# April 2019

28	21 EASTER SUNDAY - Adult Choir leads singing at the 10am Mass.	14 Palm Sunday	7 Adult Choir leads singing at the 10am Mass.	Please pray for the priest who will be assigned to our parish.	Sun
29 Mass at 8am at St. Bernard	22 Mass at 8am at St. Bernard	<ul><li>15 Mass at 8am at St.</li><li>Bernard</li></ul>	8 Mass at 8am at St. Bernard	/ Mass at 8am at St. Bernard	Mon
30 Out Reach Mass at Ascension-6:15pm. No Eucharistic Adoration or Reconciliation	23 Out Reach Mass at Ascension-6:15pm. No Eucharistic Adoration or Reconciliation	16 Out Reach Mass at Ascension-6:15pm. No Eucharistic Adoration or Reconciliation	<ul><li>9 Out Reach Mass at Ascension-6:15pm.</li><li>No Eucharistic Adora- tion or Reconciliation</li></ul>	2 No Out Reach Mass at Ascension.	Tue
If you are interested in sharing your time to clean the church or the narthex.  Please contact	24 Eucharistic Adoration 3pm until 8pm. Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia	17 Eucharistic Adoration 3pm until 8pm. Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia Adult Choir Practice	10 Eucharistic Adoration 3pm until 8pm. Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia Adult Choir Practice	3 Eucharistic Adoration 8:30am until 8:00pm Adult Choir Practice 7pm.	Wed
Sarah Hammers at 612-385-5096 for more information and/or to volunteer. Thank you!	25 Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia	18 HOLY THURS-DAY MASSS 7pm. Adoration reading of Farwell Discourse. Incense will be used. Adult Choir sings.	II Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia. EARLY DEADLINE FOR APR. 20/21 BULLETIN ALL COPY IN BY NOON.	4 Mass at 8:15am at St. Joseph, Waconia. EAR- LY DEADLINE FOR APR. 13/14 BULLE- TIN ALL COPY IN BY NOON.	Thu
	26	3pm. Living Stations at Ascension. 7pm Liturgy Seven last Words of Jesus at St. Bernard . Adult Choir sings.	12 Mass 7:15am at Ascension. Mass at St. Joseph, Waconia 7am. Soup Supper 5:30pm. Stations of the Cross 7pm at Ascension	5 Mass 7:15am at Ascension. Mass at St. Joseph, Waconia 7am. Stations of the Cross 7pm at Ascen-	Fri
	27 Church: Kelly Starky. Narthex: Mary Lou Wildung.	20 Church: Judy Glander & Peggy Eiden Narthex: Hammers HOLY SAT-URDAY. 8pm. Easter Vigil at Ascension. Incense will be used.	13 Church: Jim & Carol Wickenhauser. Narthex: Victoria Arnst & Julie Clemensen	6 Church: Sharon Willems & Donna Cebulla. Narthex: Kooimen, Storms, Hammers	Sat

# THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

# ~APRIL 2019~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
PLEASE PRAY FOR REV. JOE FINK OUR PAROCHIAL VICAR	_	2_REV. STAN MADER OUR PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRAT OR	PAUL SHOVELAIN	4 REV. PASCAL SIBEN	5 REV. MARTIN SIEBEN- ALER	6 REV. JOHN SIEBEN- ALER
7 REV. THOMAS SIEG	8 REV. EARL SIMONSON	9 REV. ROBERT SIPE	10 REV. ANTHONY SKARIA CFIC	<u>II</u> REV. MICHAEL SKLUZACEK	12 REV. GREGORY SKRYPEK	13 REV. STANLEY SLEDZ
14 REV. MICHAEL SLUSSER	15 REV. DAVID SMITH	16 REV. LARRY SNYDER	17 REV. SOLOMON SOABIL	I8 REV. WALTER SOCHACKI	19 REV. JAMES SPAHN OP	20 REV. SCOTT STEIN- KERCHNER OP
21 REV. JAMES STILES	22 REV. WILLIAM STOLZMAN	23 REV. MARK STOPPEL- WASINGER	24 REV. ANDREW STUEVE	25 REV. MICHAEL SULLIVAN	26 REV. RALPH TALBOT	27 REV. HAROLD TASTO
28. REV. EUGENE THEISEN	29 REV. BRANDON THEISEN	30 ABP. BERNARD HEBDA	PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PRIES WHO WILL BE ASSIGNED TO OUR PARISH	TFor subsequent months or extra copies call or write	Frank Renshaw 2450 Merrimac Lane N Plymouth MN 55447-2118	Phone: 763-473-4096 Email: frenshaw@ hnoj.org

# WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

# PRAYER SUGGESTION

O Jesus, I pray for your faithful and fervent priests; For your unfaithful and tepid priests; For your priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields. For your tempted priests; For your lonely and desolate priests; For the souls of your priests in Purgatory. But above all, I recommend to you priests dearest to me. The priest who baptized me; the priests who absolved me from my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Your Body and Blood in Holy communion; The priests who taught and instructed me; All the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way (especially...). Jesus, keep them all close to your heart, and bless them abundantly in time and in eternity. Amen.

FOR VOCATIONS: Father we trust you to call others to the priesthood to continue your work in our Archdiocese

# Archdiocesan Bulletin Announcements – April 2019

# Giving Insights Forum: The Catholic Response to Immigration

Tuesday, April 9, 6 – 8:30 p.m. at Pax Christi Catholic Community, Eden Prairie.

Hear the "Pope's favorite nun," Sister Norma Pimentel, M.J., talk about her work welcoming immigrants crossing the U.S.-Mexico border. A moderated panel discussion will follow, featuring Archbishop Hebda, Father Warren Sazama, S.J. of St. Thomas More parish, an immigration lawyer, and more. Hosted by the Catholic Community Foundation. <a href="https://www.paxchristi.com">www.paxchristi.com</a>.

### **Holy Hour for Vocations**

# Tuesday, April 9, 7-8 p.m., St. Maximilian Kolbe (St. Peter Campus), Delano

All people of the Archdiocese are invited to participate in the Holy Hours for Vocations. Each month, the event will take place at another parish in the Archdiocese. Come spend an hour with Jesus each month to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, consecrated life and diaconate. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at 651-962-6890 or visit **10000vocations.org**.

# Friday evening Lenten Lecture Series

Fridays, through April 12, 7 p.m., St. Agnes, 535 Thomas Ave., St. Paul.

This year's theme—"Great Spiritual Doctors of the Church"—features presentations on six masters of the Catholic interior life and how they contribute to the Church's understanding of the spiritual life of the faithful. Free and open to the public. Light refreshments served. For more information about the Saints and speakers, please visit churchofsaintagnes.org.

# Charismata will meet April 12: 8-10 p.m. at St. John the Baptist, 835 2nd Ave. NW, New Brighton.

Charismata in Greek is the plural of Charism, which means gift or grace from God. Charismata is a time of prayer where the abundance of God's gifts and graces are poured out onto His people. There will be time to encounter the Lord more deeply in prayer through Praise and Worship, Adoration, and prayer team ministry. <a href="http://www.stjohnnb.com/">http://www.stjohnnb.com/</a>.

# 40 Days for Life Twin Cities Lent 2019

Through April 14, 6 a.m. – 6 p.m., Sidewalk/Planned Parenthood, 671 Vandalia St., St. Paul.

Pro-Life Action Ministries invites all to join us in this international movement of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil and community outreach to end abortion. Please register at <a href="https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/st-paul/">https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/st-paul/</a> or contact <a href="mailto:brian.walker@plam.org">brian.walker@plam.org</a> or 651-797-6363.

# Good Friday Holy Land Collection: April 19, 2019

Pope Francis has asked us to help Christians in the Middle East through a parish collection for the Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land. This collection aids the Church in nourishing parishes, providing support for Catholic schools, offering religious education, and providing food and housing for the poor. Donations also help in maintaining important Holy Land shrines of the Catholic faith. This year because of wars, unrest and instability in the Holy Land, including Syria, a portion of the overall collection will be designated for our archdiocesan relationship with the Archeparchy (Archdiocese) of Damascus to help with humanitarian aid and rebuilding the Church. Join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. Please be as generous as you are able! For more information, contact Mickey Friesen at friesenm@archspm.org.

# Relevant Radio® to honor Archbishop Bernard Hebda at the Christ Brings Hope Banquet

Friday, April 26 at JW Marriott – Mall of America, Bloomington. 6 p.m. Social Hour, 7 p.m. Dinner. All are cordially invited to join Relevant Radio Executive Director Father Francis Hoffman ("Father Rocky") and show hosts Patrick Madrid and Father Richard Simon, along with special guest Bishop Andrew Cozzens, as we honor Archbishop Bernard Hebda at the Eighth Annual Christ Brings Hope Banquet. This festive evening will benefit the mission of Relevant Radio here in the Archdiocese as well as in other markets across the country. Matching funds are also available for Twin Cities Catholic schools (K-12), thanks to an anonymous benefactor. To register, visit <a href="https://relevantradio.com/events/minnesota/christ-brings-hope-twin-cities/">https://relevantradio.com/events/minnesota/christ-brings-hope-twin-cities/</a> or call Mary May at 612-643-4117.

# **Catholic Watchmen Rally**

# Thursday, May 2, 6:30 - 9 p.m., Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Robbinsdale

Men are invited to the Catholic Watchmen Rally. The evening includes Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation and dinner. Bishop Andrew Cozzens will present on the soon to be canonized Blessed John Henry Newman, "Christ calls men to be perfect. Is it possible?" Cost is FREE (\$10 suggested donation). Questions? Contact Enzo Randazzo at <a href="mailto:randazzov@archspm.org">randazzov@archspm.org</a> or 651-291-4483.

# 87<sup>th</sup> ACCW Convention: Missionary Disciples Reflecting Gods Joy

# May 3-4, 2019, St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Eagan

Join the Saint Paul and Minneapolis Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (ACCW) for their annual convention. The event includes Mass with Archbishop Hebda, silent auction, marketplace, Friday evening banquet, awards, orientation, entertainment and more! For more information visit archspm.org.

### Home for the Summer

# June 15-August 10, 2019

"Home for the Summer" is a Catholic summer household experience for women who are interested in discerning their vocation while living in community for 8 weeks. This summer program is for women who are college age up to 27. Applications are NOW being taken. Please see <a href="www.10000vocations.org">www.10000vocations.org</a> for more information.

# **Quo Vadis Youth Vocation Camps**

July 21 – 24, 2019

# Donrovin Retreat Center, Marine on St. Croix, MN

Quo Vadis is a camp experience for youth ages 14-17 to learn that nothing is more important than discovering God's will for your life – and living it! Quo Vadis begins on Sunday, July 21 with 4 p.m. registration, followed by 5 p.m. Sunday Mass and concludes on Wednesday at 1 p.m. The camp includes Mass, prayer, campfires, talks, field trips to visit religious communities, confession, rosary along with lots of outdoor camp fun and recreation! Space is limited. For more information and to register, visit www.10000vocations.org

# Discover the plan that will transform your work, your marriage, your family, your community... your life!

This fall, the **Archbishop Flynn Catechetical Institute** will begin another two-year course at Mary, Mother of the Church in Burnsville. Taught by some of the best instructors in the Twin Cities, such as Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Jeff Cavins, Deacon Joe Michalak, Fr.John Klockeman, Dr. Todd Flanders, Christina Smith, Liz Kelly, and more, the program follows the four pillars of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* and will make sense of all things Catholic, deepen your faith, and lay out the roadmap to heaven.

The classes are divided into four eleven-week modules and meet on Monday evenings, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., with two Saturday morning formative sessions per module. Applications are now being accepted through July 1, 2019, for the class beginning in September. For more information and an application visit <a href="https://www.Clstudent.com">www.Clstudent.com</a> or call (651) 962-5072.

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### Quote for the week:

"The reason birds can fly and we can't is simply because they have perfect faith, for to have faith is to have wings." --J.M. Barrie

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