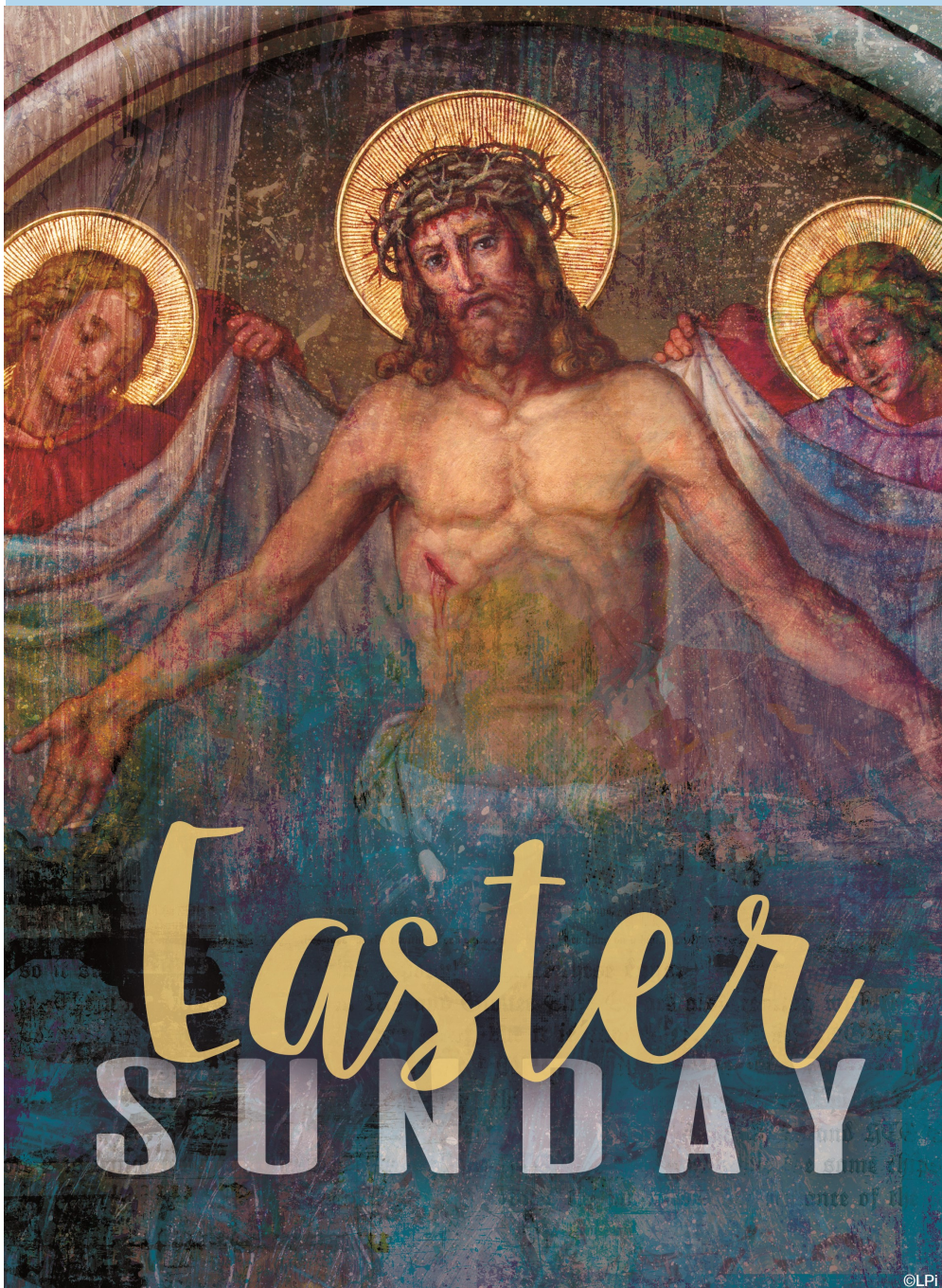




# Saints by the Lake Community

*The Churches of  
Sacred Heart, St. Bartholomew & St. John Nepomuk*

122 NW 1st Street • Glenwood, Minnesota 56334 • (320) 634-3813



**MARCH 31, 2024**

*Easter Sunday*

## Parish Office

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## Parish Staff

**Pastor** ..... Father Joseph Vandenberg

**DRE** ..... Paula Johnson (Pre-K-6)

..... Sue Heidelberger (7-12)

**Music Director**.....Ann Foley

**Custodian**.....Chris Berger (SH)

... Sarah Heidelberger (SB)

**Bookkeeper** .....Connie DeVault

.....Judy Radil (SJN)

**Secretary**.....Katherine Chevalier

**Coordinator (SJN)** .....Amber Green

**Youth Ministry Coordinator**.....

Scott Crumb

## Mass Schedule

**Sacred Heart – Glenwood/Starbuck**

Weekend .....Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 10:30am

Weekdays as scheduled .....

**Saint Bartholomew – Villard**

Weekend (Apr.—Jun.)...Saturday 4:00pm

**St. John Nepomuk – Lowry/Lake Reno**

Weekend (Apr.—Jun.).....Sunday 8:30am

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**St. Bartholomew**.....Saturday 3:15pm

**St. John Nepomuk**.....Sunday 8:00am

**Sacred Heart**.....by appointment

Other times by appointment.



## HE IS RISEN!

There is more fanfare and a greater sense of celebration around the Christmas season than the Easter season. However, Easter is considered the holiest day of the year for Christians. We celebrate that Jesus is indeed risen from the dead and he extends his life to all of us.

Many of us would be surprised and somewhat frightened by the notion of a person coming back from the dead. This has been the theme of horror stories. There is nothing frightening about Jesus' resurrection.

Initially his disciples were confused. They did not understand the meaning of the empty tomb. As Jesus revealed himself to them they came to understand the meaning of the Scriptures and now the Scriptures had foretold of his resurrection.

For us modern day followers of Christ it is a simple matter of faith to accept the testimony of the early church and the witness of the gospels. We have many personal and real resurrection experiences which help us relate to Jesus' rising from the grave.

By faith, people are cured of serious illness, addictions are overcome, angels reveal themselves, and the dying experience peace. These are all experiences which help us to know God stands with us and guides us in our daily lives.

God's peace!



### Easter flowers around the altar at St. Bartholomew

Marlyn Perry...in memory of Mary Langan  
Chuck & Lucy Walker...

*in memory of deceased family members*

Rick & Bobbie Rost...in memory of Joe & Alice Stein  
and Art & Dolores Rost

Hugh & Karen Hudson...in memory of deceased  
Wilts & Hudson family members

Clarence Betty Rooney...in memory of Craig & Kevin Rooney  
Don & Mary Rajdl...Intention of Donor

Reed & Sarah Heidelberger family...in memory of Jim Krych

Jim & Agnes Jensen...in memory of Grayson Brunken

Jim & Agnes Jensen...in memory of the Jensen family

Jim & Agnes Jensen...in memory of the Seifert family

Steve Klick family...

*in memory of deceased family members*

Larry and Diane Zavadil...in memory of  
deceased members of the Reichmann family

Joe & Kristi Macho...in memory of deceased

Schmitz family members

Joe & Kristi Macho...in memory of deceased  
Macho family members



### Easter flowers around the altar at Sacred Heart

Richard & Yvonne Anderson...

*in memory of the Odegard & Maluski families*

Lysen & Rooney family...

*in memory of deceased family members*

Brad & Mary Kollman...in memory of Louis Larson

Bill Wisniewski...in memory of Janice & Bill Wisniewski

Karen & Kim DeMorett...in memory of Jack DeMorett

Randy & Mary Wildman...in memory of the Wildman family

Mark & Denise Olson...in memory of Phil & Audrey Haugen

Mark & Denise Olson...

*in memory of deceased Olson family members*

Steve Klick family...in memory of Peggy Klick

Becky Olson...in memory of David Olson

Becky Olson...in memory of deceased Pitzen family

Gerald & Sue McCrory...Intention of Donor

Larry Kenney...in memory of Cliff & Bette Anton

Larry Kenney...in memory of Clem & Dorothy Kenney

Larry Kenney...in memory of Diane Anton

Kyle & Vanessa Kjersten...in memory of Ardie Kjersten

Joanne Messenger...in memory of Richard Messenger

Roger Mrnak & family...in memory of Diane Mrnak

Ann Foley...in memory of Dave Foley

Dave & Pat Rasmussen...

*in memory of Nick Rasmussen, and Bill & Betty Noyes*

Pat Leedahl...in memory of Bob Aaberg

Angie Wold...in memory of Art & Glorianne Rosten

Bill & Mary Peters...Intention of Donor

Phil & Catherine Stumpf family...

*in memory of Tony & Fran Marolt*

Phil & Catherine Stumpf family...

*in memory of Herb & Elvira Stumpf*

Paul & Paula Johnson...

*in memory of deceased Johnson family members*

Shirley Terhaar...in memory of Oscar Terhaar

Romie & Arlene Klimek family...

*in memory of Barbara Klimek-Peterson*

Barb Schliesman...in memory of Dan Schliesman

Karen Tauber...in memory of Maynard & Rose Chan

Jim & Rosie Kollman...

*in memory of deceased Rooney & Kollman family*

Kevin & Marlena Marthaler...

*in memory of the Marthaler and Lyon families*

Earl & Maggie Schaub...in memory of Charlie & Rose Schaub

Taylor & Lindsey Thomas...in memory of Caleb Thomas

Jim & Mikki Morrissey ...in memory of Ray Morrissey

Jim & Mikki Morrissey...in memory of Ron & Celeste Gerardy

Darlene Fadness...in memory of deceased Steinhof family

Larry & Diane Zavadil...

*in memory of Walter & Florence Zavadil*

Colin & Judy McLeod...

*in memory of John & Scholastica Weller,  
and Helen & Vernon McLeod*



Welcome to our Newest Member  
Brynlee Ann Cihlar  
—daughter of Colin & Tiffany

## Religious Education Notes

**Religious Education classes will take place** as scheduled this week.



### **Children's Liturgy of the Word is back!**

Children ages 3-7 are invited to the lower level the second and fourth Sundays of the month at Sacred Heart, beginning at 10:20 (or so). There they will hear a "kid friendly" version of the gospel, pray and make a craft, before joining everyone upstairs during the offering.



### **Bible Trivia**

1. In Leviticus, how many "rules" or regulations did God give the Israelites?
2. Why did God tell the Israelites to live Holy lives?
3. Which of the two spies sent by Moses and Aaron to scout out the Promised Land are known for their faith?

### **The Directors of Religious Education,**

Paula Johnson and Sue Heidelberger, can be reached at 634-4828 or by e-mail. Sue: [sacredh711@gmail.com](mailto:sacredh711@gmail.com)  
Paula: [glenwoodsacredheartrel.ed@gmail.com](mailto:glenwoodsacredheartrel.ed@gmail.com)



### **Rice Bowl Tid Bit...**

As our CRS Rice Bowl journey comes to an end, may the Eucharist continue to transform our lives and help us respond to God's call to serve our global family. Let us commit to sharing the joy of resurrection with people in our local community and around the world! Rice bowls can be turned in at church or the church office.

## Stewardship of Treasure

*Thank you for your continued sharing of your treasure with our churches!*

### **Sacred Heart Parish – Glenwood**

2023/24 Weekly Collection Goal.....\$5,820.00  
Collected (3/17/24) .....\$4,909.67  
Adult Envelope Holders .....417  
Number of Adult Contributions.....48

### **St. Bartholomew Parish – Villard**

2023/24 Weekly Collection Goal.....\$1,362.00  
Collected (3/17/24) .....\$ 986.00  
Adult Envelope Holders .....69  
Number of Adult Contributions.....22

### **St. John Nepomuk—Lowry/Lake Reno**

2023/24 Weekly Collection Goal.....\$1,400.00  
Collected (3/17/24) .....\$1,442.00  
Adult Envelope Holders .....72  
Number of Adult Contributions.....35

*Please remember your parish with your investments, insurance policies and in your will.*



## Catholic Question and Answer

**Question:** What is spiritual communion, and do you need to be in a state of grace to receive it?

**Answer:** The practice of making a "spiritual communion" dates back several centuries and St. Thomas Aquinas described it as "an ardent desire to receive Jesus in the Holy Sacrament and a loving embrace as though we had already received Him." Traditionally, a prayer of spiritual communion has been used by those who are unable to receive sacramental communion because of health, inability to attend Mass, or who cannot receive communion because of grave sin. This practice has been encouraged by many saints and spiritual writers and most recently Pope Francis encouraged the practice when the realities of the COVID-19 pandemic prevented so many Catholics from taking part in the Mass or receiving sacramental communion.

Although the graces offered in spiritual communion are not the same as those offered in the sacramental communion of the Mass, this practice is still a powerful opportunity to express our desire for union with the Lord and to be united with Christ and the Church, even in an imperfect way. ©LPi



**MANY THANKS** to everyone who purchased flowers from our church during the Easter season—they are beautiful!

### **We have many volunteers which "magically" make things happen**

in our churches and we are VERY thankful for the time they share. However, we are always in need of more! It would be fabulous if each household would have one or more people to pitch in! Many of the tasks take place behind the scenes or don't involve being in front of large groups of people, and don't require a large time commitment. Please consider joining the ranks of our volunteers and keeping the load light for everyone! Not sure how you can help? Call or contact the church office, and Katherine can give you lots of choices.



### **Mass Schedule (April—June)**

Saturdays—4:00pm at St. Bartholomew (Villard)  
5:30pm at Sacred Heart (Glenwood)

Sundays— 8:30am at St. John Nepomuk (Lake Reno)  
10:30am at Sacred Heart (Glenwood)

- Trivia Answers:**
1. 613
  2. Because He is holy (Leviticus 19:2)
  3. Joshua and Caleb

## Mass Intentions

- Mon. 4/1**  
**Tues. 4/2** NO Masses  
**Wed. 4/3** NO Mass  
**Thurs. 4/4** 10:00pm at Villa † Gerald Terhaar  
**Fri. 4/5** 8:00am (G) - Special Intentions for  
 Kocher/Chaska families  
**Sat. 4/6** 4:00pm (V) † Lawrence & Helen Tasto,  
 Brian Skold and Carter Bremseth  
 5:30pm (G) - For the Parish  
**Sun. 4/7** 8:30am (LR) †  
 10:30am (G) - Special Intentions for  
 Steubenville Participants

### Readings for the week of March 31, 2024



- Sunday:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 /Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7  
**Monday:** Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7- 11 Mt 28:8-15  
**Tuesday:** Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-22 Jn 20:11-18  
**Wednesday:** Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-9/Lk 24:13-35  
**Thursday:** Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab, 5-9/Lk 24:35-48  
**Friday:** Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, and 4, 22-27a Jn 21:1-14  
**Saturday:** Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1, 14-21 Mk 16:9-15  
**Next Sunday:** Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31

## Event Calendar

**Wednesday, April 3:** Women of Faith Bible Study at 9am at Sacred Heart.

**Thursday, April 4:** Befrienders meeting at 2pm at Sacred Heart.

**Thursday, April 4:** Rosary and Adoration at St. Bartholomew at 4:30pm.

## Welcome!

We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you, celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God you are with us. If you are not registered, please fill out the form below and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office at:

**122 NW 1st St. • Glenwood, MN 56334**

☐ Sacred Heart • ☐ St. Bartholomew • ☐ St. John Nepomuk

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

☐ New Parishioner • ☐ New Address/Phone

☐ Summer Resident

## PRAYER CHAIN



Barb Kramber can be reached at 320-634-4788.



**Eucharist for the homebound**—If you are homebound and wish to receive Communion at home, call the church office at 634-3813.

**Hospital Visits**—If you find yourself or a loved one in the hospital, and would like a visit from a priest, please call the church office directly and leave the patient's name, room number, and name of hospital. Due to privacy laws, hospitals are not allowed to give out patient's names, making it challenging to know who would like a visit.



**Anointing of the Sick** is available on request. If you or a family member wish to be anointed before surgery, when in the hospital, or for any sickness, please contact Fr. Joe. He can be reached by calling the parish office at 634-3813, and if necessary, by leaving a message on Extension 20.

The Anointing of the Sick is offered at regular intervals in the parish and at area nursing homes.

**Baptism Classes**— Baptism class is required before a first Baptism. Parents expecting their first child should attend. For questions contact the church office.



**The Wedding Policy of the Diocese of St. Cloud** requires that you contact the parish at least 6 months prior to your wedding. This is necessary so that all the required steps can be completed in a timely manner. For second marriages, more time may be required. To begin your marriage preparation or for questions about the marriage preparation policy, contact Father Joe (634-3813).



**The First Instruction class** in the Billings Ovulation Method is the most effective, modern method of Natural Family Planning. To locate an instructor, visit: <http://omf.stcdio.org/natural-family-planning/nfp-class-locations-and-instructors/>  
 \*Note: Most insurances now cover the cost.

