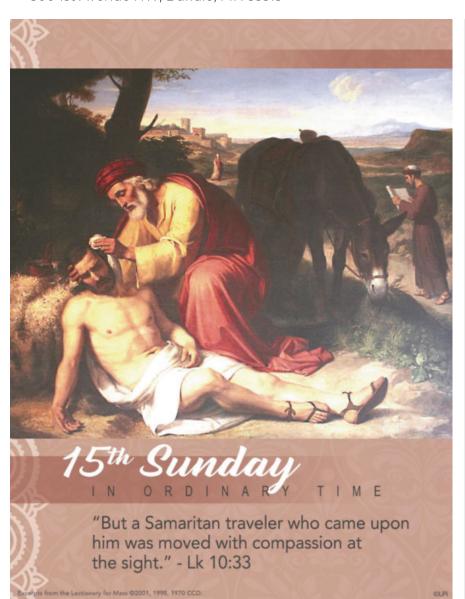


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NEXT WEEK'S DAILY READINGS

Monday: Is 1:10-17 | Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 | Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9 | Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 | Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16 | Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15 | Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 | Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21 | Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 | Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16 | Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5 | Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14 | Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a | Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a] | Col 1:24-28 | Lk 10:38-42

MASS TIMES

Weekend:

Saturday - 5:00pm Sunday - 8:30am & 10:30am

Weekday:

Tuesday: 6:30pm Wednesday: 9:00am Thursday - Saturday: 8:00am

CONFESSION TIMES

Tuesdays: 5:30-6:00pm Thursdays: 4:30pm Friday: 7:30-7:50am Saturdays 3:30-4:30pm

ADORATION CHAPEL HOURS

Tuesdays (9:00am) — Friday (5:00pm)

Located at the Faith & Education Center (219 19th St. NW, Buffalo) through the Parish Office Doors (Northside of Building)

SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Call the Parish Office to schedule

Sacrament of Marriage:
Contact at least 6 months in advance

Baptism Preparation Class:

2nd Saturday of each month 9:30-10:30am at Parish Office

Sacrament of Baptism:

First or Third Weekend of the Month Saturday: After 5:00pm Mass Sunday: After 10:30am Mass

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY:

If there is an emergency and you need to reach Fr. Nathaniel Meyers, please call 763-684-0075 and press option 6

FROM FATHER'S DESK

Father Nathaniel Meyers



While I was away on retreat last month, Fr. Bob Hart graciously agreed to cover the confessions and Masses for us during the weekend. Fr. Hart is a retired priest of the Archdiocese who currently resides at the Byrne Residence, which we supported through a second collection on Father's Day Weekend to help the facility with updates for its physical plant and to provide more possibilities for nursing care for its residents. I know that some parishioners contributed directly to the Byrne Residence itself through the envelopes that were provided in the church while others gave to the second collection. The total amount raised from the second collection itself, thus not including any monies sent directly to the Byrne Residence, is currently \$3,412.00 and I would not be surprised if the overall total was over \$4,000 from our parish.

On behalf of the priests who live at the Byrne Residence, some of whom I consider dear friends and mentors, I want to express a deep gratitude for this outpouring of generosity. Our parish repeatedly shows itself to be open to caring for those in need, whether it is our support of the Do Unto Others collection or people volunteering for the Buffalo Food Shelf or rising to the challenge when a special request is made of us. The retired priests of the Archdiocese do an invaluable service in helping provide the sacraments to people and their years of service have provided for future generations to proclaim the Catholic faith. In supporting the Byrne Residence, we have shown Christ's love to these men.

In an age where people are often encouraged to be selfish, it is heartening to see concrete examples of people embracing charity. As a virtue, charity is the key ingredient towards building a better society, for it most perfectly brings Christ's saving power into our world. It appears that our economy will be in rough shape for the near future, which means charitable acts will be even more valuable now as families struggle to pay the mortgage, retirees make tough choices between groceries and medicine, and young adults grapple with developing and maintaining a budget. As Catholics in this moment, let us each be an agent of charity to help people, whether financially or emotionally or physically, on our pilgrim journey.

In Christ, Fr. Meyers



Parish Mission: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you." — Matthew 28:19-20

Parish Vision: Out of love for God and neighbor, we achieve our mission by respecting all life from conception until natural death, professing the Catholic faith as received from the Apostles, sharing our gifts for the benefit of all people, focusing on the family as the center of discipleship, and celebrating the sacraments for the greater glory of God.

Parish Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30am-4:30pm Friday: 8:30am-12noon Saturday & Sunday: Closed

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STFX SCHOOL NEWS

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OPEN POSITIONS AT ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL

St. Francis Xavier School is seeking candidates for the following positions:

> *Kindergarten Teacher *2nd Grade Teacher *Middle School Math Teacher *Music Teacher *Technical Education Teacher



Details about each position and how to apply can be found on the school website, www.school.stfxb.org.

FAITHFUL BEGINNINGS — SUMMER S.T.E.M EVENT FOR AGES 3-6

Assisting Young Minds to Inquire, Observe & Experiment with Science Thursday, July 21st | 9:30-10:30am

"Go! Go! VROOM!": Join us to investigate, observe, faithful + beginning and experiment with building ramps and measuring how far our cars can go! Bring your own **S.T.E** car or borrow one of ours! Our STEM-focused hour of play will include a topic-related story time and snack led by Preschool Teacher, Mrs. Watrud, a hands-on science experiment, and finish off with playground time where parents



can sit back and relax! EVENT IS ENTIRELY FREE, however, an RSVP is required.

To RSVP or for more information, contact the school office at 763-489-9228 during summer office hours (Tuesdays/Thursdays, 8:00-11:00am) or go to the school website, www.school.stfxb.org, and click on the banner at the top of the page.

2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION

Schedule A Tour!

Registration for the 2022-2023 school year is open! Anyone interested in joining our preschool through 8th grade classrooms for next fall should contact the school office as soon as possible. Limited space is available in some classes. Registration materials can be found on our website or are available in the school office. If you'd like to learn more about our school, please contact the school office to schedule a tour at 763-489-9227 or email Alisa Louwagie. principal, at <u>alisa.louwagie@stfxb.org</u>. We would love to be your partner in the education of your child.





Summer Office Hours:

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 8:00 - 11:00am

Appointments outside of these hours can be made by calling the office at 763-489-9228

School Contact Information

Principal:

Alisa Louwagie alisa.louwagie@stfxb.org 763-489-9227

Administrative Assistant:

Shelly Barthel shellv.barthel@stfxb.org 763-489-9228

School Mission Statement:

In partnership with families and our parish, we foster discipleship, academic excellence, and the development of each child in the light of faith.

School Philosophy:

STFX School is dedicated to:

- +Fostering growth in the Catholic Faith.
- +Providing safe Christcentered environment.
- +Developing creative, critical thinking, communication and collaborative skills in the pursuit of true knowledge.
- +Promoting selfknowledge, generosity, and compassion to support the greater good.
- +Instilling a commitment to respond to the needs of others.

PARISH NEWS



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Idabelle Davenport
Mary Danielson
Joan Raisanen
Lilias Asfeld
Paul Fladung
Mary Ellen Klatt
Rick Briggs
William Schouviller
Irmina Holthaus
Janice Lee

Carolyn Havisto
Natalie Fix
Maya Anderson
Chris Larson
Joyce Kurpiers
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Mary Stevens
Judi Hall
Veronica Varner

OPEN ADORATION HOUR



Wednesdays: 3:00am

Contact Doug at 763-682-3277 to fill this hour, to be added to the substitute list or for more info.

HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT FORMED?

FREE Catholic resource for STFX Parishioners. Go to <u>formed.org</u> & enter our unique parish code: **07d3b3**



MEASURE OUR TREASURE TO THE LORD

July 3, 2022 Collection:

\$10,382.00

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STFX MASS SCHEDULE

(C = Church, S = School)

Mass Not Available on Mondays

Tuesday, July 12th

6:30pm (C) †James Weldele

Wednesday, July 13th (St. Henry)

9:00am (C) †Jennifer Fobbe-Brunn

Thursday, July 14th (St. Camillus de Lellis)

8:00am (C) †George & †Jon Lambrecht

Friday, July 15th (St. Bonaventure)

8:00am (C) †Albert Doll

Saturday, July 16th (Our Lady of Mount Carmel)

8:00am (C) †Chad Dehmer

5:00pm (C) †Jennie Buttenhoff

Sunday, July 17th (16th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30am (C) †Edna Knoblauch

10:30am (C) Parishioners of St. Francis Xavier

Mass Intentions are available for the living or deceased. To request a Mass Intention, stop by the Parish Office or contact Travis at: 763-684-0075; travis.nelson@stfxb.org

PARISH OUTING — MN TWINS GAME

Sunday, August 21st | Game Start: 1:10pm | Target Field

We have seats reserved in Treasure Island Cove. Game tickets are \$22 each (includes bus transportation from Buffalo to the stadium). Registration is due by Friday, July 15th. Ticket payment



is due by Wednesday, July 20th. Payment can be placed in Sunday collection baskets or dropped off at the Parish Office. Sign up on the STFX website, http://stfxb.org, on the top of the home page. Questions? Call/text Randy Bunting, 612-802-6974, or Randy Latzig, 763-286-4690.

WEDNESDAY FAITH AND FUN EVENT

Wednesday, July 13th | 9:00am Mass at Church Followed By Fun at Gartner's Farm

Grow in faith and have fun with your friends over the summer! Attend morning Mass and then head out the Gartners' farm.



Please bring your favorite yard games/sports equipment. All ages welcome! In case of bad weather, we will have an inside activity planned. Please Remember: Parent or caregiver must attend with child(ren), unless arrangements made with another family.

<u>Please Bring</u>: Tennis shoes, sunscreen, water bottle and lunch (if you plan to eat with the group).

Can't make it on July 13th? Join us on Wednesday, July 20th for Games Galore at the Grossman's House.

Text/Call Julie Miriovsky at 612-961-9027 for more details.

FAITH FORMATION — HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

All Groups Start on Wednesday, September 21st

NEW! Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Ages 3-6)

Montessori-based program; Child must be potty-trained Parents meet once per month; children meet weekly Orientation provided on Wednesday, September 14th.

Family of Faith (Grades 1st-5th)

Parents & children come twice/month at the Ed. Center Families have lessons at home the rest of the month.

Faith Formation for Middle School Youth (Grades 6th-8th)

Meet weekly at Education Center

YDisciple - High School Youth

Group of 4-8 teens (with 1-2 adult trained leaders) meet weekly, all four years of High School. Recommended that teens create a group with friends, but not necessary.

More detailed info. available on the parish website (Faith Formation of Children/Youth Formation page) or contact Debbie, 763-489-9224; debbie.gladitsch@stfxb.org.



PARISH NEWS CONTINUED

5TH ANNUAL PEACH SALE & 2ND ANNUAL PEACH WINE SALE

Orders Taken After Masses This Weekend & July 16th/17th Weekend

The Council of Catholic Women is partnering with the Knights of Columbus #6608 for this peach of a fundraiser. We are ready to take your order for delicious Washington Peaches and Peach Wine. To support the great work we do, please stop by after Mass to order or ask questions, fill out the form below (& return to Parish Office) or go to the parish website at www.stfxb.org and click on the Order Peaches link. Order deadline is Monday, July 18th. Orders will be received in late July or early August. The peaches and peach wine must be pre-ordered and paid for at the time of the order. Questions? Please call Wayne Shamla, 612-889-5370, or Lois Pahl, 612-532-8516.



2022 Order Form

The tree ripened peaches are grown by Colorful Sunburst Fruit in Washington, and are sold by the 22# case which is approximately 32 to 44 peaches. They will be arriving in late July or early August, based on their growing season.

We will once again be selling delicious wine made by Buffalo Rock Winery with our peaches from last year's sale. Each 750 ml bottle will be sold for \$15.00 and we know you'll love it as much as we do. We have a limited supply available, so they will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis.

Peach and wine orders must be picked up on one of the two designated pickup dates at the St. Francis Xavier Education Center at 219 19th Street NW, Buffalo, MN 55313. We will contact you when we know the week of the shipment and when our pickup dates & times will be.



If you wish to receive your wine order earlier, you may pick that up at designated times after July 4, 2022 by contacting Nicole Dietman at Buffalo Rock Winery at 612-597-2462. We are not able store orders beyond our pick up dates. If you'd like to place an order please complete this form and return. If ordering ONLY peaches, you may also place your order on online at www.stfxb.org and click on the Order Peaches link.



Questions? Please call: Wayne Shamla at 612-889-5370 or Lois Pahl at 612-532-8516.

Thank you for your Support!

Cut here and return the bottom half along with your payment. Please make checks payable to KofC 6608. Please return to the Parish Office, in the collection basket, or mail to KofC #6608, P.O. Box 402, Buffalo, MN 55313	
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Order form and payment must be received no later than Monday, July 18, 2022

AREA & ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS



BUFFALO FOOD SHELF OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, August 7th | 12Noon-2:00pm

The Buffalo Food Shelf will be holding an open house to bring attention to what the food shelf offers in an effort to prevent food insecurity in our community and to hopefully increase their volunteer base. The food shelf has continued to see rapid growth in families seeking help to feed their families this year compared to 2021. Please attend this open house! Find out more info. at https://buffalofoodshelf.com/.

HELP WANTED — PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER

Church of St. Albert | Albertville, MN

St. Albert's is looking to hire a Part-Time Bookkeeper in mid-July. For further details, contact Greg Gacioch at 763-497-2474 or ggacioch@churchofstalbert.org.

ST. MARY OF CZESTOCHOVA FESTIVAL

39th Annual Church Festival Next Saturday, July 16th | 2:00-11:00pm

Join us for Bourbon Pork Loin dinner by Hollywood Catering, kids games, live Polka music, country store, raffles, silent auction, bean bag tournament (starts at 5:00pm), and live music by The White Keys from 7:30-11:00pm. Mass at 4:00pm. For more information, go to their website, www.stmaryfestival.org.

APPLY FOR THE CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE

Local Satellite Site: Church of St. Henry | Monticello

The Church of St. Henry in Monticello is excited to share that they have been chosen to be a Catechetical Institute Satellite Site for the two-year Pillars Program beginning this fall—the Class of St. Michael the Archangel!

All those interested in applying are invited to a CI Promotional Day at the Church of St. Henry this Sunday, June 26th after the 9:30am Mass in the Social Hall. A Catechetical Institute representative will be there to provide more information and answer questions.

Accepted CI students will meet on Monday evenings from 7:00-9:00pm at St. Henry to watch lectures via live stream and also participate in small groups. Classes are divided into four 11-week modules with two Saturday morning formative sessions per module.

Applications accepted through August 1, 2022. For more info., call 651-962-5072 or visit www.Clstudent.com.

Put on the Shield of Faith, Embrace the Sword of Spirit & Join the Class of St. Michael the Archangel!

MUSICAL: HIS NAME IS MICHAEL

Performances: July 15th-17th Get Your Tickets At: <u>www.HisNamelsMichael.live</u>

The Catholic Order of Foresters Minnesota Agency is excited to present *His Name is Michael*, an original musical by Jeromy Darling.

Loosely based on the exploits of the larger-than-life Catholic priest Father Patrick Manogue, "His Name is Michael" explores the intersection of the natural and supernatural, set in Virginia City, Nevada, circa 1867. Shortly after the mining bonanza that turned Virginia City into the most important industrial city between Denver and San Francisco, Father Manogue, the only priest in the state of Nevada, would quickly develop a reputation as "Wyatt Earp with a collar", striking fear into the hearts of disreputable men and drawing respect, admiration and love from everyone he helped. "His Name is Michael" seeks to answer a question: what is your name?

MONTICELLO KC'S GOLF SCRAMBLE

Friday, July 29th | Monticello Country Club

Calling all golfers! Join the Monticello Knights of Columbus for a charity scramble event supporting Cornerstone Options for Women in St. Michael. This tournament will raise funds for an ultrasound machine for Options for Women. The event tees off at 1:00pm and includes: 18 holes of golf for your foursome, on-course games, dinner, great raffle prizes and a chance to win \$10,000 with a hole-in-one!

The cost is \$80/golfer or \$320/team. Register at https://kc6825.mnknights.com/resource/golf. For questions or sponsorship opportunities, contact Ben Roberg at 763-639-7167; ben.roberg@gmail.com.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD TWIN CITIES RETREAT

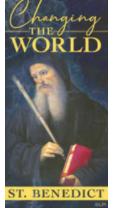
August 5th—7th | Prior Lake, MN

If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child or children to abortion, come and experience the compassionate mercy of Jesus Christ on our confidential weekend retreat. Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities' retreats are open to anyone impacted by abortion - women, men, grandparents, siblings and health care professionals. Please contact Nancy at 763-250-9313 or rachels@rvineyardmn.org. You can also visit their website, www.rvineyardmn.org.

UPCOMING SAINT FEAST DAY

Feast of St. Benedict | July 11th

Have you ever wanted to change the world? 5th century Europe was a dark place. The Roman Empire had fallen, and barbarian tribes were picking over the scraps of what remained. Faith hung on, but there was no consistent, coherent Christian culture in the world around. Young Benedict began his life with education and privilege but became disillusioned by a life pursuing material success. He withdrew to a monastery and spent



much time in solitude. He began attracting followers, whom he organized over time into 12 monasteries, with a 13th established to train young monks. He wrote a rule of life including basic principles for living as Christ. His monks took three vows: conversion to Christ, obedience to the local abbot, and stability to remain with the community. Benedictine monasteries became lights in the darkness, secure centers of Christian culture enlivening the faithful beyond their walls. When the world around us seems complicated and contrary to the Gospel, how will you be a light?



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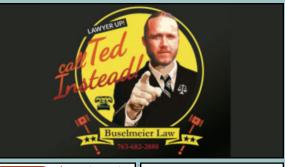
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