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*28th Sunday in
Ordinary Time*

October 14, 2012

St. Joseph
490 Bench Street
Taylors Falls, MN 55084

Mass Schedule

Weekday - Tues. - Fri., 7:30 am

Weekend - Sat. 5:30 pm
Sun. 7:30 & 10:30 am

St. Francis Xavier
25267 Redwing Avenue
Shafer, MN 55074

Mass Schedule

Weekend - Sun. 9:00 am

All Things are Possible for God

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." Mark 10:26-27



YEAR OF FAITH 2012
2013

*We are travelers on a journey
without a fixed abode; on our
way, not yet in our native land.
- St. Augustine*

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MASS INTENTIONS

For the week of Oct. 14

Saturday Vigil, 5:30 pm

Open

Sunday, 7:30 am

Open

SF-9:00 am

All parishioners of both parishes

10:30 am

Open

Tuesday, 7:30 am

Open

Wednesday, 7:30 am

Open

Thursday, 7:30 am

Open

Friday, 7:30 am

Open

For the week of Oct. 21

Saturday Vigil, 5:30 pm

†Bishop Nicolas Walsh

Sunday, 7:30 am

All parishioners of both parishes

SF-9:00 am

Stimson family intentions

10:30 am

†LaRena Kolve

† indicates the Repose of Soul



Priesthood Sunday is
October 28th.

Those interested may color the insert in today's bulletin and give it to Fr. Frank at Mass that weekend.

We are all missionaries! Do you know the date of your Baptism? Well, on that day, you became a missionary, called by our Lord to share your faith and to be part of the Church's mission to the world. On World Mission Sunday, October 21, you will have the opportunity to join in the Church's missionary work by supporting those offering spiritual and material aid in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands through your prayers and contributions to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Your generosity is appreciated by all those serving overseas.

"Bible Bingo: An Act of Charity...in Two Acts" - St. Joseph Church in Amery, WI invites you to an entertaining play written by Vicki Quade, creator of "Late Nite Catechism." It will be on Sat., Oct. 20 at 7 pm at Amery High School. In this new production, the parish needs money and the Archdiocese has a new bingo department. Bring the two together and you have a night of Bible trivia, audience interaction, and the funniest quiz about the Holy Family you've ever seen. Tickets are on sale now at Chet Johnson's Drugstore and St. Joseph Church in Amery. You may also buy them at the door from 6:30 pm until the show begins. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for children 12 and under.

St. Joseph & St. Francis Youth Group Students in grades 6-12 are invited to the Hunger Games Lock-in at St. Joseph Church from 8 pm, Sat., Oct. 27 - 7 am, Sun., Oct. 28. Registration forms can be found at St. Joseph and St. Francis Churches, in the Rel. Ed. areas. The registration deadline is Oct. 17. There is no cost; please bring a snack to share.

"Fill These Hearts" In a journey through art, music and spoken presentation, come to a greater understanding of Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body. The event will be held at St. Thomas University on Oct. 27, at 7 pm. Christopher West is the featured speaker and indie-folk act Mike Mangione & the Union will also be performing. Tickets cost \$25.00 each or \$15.00 for groups of 10 or more; purchase them online at www.fillthesehearts.org.



SCHEDULE OF MINISTRIES

■ SATURDAY VIGIL, OCTOBER 20

◆ 5:30 pm Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers:

Dale & Kathy Nienhaus, Virginia Johnson*

Reader: Susan Laughlin

Altar Servers: Sophie & Emilia Jury

■ SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21

◆ 7:30 am Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers:

Joe Weinberg, Bill Piotrowski, Gerry Merth*

Sharon Peterson*

Reader: Mary Weinberg

Altar Servers: Joe & Zach Hamm

◆ 9 am Mass (St. Francis)

Extraordinary Ministers:

Linda Merrier, Joni Barrett, Carol Nelson*

Reader: Deb Ryan

◆ 10:30 am Mass (St. Joseph)

Extraordinary Ministers:

Sandy Greene, Jan Rintoul

Richard & Sharon McCurdy*

Readers:

Addie & Emily McCurdy, Boden Enochs

Altar Servers:

Brooklyn Kelash & John Deneen

*Indicates people to cleanse Sacred Vessels

WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Joseph Church

Tuesday-Friday.....7:30 am

The Rosary is prayed daily at 6:55 am during the Holy Hour.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is recited after each daily Mass.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

St. Joseph Church

— Tuesday - Thursday.....6:30 am

Friday's 24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

8:00 am Friday - 7:45 am Saturday Benediction

RECONCILIATION SCHEUDLE

St. Joseph Church

Tuesday-Friday.....7:00-7:20 am

Saturday.....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.



The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 21, 2012

1st Reading: Isaiah 53:10-11 (146B)

2nd Reading: Hebrews 4:14-16

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

dramatic
BREAK
with the
WORLD

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

This past week we celebrated the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. So many home gardens have a statue of St. Francis, often holding a bird. We think of him as the saint of animals and nature. But Francis as a young man was part of a military expedition against a neighboring province. After being captured, he languished as a prisoner for a year until he was released. He returned to a carefree life. His father was a wealthy merchant and Francis had few worries about his future. Over a period of conversion, Francis went to nurse lepers, and eventually renounced his father and his inheritance, stripping off even the clothes that were his and returning them to his family. It was this dramatic step that set him on the road to a life of holy poverty.

The Gospel this weekend points to that kind of dramatic break with the world. Jesus tells the man who runs up to him to go and sell what he has and give it to the poor and then follow him. The man cannot do it, and so he walks away. The disciples are astounded at the turn of events. None of them have any great wealth, but they wonder if anyone can be saved.

Francis took this Gospel in a quite literal sense, and so ended up disposing of everything. For the most part, Christians have interpreted this Gospel story as an important lesson on the need to have a certain amount of detachment in this life. Clearly we are not all meant to be St. Francis. But his radical interpretation reminds us that we can cling too closely to all that we have and lose sight of the greater meaning in our lives. Since all that we have is already a gift from God, we recognize that these things are only ours for a brief time before we are called to give an accounting in the age to come.

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The St. Francis Pie Booth at the 2012 Osceola Wheels & Wings was a great success! A heartfelt thank you to all parishioners who so generously helped by baking pies, working, or making a cash donation. A special thank you to Tony Zais for the use of his tent and for setting it up and taking it down. Also, thanks to Bob & Deb Ryan for hauling and setting up tables. Our profit after expenses is \$1,533.00.

Join a 54 Day Rosary Novena for the November Elections! Pray with Relevant Radio® that our nation be blessed with leaders who will govern according to God's Will. The novena began Sept. 14th and will end Nov. 6th, Election Day. The last nine days will be prayed LIVE at 7:30 AM CT during Morning Air®. For more information, go to www.relevantradio.com, keyword "novena." In the St. Paul-Mpls. area, Relevant Radio can be found at 1330AM.

***GOD IS GOOD, ALL THE TIME.
ALL THE TIME, GOD IS GOOD.***

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct. 14--9:00 am Mass-11:00 am Rel. Ed.
- Oct. 16--SJ-7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting
- Oct. 21--9:00 am Mass-11:00 am Rel. Ed. World Mission Sunday



The Rosary is prayed at St. Francis every Sunday at 8:40 am. Please come to Mass early and join us



In preparation for the Holidays, Family Pathways Food Shelf requests that the parishioners of St. Francis Church each donate **one can of cream of mushroom soup**. If you are interested in helping out, please bring your donation to church before November 1st.

St. Francis Financial Contributions

Weekly needed income:	\$ 1,519.23
EFT (October 5)	65.00
October 7	1,823.76
Children's Collection	16.29
Year to Date (7/1/12):	392.28



Make a Joyful Noise! The Christmas Choir will practice Wednesdays at 6:45 pm, beginning on Oct. 17th. All are invited to join.

In preparation for the Holidays, Family Pathways Food Shelf requests that parishioners from St. Joseph Church each donate **one cake mix**. If you are interested in helping out, please bring a cake mix to church before Nov. 1st.



Newly Baptized Congratulations to Charlotte Marie Budke, daughter of William and Whitney Budke, who received the sacrament of Baptism on September 30, 2012. We welcome her into the Catholic faith with God's graces.

Rel. Ed. News - October 21st is our first Liturgy with Children for this year. If your child is singing in the Children's Choir at this Mass, please arrive 15 minutes early and have your child sit in the designated pews near the piano/organ.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct. 13--11 am-7 pm Chili Fest
4:30-5:00 pm Confession
5:30 pm Mass
- Oct. 16--7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting
- Oct. 17--No Rel. Ed.
6:45 pm Christmas Choir Practice
- Oct. 18--5:30 pm Parish Council
7:00 pm Finance Council
- Oct. 20--4:30-5:00 pm Confession
5:30 pm Mass
World Mission Sunday
- Oct. 21--7:30 am Mass
10:30 am Liturgy with Children
World Mission Sunday

The Rosary will be prayed at St. Joseph Church at 5:05 pm on Saturdays and 7:05 am & 10:05 am Sundays during October, the month of the Rosary. Please come to Mass early and join us.

St. Joseph Financial Contributions

Weekly needed income:	\$ 3,250.00
EFT (October 5)	435.00
October 7	3,150.00
Children's Collection	22.75
Year to Date (7/1/12):	1,937.13

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