



Saints by the Lake Community

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

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JUNE 14, 2026

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Youth Ministry Coordinator.....

Scott Crumb

Mass Schedule

Sacred Heart – Glenwood/Starbuck

WeekendSaturday 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 3:00pm

St. John Nepomuk.....Sunday 8:15am

Sacred Heart..... by appointment

Other times by appointment.

11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.” - Mt 10:6-8

PEACE

In a recent column I mentioned three concerns for the church. Very briefly, the connection between the problems in the Middle East and the Bible is presented in Revelation. There are many books which explore the meaning between the followers of Christ and the enemies of Christ.

Revelation describes what is an ongoing conflict between faith and secular powers.

The growth of anti-Semitism is due in part to immigration and the changing religious and cultural face of the United States. Non-Christian activists are often better at promoting their world view than we are as Christians. School and universities must do a better job of teaching history and how it has impacted the Jewish people.

As Christians, our history and world view is closely aligned with our Jewish brothers and sisters. We share the same origins, the same prophets and a common moral code.

What can we do to promote peace? Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give you peace as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid." (John 14:27 NIV)

The peace of Christ is different from world peace. Christ's peace is his gift to us. It is other worldly. Peace is what we cultivate in our hearts based on the principle that all people are created by God and all human life is sacred.

This core belief is highlighted by Pope Leo XIV in his new Encyclical. It is our belief human life should not become subservient to technology. Artificial intelligence should not replace genuine human contact and empathy.

God's Peace!

Fr. Joe



The Sedan Cemetery Mass will take place on Tuesday, June 30, beginning at 5pm. There will be a potluck meal following.

Bring a chair or blanket to sit on for Mass, a dish to pass, and then have a meal together following Mass.

Third Tuesday Adoration at Sacred Heart takes place THIS Tuesday, from 2-5:30pm. Come and enjoy this quiet time with the Lord.

Befrienders—there will NOT be a meeting in July.

Table Talk... What is the cross you have been given to carry?



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Sacred Heart is going to be 125 years old in 2028. That seems like a long way off, but it will be here before you know it! We will be adding on to the Faith by the Lake Book (published in 2003). If you have any fun stories or tidbits we might possibly add to the book, let Katherine in the church office know.

HELP WANTED!

CLASSIFIEDS

Please be seated—you can be THAT person who helps people find a spot to be seated, collects the offering, and assists in communion. We are in need of additional ushers. Contact Kevin Marthaler 320-491-1554

Preparing the Table—sacristans needed Saturday evenings at Sacred Heart. This person is responsible for turning on the lights, opening the doors, and setting out the items for the Eucharist before Mass, and then putting the items away, locking the doors and turning off the lights after Mass. Not to worry—there is a check list! It is a great "behind the scenes" way of being involved. If you are interested or have questions, contact Katherine or Fr. Joe at 634-3813.

Don't be shy—we want to hear you! St. Bartholomew is in need of more lectors to offer their voices at Mass. If you're up for the task and want to share your time and talent, call Katherine.

Looking for eligible men—The Knights of Columbus are looking for more members. They are a great group of guys, like to cook (you could hone your cooking skills) and provide positive leadership in our churches and communities. Contact Al Bryce at 320-808-1878

No degree required—we are in need of Religious Education teachers for the upcoming year. We need teachers for the afternoon classes (grades 1-6). Contact Paula Johnson if you are willing to share your time with the youth of our parishes.

Hummm... We are looking for more song leaders. It is a great way to share your talent and the perks are great! Reserved seating and looking out on all the smiling faces at church. Contact Ann at 283-6162.



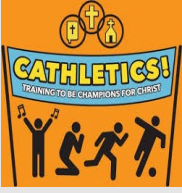
Many thanks to the Knights of Columbus for volunteering to water plants at the cemeteries!

Thank you to the volunteers who helped move water in the lower level at Sacred Heart on Monday, June 8!

And thank you to everyone who participates in Masses—right down to the people who are in the pews! It takes all of us to make it happen.

Faith Formation Notes

On you mark, get set...and go! Athletics is the theme for this year's Vacation Bible School. All the fun takes place mornings the week of August 17 (Monday—Thursday). And we are in need of participants of ALL ages (from 4-99). Look for more information to come!



Did you know...the Bible warns against “false teachers”? It does NOY warn you against ALL teachers, remember—just against false ones. The bible is talking about teachers who preach false things about God, reviling what they do not understand and in this way MIS-leading people. OTHER teachers are great because they teach you helpful things like how to read and write. Do you ever wish you had a different teacher? Most students do at some time. Maybe teachers wish they had different students some times.... Resolve today to make the most of your opportunity to learn. There is always somethings to learn in this world! Read 2 Peter 2:1-10.



The Directors of Religious Education

Paula Johnson and Sue Heidelberger, can be reached at 634-4828 or by e-mail. Sue: sacredh711@gmail.com
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Come join the chorus of voices! Adult Choir is looking for more voices. Adult Choir practices Wednesday evenings from 5-6pm at Sacred Heart.

Stewardship of Treasure

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

Sacred Heart Parish – Glenwood

2025/26 Weekly Collection Goal..... \$6,461.00
Collected (5/31/26)\$10,118.36
Adult Envelope Holders405
Number of Adult Contributions..... 81

St. Bartholomew Parish – Villard

2025/26 Weekly Collection Goal..... \$1,362.00
Collected (5/31/26) \$1,990.00
Adult Envelope Holders 65
Number of Adult Contributions..... 20

St. John Nepomuk—Lowry/Lake Reno

2025/26 Weekly Collection Goal..... \$1,400.00
Collected (5/31/26)\$1,039.00
Adult Envelope Holders 63
Number of Adult Contributions..... 19

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



Sin

Question: A member of my parish was recently arrested for a white-collar crime. I don't approve of what he did, but he is a great neighbor and a nice person. How should I treat someone like him?

Answer: There is a litany of expressions that fit this situation: Everyone makes mistakes. Hate the sin, love the sinner. Judge not, lest you be judged. All of these proverbs and sayings highlight the fact that we are here to help each other on the way to salvation. Our hope and goal is that everyone grows in grace, drawing closer to God and to the promise of eternal life. Part of that process is our struggle, collectively and individually, with sin. And that is the ugly part. Sin is not nice, pretty, or inviting when laid out for all to see. Nor is it easy for the person caught in the spotlight.

Kindness and support are not the same thing as approval. We recognize that good people can do bad things and in their struggle, they need the help of others. Our kindness is often the flicker of hope that allows someone to face the consequences of sin while focusing on the promise of redemption. Your desire to help and support your neighbor is the response of grace to sin, and the same response of Jesus to us. ©LPi

DISCIPLESHIP Are you being the disciple Jesus calls you to be?

Quad Do you take time to learn more about your faith? We have an opportunity for you! Discipleship Quad is a resource to encourage and assist you on your journey. We have a couple of these small group going in our ACC. Contact Paula Johnson (glenwoodsacredheartrel.ed@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining or starting a group or simply visit the website and start on your own. Visit www.dquads.com for more info.



Cemetery Decoration Reminders—

We allow potted plants in suitable stands. *Please remove any items such as shepherd's hooks, figurines, solar light stakes, or plastic decorations.* We cannot be responsible for the loss of these items. If they are picked up by the mower they may damage persons or monuments. Holiday decorations may be placed on the weekend of the holiday, but should be removed soon after. Help us keep our cemeteries neat and tidy by remembering to take home any items you are discarding.



Check out the back page! These are the people who make the bulletin possible.

Thank them by checking out their businesses! If you would like to place an ad, call 1-800-950-9952. The ad can be a shout-out to your family or community as well. It is a great way to support our churches!

Mass Intentions

- Mon. 6/15**
Tues. 6/16 9:00am (V) † Wally Rajdl
Weds. 6/17 8:30am (G) - Special Intentions for
 Patricia Caspers
Thurs. 6/18 10:00am (GRV) † Betty Lou Freske
Fri. 6/19 8:30am (G) † Don Kuntz
Sat. 6/20 4:00pm (V) † Marlin Ness
 5:30pm (G) - For the Parish
Sun. 6/21 8:30am (LR) †
 10:30am (G) † Roy Peterson

Readings for the week of June 14, 2026



- Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-5
 Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36-10:8
 Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-7
 Mt 5:38-42
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-6ab, 11 and
 16/Mt 5:43-48
 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24
 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
 Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/ Ps 97:1-7/Mt 6:7-15
 Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11-18
 Mt 6:19-23
 Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-34
 Mt 6:24-34
 Next Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14 and 17,
 33-35/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

COMING EVENTS

- Saturday, June 27:** Hot dogs, chips, and floats after the 4pm Mass at St. Bartholomew.
Tuesday, June 30: 5pm Mass at Sedan Cemetery with a pot luck to follow.
Monday, July 13: Knights of Columbus meeting.

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
 Moving, please remove from mailing list.



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.



Prayer Chain Requests—To start a request, please contact to Barb. Or if you would like to become part of the 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.



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. For more info or to register, contact Joan Jay at georgejay@hotmail.com or 320-589-4865. *Note: Most insurances now cover the cost.

