

**CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH P.O. Box 366 Grey Eagle
February 12, 2017 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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MASS INTENTIONS:

Tues 14 8:30 am † Rose Schmidt
Wed. 15 8:30 am Communion Service (MM)
Thurs. 16 8:30 am People of the Parish
Sat. 18 4:30 pm † Jeanne Wilbur
Sun. 19 8:30 am † Lloyd Berscheit

www.stclouddiocese.org
St. Cloud Diocese Web Site
www.stjosephgreyeagle.org
St. Joseph Parish Website

RECONCILIATION
Sat. 3:30 – 4:00 pm in G.E.

Bishop's Annual Appeal: This provides funding for ministries and offices to carry forth our mission. Your donations will be used solely for such things as TV Mass, scholarships for seminarians, marriage preparation, retreats for faith formation for our youth, assistance for healing for divorced couples, and much, much more. Please be generous in your donation. Thank you.

Fellowship after Mass on Sunday, February 19. Please come and join us.

Knights of Columbus meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 21 at **7 pm** in Grey Eagle. Please note the earlier meeting time.

The Reality of the Spiritual Battle, on Wednesday, Feb. 22 at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel Church, Long Prairie, 7-8:15 pm. All men, women and children ages 7 and up are invited. It is presented by Doug Barry, devoted husband and father of 5, founder of Radix and Co-hosts of EWTN's "Life on the Rock", has been traveling throughout the U.S. and internationally for over two decades addressing the reality of the spiritual battle. (See posters in entry) For more info contact Victoria at vbulcher@stmaryslp.org or 402-794-2100 WWW.battlereadystrong.com

Quilting Day. On Thursday February 23rd the St. Francis Sewing circle will be hosting a visitor's day. The day will start at 9:00 and go until later in the afternoon. You may come for anytime that you would like and stay as long or as short as you like. We will be working on various quilts throughout the day and even have a tie one or two up. A lunch will be served at around noon. If you have questions you can call Rosie at 836-2457, please leave a message if no answer.

Marriage Preparation Course for the Sauk Centre & Melrose Deaneries will be March 11 and 12, 2017 at Holy Family School cafeteria in Sauk Centre, MN. The cost is \$175. For more details call the Grey Eagle office at 320-285-2545 or email at sjoseph@meltel.net

Help Us Rally To Stop Abortions: "40 DAYS FOR LIFE" will be in St. Cloud March 1st to April 9th from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday – Friday. Our opening rally is Sat., March 4th from 10 a.m. till noon. Our closing rally will be Sat, Apr. 8th from 10 a.m. till noon. For info. call 320-453-7592 OR e-mail to judy4life@meltel.net

Thank you for your gift of \$106. to Catholic Charities programs. You may not know the names of the people you have clothed, fed, comforted, and loved, but you have made a difference. Your gift is appreciated and it will help our clients now, and throughout the entire year. Catholic Charities serves over 16 counties across central Minnesota, and your donation allows us to continue to help your fellow neighbors. We strive to assist anyone who needs a helping hand, and we are honored to know you value our work. Steven R. Pareja, Executive Director and Penny Casavant, Director of Organizational Advancement.

Coffee Fellowship: I would like to give a HUGE thank you to Carol Duke for taking over the OVERALL chairpersonship of the St. Joseph's Sunday Coffee Fellowship groups. These groups came about through The RENEW Program in the late 80's. Thanks to the groups for all your support during the last MANY years. Please keep up your good work with Carol to promote hospitable fellowship in our parish. It is SO worthwhile! Feeling Grateful! Marion Nohner

Welcome to new parishioner Deborah (Deb) Schneider.

Welcome to new parishioner Paul Theisen.

Faith Formation News

All Classes on Wednesday, February 15 at 6:30 pm

February 22, Confirmation Class and First Communion Retreat

The full Faith Formation Schedule can be found on our website www.stjosephgreyeagle.org

COLLECTION: Feb. 4 and 5, 4:30 p.m. 181 8:30 a.m. 160 Adult \$8844. Youth \$3. Loose Collections \$328.01
St. Cloud Visitor \$567=\$722. Total \$9,742.01. **Thank you for your generosity!**

Sunday, Feb. 12, 8 am to noon. Albany Legion Smorgasboard Breakfast at Church of Seven Dolors Parish Hall. Serving ham, bacon, sausage, liver sausage, blood sausage, scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, French toast, fruit, sweet breads and beverages. Adults \$9. Children ages 4-10 is \$5. Ages 3 and under are free.

Sunday, Feb. 26, 9 am to 12:30 pm St. Francis of Assissi Church Basement, 44055 State Hwy. 238, Freeport, (10 miles north of Albany, MN), Catholic United Financial Matching Grant Fundraiser. Sausage, scrambled eggs, pancakes w/toppings, homemade sweet rolls, beverages. All you can eat. Free will offering.

A way to spend an hour with Jesus: Say one Our Father slowly.