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Sharing in the body of Christ, we seek to:

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THE HEART OF CHRIST. THE FACE OF CHRIST. THE HANDS OF CHRIST

June 22, 2025 • The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5 p.m. Sunday: 8:30 a.m.,10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Nursery

Nursery is offered for the Sunday morning Masses during the school year. (Closed from June 15-Aug. 17)

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday 8 a.m.

Confessions

Saturdays: 8:30-9:30 a.m. Wednesdays: 5:15-6:15 p.m.

Sign Up for Email!

If you are not receiving our emails, the sign up link is on hnoj.org under the contact us information.

Anointing of the Sick or Funeral

Please call the parish office at 763-473-7901 to schedule. Or for an emergency, call 763-233-0259.

Adoration Schedule

Sign up at hnoj.weadorehim.com Monday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Tuesday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Parish Office Summer Hours

Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Friday 8 a.m.-12 p.m.



Give Online: https://www.hnoj.org/online-donations

Dear Parishioners,

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My name is Andy Renier, a life-time parishioner, alumni, former finance council member and most recently your parish family seminarian at Holy Name of Jesus (HNOJ). I am writing to inform you that in peace I have made the decision to step out of/leave seminary formation. I entered the Saint Paul Seminary four years ago in the Fall of 2021 with the question of priesthood on my heart; in and through prayer, that question was answered, and now I am moving forward to continue following our Lord.



To everyone at the parish, I am filled with heartfelt gratitude for the unwavering support you have shown me throughout my time at seminary. Your prayers have been a constant source of strength, and while visiting home,

your encouraging words always lifted my spirits during challenging times. I am also deeply thankful to many of you who generously supported me financially as well. Although my path is now leading me in a different direction than I expected, I will always cherish the love and support I received from my home parish community. Thank you for being such a vital part of my faith journey.

To my beloved family, words cannot express the depth of my gratitude for everything you are and mean to me. It was your unshakable support, constant prayers and steadfast love in my life that gave me the courage to enter seminary and discern a call to the priesthood. Thank you and I hope you know how much I love you all!

After moving out of seminary, I have now returned back home to live with my parents. My summer plans are no more complicated than to relax and rest. Throughout the summer you will find me enjoying time away at my family cabin in Canada, attending Extreme Faith Camp at the end of June and eventually updating my resume to begin looking for a new job within the accounting and finance markets in the Twin Cities.

I hope you all have a wonderful summer, and I am looking forward to seeing you around HNOJ soon. Please keep me in your prayers as I move forward and know that I will keep you in mine.

Sincerely,

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"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." - 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



Parish News

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The Solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus

By Cheri Quast, Executive Assistant at HNOJ

There is a hunger in the world. I am not talking about a physical hunger even though that is a reality for many. Instead, I am speaking about another hunger. A hunger that leads people to seek satisfaction in worldly things such as food, alcohol, pornography, social media, fame, etc. These worldly things provide short term contentment, but never truly satisfy which leads to continual seeking of something to appease



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a growing appetite. If this hunger cannot be filled by the world, how can it be filled?

Today's Solemnity, Corpus Christi, tells us how. Corpus Christi celebrates the fact that Jesus is truly present Body, Soul and Divinity in the Eucharist. The God who made us humbles Himself to become food for us to consume. In today's Gospel reading, we see a foreshadowing of the Eucharist. Jesus multiplies the loaves, and everyone was fed to the point of satisfaction. In another Gospel, we also hear how those who once came for the miracles were now seeking Jesus because they ate of the loaves.

What the world offers perishes, but the Eucharist leads to eternal life with Jesus who fills our every hunger. As St. Augustine said, "You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You." It is through the regular reception of the Eucharist that the focus of our hunger is changed. Today, I invite you to pray for a deeper devotion to the Blessed Sacrament where every desire is filled.

Live the Liturgy

Five loaves and two fish: a measly portion of food for such a large crowd of people. But we must remember that it doesn't matter what the size of our offering is. If we only lay it before Christ, he will take it and make it a mighty bounty.



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Summer Youth Group, Change in Dates

Starting on June 25, most *Wednesdays* of the summer we will have a casual youth group including, sports, bonfires and movie nights from 7-9 p.m.

Middle school and high school youth are invited to join in the fun on the following dates *updated from the June newsletter:*

June 25, July 2, 9, 16 Aug. 13, 20, 27

Senior Events

Seniors 55+, please join us!

Cards and Board Games, July 17 and Aug. 15 Stop in and play cards or board games this summer. Join in the fun on Thursday, July 17, and Friday, Aug. 15, from 9-11 a.m. Bring your own snacks and drinks.

Daily Mass, June 24-26

In our June newsletter, we posted that since both our priests will attend meetings for Archdiocesan clergy from June 24-26, that we would not have daily Mass or Confessions on these days. However, Fr. Juettner has offered to have Masses for us on these days.



We will not have Confessions on Wednesday, June 25.

High School Local Mission Trip, Aug. 1-4

This summer, HNOJ will be hosting a local mission trip for high school students, right here on our campus. The goal of this mission is to serve Christ in the city.

As this is my first time coordinating an event like this, many details are still being

finalized. However, the general plan is to spend our mornings and afternoons doing service work, while our evenings will focus on formation, fellowship and opportunities to encounter Christ through prayer.

The mission trip will take place from Aug. 1-4, and registration may be found at hnoj.org/missiontrip

If you are interested in serving alongside us as an adult volunteer, please reach out to me, Luke Klavins, Iklavins@hnoj.org. We look forward to an incredible experience of service, faith and community!



Parish News

Women's Social, June 24

Women of HNOJ -Wouldn't it be nice to gather on a new or old friend's deck and enjoy a beverage of your choice with a group of friends from church? Yeah, we thought so too. Again this summer HNOJ is hosting



June 24, July 24 and Aug. 19 heaj.org/annextummernights

monthly women's social nights. We are looking for a couple more women to host an evening at their home. If you are interested in hosting, please contact Chris Kostelc at ckostelc@hnoj.org.

The socials are at 7 p.m. on the following days: **Tuesday, June 24** Thursday, July 24 Tuesday, Aug. 19 More details and registration may be found at hnoj.org/ womenssummernights

Summer Drop-In Small Groups

Adults of HNOJ, feel free to join us any Monday from June 9 to July 28 for a drop-in small group. We will meet from 7-8:30 p.m. They will be standalone sessions led by Tim Lyngdal, so you can attend one or all. Each small group night will allow time for formation, prayer and fun!



This will be a great option if your regular small group is taking a break for the summer. Pre-register if you can but walk-ins are welcome. More information at hnoj.org/smallgroups

Scripture of the Week



"And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets." (Luke 9:17)

Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. This is what we believe as Catholics concerning the Eucharist. Christ is fully present, His Body is fully present, His blood is fully present, His soul is fully present, His Divinity is fully present. Not



symbols of these, but a true and literal physical presence of each His Body, His Blood, His Soul and His Divinity. This teaching has been with us since the Church came into being at the time of Christ's Passion, Death and Resurrection.

Our readings today all focus on this mystery of bread and wine being so much more. Beginning with our reading from Genesis where we see Melchizedek, described as "a priest of God Most High" offering bread and wine, continuing with the oldest recorded words of consecration in St. Paul's first letter to the Corinthians, up to the miraculous feeding of the 5,000 by Jesus after blessing "five loaves and two fish" but having twelve baskets of leftovers. We focus on the superabundance of Christ's *gift* to each of us. A gift that we receive each time we go to Communion. His *gift* of Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity.

Weekly reflections by parishioner Jon Hickman

Pilgrimage to Italy with Fr. Wratkowski, 2026

Join Fr. Wratkowski and other parishioners on a pilgrimage to Italy, with stops including Florence, Siena, Assisi and Rome. The dates of the pilgrimage are Oct. 26 - Nov. 6, 2026.

Discover Florence, the living museum of Italian Renaissance, including the Basilica of Santa Croce and Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral. Spend time in Siena, birthplace of St. Catherine, and visit the black-and-white Cathedral. Explore the tranquil hilltop village of Assisi, home to St. Francis and St. Clare. Taste an array of Italian wines. Learn the secrets of homemade pasta. Enjoy a special private tour of the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel, without the crowds! Accompanied by an excellent local guide, learn about the spiritual, historical and cultural significance of Italy.

Spots are limited, so begin your prayerful discernment now! You can find more details and registration at hnoj.org/ pilgrimage



In Our Parish and Our Community

Apostolate for the Dying Small Group

Hearing stories daily on the news of so many lives being lost through violence, war, disease and sickness, can certainly weigh us down and sometimes even leave us feeling helpless. Many of these souls are not prepared to meet our Lord. But, there is a way that we can help



them. The Church asks us to pray for those who are dying as an act of mercy.

Please join us on Monday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Fireside Conference Room where we pray from the "Holy Hour Devotion for the Dying" booklet and you will be strengthened in hope.

Please go to hnoj.org/smallgroups for more details and to sign up.

Cursillo Encounter

Do you want to expand and enhance your prayer life? Do you want to progressively grow in your journey of faith? And do you want to build God's kingdom through bonding friendships? Then the Cursillo Encounter is for you!

Hosted at Mary, Mother of the Church in Burnsville: Men's Weekend is July 31-Aug. 3 Women's Weekend is Aug. 7-10

For more information and to register, go to tc-cursillo.org.

Peter's Pence Collection, June 28-29

Next week we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping our Holy Father to carry out His charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. Please be generous. For more information or to donate, please visit

www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html. Or you may use the envelopes in your packet. Extra envelopes are available in the Gathering Space on the bulletin stands by the doors.



Interfaith Outreach Items Needed

Adult diapers Healthy snacks (granola bars, Goldfish crackers, applesauce cups) Brand name cereal Canned chicken Feminine hygiene products (especially thin pads) Pantry staples (canned goods, rice, pasta, peanut butter) Paper towels Reusable grocery bags

Learn more about our Food Shelf "SuperShelf" at iocp.org/ outreach-services/food-shelf



Food Truck Social, July 31

Bring the family and join us for our fifth annual Food Truck Social! We'll have four amazing trucks on Thursday, July 31, from 5:30-8:30 p.m. This will be a fun evening of delicious food, yard games and socializing!

***Announcing our 2025 Food Truck Line-Up *** DelSur Empanadas Rock Elm Kona Ice Smokin on Site

Now Hiring

HNOJ School is seeking a Food Service Manager to join our team. This full-time position is responsible for coordinating the school lunch program. This includes coordinating all aspects of planning, preparation and service of food for the lunch program. Candidate will need to obtain food manager



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certification. This is a full-time, 40 hour per week, 10-month position and benefits eligible.

For all the details, please visit hnoj.org/careers and help us spread the word!

BBQ and Car Wash Fundraiser Sales for NPH, July 24

Please join us for our BBQ and Car Wash fundraiser that will be at the Holiday Gas Station on County Road 24 and Highway 55, on Thursday, July 24, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

BBQ Meal: \$5 includes a fountain drink, chips and choice of burger, hot dog or brat.

Car Wash Sales:

- One Basic Wash: \$11
- One Super Shine Wash: \$16
- One Extreme Shine Wash: \$19
- Basic Book of four washes: \$28.99
- Super Shine Book of four washes: \$40.99
- Extreme Shine Book of four washes: \$51.99

Stock up! The car washes never expire! All proceeds go to support the children of NPH. Muchas Gracias!

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