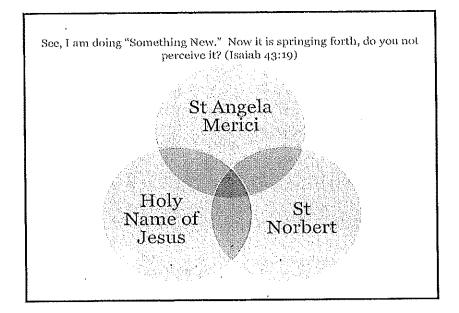
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HOLY NAME of JESUS PARISH

We Are A MISSION PARISH With A Mission

COME SERVE WITH US & COME PRAY WITH US

PLEASE GIVE YOUR HEALTH ON-GOING ATTENTION

We encourage our members to always value their good health, caring for themselves and the health of our community. We are grateful, always hopeful, and ever cautious about the worship and activities of our parish.

Continue to consult the **Parish Bulletin** for more specific real-time information as well as **current information** announced by St. Louis County and posted at the doors of church and parish buildings.

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CELEBRATING MASS & SACRAMENTS

Liturgy of the Eucharist

(Weekend & Weekday Masses)

Saturday 4:00 pm (CST) / 5:00 pm (DST)

Sunday 9:30 am

Tuesday – Friday 8:00 am

Holy Days of Obligation 9:00 am & 7:00 pm

Civil Holidays See Mass Intentions in Bulletin for Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays

2:30-3:30 pm

3:30-4:30 pm (Daylight Savings Time)

Day & Evening Times during Advent & Lent Weekdays Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 9:00am - 10:00pm

Perpetual Help Devotions

8:30 am—After Tuesday Morning Weekday Mass

Parish Rosary

8:30 am—After Weekday Mass

THE ONGOING PRIORITIES OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

MEMBERSHIP * PARTNERSHIP * STEWARDSHIP

EVANGELIZATION * SOCIAL CONCERN

Dear Brothers & Sisters, Praise be Jesus Christ! Welcome, to the Sacred Altar of God's boundless mercy and profound peace! As we remain steadfast in our mission to share Christ's message of redemption with a broader community, I am delighted to announce that this weekend, I will be celebrating the Holy Mass at the esteemed St. Norbert's Parish, as part of our *All Things New Pastoral Implementation Process*. Let us also unite in prayer for our Homebound parishioners, holding them close in our hearts.

Today, we reflect on the 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A, with a focus on Peter's Profession of Faith. In Isaiah 22:19-23, we see the passing of authority from one person to another, which the New Testament applies to Jesus. Romans 11:33-36 presents a hymn of the wisdom of God that surpasses our understanding. Finally, in Matthew 16:13-20, Peter declares his faith in Jesus, and Jesus promises to build his Church upon him, the rock.

As humans, we often seek to please our parents, bosses, friends, and spouses. We want to live up to their expectations and be considered good children, employees, friends, and partners. However, these expectations vary depending on the relationship. We do things for our parents because they are our parents, for our bosses because they are our superiors, for our friends because they are our companions, and for our spouses because we love and cherish them.

In the same way, we are called to consider our relationship with Jesus. He asks us, "Who do you say that I am?" Others may try to influence our perception of Jesus, but ultimately, we must come to our own decision. Our answer to this question has real consequences. If we say Jesus is our Friend, Savior, Brother, Lawgiver, Lord, or Merciful God, then our actions must align with these beliefs. We must be dependable, acknowledge our need for salvation, treat others as brothers and sisters, follow the right path, submit to God's will, and forgive those who have wronged us. Our words and actions must be in harmony. Have a Blessed week.

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HNOJ Evangelization Team recommends:

Two online resources for Bible study https://
lectorprep.org is aimed at lectors, but useful for anyone who wants to know more about any Sunday's
scripture readings. Gives the history behind why
scripture authors wrote what they wrote.

https://wordandchurch.org advocates for understanding scripture as written for communities (they were), not just for the virtuous individual. Helps church community leaders make decisions on solid biblical grounds. Appeals to those who want to know what their leaders are thinking, or should be thinking

Monthly Candlelight Community Peace/ Social Justice Vigil

Our monthly candlelight community peace/social justice vigils are held outdoors on the front steps of our church on the last Sunday of each month. Our next vigil will be held on August 27th, at 7 pm. In case of inclement weather, we will gather in the Church vestibule. This monthly vigil is sponsored by the Holy Name of Jesus Social Justice group, Justice Grows, and lasts 30 minutes. The purpose of these monthly vigils is to pray for unity in our community, to raise awareness of social justice issues in our greater metropolitan community, and to pray for an end to violence, especially gun violence. These vigils consist of music, a time of silent reflection, and group prayer. All are welcome to join us every month or whenever you're available to pray with us. We hope to see you on August 27th, 7:00pm

PLEASE PRAY for:

Bob Seidel Jr, Bernette Goymerac, Mary Masterson, Tim Downs, Cooper Treacy, John Baboer, Maureen Williams, Mary Williams, Al Haines, Betty Kondracki, Mary Lou Sammelman, Patty Corbin, Chris Deaton, Glen Marstall, Anne Marlowe, Dorothy Anderson, Joan Geerling, Carol Jones, Mike Swoboda, George Lawler, Phyllis Lawler, Audrey Corbin, Gylan Matthes, Marjorie Dubray, Colin Schultheis, Bill Oliver, Mike Coffer, Whitney Coke, Ken Ellis, Tom K., Carol Lawrence, Lisa Erickson, Mark Hayes, Karen Pilgram, Jacklean Thomas Dudley, Aurelien Akakpo-Lado, Donna Cahr, Rhonda Finney, Michael Mulvihill, Sr., Michael Swoboda, Katy Moran, Marty Bligh, Sharon Klein, Sr. Mary, Shirley Swoboda

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| MASS INTENTION | | |
| Monday | Aaugust 28 | |
| 8:00am | George Smith | |
| Tuesday | August 29 | |
| 8:00am | Gert Uhlenbrock | |
| Wednesday | August 30 | |
| 8:00am | Homer Zigler | |
| Thursday | August 31 | |
| 8:00am | Doris Drury | |
| Saturday | September 2 | |
| 5:00pm | Donald & Mary Simpson | |
| Sunday | September 3 | |
| 9:30am | Jerry Moore | |
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PRAYER CHAIN

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call Betty Kondracki @ 868-0176

Rest in Peace &

Please pray for the repose of the soul of John Lohman and all who have died this week. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.



Stewardship of Treasure

Your Gifts of Support for Our Parish Mission

| August 20, 2023 | \$4,261.35 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Online Giving (included above) | \$1,345.00 |
| Budgeted weekly offertory | \$8,028.00 |
| This week's <loss></loss> | \$3,766.65 |
| Budgeted weekly expenses | \$12,843.00 |
| This Weeks <loss></loss> | \$8,581.65 |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday

Is 22:19-23; Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-

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Monday:

1 Thes 1:1-5,8b-10/Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday:

1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 6:17-29

Wednesday:

1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32

Thursday:

1 Thes 3:7-13/Mt 24:42-51

Friday:

1Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13

Saturday:

1 Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30

Sunday:

Jer 20:7-9/ Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27

Lectors

September 2

5:00pm

Judy Mantych

September 3

9:30am

Judy Krenn



Eucharistic Ministers

September 2

5:00pm

Marilyn Gittemeier

September 3

9:30am

Jeanne Ayele GabbAovi

We will be holding our annual Trivia Night on Saturday,
September 16th.

We could use the following donated items:
Gift Cards, Bottled Water, Canned Soda (Coke, Diet Coke, Pepsi. Diet Pepsi, Sprite).

Please drop off any donations to the office.

The Holy Name of Jesus Men's Club will resume our monthly meetings following our summer break on **Tuesday**, **September 12 at 6:30 pm**. All men of Holy Name of Jesus, St. Angela Merici and St. Norbert are invited to attend. The meetings are held in the Parish Community Center (former school cafeteria) on the north side of the church building. Following a short meeting, there will be an opportunity for fellowship, and a light meal will be served. We hope to see you all there.

HOLY NAME OF JESUS CHOIRS \$\mathcal{I}\$

Do you love to sing? Consider participating in one of our parish choirs!

The Holy Name of Jesus Choir supports the singing of our congregation at one Mass each weekend and some Holy Days. Rehearsals take place in church on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. All voice types are welcome.

The Holy Name of Jesus Funeral Choir leads the singing as needed for parish funerals and Memorial Masses. There are no rehearsals. This choir gives support and consolation to grieving families.

Please fill out the slip below and drop it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. For more information contact Theresa McWilliams; tmacwms@sbcglobal.net.

Holy Name of Jesus Choir

PLEASE PRINT

Name ______

Phone Number ______

Email Address ______

Voice type (if known) Melody ___ Soprano ____ Alto ___ Tenor ___ Bass _____

I am interested in the Holy Name of Jesus Choir ____ and /or the Funeral Choir ____

ROAD TO HEALTH RENDEZVOUS

These Rendezvous focus on healthy lifestyle techniques that can easily be incorporated into our everyday routines. The schedule is fluid so that they are available to a wide base of participants. Anyone may attend. The events take place at **Holy Name of Jesus Cafeteria**. Our next two Rendezvous will be;

- Monday, August 28th at 9:00 am. Topic: How Much Protein Do You Really Need? A nutrient dense breakfast will be served. Cost is \$10.00 cash only. Please sign up by 12:00 pm Sunday, August 27th.
- Tuesday, September 12th at 12:00 pm. There will be an informational segment on Health and Longevity. A nutrient dense lunch will be served. Cost is \$15.00 cash only. Please sign up by 5:00 pm Monday, September 11th.
- Please send your name, email address, and phone number to Theresa McWilliams at tmacwms@sbcglobal.net.