

The Catholic communities of
Most Holy Redeemer, Ogema
St. Benedict, White Earth
St. Theodore, Ponsford

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Administrative Staff

Darlene Ballard, Secretary
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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, please contact Cindy Hulst, LSW, the diocesan Victim's Assistance Coordinator at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

Marriage: Please make an appointment to see the pastor twelve months prior than the intended date of celebration.

Baptisms: Baptisms are scheduled as we have candidates. Please call the parish office to register yourself or your child.

Reconciliation: Before Mass or anytime by appointment with a priest.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Our goals for 2024 are:
 Most Holy Redeemer - \$4987 Pledged - \$5170 (\$183 over)
 St. Theodore - \$1589 Pledged - \$1140 - (\$449 under)
 St. Benedict - \$1596 Pledged - \$2435 (\$839 over)

SUNDAY, MAY 19TH, 2024

PENTECOST SUNDAY

☞ Mass Intentions this Week ☞

Sat. May 18	5pm STT	The People of the Parishes
Sun. May 19	9am MHR 11am STB	+Marge McArthur +Bill Engebretson
Mon. May 20	NO MASS	
Tues. May 21	8:30 am MHR	+Elaine Reller
Wed. May 22	8:30 am MHR	++John & Elaine Zima
Thur. May 23	8:30am MHR	+Tootsie Warren
Fri. May 24	8:30am MHR	+Lorene Phillips
Sat. May 25	5pm STT	Health-Theresa McCullen
Sun. May 26	9 am MHR 11am STB	+Deceased-Milo Hoban Fam. The People of the Parishes

ST. THEODORE – PONSFORD

Rosary recited every Saturday before Mass.
Parish Council Meeting first Saturday, every month following Mass.

MOST HOLY REDEEMER – OGEMA

Church cleaners May: Colleen & Mark, Theresa & Bud, Tanya & Travis, Tracy & Jesse, Kami & Jerome.
Rolls & Coffee May 19: Group 3 to serve- Barb H., Merry, Kelly, Katie, Michelle H., Melissa, Linda, Margaret & Angie.

MHR PARISH COUNCIL MEETING-MAY 21 6PM

ST. BENEDICT – WHITE EARTH

Church cleaners May: Pat & Russ Hanson

MAY 11/12

Stewardship	M. H. R	St. Ben	St. Theo
Envelope	620.00	250.00	555.00
Plate	128.00	192.00	65.00
Votive		6.00	
TOTAL	748.00	448.00	620.00

"There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone."

~ 1 Corinthians 12:4-6

All of us are blessed, regardless of our own individual circumstances. God has given each of us many gifts. How we use those gifts is our gift back to God. For God's plan to work, each must do what we are called to do. Guess what? We are not all called to do the same thing! For God's plan to work you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do.

Pentecost Sunday



Pentecost is a Christian holiday, observed on the seventh Sunday after Easter, that celebrates the blessing of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus Christ, as mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 2:1-31). The day of Pentecost is known in the Christian Church as the day on which the Spirit descended upon the apostles. Guided by Peter's preaching, many thousands were converted in Jerusalem.

Second Collection this weekend for the **Catholic Communication Campaign**. This campaign connects Catholics with Christ in the United States and developing countries using the internet, tv, radio and print media. Your support helps spread the gospel.

YOU ARE INVITED!

Fr. Dave Super has served as a priest in the Diocese of Crookston for 44 years. St. Michael's Parish in Mahnommen will host a retirement celebration for him on Thursday, June 27th. 5:30pm Mass. 6:30pm Meal and Program. RSVP by May 31st at 218.935.2503 or stmikes@arvig.net.

St. Michael's School, Mahnommen, MN is looking to hire an elementary teacher for the 2024-25 School Year. Send letter of application, resume, credentials, and reference letters to: Mrs. Sarah Chalich, Principal St. Michael's School, 501 1st Street SW, Mahnommen, 56577 or schalich@stmichaelmahnommen.org ph. 218.935.5222 Position opened until filled.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes are held on Wednesdays at St. Ann, Waubun, September to the beginning of May. For information about our program or to register your child for the 2024- 25 school year, contact, Janet Lhotka at 218-473-2101. We wish our students, families, catechists, and volunteers a blessed summer.



Prayer Request

Anthony Cory, Christie Haverkamp, Kibby Sullivan, Charlie Ketchmark, Bob Johnson, Kurt Halvorson, Tom Doble, Gary Eidem, Janet Edrington, Bob Solmon, Mike Swan, Carrie Ann Penney, Norma Walgren, Harper Anderson, Patty Pachel, Charlie Stech, Jeff Larson, Dan Gendreau, Katelyn Lorsung, Bode Zima, Maureen Sullivan, Jodi Anderson, Violet Fairbanks, Jessie & Cherie Johnson, Buster Parker, Tony Parker, Chris Fairbanks, Carolyn Williams, Mary Stech, Germaine Riegert, Diane Johnson, Lois Bement, Mary Zortman, Richard & Mary Heisler, Dean Christianson, Dora Theibe, Roy Lattie, Jessica Leu, Aaron Moore, Von Borgrud, Tammy Noll, Special Intention, and all our service men and women, especially those who are actively serving overseas.

MAY – THE MONTH OF OUR LADY

The Blessed Mother was part of the incarnation, birth, first miracle, passion, and the death of Jesus and with the apostles for the descent of the Holy Spirit. You can't get too much of a good thing when it comes to loving our Blessed Mother. She wants nothing better to have us join her in heaven because that is what is pleasing to God. So the more we turn to her, the more she will be able to help us.

MEMORARE PRAYER

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that any one who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

50 years of marriage

Gary & Julie Jasken will be celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary next Sunday, May 26th @ Most Holy Redeemer. Please join them for coffee and cake after Mass! Everyone Welcome!