and our neighbor.

This Sunday's Gospel is a perfect pre-Lenten text. After all, how many parishes host fish fries or meatless dinners on the Fridays of Lent? All those fish have to come from somewhere! Of course, the great catch of fish in the Gospel is not about our Lenten fasting and abstaining from meat on Friday. Simon and James and John had no idea that there would ever be a season called Lent. They were fishermen going about their daily tasks. As Jesus makes clear, the miracle of the great number of fish is a metaphor about the growth of the community of believers.

That is what Lent is all about too. During Lent we pray strenuously for those who will plunge into the waters of baptism at the Easter Vigil. These men and women are the concrete signs of the growth of our community. But our penitential disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are not for ourselves alone. Through our actions others should be able to see how much we love God and love our neighbor. In that way, what we do during Lent acts as the net that we cast out into the sea of the world, bringing others closer to Christ because they are caught up in God's love by the example we share. Lent is a time to cast out into the deep.

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Dear Church Members,

We would like to thank you for your donations. Your continued support has been a blessing for those struggling during these tough economic times. The Holidays were a busy time for the food shelf and your contributions provided a happier Holiday season for families in our community. We distributed 138 Thank-giving baskets!

Last year the Lindstrom food shelf helped 1,793 families and distributed over 135,000 pounds of food. Thank you for helping to make this possible.

Thank you from all of us at the Lindstrom Food Shelf. God Bless, Volunteers and Staff

St. Francis parish needs your help!!

We are in need of a volunteer to launder the purificators. If you are interested in helping, please see Tony Zais after Mass.

The Rosary is prayed at St. Francis Church on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 8:40 am. Please come to Mass early and join us!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Feb. 10--CSA Commitment Weekend
9 am Mass - 11 am Rel. Ed.
- Feb. 13--Ash Wednesday, 7:30 pm Mass
SJ-7:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass
- Feb. 14--6:30 pm Parish Council
- Feb. 17--9 am Mass-11 am Rel. Ed.
- Feb. 19--SJ-7 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting

Chisago County Relay for Life 2013
The American Cancer Society will celebrate 100 years of saving lives this year. The Kick Off Dinner will be on Tues., Mar. 5th at Trinity Lutheran Church in North Branch, MN at 5:30 pm. The Celebration Relay will occur on Fri., July 19th at the Almelund Threshing Grounds, on Hwy 95 east of Almelund at 5:30 pm. For more information, contact Candy-cpmitchell@frontier.com or Mary-Mschultz6@capellauniversity.edu

St. Francis Financial Contributions	
Weekly needed income:	\$ 1,519.23
February 3	1,574.00
Children's Collection	4.56
Year to date (7/1/12):	2,762.31

ST. JOSEPH NEWS & UPDATES

Newly Baptized - Congratulations to Khloe Linda Larson, daughter of Kathryn and Matthew Larson, who received the sacrament of Baptism on Jan. 27, 2013. We welcome her into the Catholic faith with God's graces.

Dear Church of St. Joseph,

Thank you so much for the Blessing of Animals donation of \$16 to help the animals of Northwoods. We greatly appreciate your support! Sincerely, Northwoods Humane Society Staff, Volunteers and Furry Friends

Thanks to Help Group #1 for preparing and serving the delicious luncheon for the Robert Cheeney funeral. A special thank you to Sharon McCurdy for all her efforts in organizing the Help Groups.

Annual Faith Fair - All are invited to come and support our 7th and 8th graders on Sun., Feb. 10, 2013 after both Masses for our Annual Faith Fair. Coffee and donuts will be available. Join us for some fellowship and fun, and meet some great kids. Thanks for your support.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Feb. 9--CSA Commitment Weekend
4:30-5:00 pm Confession
5:30 pm Mass
- Feb. 10--CSA Commitment Weekend
7:30 & 10:30 am Mass
7th & 8th grade Faith Fair
- Feb. 13--Ash Wednesday, No Rel. Ed.
7:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass
SF - 7:30 pm Mass
- Feb. 15--5:00 pm Stations of the Cross
5:30 pm Mass
6:00-6:30 pm Confession
- Feb. 16--4:30-5:00 pm Confession
5:30 pm Mass
- Feb. 17--7:30 am Mass
10:30 am Liturgy with Children
- Feb. 19--7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting



St. Joseph Financial Contributions	
Weekly needed income:	\$ 3,250.00
February 3	2,274.96
Children's Collection	11.59
Year to Date (7/1/12):	10,692.43

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