

CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH P.O. Box 366 Grey Eagle  
**July 30, 2017 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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**Mass Intentions**

Tues 1 8:00 am † Henry Notch  
 Wed. 2 8:00 am Communion Service (MM)  
 Thurs. 3 8:00 am † Kate Dolence  
 Sat. 5 4:30 pm † Mary Ann Vener  
 Sun 6 8:30 am People of the Parish

[www.stcdio.org](http://www.stcdio.org)  
 St. Cloud Diocese Web Site  
[www.stjosephgreyeagle.org](http://www.stjosephgreyeagle.org)  
 St. Joseph Parish Website

**RECONCILIATION**  
 Sat. 3:30-4:00 pm in GE

**Jonathon and Nicole Spaid** will be speaking next weekend about their work with FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students). Nicole is a former parishioner and daughter of parishioners David & Joyce Brinkman.

**Pastoral Council Meeting** on Monday, August 7 at 7:30 pm.

**Mass and Anointing in honor of St. Peregrine, Patron of those affected by cancer.** All are invited to Mass and the Anointing of the Sick service on Wednesday, August 23, at 5:30 p.m. at St. Anthony Church, 2405 1st St N, St. Cloud. All are welcome, especially those affected by cancer or other illnesses and chronic conditions. This is an opportunity to bring families, friends and neighbors together in prayer, hope and gratitude for the gift of Life. Refreshments will be served in the Parish Center following Mass.

**An awesome marriage** is not when a "perfect couple" come together—it's when an imperfect couple learns to celebrate their differences! Please consider registering for the August 12-13 Marriage Encounter at [www.marriages.org](http://www.marriages.org). You can also call 651.454.3238 for additional dates and information.

**Faster Than The Pastor Fun Run/Walk.** So you are confident that you can be DONE BEFORE THE NUN, are QUICKER THAN THE VICAR, can FLY BY THE FATHER or BREEZE BY THE BISHOP, but are you FASTER THAN YOUR PASTOR? Faster than the Pastor - St Cloud is just three weeks away on September 16! Race begins and ends at the Church of St. Augustine in St. Cloud. Register today at [www.fasterthanthepastorevents.com](http://www.fasterthanthepastorevents.com) before price increases to \$34.95 on Sept 5th. Fabulous faith based event for the entire family! Come physically celebrate our faith and journey to the cross at this vibrant and active event. Guiding scripture is Philippians 3:14, making the FTTP event distance 3.14 miles. "I will press on toward the goal to receive the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus." Finishers receive amazing custom FTTP medals, FTTP socks and an event t-shirt. Catholic Spirit Apparel & handmade Haitian iron crosses & a variety of items from Uganda and Tanzania will be available for purchase inside the Athletes Village. We hope to see you there! FTTP directors will be present at the Cathedral block party on Sept 9th - visit their booth for more information. Past participants have said "Glorious and celebratory of our faith and our family. Thank you for producing an event that speaks to our soul." [www.fasterthanthepastorevents.com](http://www.fasterthanthepastorevents.com)

**Spirit Choir** summer schedule Sundays July 30 and August 20. Warm up at 7:30am

**The St. Faustina Adoration Chapel in Sauk Centre** is open 24 hours, 6 days a week and anyone is welcome to come to be with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. All the hours have at least one adorer, however some adorers would like to have a second committed prayer partner during their hour of adoration. If this is something you can fit into your weekly schedule, please call one of the following numbers for more information. 320-351-6221 or 320-352-3977.

**Are you just a little fascinated by what life in a monastery is like?** If you are a single Catholic woman between the ages of 22-45 who can answer "yes" to that question, we invite you to participate in our Benedictine live-in weekend this August. Contact **Sister Lisa Rose** with any questions: (320) 363-7180 or [lrose@csbsju.edu](mailto:lrose@csbsju.edu)

**Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls invite the public** to the 2017 Green Fair Folk Festival on Wed. Aug. 2, 4-8 pm on west lawn at St. Francis Convent, Little Falls. Lots of family fun, etc. See flyer in main entrance on bulletin board.

**Cemetery Notice:** All flowers placed on grave and not fastened to the tombstone must be removed by June 30<sup>th</sup> by the family or it will be removed by the maintenance personnel. All flowers and ornaments must be completely removed by November 20<sup>th</sup> by the family or maintenance personnel.

**St Joseph Adult Choir** will sing August 6 and 27. Meet in choir room at 8:00 am for warmup. All are welcome.

**Automatic Contributions:** If you are interested in making your contributions to St. Joseph automatically through your checking account, please contact the parish office, 320-285-2545 or email [sjoseph@meltel.net](mailto:sjoseph@meltel.net)

**Found:** A silver bracelet by the north entry last Saturday after Mass. Please contact the parish office 320-285-2545.

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**COLLECTION:** Mass Attendance July 22 and 23 4:30 pm 252, 8:30 am 257 Adults \$2697.. Loose Collections \$812 Youth \$8.50 Visitor \$20 Peter Pence \$70 Catholic Relief Services \$25 Total \$3,632.50 **Thank you for your generosity!**

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**Sunday, August 6,** Church of Seven Dolors (Albany, MN) Annual Summer Festival. Polka Mass at 10:30 am, homemade chicken & ham dinner served 11 am – 1:30 pm, see flyer in entrances for more info.

**Friday, August 18,** Sauk Centre United Methodist Church Annual Salad Luncheon and Bake Sale, 504 Elm St. S. Advance tickets \$7.50 at the door \$8. Call Bonnie Nelson at 320-492-3782 or 320-352-2827.