

CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH P.O. Box 366 Grey Eagle

March 6, 2016 Fourth Sunday of Lent

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MASS INTENTIONS:

Tues. 8 8:30 am † Joe & Anna Meier
 Wed. 9 8:30 am Communion Service (JS)
 Thurs. 10 8:30 am † Steven Ostendorf
 Sat. 12 4:30 pm † Ann Checklund
 Sun. 13 8:30 am † Jim Blommel

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

RECONCILIATION
 Sat. 3:30 – 4:00 pm in G. E.
 There will be **NO**
 confessions on March 19.

Mass on Thursday, March 10 at 8:30 am will be followed with a Holy Hour. Stations of the Cross will be done during Holy Hour with Benedictions afterwards. Father will hear confessions from 9-9:30 am.

No Confessions here on Saturday, March 19.

Empty Holy Water Bottles? If you have any, please bring them to church and leave in the entrances.

Christian Women Booklets are in the main entrance. Please be sure and pick yours up.

A Lenten Bible Study will be held here at St. Joseph's on Sundays following 8:30 am Mass. Please come to the back meeting room. Everyone is welcome. (It will conclude on Sunday, March 20).

Minnesota FoodShare – this grassroots food and fund drive is the only statewide effort where every dollar donated goes directly to food shelves to purchase food for the hungry. Envelopes will be stapled to the March 13 bulletin. There will also be envelopes available at all entrances. Food shelves can stretch cash further than donations of food because of their access to discount products & programs. Please make checks payable to St. Joseph, as we send them one check for the total donated.

Chrism Mass will be held on Thursday, March 17 at 7 pm at the Cathedral of Saint Mary, St. Cloud. All are welcome.

Franciscan Girls Camp, June 14-June 16. Hosted by the Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls, and entitled "Faith and Fun with Franciscans." Will be held at the Assissi Park located on the grounds at St. Francis Convent, Little Falls. Girls who have completed grades 6-8 are invited to enjoy a variety of nature and fun activities, campfire, prayer and singing. Participants will have an opportunity to visit with and learn about the Franciscan Sisters and the values of St. Francis of Assissi. In addition, campers will discover their unique gifts and become aware of God's presence in their lives—all while camping outdoors in the beauty of nature. This year's theme is "Swimming In God's Love." For more information or to register by May 14, contact Sister Ange Mayers at 320-632-0680 or email: amayers@fslf.org; www.fslf.org

Our Annual Fish Fry and Meat Raffle will be held on Monday, April 11 at The Hub Supper Club. Serving fish, baked beans, baked potato, cole slaw, rolls, coffee, lemonade & dessert. \$9 in advance, \$9.50 at the door. Ages 5-12 are \$5, ages 4 & under are free. Please bring a pan of bars to the Hub that night.



Congratulations to our First Communicants

- Jacob Ainali...son of Josh & Nicole Ainali
- Abby Bueckers...daughter of Ryan & Alicia Bueckers
- Brandon Fuchs...son of Eric & Amy Fuchs
- Austin Goertz...son of Bryan Bjostad & Brandy Goertz
- Ali Hellmann...daughter of Paul & Amber Hellmann
- Shiann Holmquist...daughter of Jeremy & Tiffany Holmquist
- Caden VanHavermaet... son of Paul & Amanda VanHavermaet
- Madisyn VonWahlde... daughter of Mike & Rachel VonWahlde
- Aydree Wegleitner... daughter of Jay & April Wegleitner
- Noah Zinniel...son of Matt & Cynthia Zinniel

Incense – It will be used on Holy Thursday in Grey Eagle. Incense will NOT be used in Swanville on Holy Thursday. For Holy Saturday we will NOT be using incense in Grey Eagle, but will in Swanville.

Easter 2016	Grey Eagle	Swanville
Holy Thursday, March 24	7:30 pm	5:30 pm
Good Friday, March 25	12:30 pm	3:00 pm
Easter Vigil, March 26 (Fr. Ron Dockendorf)	8:00 pm	8:00 pm (Fr. Ken Riedemann)
Easter, March 27	8:30 am	10:30 am

Faith Formation News

Wednesday, March 9, Class at 6:30 pm and then Penance Service at 7 pm. Students will be saying the rosary after their Lenten Penance Service, bring your rosary beads if you have some.

COLLECTION: Feb. 27 & 28, 4:30 pm 148, 8:30 am 180 Adult \$2,827. Youth \$18.75 Loose Collection \$208.51 Visitor \$20=\$1,052. Annual Diocesan Appeal \$250. Total \$3,324.26 **Thank you for your generosity!**

Sunday, March 13 at St. Mary's Church basement in Melrose, BINGO at 7 pm. Cost is \$10 for 20 games. Cash & meat prizes. Free lunch includes sandwich, chips, pickles & dessert. Beverages are available for sale. No checks. Proceeds go to St. Mary's Mission Society.

Sunday, March 13 St. Mary's Catholic Church, Upsala Ham Bingo & Raffle at 1 pm. 20 games for \$5. Sponsored by Guardian Angel Youth Group, proceeds to benefit World Youth Day Pilgrimage and other youth activities.