Liturgical Schedule for June 15-21, 2015

MonNo MassSt. Germaine of PibracTuesAB10amSt. John Francis RegisWedSMa6pmSt. Emily de VialarThursSP7:15amSt. Greory BarbarigoIntent:d. DarrellMairoseFriSJ7:15amSt. Romuald

Sat SMa 6pm St. Vincent Kaun Intent: Deacon Bill Kappler

Sun SP 8:30am St. Aloysius Gonzaga Intent: d. Linda Schuman SJ 10:30am Father's Day

Unspecified mass intentions are *for the parish people* (pro populo).

Liturgical Ministers for June 20 & 21 2015

St. Mary's

Greeter - Mary Koch, Cheryl Peters Lector - Greg Schumacher Servers - Mason O., Brenna B. Euch Min - Sherry S., Rita B., Tami P. Gifts - Don Odens Family

St. Peter's

Greeter - Scott & Brenna Clites Lector - Paige Munsen Servers - Megan G., Jaxon C. Euch Min - Joe & Paulena H., Tammie M. Gifts - Scott & Brenna Clites Family

St. John's

Greeters - Ken Payne, Ryan Baker Lector - Kerri Konechne Servers - Thominia & Tristan N., Thomas B. Euch Min - John & Susan Steele, Gene Deinert Gifts - Ron & Susan Urban Family Rosary - Diana Spinar

IN CASE YOU WERE WONDERING

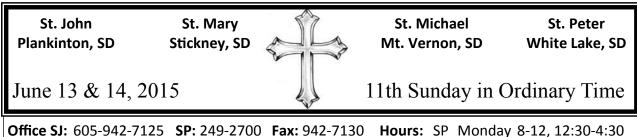
Because Christ himself is present in the sacrament of the altar, he is to be honored with the worship of adoration. "To visit the Blessed Sacrament is ... a proof of **gratitude**, an expression of love, and a duty of adoration toward Christ our Lord" (Paul VI, *MF* 66). CCC, 1418

It can seem difficult, even impossible, to bind oneself for life to another human being. This makes it all the more important to proclaim the Good News that God loves us with a definitive and irrevocable love, that married couples share in this love, that it supports and sustains them, and that by their own faithfulness they can be witnesses to God's faithful love. Spouses who with God's grace give this witness, often in very difficult conditions, deserve the **gratitude** and support of the Church. CCC, 1648.

The duty of obedience requires all to give due honor to authority and to treat those who are charged to exercise it with respect, and, insofar as it is deserved, with **gratitude** and goodwill. CCC, 1900.

www.kofc.org/un/en/catechism search CCC #

		St. Mary's		
June 6-7, 2015		Envelopes	\$1461.00	
		Youth	\$ 5.00	
St. Peter's		Loose	\$ 61.00	
Envelopes	\$ 990.00	Total	\$1527.00	
Youth	\$ 8.50			
Loose	\$ 38.00	St. Jo	ohn's	
CFSA	\$ 35.00	Envelopes	\$1117.00	
Stipends	\$ 100.00	Youth	\$ 22.00	
Candles	\$ 32.50	Loose	\$ 121.95	
Total	\$1204.00	Total	\$1260.95	



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Fr. Bob's Blotting's

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you for the **wonderful celebration** of my Tenth Anniversary of Priesthood. I appreciated the many signs of affection from so many of you - from hugs and cards to sober well wishes: "Father, I don't know if I'm supposed to say thank you or congratulations, but whatever I'm supposed to say, here it is."

Thank you for being part of my life and ministry this past year. Thank you for bearing with me as I, too, **learn what it means to be father** to three parishes and two churches dealing with a merger.

I have greatly **enjoyed the welcome** of a rural community. From the "Father, come over for dinner (that's an evening meal, by the way), to "we're working calves on Friday, you want to come, all your offers have been an expression of Jesus' promise: "And everyone who has given up houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands for the sake of my name will receive a hundred times more, and will inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first" (Mt 19:29-30).

The priesthood and religious life are **wonderful lives**. I hope and pray each of you talk with your grandkids about the possibility of priesthood, religious life, and marriage. You and I shouldn't assume they know it all, nor that God will just kick them out of the saddle of their comfort. I remember someone asking me questions about priesthood, whom I hadn't and didn't think to invite him to consider. He will soon be ordained to the priesthood!

"So, **what did you do this morning**?" One boy asked me. I had celebrated Mass, but I knew that wouldn't impress him, and maybe I should have told him, but I told him how a tour company representative had come in and was looking for priest chaplains for their tours. Now, I've wanted to return to Israel on pilgrimage for sometime. They have an 11 day pilgrimage at the end of August with four people from the Sioux Falls area. They are looking for four more. Are you interested?

I am still praying about going, but the presence of parishioners or locals would make it a pilgrimage for me, rather than just a tourist's travel. Let me know if you're interested, please.

ST. JOHN'S NEWS

JUNE CHURCH CLEANING: Jan Kristensen, Beth Victor, Kim Geppert, Mary Niles, Michelle Payne, Shelly Westendorf, Teresa Ortiz Rodriguez. At St. Michaels Church-Deb Baker, Christy Espedal

TOWN HALL MTG & POTLUCK: We ask St. John's parishioners to fill St. Michael's church June 14th for 5:30pm Mass, potluck, and discussion of what it takes to have good liturgy.



CDA-EDUCATION CONTEST WIN-

NERS: Members of the St. Johns religion classes and CDA Court Madonna recently competed in the 2015 Catholic Daughters Education Contest with the themes of "Be A Good Neighbor" and "Love Your Neighbor As Yourself". Many great entries were judged. Local winners of the contest were Kenzie Davis - Essay in Division 1, Lizbeth Gozman-Zaragoza - Art & Poetry in Division 1, Rylee Deinert - Poetry in Division 2, Mallory Bohr -Art in Division 2, Kody Konechne - Computer Art in Division 2, and Mary Mayclin - Poetry in Division 4. These entries were entered in the State CDA Education Contest to be judged. Kenzie Davis won 2nd place in the Essay Division on "Be A Good Neighbor". Kenzie received a Certificate from the SD State Catholic Daughters of America and a cash award. Congratulations, Kenzie, and to all of our local winners too!

ST. MARY'S NEWS

CHURCH CLEANING: June-Cheryl Peters, Tami Plamp; July-Becky Muck, Cheryl Dethlefsen

PARISH AND FINANCE COUNCIL After the June 13th Mass. Expenditures and tenta-tive budget are on Agenda.

ST. PETER'S NEWS

HELP WANTED: We are in need of someone to be on the funeral committee. If you are interested, please contact Chairperson, Jeanie Schroeder.

PRAIRIE PEOPLE NEWS

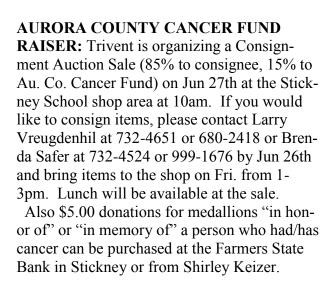


MASS TIME CHANGES: Starting July 4th & 5th; St. Peter's will

have mass on Saturday's at 6pm and St. Mary's will have mass on Sunday's at 8:30am.

JOINT COUNCIL'S BUDGET MTG: June 18 @ 6:30pm at St. Francis Hall, St. John's Church, Plankinton. Agenda: Set sharing percentages, Budgets for each parish, items specific for each parish.

HEART & SOLE CANCER WALK: Annual Heart & Sole Cancer Walk on Friday, Jun 19th at the Mitchell Middle School (800 W.10th)



COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE: United Methodist Church in Stickney at 11am on Jun 28th with a pot-luck dinner following (root beer floats furnished). Offering going to Au. Co. Cancer Fund unless designated otherwise.



LEGACY 125 YEARS: Aug. 14-16 in Sioux Falls. Diocesan-wide gathering with keynote speakers, multiple educational, spiritual and prayer opportunities, liturgical celebrations, ban-

quet, youth component, priest, deacon and teacher continuing education components at the Sioux Falls Convention Center and Arena. Registration Info: www.sfcatholic.org/legacy or 605-334-9861



POPE FRANCIS COMING TO USA: Sept. 22nd-28th in Philadelphia, PA. World Meeting of Families Package Includes: Round-trip airfare from Sioux Falls Regional Airport; Hotel for 5 nights at



the Holiday Inn Express in Lansdale, PA; breakfast daily at hotel; 2 dinners at restaurants in PA area; Luxury Motor Coach Transportation; Assistance of a Canterbury Pilgrimages & Tours Representative while in PA; Sight-seeing in Historic PA as well as visits to the various Shrines. If you would like to see the Pope, please call 800-653-0017 at Canterbury Pilgrimages & Tours, Inc. for further information. Per person cost \$1625.75 (double occupancy) not included in the cost are the following: WMF Conference Registration Fee, anything not listed above.

I really want to grow my own food but can't find any bacon seeds!