

Third Sunday of Easter
May 8, 2011

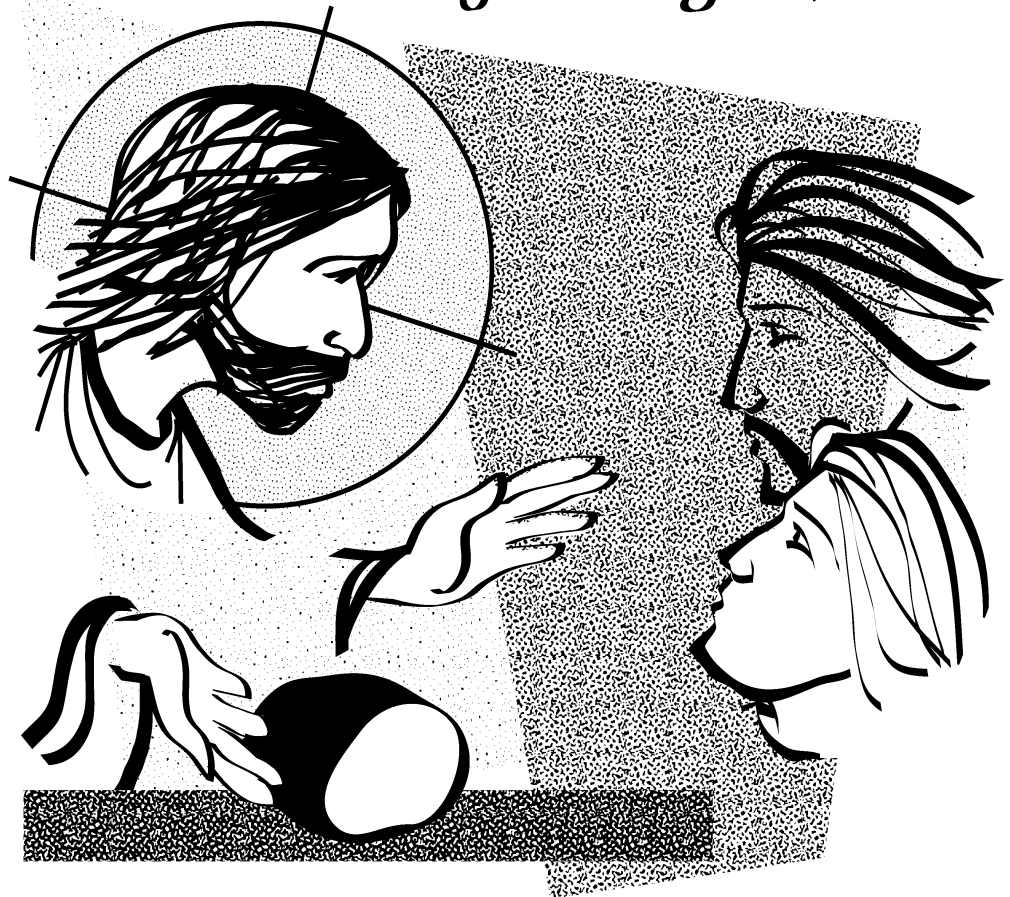
BAPTISM

During Mass on the weekends outside of Lent. If outside of Mass, Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with either Fr. Timothy Hall or Roxanne Kemper for instructions. Please call either the St. Adrian Rectory Office at (507) 483-2317 or St. Anthony Rectory Office at (507) 472-8262 prior to setting the date of the baptism.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements for Marriage must be made at least six months in advance. Your initial visit will be with Fr. Timothy Hall (507) 483-2317. Subsequent meetings, including theology & spirituality will be lead by Fr. Hall. Relationship skills and liturgy will be lead by Roxanne Kemper, Pastoral Assistant.

*when he BROKE the BREAD
and said the BLESSING,
their eyes were opened and
they recognized him.*



**SAINT ADRIAN
OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

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SAINT KILIAN**

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tues 8:30 am (L) Esther Loonan
Wed 8:30 am (K) Donna Metz
Thurs 8:30 am (A) Jake & Lauretta Scheidt
Fri 8:30 am (W) Fred Driessen
Sat 5:00 pm (L) Bernice Lenz
Sat 7:00 pm (K) Bob Kemper Family
Sun 8:00 am (A) Richard & Janet Klein
Sun 10:00 am (W) Parishioners

Word & Communion

Thursday, 8:30 am (L)

Sacrament of Confession

Half-hour before weekend Masses

St. Adrian

Sacrificial Giving – May 2, 2011

Amount needed per weekend.....\$3,844.00
Amount given.....\$2,043.00

Calendar Raffle Winner: To be announced next week

Ministry Schedule May 15, 2011: 8:00 am

Readers: LuAnn Oertli & Steven Berkenpas
Servers: Brenna Erlandson & Taylor Recker

Parish Finance Council will meet on Thursday, May 19, 2011 at 7:30 pm in the Parish Rectory.

CCW will be serving at the Nursing Home after the 2:30 pm Mass on Sunday May 8th. Lunch Committee: Joni Aggen & Ronnie Doherty.

St. Adrian CCW will meet on Wednesday, May 11th at 7:00 pm in the **Education Center**. Lunch Committee: Lori Weise & Jane Larson.

St. Adrian CDA Court Santa Maria will meet on Thursday, May 19th at 1:30 pm at the Education Center. We will honor our 50 year members at the meeting. Lunch committee is Carol Rupp, Renae Bullerman, and Linda Heitkamp.

Parish Pastoral Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 14, 2011 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Rectory.

Rental of the St. Adrian Education Building will be done through Pam Konz in the Faith Formation Office. Call 483-2480 or 483-2835 when you would like to rent

the building for family events, wedding showers and other gatherings.

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Sacrificial Giving – May 2, 2011

Amount needed per weekend..... \$2,106.00
Amount given..... \$1,233.00

Calendar Raffle Winner: Julie Balk

Ministry Schedule May 15, 2011: 10:00 am

Reader: Seniors
Servers: Kurt Christians & Jordan Bertrand
Eucharistic Ministers: Jack Slater, Kent Slater,
Carolyn Penning

Parish Finance Council will meet on Tuesday, May 10, 2011 at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

Catholic Daughters of Americas Court Madonna #839 will have their monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 10th, at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center Kitchenette. All members are encouraged to attend. Barb Springman will be serving lunch.

Pastoral Council will meet on Tuesday, May 24, 2011 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Thank you: The family of Kenneth Bohlke would like to thank all those involved in the funeral service. Thank you to the CCW for the luncheon, Totzke Funeral Home for providing the funeral services, and to everyone for the cards, food, and flowers, as well as all the prayers for the family. May God Bless You!

St. Anthony

Sacrificial Giving – April 30, 2011

Amount needed per weekend..... \$1,296.00
Amount given..... \$ 686.00

Calendar Raffle Winner: Betty Reker

Ministry Schedule May 14, 2011: 5:00 pm

Reader: Laura Lorang
Servers: Nick Lorang & Tony Lynn
Eucharistic Ministers: Mark Lorang, Roxanne Kemper
Erin Diekmann

Annual Diocesan Appeal for 2011 has begun and our parish goal was set at \$6,060. Please help us reach that amount by generously making a donation. Thank you to those who have already contributed. Additional envelopes are located at the entrance of the church.

The Rosary will be prayed Monday through Friday, during the month of May at **7:00 pm** in St. Anthony Church. Please join the Catholic Daughters as we pray for the many concerns of our community and the entire world.

CD of A Ct St. Bernard will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 11th at 7:30 pm (following the rosary) in the church basement. Lunch Committee: Mindy Kemper (chairperson) and MaryAnn Spieker.

Fund-Raiser: Please place your clean, aluminum cans in the wagon, located in the parking lot, for recycling. All proceeds go towards general maintenance.

St. Kilian

Sacrificial Giving—April 30, 2011

\$377.00 (5 envelopes)

Ministry Schedule May 14, 2011: 7:00 pm

Reader: Mary Brake

Servers: Joseph Brake & Cassie Fuerstenberg

Eucharistic Ministers: Rob Fuerstenberg, Kelli Brake,
Anna Mae Fuerstenberg

Weekday Mass will continue on Wednesday mornings at 8:30 am in the church. Everyone is welcome.

Congratulations to our High School Seniors, Tyler Fuerstenberg and Torri Jeffers who were honored this weekend at St. Kilian Church. We pray for them as they continue on their journey of life!

Spring Dinner Thank You to everyone who helped in any way to make our spring dinner a success. Your attendance and/or hard work is very much appreciated!

Annual Diocesan Appeal for 2011 has begun and this year's parish goal was set at \$2,450. Please help us reach that amount by generously making a donation. Thank you to those who have already contributed. Additional envelopes are located at the entrance of the church.

OF INTEREST TO ALL

The Great Adventure Bible Timeline is a 24-week Bible study for adults or older teens. Given by Jeff Cavins, this overview of the Bible has been eye opening for many groups of people. If you are interested in joining the next session, please call Roxanne at 47-8262. The location and starting date will depend on those who are interested in this study.

Catholic Charities Annual Appeal: This weekend, there was a special collection for Catholic Charities. If you forgot your envelope, you may drop it off at either of the parish offices. Thank you for your generosity.

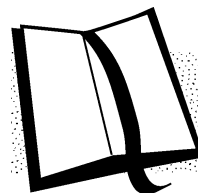
Registrations for the "Totally Yours (Totus Tuus) VBS program, held June 12-17th in Wilmont, are due by May 25th. There is a session for those going into 1st-6th grade and a session for grades 7-12. Remember to get yours in to the Faith Formation Offices in Wilmont or Adrian.

This is the last week for early registration for Steubenville North in Rochester. It will be held on July 15-17th at the Mayo Civic Center for grades 9-12. Everyone in our group needs to be registered by May 20th. Cost for the weekend is \$140 until that date- after May 20th the cost goes up. To register, go on-line to www.partnershipforyouth.org and find the register now button or use the menu to the far left of the page. We are listed as 4-Youth Group. Register to log in and then you can add yourself to the group. Please do it soon- all information has to be in by May.

Congratulations and best wishes to those seniors who celebrated baccalaureate this weekend at St. Kilian Church: Tyler Fuerstenberg and Torri Jeffers, and those who will celebrate next weekend at St. Anthony Church: Erin Diekmann, Sam LeBrun, and Laura Lorang; at Our Lady of Good Counsel: Duane Christians, Logan Neyens, Emily Penning, Natasha Slater, Trent Slater, and Shelby Springman; and at St. Adrian: Scott Banck, Zach Dingmann, Abby Erlandson, Brandon Feeken, Tyler Hornstein, Andrew Lonneman, Shaina Lonneman, Megan Probst, Cody Reckamp, Dru Strand, Spencer Wieneke, Austin Wolf, Justin Wolf, and Philip Wolf.

May Liturgy Schedules for St. Kilian, St. Anthony, and Our Lady of Good Counsel are at the entrance of church. Schedules for all 4-parishes are also available on our web page.

The Bread of Life Community Meal will be serving the following days in the coming month ~ May 15th from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. and May 22nd from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at St. Mary's School in Worthington. Please join us for a nutritious meal on these days - all are welcome! We will not be serving May 8th (Mother's Day) or May 29th, or throughout the months of June or July. We do plan to reopen the doors in the late summer or early fall, so please watch for further information.



Were not our hearts
burning within us
while he spoke to us
and opened
the Scriptures to us?

The ONE MILLION ROSARIES FOR UNBORN BABIES prayer event is scheduled this weekend. This once-a-year multi-national prayer event, which received support in the past from both Cardinal Francis Arinze and Cardinal Raymond Burke, unites people in praying the Rosary for an end to the surgical and non-surgical killing of unborn babies. Please join Catholics across the country in this powerful prayer and offer a Rosary this weekend or whenever you can. For more information, see www.SaintMichaelTheArchangelOrganization.org. You may register your participation in this event on this site.

4-Parish Music Planning is scheduled for Monday, May 23rd at 7:00 PM in the parish house at Lismore. We will begin to discuss Paul Turner's Booklet: *Understanding the Revised Mass Texts*.

Recycle your empty ink cartridges in the box at the west end of St. Adrian Church

What Are We Doing...?

On Thursday May 5th I went to a fundraising event for Pregnancy Choices LifeCare Center. The fundraiser was held in Lakeville, Minnesota, and Abbey Johnson was the keynote speaker. She is a former abortion clinic director for Planned Parenthood who turned pro-life after witnessing the killing of an unborn baby, which is abortion, via ultrasound at the clinic she directed in Bryan, Texas. She turned from spreading the wicked lies of Planned Parenthood: from telling pregnant women the lie that a fetus is not a child and the lie that no pain can be felt by the infant being aborted during that procedure, and other such lies. She has now turned away from disguising the truth about what Planned Parenthood does and has turned toward exposing the horrific truth of what abortion is and how Planned Parenthood is not about parenthood at all. She turned toward dedicating her life to the protection of those unborn babies who have been conceived and are now being formed beneath the hearts of their mothers.

Mother's are a great gift to the world. A woman cannot be a mother without children, and so, that makes children pretty great too. This is the goodness of life folks! Life begets life through the love of a husband and wife who have promised to care for and uphold each other for life. It is all about life!

The closer we move to Christ, the closer we move to toward the truth of love and the source of all life. Jesus, through whom all things exist, never holds back his love which is from God the Father. As Catholics we experience this love every time we enter into the liturgy and move into that "space" in time and place where we can transcend time and space for a few

moments and be in the presence of God. Abby Johnson, who is becoming Catholic, mentioned the liturgy first when she responded to a question regarding her decision to join the Church. The next thing she mentioned was our Marian tradition: "I absolutely love the [Catholic] liturgy", she says, "when we started attending Mass and started learning more about Catholicism, I realized it had been all the Marian tradition that had been missing in my life and in my faith."

Truth, love, life, Jesus our friend and Mary our mother; these are all sought after and felt in the prayerfulness of our Church's liturgy. As I said before, mothers are a great gift. By being with a loving mother who gave him life, a child grows and becomes better at life and is able then to share his gift of love with others. This is what we are doing when we enter into liturgical prayer: we are being with those who made us come to be in the beginning, protected us through life and will care for us at our most vulnerable hour. This is all part of what we are doing as members of what is often referred to as our Holy Mother Church!

Happy Mother's Day!

Fr. Timothy J. Hall

