

**CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH P.O. Box 366 Grey Eagle
July 17, 2016 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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MASS INTENTIONS:

Tues 19 8:00 am † Intention of Chris Grabin
Wed. 20 8:00 am Communion Service (JK)
Thurs 21 8:00 am † Glorine Raeker
Sat. 23 4:30 pm † Esther Pfaff
Sun. 24 8:30 am Vern & Aggie Frieler 65th Wedding Anniversary

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.

Knights of Columbus meeting on Tues. July 19 at 7:30 pm in Grey Eagle. It will be the installation of officers.

Appreciation Picnic – Come one- Come all. Sat. July 30 after the 4:30 pm Mass until 8 pm. Fun bouncy house for the kids!!! Parish provides: Sloppy joes, hot dogs, pickles, chips and beverages. Potluck: Salads or desserts to share. Hope all attend and help celebrate our Parish Family.

Fr. Ron went to Nashville to join the Janson’s and other musicians to record and cut a CD with old time, country, religious and other tunes. A great buy at only \$10.00. Proceeds go to the Poor Clare Sisters of Sauk Rapids, MN. Talk to Fr. Ron or come to the office for your purchase, or call 320-285-2545. They can also be purchased at the Sinclair gas station in Grey Eagle.

St. Bernard Cemetery of Ward Springs has lots of room for future expansion. If your family would like to purchase a lot contact Cemetery Superintendent David Bitz 320-333-7296.

Tour of The Divine Mercy Chapels - St. Cloud Diocese: The Melrose/Sauk Centre Deanery Council of Catholic Women will be hosting a tour of the Divine Mercy Chapels in the St. Cloud Diocese on Friday, Aug. 5, 2016.

The day will begin with Mass at 7:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Angels church in Sauk Centre, followed by a visit to the Divine Mercy Shrine at St. Paul’s church, also in Sauk Centre, where we will also have a continental breakfast. We will then proceed to the Shrine of St. Peregrine at St. John’s Abbey, Colledgeville, the Assumption (Grasshopper) Chapel in Cold Spring, the Shrine of St. Cloud, St. Mary’s Cathedral, and finally to the Shrine of St. Odilia, Crosier Priory, Onamia.

The tour is open to anyone, not only ladies. You are asked to car-pool and bring a bag lunch. You can join us for the entire day, or just part of it, as you wish. Out of respect for the generosity of the women of St. Paul’s, who are hosting the breakfast, we ask you to RSVP so they can accommodate all. To RSVP or for add’l info please call Irene Schmidt @ 320-290-1395 or Jean Zwilling @ 320-492-7069. We are looking forward to spending a "spirit filled" day at the invitation of Pope Francis in this "Year of Mercy".

Renew or rediscover your love for each other by attending the August 13-14 Marriage Encounter! Register at www.marriages.org. Weekends are held at Mt. Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington. Visit www.marriages.org for additional information or call 651.454.3238.

WANTED: BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 4-12 TO REPORT FOR DUTY IN THE A.R.M.Y. OF GOD.



(Open to parishioners and non-parishioners) **FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2016 FROM 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM & SATURDAY, JULY 30, 2016 FROM 1:00-5:30 PM** (Early drop off will be available, please contact the parish office for details)

The A.R.M.Y. of God VBS is **looking for Volunteers** to help lead Anointed Ready Merciful Youth through two days of Corporal Mercy’s Boot Camp. We are also **in search of any army related materials** that we might be able to use for games, crafts, decorations, etc. Please bring to the Parish office.

COLLECTION: July 9 & 10, 4:30 pm 253, 8:30 am 223 Adult \$2668. Youth \$2.50 Loose Collections \$1322.80
Total \$ 3,993.30 **Thank you for your generosity!**

The Pastoral Letter by Bishop Donald J. Kettler, (Be Merciful, Just as your Father is Merciful) had some questions for reflection and discussion. A new question will be printed every week. #9 What does it mean to say that the Church welcomes sinners?

Sunday, July 17, Sacred Heart Church in Flensburg, 12th Annual Bazaar. Polka Mass at 10:30 a.m. Gorka’s chicken dinner serving 11 am to 1:30 pm. Enjoy live music by Jerry Bierschbach and other events.

Sunday, Aug. 7, Annual Summer Festival, Church of Seven Dolors, Albany, MN 10:30 am Polka Mass, homemade chicken & ham dinner at 11 am, food beverages, fun and games, quilt auction. See flyer in main entrance.

Sunday, Aug. 28, Sacred Heart Parish, Sauk Rapids, indoor Polka Mass at 10 a.m. country store, huge garage sale, bidding baskets, BINGO, food, fresh homemade donuts, grand raffle at 5 pm. Something for everyone.