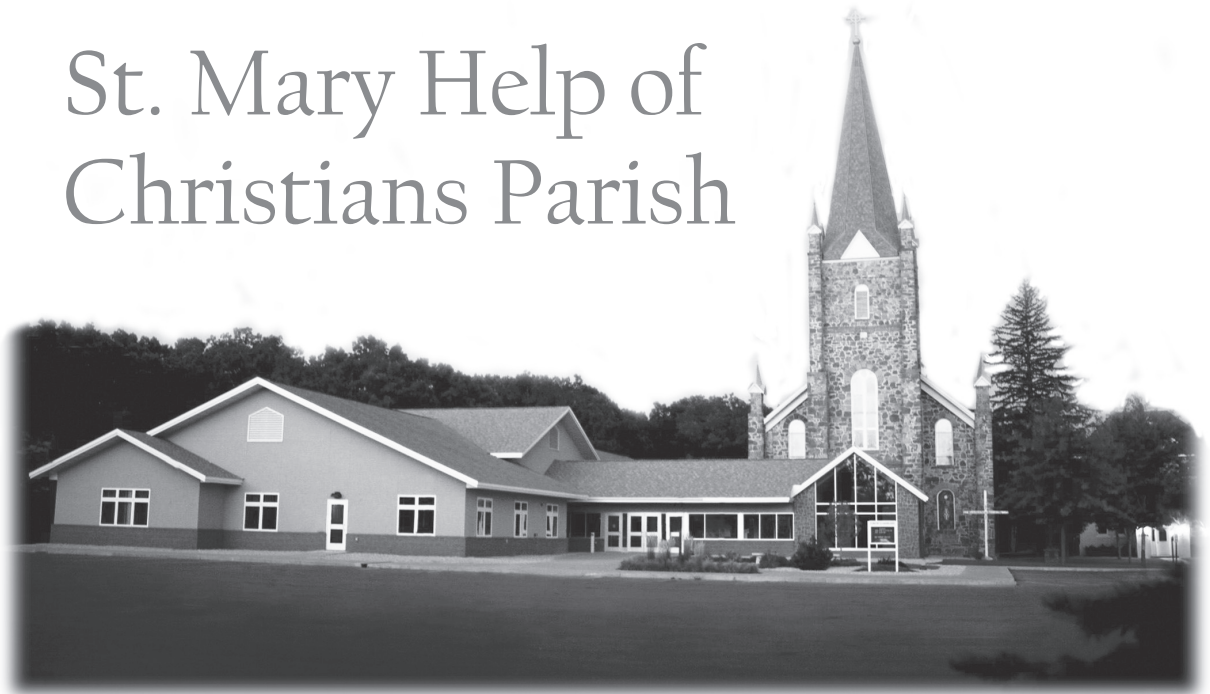


# St. Mary Help of Christians Parish



24588 COUNTY ROAD 7, ST. AUGUSTA, MN 56301

## MISSION STATEMENT

*We, the people of St Mary Help of  
Christians Parish,  
are called to love and serve the  
Lord through our lives.*

*Established in 1856, the church is  
the cornerstone  
around which we have built our  
community of faith.*

*We encourage all to participate  
through  
worship, education, and sharing  
of their gifts and talents.*

*With the strength of our families,  
the optimism of our youth, and  
the wisdom of our seniors,  
we strive to be advocates of the  
“Good News”  
as we continue to grow and  
change.*

March 2000

## PARISH OFFICE:

320-252-1799

**School:** 320-251-3937

**Website:** [www.SMHOC.org](http://www.SMHOC.org)

## PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Bob Rolfes, *Pastor*

Ken Roshia, *Deacon*

Sr. Lucinda Mareck OSB,  
*Pastoral Associate*

Bonnie Van Heel,  
*School Principal of K-6*

Nancy Meyer,  
*Parish Secretary*

Jan Minke,  
*Faith Formation Director*

Chelsea Terwey,  
*Youth Director*

Kathy Waletzko,  
*Music Director*

## WORSHIP:

### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass:

Sun. 8:00 & 10:00am

Sat. evening at 5:00 pm

Daily Mass: 8:00 am

Tuesday-Friday

## RECONCILIATION

Fridays at 7:30am and Sat.  
at 4:15pm or by *appointment*

## NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you as a new  
member of our faith  
community. Call the parish  
office for information.

## BAPTISM PREP

Sessions held 2nd Monday  
every other month.

Call the Parish Office to  
register.

## MARRIAGE PREP

Arrangements must be  
made at least 6 months  
before wedding. Call the  
Parish Office.

## RCIA “RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS”

Anyone interested in  
becoming a member of  
the Catholic Faith call the  
Parish Office.

May 13, 2012

6th Sunday of Easter

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

- Monday No Mass
- Tuesday 8:00 am Poor Souls
- Wednesday 8:00 am Evie Proell
- Thursday 8:00 am Frances Trobec
- Friday 8:00 am Tom Condon
- Saturday 5:00 pm Ray & Ruth Toenjes
- Sunday 8:00 am For the Parishioners  
10:00 am Harold Storms

**Readings for This Sunday**

- Acts of the Apostles 10: 25-26, 34-35, 44-48
- 1 John 4: 7-10
- John 15: 9-17

**Readings for Next Sunday**

- Acts of the Apostles 1: 15-17, 20a, 20c-26
- 1 John 4: 11-16
- John 17: 11b-19

**Servers This Weekend**

- 5:00 pm Ricky & Laura Klaverkamp
- 8:00 am Nathan Lintgen & Jake Levinski
- 10:00 am Ayanna Heaton & Shanna Voigt

**Servers Next Weekend**

- 5:00 pm Logan & Hayden Voigt
- 8:00 am Jack & Julia Massmann
- 10:00 am Sam & Sarah Zieglmeier

**Parish Support**

Adult	\$6,113.52
Youth	32.25
Votive Lights	70.00
Peter's Pence	35.00
Home Mission	165.00
Convent Rent	440.00
Parish Center Rent	50.00
Organ Restoration	1.00
School Endowment	1.00
Automatic Withdrawal	\$2,963.99

**Our Parish's Stewardship**

Last Week Regular Collection	\$9,077.51
Amount Needed per Budget	\$6,654.00
Over (under) budget this week	\$2,423.51
Over (under) budget YTD	\$15,804.21

**Banns of Marriage**

- I April Schmidt & Jessie Seib
- I Nick Lehmeier & Trisha Payne

**St Augusta Clean-up Day**

City wide clean-up day Saturday, May 19,  
7:00-11:00 am.

**From Fr. Bob:**

**Happy Mother's Day:**

A Blessed and Glorious Mother's Day to all Mothers. I hope and pray that this day is special for you and that all Mothers enjoy God's special blessings on this wonderful day. We ask God to bless all Mothers, living and deceased.

**Ministry Appreciation:**

We wish to thank all those who attended the Ministry Appreciation Night. It was great to see so many of you who are involved in various ministries in our parish, so we could express our thanks and gratitude to you for sharing your time and talents with our parish. Also thanks to the Christian Women for serving the appreciation social.

**Mortgage Burning:**

The weekend of June 2 & 3, after the Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses we will be having a reception.

**Farewell Celebration:**

Wednesday, June 13, 7:00-9:00 pm in the parish center, we will be having a farewell celebration for Sister Lucinda. We want to express our gratitude for her 6 1/2 years as our Pastoral Associate.

**Golf Extravaganza:**

Mark your calendars for August 16, Boulder Ridge Golf Course.



**Parish Festival - June 23 & 24**

**Bountiful Baskets** or money donations for the Festival Silent Auction. Call Diane Koenig 253-4110 or Ellen Zipp 252-0650

**Crafts, Fancywork & Plants** any donations are appreciated. Any questions call Lloyd & Doris Roshia 251-3326.

**Any questions or concerns about the festival call Festival Chairs:**

- Dave & Jean Neu 558-6642
- Greg & Kim Neisen 558-2333
- Tom & Cindy Zieglmeier 259-6696

**This Week's Schedule**

**Wednesday, May 16**

- 7:00 pm Finance Council Meeting
- 8:00 pm Parish Council Meeting

**Thursday, May 17**

- 8:45am Bible Study

**Next Sunday, May 20**

- Food Shelf Sunday
- 10:00 am Baccalaureate Mass & Reception

**From Sister Lucinda - Pastoral Associate**

**A Prayer for Mothers:** All-loving God, we give thanks and praise for mothers young and old. We pray for young mothers who give life and count toes and tend to our every need. May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy. We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us. May they continue to guide in strong and gentle ways. We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty or conflict. May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away. We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly compassion and care. We remember mothers, grandmothers and great grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. May God bless all mothers.

**Youth Group Events**

Summer Youth Group Event sign up sheets are in the back of church.

Any Youth going into grades 7-12 interested in helping with the inflatable's Sunday, June 24th at the Parish Festival please contact Chelsea. (NEED WORKERS)

**Nursery Next Sunday, May 20**

Bonnie & Lauren Hopke

**Condolences to:** Joann Janski and Ed Timmers and families on the death of their sister, Rebecca Timmers.

**Condolences to:** Wendelin Boeckmann and family on the death of his wife, Ruth Boeckmann.

**Thank you** to Jim Koshiol owner of ACE Rail & Fence for donating and installing the handrail for the sanctuary.

**Gussie's Amateur Baseball**

Today, Sunday, May 13, Pearl Lake at St Augusta, 2:00 pm

**Faith Formation - Jan Minke**

Avary Anderson	Bryce Knapek
Arianna Becker	Pavel Matter
Vanessa Brockway	Skye McCarty
Gavin Campbell	Ellie Oehrlein
Megan Dahle	Kamryn Oehrlein
Elizabeth Diehl	Kadence Reiter
Colby Faber	Chaz Steinhofers
Kiya Happe	Bryce Vasek
Allison Hayward	Halle Vaverek
Nicholas Jenniges	Mason Voigt
Megan Kiphuth	

Congratulations to our 2nd graders who received Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time last week end. May you always remain in Christ as he remains in you!

**VBS- Meeting for VBS volunteers Wed. May 16 at 6:30p.m. at church.**

All the Faith Formation classes are over for the year. Thank you to Wednesday night second session volunteers:

Char Darlington, Dana Laudenbach, Victoria Ashbrook, Patty Kronenberg, Shelly & Brad Gohmann, Becky Reiter, Deb Klaverkamp, Chelsea Terwey, Taylor Danielson, Tricia Voigt Jenny & Craig Brummer, Kim Laudenbach and Dan Minke. Your dedication is what makes our program work! Thank you for living in the Light and sharing it with our young people! Have a fabulous summer! See you next fall!!!

**Greetings from St. Mary HOC School...**

We would like to extend a sincere "thank you" to all who helped to support our Work-a-thon fundraiser by working and donating. Your time and generosity is greatly appreciated.

Join us as we celebrate the Eucharist as a school family at 8:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 18th. The students in kindergarten will be assisting with the Mass. There will be a special recognition of the kindergarten students' first year of completion at St. Mary HOC School.

Please take a moment to read the biographies of the Board of Education nominees posted on the Parish News Bulletin Board. Voting for new Board of Education members will be held next weekend, May 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>.

Please consider making a donation to the St. Mary Help of Christians School playground renovation project. Donations of any size are welcome. You may refer to this week's bulletin insert for details.

Peace be with you,  
Bonnie Van Heel, Principal