

# BORDERMISSION CHAIN ~ ST. JAMES ~ ST. JOSEPH'S ~ ST. JOHNS

Oct. 9, 2011

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



“The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son... ‘Tell those invited: “Behold, I have prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast.”’” — Mt 22:2, 4bc

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## MASS SCHEDULE— ST. JOHN'S, ORTONVILLE

### Monday - Oct. 10— Weekday

8:00 a.m. Mass - (d) William Kiernat

### Wednesday - Oct. 12 - Weekday

9:30 a.m. Mass - Northridge—(d) Donald Pillatzke

### Friday - Oct. 14-Weekday

8:00 a.m. Mass— (d) Ray Schriver

### Saturday - Oct. 15- Vigil of 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. Rosary—Elaine Martig

5:00 p.m. Mass - (d) Appolonia Adelman

**Reader** Tom Oakes

**Communion** Tom Henrich, Pauline Karels, Holly Wellendorf

**Servers** Matthew Wellendorf, Leo & Tagen Zepeda

**Ushers** Roger Marilyn Ketchum, Tiffany Mielitz, Bill & Marge Watson

### Sunday - Oct. 16— 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Rosary—Paul & Julie Treinen

8:30 a.m. Mass - (d) Judy Vedder

**Reader** Terry Gere

**Communion** Joan Hills, Joan Foley, Stephen Fonder

**Servers** Abraham Fonder, Samuel Fonder, Chris Parker

**Ushers** Gary Pflieger, Roman Karels, Lon Moen

**Offering** Adult-4177.00, Student-10.07, Plate-220.00, Dinner Donation 25.00, Education 27.00, Energy 52.00, Tuition 210.00, Roll/Coffee 119.00

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## MASS SCHEDULE -- ST. JOSEPH'S, ROSEN

### Tuesday - Oct. 11-Weekday

No Mass

### Thursday - Oct. 13 – Weekday

8:00 a.m. Rosary

8:30 a.m. Mass— (d) Bob Collins

### Sunday - Oct. 16 – 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 a.m.—Rosary—Joan K. and Dorothy A.

10:30 a.m. Mass— For the Parish

**Readers** Ed Radermacher, Dorothy Adelman

**Communion** Linda Sis, Kevin Rademacher

**Servers** Morgan Plathe, Megan Radermacher

**Ushers** Raymond Schuelke, Roger Sis, Greg Strei, Paul Volkenant

**Offering** Adult-1065.00, Student-9.00, Plate-102.48, Energy 25.00, Tuition 60.00

## MASS SCHEDULE -- ST. JAMES, NASSAU

### Saturday - Oct. 15 - Vigil 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 p.m. Mass - (d) Roman Spors

**Readers** Cathy Clark, Laurie Wellnitz

**Communion** Julie & Ted Trojahn

**Servers** Michelle Harstad & Ashlynn Wittnebel

**Ushers** Alan Roggenbuck, Tom Schuelke

**Offering** Adult-334.00, Plate-109.00

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## CHURCH COMMUNITY EVENTS

**St. John United Financial** will be holding their 3rd annual Basket Auction starting November 19th, ending December 4th where winners with the highest bids will be announced during rolls and coffee. Anyone wanting to donate a basket to the fundraising event, drop it off at the church office up to the November 19th start date. Thank you and we look forward to another successful fundraiser.

**Safe Environment Instruction:** on Sunday Oct. 9th and Wed., Oct. 12. 12th Students will receive Safe Environment instruction mandated by the Diocese of New Ulm. These sessions will be short and therefore regular class will still occur on those days. Parents have the option to opt out their children from such instruction if they fill out the proper form. More information has been mailed to all families. Contact either DRE for more questions.

**Senior High Youth Rally** at Hutchinson Senior High School, October 23 from 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.. Before Oct. 13 cost is \$18 for Grades 9-12, adults \$10. After Oct. 13 cost is \$20 for Grades 9-12, adults \$12.00. Contact Tim & Cindy Henrich for more information.

**Website:** We are still having issues with our website this week. We ask for your patience until it is up and running.

**Bellingham 125th Celebration** Committee is having a fund raiser on Sunday Oct. 16th from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at the Bellingham City Hall. French Toast, Sausage, Juice and coffee will be served. Everyone is welcome. Free will Offering.

## MONTHLY EVENTS

**Knights of Columbus** meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the church Library.

**Caregivers Discussion Group** meets the 2nd Monday of every month at 2:00 p.m. at Fairway View Community Room, Ortonville, MN

**Rosen Seniors** have a potluck at noon the 3rd Tuesday of every month followed by Bingo and Cards. All are welcomed

**Bowl of Love** meets on the 3rd Thursday of every month at 9:30 a.m. in the church basement. Mass is at 11:00 a.m., followed by a potluck lunch. All are welcomed!

## FROM THE DESK OF ST. JOHN'S DRE

**RE Schedule:** Wed. Oct. 12th, 7th-12th grade, 7:00-8:00 p.m. (Safe Environment Instruction)  
Sun. Oct. 16th, PreK-6th Grade, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

**Adults Class** Bill Hartman will be offering a class for any interested adults starting on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Classes will include the basics of Catholicism ideal for explaining our faith to non-Catholics or just brushing up. Contact the DRE to sign up.

**"Faith for Lunch" Adult Bible Study:** Next session - Oct. 12th, 12-1p.m. *John Paul the Great* by Peggy Noonan, chapters 10. All are welcome.

## FROM THE DESK OF ST. JOSEPH'S DRE

**Faith Chats** Tuesday Oct. 11, 9am chapter 8 *John Paul the Great*. All are welcome.

**RE Schedule:** Wed. Oct. 12th 7-8:15 p.m. 7th-9th grade (Safe Environment instructions) Sun. Oct. 16th K-6th 9-10:10 a.m.

## CONFIRMATION

**Saints Report:** Reports due Oct. 26th.

**Service Hours:** Help is needed in the Kindergarten classroom. Nativity statue activity in November will need help.

**Upcoming Retreats:** TEC—New Ulm/Oct. 15-17, SEARCH—Aberdeen/Oct. 28-30

## Shepherd of the Field for 2011-2012

Please remember these Sheppard's in your prayers and send them cards of support through out the year.

**St. Joseph**—Rev. George V. Schmit, Church of St. Mary, PO Box 500, Bird Island, MN 55310-Birth date: Feb. 10, Ordination: Mar. 10, 1968

**St. James**—Rev. Phillip Scotzko, Church of St. Peter, PO Box 522, St. Peter, MN 56082 Birth date: July 20; Ordination May 29, 1977

**St. John's**—Rev. Brian Mandel, 1112 Monongalia Ave. SW, Willmar, MN 56201 Birth date: Mar 22; Ordination May 28,

**October 9th** – **28<sup>th</sup> Sunday In ordinary Time**

**Sacrament of Penance**

Before all weekday Masses. Sat. at 4:15 p.m. at St. John, Ortonville. Before the 8 p.m. Mass at St. James. Before Sunday masses if time permits.

**Prayer Requests For**

Leroy Kanthak, Norbert Karels, Mary Bear, Victor Stolpman, Marita Schuelke, Kathy Kruiter, Jeanne Marvin, Al Vedder, Alishia Daily, Lorraine Pilatzke, Mary Beling, John Eneboe, Alan Roggenbuck, Rose Christensen, Virginia Karels, Mary Lawrence, Diane Helmer, Cortless Tracy, Bea Homan, Ed & Marie Karels, Dori & Albert Hoffman, Barb Kelzer

**Prayers for our Military**

Cory Barry, Ross Karels, Brian Pillatzke, Sean Callahan, and Joshua Beutler, Kerry Kuefler. Joseph Eustice, Patrick Eustice, John Eustice and Thomas Eustice from Mankato, MN.

**Diocesan Catholic Charities**

Of New Ulm at 1-866-670-5163 is now available for counseling including pregnancy counseling, marriage counseling, adoptive services, depression, abuse, anger, substance abuse, anxiety etc. Call Now.

**Wedding Preparations**

Couples planning to get married are asked to make arrangements 6 months before the desired date. Co-habiting couples, are living in mortal sin. Your chances of a successful marriage have dwindled considerably.

**St. John's Ortonville**

is in need of more ushers, readers & Communion Distributors. Would someone please apply?

**Marriage Encounter Weekend**

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is like autumn because it's a weekend full of fresh air, new beginnings and a time to rejoice in the beauty of your marriage and family. Upcoming weekends are scheduled for: Nov. 18-20 at Stewartville, MN; Feb. 10-12 at Windom, MN; Mar. 16-18 at Frontenac, MN and July 13-15 at Hutchinson, MN. For information and/or registration, contact: Jeff and Rondi Kodet at 507-644-3523 or jrek@redred.com or visit our website at [www.wwmeSection8.org](http://www.wwmeSection8.org).

**NUDCCW**

All Catholic women are invited to our Fall Gathering entitled Guidance and Resource. It will be held in 3 different locations. Region IV, will hold theirs, Saturday, Oct. 15th at the Church of St. Leo, at St. Leo. The day will begin at 8:30 a.m. with refreshments. At 9 a.m. the opening session will be held, followed by Share Shops. We will have Mass at 11 a.m. with lunch. Our speaker will be Linda Reising from the First Choice Pregnancy Center of New Ulm. All are welcome to attend. Registration forms may be received from the office or from our presidents. The ten dollar fee will be collected on the day.

**Public Square Rosary Crusade**

will be held on Saturday, Oct. 15 at St. Joseph Parish, Rosen, MN, and also at the Lac Qui Parle County Courthouse in Madison at 12 noon. The purpose is to stop the secularists from pushing God out of government, and public life. We believe that the intercession of Jesus' Mother Mary will aid us in this endeavor. Saint Louis de Montfort said that "Public prayer is far more powerful than private prayer to appease the anger of God & call down his mercy on Holy Mother Church with the guidance of the Holy Spirit especially in times of public tragedy & suffering." Austria had great success when they tried it. The Communist Army left their country.

**Catholic Family Services**

is available for help due to unplanned pregnancy. Counseling is free. Services are open for mothers & fathers of any religion. Dial 1800 – 700/7867.

**Thank You.**

Thank You goes out to Stan Adelman for donating a hog for the Rosen Bazaar raffle. It is much appreciated and an great prize to add to the raffle list.

**Polka Mass**

St. John's Catholic Church in Appleton, MN will be having a Polka Mass on Saturday October 15 at 5:30. A light supper will follow Mass.

***Happenings around our Parishes***

**Hospice Training Course**

Monday & Wednesday, Oct. 10, & 12, 2011. Lakeland Auditorium Health Center, Willmar. Call 320 213 4433 or 800 336 7423 for more information

**Knights of Columbus notes:**

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their Columbus Day dinner at the Ortonville Club House on October 9th at 5:30 p.m. All Knights and spouses are invited to attend. Anyone interested in becoming a Knight is invited to attend. Father Brian Moen of the Fargo Diocese will be our guest speaker.

**Lac qui Parle Hope Network Inc.**

Lac qui Parle Hope Network Inc. helps residents in LQP county by raising and dispersing funds to assist those touched by cancer. Applications are available upon request from any Board Member. For more information you may contact Suzy Haugen, chair, at 650-723-5816

**St. John Roof Repair**

After some deliberation with GAF Roofing Company, Hasslen Construction and the parish council, we have come to the conclusion that the present shingles need replacement. The church roof was shingled in 1999 with shingles that contained fiber glass. The fiber glass caused them to be deficient, hence the need for replacement.

A Steel roof was considered, however the cost would increase the bid by \$31,000.00 to a total of \$72,800.00. An all asphalt shingled roof comes to \$41,800.00. GAF has reimbursed us \$4,427.50 as stipulated by their guarantee for our present shingles. A steel roof is nosier, and due to the slippery material, can cause avalanches due to snow build up. A retaining edge would have to be installed as was done at the Family Services building here in Ortonville. Even then periodic release of snow on the roof will occur and can cause damage to people, trees or property immediately below. Added restraints would have to be added.

Immediate application is not possible. We are anticipating an early Spring completion.

**Status Report**

DMA Payments are due in October. Presently all three parishes are delinquent.

Ortonville - Goal- \$9,597.38. Twenty people contributed \$5,286. Presently we have \$18,311.19 in Checking.

Rosen -Goal- \$3,170.56. Sixteen people contributed \$2,180.00. Presently we have \$5,803.44 in Checking.

Nassau -Goal- \$814.06. Four people contributed \$125.00. Presently we have \$2,216.56 in Checking. The short fall on all three parishes will have to be made up from weekly contribution.

**Chancery Drive**

Ortonville was assessed \$176,693.87. Thirteen people have contributed \$44,353.00.

Rosen was assessed \$67,018.70. Seven people have contributed \$1,523.00.

Nassau was assessed \$16,550.02. Two people have contributed \$1,900.00.

This drive is a three year program, and I have no intentions of contributing from savings or Sunday Collections at this time.

Bill Maloney who is chairing this drive, claims that they have now received either by cash or pledges a total of \$7,007,499.00. Remember that half of this amount must be returned to the parishes. The goal for the project is set at 7 million dollars. If you wish to keep up with these events, simply enter [www.dnu.org](http://www.dnu.org) on the Web and select accordingly.

**Fall Bazaars**

St. Paul's Lutheran, Bellingham, MN—Wed. Oct. 12 from 5-7:00 p.m. Serving Roast Beef. Adults \$6.00; 6-12 \$3.00 5 and under Free.

St. Mary's Church, Chokio, MN— Sat. Oct. 22 from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Serving BBQ's, Egg Salad, Soup, Chili, Home made Pies, and Bars.