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*They ALL ate and
were SATISFIED,
and they picked up the
FRAGMENTS left over —
twelve wicker
baskets FULL.*

MATTHEW 14:20

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time August 2/3, 2008

*Sharing in the Body of Christ,
we seek to:*

Know
the heart of Christ.

See
the face of Christ.

Be
the hands of Christ.

Dear Friends,

Hopefully, everyone is fully refreshed during the peak of summer. We have finally been blessed with some glorious days and evenings. There is almost a break in athletic team play and parents might get a few days where travel isn't necessary. I do pray that rest and relaxation is a part of your family life.



As I look forward to the new school year upon us, I begin to dream about Holy Name of Jesus and what it could look like in the fall. Some of these dreams have been stimulated by the gatherings of staff and parish leaders since last May. Many have taken some time this summer with the staff to reflect and dream about the future. More detailed directions for the parish will be presented at a later time.

For now, here is an idea to begin to think about. Since this whole Catholic Tradition experience is about God and being church together, how about we all take time together to worship? Can we all gather on the weekend to give thanks and praise to God? Every seventh day is a good rhythm to achieve (groups have done this for thousands of years). We take time to get out of our own world and into the world of God and community. There are few places left where people come together to be reminded of the values we are to live by and how we are to treat one another. Those values are supported and challenged each week with the songs which are sung and the Gospel stories which are proclaimed and reflected on. Envisioning a world together is an integral part of the grace bestowed on us during the worship experience. We have the Word of God, the Real Presence, and a great group of people to gather with. Relationships (the manner in which God is manifest most profoundly) can be deepened, and we can become known, loved and cared for through all the different experiences which will come our way.

The trend of our culture is going in a different direction, and I don't believe we need to follow. More and more people are filling their weekends with sports, games, cabins and individual family or personal recreation. I believe we are getting to scandalous laxity when only 2000 of the over 8000 who claim Holy Name of Jesus as their primary community are coming to worship. I do realize that there are those

that travel extensively and those who have physical or emotional needs that prohibit them from joining us. However, a recent study indicates that less than half of our children come to Mass on the weekend on a regular basis. At a child's baptism, the parents make a promise to introduce their child to Jesus and His way of life. What better way to fulfill this promise than through common worship together? I do believe that those who don't pray at church usually don't pray at home together.

We strive to offer a quality worship experience here at Holy Name of Jesus, and will continue to strengthen that quality. I understand that every person has different expectations of what worship can or should be. We will work to ensure that your effort and time be worthwhile within the confines of our Mass. Please consider attending frequently and more often. The community will be better for it.

Peace,

Fr. Tim Mounin

Growing Through Loss a Six-week Session

Coping with a significant life change, such as death of a loved one, divorce, loss of a job or illness can be stressful. Attempts to deny the confusion and pain of grief promote despair and loneliness. Gain an understanding of the grief process in a caring and supportive atmosphere. Participation in groups like this increases coping skills and leads to personal growth.

Join us for this six-week session on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the lower level of the Rectory beginning September 8. Meetings will be facilitated by Bill Rose, Director of Pastoral Care. RSVP to the Parish Office at (763) 473-7901.

Special Marriage Anniversary Recognition

Holy Name of Jesus would like to recognize all those who have or are going to celebrate their 25th/50th wedding anniversary during 2008 at the 8:30 a.m. Mass on October 19. A reception will follow. Couples celebrating other various special anniversaries are also welcomed to take part in this celebration. Please RSVP at the Parish Office by calling (763) 473-7901. For more information contact Bill Rose at (763) 745-3484 or via e-mail at brose@hnoj.org.

God's Dream

A Message from the Stewardship Commission

Summer. Activities change to allow time to relax in the warmth and sunshine. We sense time is short until the season changes. It is so easy to pass on taking time to just be.

Just be still: rest in a hammock, swing on a porch swing, sit on a park bench. Just be: sit quietly, quiet the mind, and be. Listen to all the sounds around. Listen to God as He speaks to your heart of His desires for you. "Be still, and know that I am God," (Ps. 46:10). What is God's Dream for you?

Pray the words of Jabez for yourself. "Oh, that You would bless me indeed, and enlarge my territory, that Your hand would be with me, and that You would keep me from evil, that I may not cause pain! So God granted him what he requested," (1 Chron.4:10). Then listen for the many ways God will answer.

A Message for 3rd through 12th Grade Students Interested in Choir

We have already begun making music plans for the Youth and Children's choirs and are anxiously waiting for young people who wish to participate in choir to sign up for the upcoming 2008-2009 school year. We rehearse weekly and sing about once a month on Sundays. The school choirs also sing at the Friday School Masses.

This year we have a special event planned for the children and youth (ages 8 to 18). We have been invited to participate in the Pueri Cantores Festival for Minnesota at the Basilica of Saint Mary on Saturday, November 8.



It is an all day event, culminating in the youth leading the 5:00 p.m. worship with Archbishop Harry Flynn presiding. Pueri Cantores provides the choristers with a clearer understanding of our Catholic faith and allows them to experience a closeness to God and Church, which they can carry throughout their lives. More information will be forthcoming.

- * **YOUTH CHOIR** rehearsals begin Wednesday, September 17, 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- * **SCHOOL SCHOLA** rehearsals begin Thursday, September 4, 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.
- * **PARISH CHILDREN'S CHOIR** rehearsals begin Wednesday, September 24, 5:50 p.m. to 6:40 p.m.
- * **SCHOOL CHILDREN'S CHOIR** rehearsals begin Wednesday, September 10, 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

We do hope to welcome you to an exciting year of music and worship. Please sign up at the Parish Reception Area after the weekend liturgies or contact the Parish Office at (763) 473-7901.

For questions, please call Sunny Scott at (763) 745-3490.

Holy Name of Jesus School "An Education You Can Believe In"

Holy Name of Jesus School has limited openings in Half-day Kindergarten, Second, Fifth, and Sixth Grades for the 2008 - 2009 school year. For more information, please call the school office at (763) 473-3675.

Holy Name of Jesus School offers:

- * Small class sizes
- * Excellent teachers
- * High academic standards
- * Spiritual growth
- * Well-rounded curriculum including: Art, Band, Media, Music, Physical Education, Religion, Science Lab, Spanish, and Technology



Bible Study Opportunities at Holy Name of Jesus

"Ignorance of Scripture is Ignorance of God,"

-St. Jerome

St. Jerome got it right when he pointed out that you cannot know God without getting to know His story. Here are two opportunities to delve into the word of God with others in our community:

All Men's Nondenominational Study

Monday Evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Contact Bill Inhofer at (763) 476-6273 or via e-mail at inhoferps@comcast.net.

Jeff Cavins' Yearlong Catholic Bible Study

Cavins' popular study using church documents and the Catechism as reference materials is back again! This year, we start off with the Book of James. For more information, visit www.hnoj.org/cavins.html. Registration forms are available on the website or at the Parish Reception Area. Contact Jean Roozendaal for more information at (763) 745-3481 or via e-mail at jroozendaal@hnoj.org.

Fall Fest

Get prepared for fun with family, friends and fellow parishioners at our annual Fall Fest!
Saturday, September 13 and
Sunday, September 14

Look for more details in the August 17 Newsletter or online at www.hnoj.org/fallfest.html.

Save the Date

Holy Name of Jesus

Day of Reflection and In-service for all Liturgical Ministers

Choirs, Cantors, Musicians, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers, Greeters, Sacristans, Environment, Sound/Video and Wedding Coordinators

Saturday, October 4

8:00 a.m. -12:00 noon

"Exploring Catholic Liturgy: Encountering Jesus and Serving the Church"

Featuring Inspirational keynote by Fr. Michael Joncas

Breakout sessions for each ministry

Invitations will be mailed in early September

HOPE at Holy Name of Jesus

In our July 5/6 Bulletin, we introduced you to a new group meeting here this fall. It's called: HOPE – Helping One another Parent kids with Extraordinary needs

The purpose of this network for parents of children with short-term, temporary or ongoing special needs - and other interested people – is to support, guide, educate, and minister to each other through presence, prayer, and shared needs and experiences. The goal is to help build the village needed to raise healthy children.

The group will meet the fourth Monday of the month from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Emmaus Room. The first meeting, set for September 22, will feature speaker Molley Bruce, special education teacher at the Wayzata Public Schools, with the message: "Loving and Accepting Our Children as They Are."

For more information visit our webpage: www.hnoj.org/hope.html. See page six of this bulletin for the complete schedule.

It's BACK TO SCHOOL! Time, Again

Interfaith Outreach & Community Partners is counting on the community to ensure that every K-12 student in the community enters the classroom excited and ready to learn this fall. Low income families are having a much tougher time now, and the need for help is rising. When you're shopping, please remember to purchase and donate items for IOCP's BTS! program from the list of suggested items. Your generosity is needed and most appreciated. Location:

Redeemer Lutheran Church
115 W. Wayzata Blvd
(corner of Ferndale Rd. and Wayzata Blvd.)

IOCP volunteers will only be staffed at Redeemer Lutheran during these times only to receive donations. Church staff is not able to receive donations on behalf of IOCP at other times.

Tuesday, Aug. 5	9:00 a.m.-noon
Wednesday, Aug. 6	11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 8	1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
Monday, Aug. 15	10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 16	9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Needed supplies are: Solid color nylon backpacks, RED pencils/pens, crayons, protractors, wide-lined paper, wireless notebooks, 3-ring binders, colored pencils, markers, glue, erasers, kleenex, notebooks, compasses, rulers, tape, pencils/pens, folders, CDs or DVDs, new basic and scientific calculators, new or used TI-84 graphing calculators, and personal care items. Additional items to consider . . . haircut certificates, underwear and socks. Volunteer opportunities also available call Susan Fetterer (952) 516-6061.

Knights of Columbus Rosary Stories

Since last September, the KC's at Holy Name of Jesus have sponsored a monthly Rosary Story, in dedication of the 800 year anniversary of the Holy Rosary being presented to St. Dominick in the Chapel of Notre Dame in 1208 by the Blessed Virgin. Through the newsletter, the parish has read about miraculous and life changing events associated with our own parishioners praying the Rosary. It has been a great pleasure to sponsor and feature these stories and we want to thank all those who shared their story through us. If you would like to review any of the stories, feel free to visit our KC web site; www.hnojkc.org.

The HNOJ KC's have received numerous positive comments from fans of the stories and for that we thank you. We have a few stories left over and would like to continue to sponsor the Rosary Corner in the newsletter, in the upcoming months. If anyone has an inspiring story related to the Rosary and they would like to share it in our little corner of the HNOJ Newsletter, please feel free to send it to Jennifer Ladendorf at jladendorf@hnoj.org or Marty Dehen at mdehen@msn.com.

"Thank you God for answering my prayer;
thank you St. Jude for interceding on my behalf.
I will encourage devotion to you always."

Friends Welcome

Julie Inhofer, mother of parishioners Elaine Wencil McManigle and Bill Inhofer (mother-in-law to Patti Sue, grandmother of Mandy, Jeff and Joe), died October 21, 2007. Her ashes will be buried in St. George, Minnesota, following her funeral Mass here at Holy Name at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 16.

The 4th Grade Cub Scout Troop at Holy Name of Jesus received their Parvuli Dei award at Mass on June 21 from Father Tim.



Front Row: Jamison Schuh, Matt Richelsen, Joshua Treiber, Macartan Commers, Thomas Phelps.
Back Row: Father Tim and David Schuh

Come and celebrate the gift of life!

Have you or someone in your family been touched by adoption? Come celebrate the great gift of life with us at the 4th Annual Mass in Celebration of Adoption! The Mass will be held on Wednesday, August 13 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Church, 1154 Seminole Ave., West St. Paul, MN 55118. Fellowship will follow in the parish hall. For more information or to volunteer, please call (651) 291-4488.

Marriage Encounter Weekend,

Dakota Ridge Hotel, Eagan

August 16-17

www.marriages.org

or (651) 454-3238

Reconciliation: Saturday 8:30 a.m. or any time by request.

Baptism: Please call the parish office (763) 473-7901 to schedule a baptism. Parents are required to come for a Baptismal Preparation Class, which is held the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Marriage: Please call

Fr. Paul Kammen to make arrangements six months in advance of the proposed date.

Anointing: Please call

Fr. Tim Morin.

HNOJ Publishing Dates**Monthly Newsletter**

Deadline for Sun., August 17, is

Tues., July 29, Noon

Bulletin

Deadline for Sun., September 7,

is Tues., July 22, Noon

Please call the parish office at (763) 745-3486 or email bseliski@hnoj.org to submit articles. Content guidelines can be picked up at the Parish Office.

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Nursery Available Sundays

at 8:30 & 10:30 a.m. (763) 746-8193

For a complete staff listing with emails, position and phone numbers go to <http://www.hnoj.org/contactUs.html>

MASS INTENTIONS**Monday, August 4**

6:45 am †Kathleen Foley

Tuesday, August 5

6:45 am †Norbert Lang

Wednesday, August 6

6:45 am †Marie Etzel

Thursday, August 7

6:45 am †Geri

Friday, August 8

6:45 am †Martin Bennis

Saturday, August 9

8:00 am †Emily Deblon

5:00 pm †Pat Miller

Sunday, August 10

8:30 pm †Robert Jordan

10:30 pm †John Norton

5:30 pm †William Rosengren

Monday, August 11

6:45 am †Florence Hedenland

Tuesday, August 12

6:45 am †Ralph Halbritter

Wednesday, August 13

6:45 am †Nan Kelly

Thursday, August 14

6:45 am †Julie Inhofer

Friday, August 15**Holy Day of Obligation****The Assumption of the****Blessed Virgin Mary**

6:45 am †Norbert Lang

9:00 am †Dan Dorwart

**Saturday, August 16**

8:00 am †Bill & Kay Plantenberg

5:00 pm †Ann Catapano

Sunday, August 17

8:30 am †Marie Etzel

10:30 pm †Urban Joseph Hirschfeld

5:30 pm †Betty Hayes

Mass Intentions

If you are interested in having a mass with intentions, please call the parish office (763) 473-7901. If you want a special date, please call six months in advance.

MONDAY, AUGUST 4**TUESDAY, AUGUST 5**

7:15 pm AA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6

8:00 am Summer Stretch

5:00 pm HN School Used Uniform Sale

7:00 pm The P.A.D.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7

7:00 pm Job Network

7:00 pm New Member Welcome

7:00 pm Social Justice Forum

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

7:15 am Serra Club

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

8:30 am Individual Reconciliation

10:45 am AA

5:00 pm Liturgy

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10

8:30 am Liturgy

10:30 am Liturgy

5:30 pm LIFE TEEN Liturgy

6:30 pm LIFE NITE

MONDAY, AUGUST 11**TUESDAY, AUGUST 12**

7:15 pm AA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

3:00 pm Outreach Committee

7:00 pm The P.A.D.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

7:00 pm Baptism Class

FRIDAY, AUGUST 15 - HOLY DAY**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

6:45 am Liturgy

9:00 am Liturgy

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

8:30 am Individual Reconciliation

10:45 am AA

5:00 pm Liturgy

7:00 pm Ultreya

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17

8:30 am Liturgy

10:30 pm Liturgy

5:30 pm LIFE TEEN Liturgy

6:30 pm LIFE NITE

Mass Schedule

Weekdays 6:45 a.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

Sunday Liturgy

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, LifeTeen 5:30 p.m.

Morning Prayer Service

Weekdays 6:15 a.m.

Nursery

Available on Sundays at 8:30/10:30 a.m.

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September 22 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. Speaker/Topic: *"Loving and Understanding Our Children as They Are"*

October 27 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. Topic: *"Diagnosis/Discussion"* Does your child need one or not? How can a diagnosis be of benefit? Why might you not want to get one? Where do you go to get diagnoses of various types? How are the diagnoses arrived at? Now that you've got one, what does it mean and what do you do next?

November 24 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. Topic: *"Affirmation & Thanksgiving/Discussion"* Parent Affirmation/Thanksgiving: How do you deal with feelings of failure as a parent if your child has (or causes) so many problems? Who do you go to for help? How do you get respite? What graces and learnings have come out of your experience parenting a child with special needs? What are you most grateful for?

December NO Meeting Merry Christmas!
January 26 6:30 p.m. Family Blessing and Potluck (Good Samaritan Center) / Whole Family

February 23 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Emmaus ABCD Topic: *"Role of Faith/Discussion"* The Role of Faith: In what ways has your experience parenting a child with special needs helped to grow your faith? In what ways has your faith helped you to cope with your extraordinary situation? Why do you think you were chosen to parent a child with special needs? How do we foster faith in our children, both those with or without special needs?

March 23 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Emmaus ABCD Topic: *TBA/Discussion*

April 27 at 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Emmaus ABCD Topic: *TBA/Discussion*

May 18 (3rd Monday/May) 5:30 PM Family Mass and Potluck (Good Samaritan Center)

Our Befriender Ministry

Pastoral Care Ministers are needed in our parish to serve in this listening ministry for people going through transitions and, at times, tragedies. Befrienders are God's angels for those in need, who offer God's special grace and support.

Training of new Befrienders will take place on three consecutive Tuesday evenings beginning October 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the lower level of the Rectory. Many who have attended Befriender training in the past have indicated that these sessions are useful in all sorts of life experiences, whether dealing with family, coworkers, friends or neighbors.

Please contact Bill Rose at (763) 745-3484 or via e-mail at brose@hnoj.org if you're interested in becoming a Befriender or if you need more information.

St. Thomas the Apostle Harvest Festival

Corcoran (corner of 116 and Cty. Rd. 10)

Sunday, August 17

Turkey Dinner

11:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Corn Days Family Festival

St. George in Long Lake (Brown Rd. and Watertown Rd.)

August 9 & 10

www.CornDays.com

Every Life a Promise Golf Challenge**a benefit for Bethany Christian Services of Minnesota**

Friday, August 8 – 7:30 a.m.

Majestic Oaks Golf Club

Gold Course

701 Bunker LK BLVD, Ham Lake

For information or to register, call

(763) 553-0344

or www.bethany.org/plymouth