August 11, 2019 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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From Father Kasel

Praised be Jesus Christ through Mary!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

This coming Thursday, August 15, we celebrate the Dogma and Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Heaven. This Solemnity is a Holy Day of Obligation, meaning that all Catholics are obliged to attend Holy Mass either at the vigil (night before) or on the day of the Solemnity. Please see the Holy Mass schedule for the Solemnity in this bulletin.

Here is what the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) teaches us about this great event that took place in the first century:

"Since the Virgin Mary's role in the mystery of Christ and the Spirit has been treated, it is fitting now to consider her place in the mystery of the Church. "The Virgin Mary . . . is acknowledged and honored as being truly the Mother of God and of the redeemer. . . . She is 'clearly the mother of the members of Christ' . . . since she has by her charity joined in bringing about the birth of believers in the Church, who are members of its head." (Lumen Gentium 53) "Mary, Mother of Christ, Mother of the Church." (Paul VI, Discourse, November 21, 1964)

Mary's role in the Church is inseparable from her union with Christ and flows directly from it. "This union of the mother with the Son in the work of salvation is made manifest from the time of Christ's virginal conception up to his death"; (Lumen Gentium 57) it is made manifest above all at the hour of his Passion:

Thus the Blessed Virgin advanced in her pilgrimage of faith, and faithfully persevered in her union with her Son unto the cross. There she stood, in keeping with the divine plan, enduring with her only begotten Son the intensity of his suffering, joining herself with his sacrifice in her mother's heart, and lovingly consenting to the immolation of this victim, born of her: to be given, by the same Christ Jesus dying on the cross, as a mother to his disciple, with these words: "Woman, behold your son." (Lumen Gentium 58; see John 19:26-27) After her Son's Ascension, Mary "aided the beginnings of the Church by her prayers." (Lumen Gentium 69) In her association with the apostles and several women, "we also see Mary by her prayers imploring the gift of the Spirit, who had already overshadowed her in the Annunciation." (Lumen Gentium 59)

"Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death." (LG 59; see Pius XII, Munificentissimus Deus (1950); see Revelation 19:16) The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians: In giving birth you kept your virginity; in your Dormition you did not leave the world, O Mother of God, but were joined to the source of Life. You conceived the living God and, by your prayers, will deliver our souls from death. (Byzantine Liturgy, Troparion, Feast of the Dormition, August 15th)

By her complete adherence to the Father's will, to his Son's redemptive work, and to every prompting of the Holy Spirit, the Virgin Mary is the Church's model of faith and charity. Thus she is a (cont. on pg. 4)

Welcome to the Churches of

St. Paul &

We are happy that you are here! If you are new to our parishes, please call or stop at the Parish Office. We would love to meet you and answer any questions that you might have!

SACRAMENTS

Confession - Saturday 4:15pm at St. Michael; Sunday 8:25am at St. Paul and 8:00am before daily weekday Holy Mass at both parishes.

Baptism - Please contact the parish office.

Matrimony - Please call Father Kasel at least six months prior to hoped-for wedding date.

Eucharist - Either Fr. Kasel or our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are happy to bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are homebound. Please contact either parish office.

Anointing of the Sick - This is for someone who is seriously ill, dealing with major surgery or infirm. Please contact Father Kasel to make arrangements. **WEEKEND HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:**

Church of Saint Paul - Sunday Confessions at 8:25am, Rosary at 8:25am, Mass at 8:45am

Church of Saint Michael - Saturday Confessions at 4:15pm, Rosary at 4:35pm, Mass at 5:00pm

Church of Saint Michael - Sunday Mass at 7:00am and 10:30am WEEKDAY HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Church of Saint Paul - Tuesday and Thursday

Confession 8am & Mass 8:30am, Rosary at 8:10am before Mass

Church of Saint Michael - Wednesday and Friday

Confession 8am and Mass 8:30am

Zumbrota Care Center - 2nd Thursday of the month, Mass at 9:15am
Pine Haven Care Center - 1st Wednesday of the month, Mass at 11am

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation -August 15, 2019

The Solemnity of the Assumption is a **Holy Day of Obligation** this year. Holy Mass times to honor our **Blessed Mother**:

Wednesday, August 14 at 7:30pm at Church of St. Paul Wednesday, August 14 at 7:30pm at the Church of St. Columbkill

Thursday, August 15 at 8:30am at the Church of St. Paul

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Thursday, August 15 at 8:30am at the Church of St. Michael

Thursday, August 15 at 6:30pm at the Church of the Holy Trinity

Thursday, August 15 at 6:30pm at the Church of St. Michael

Thursday, August 15 at 7:30pm (EF) at the Church of St. Michael

Thursday, August 15 at 8:00pm at the Church of St. Mary

27th Annual CCW Salad Lunchoon Wednesday, August 14, 2019 11:00am to 1:00pm at Church of St. Paul, Zumbrota. See pg. 3 for details. ALLARE INVITED!

Catholic Vacation Bible School 2019: August 12-16 8:30am-12:00pm at Church of St. Michael, Pine Island

Rosary procession: Join us for a Rosary procession in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Sun., August 18 after the 10:30am Holy Mass at St. Michael, Pine Island. Hospitality with ice cream will follow the procession.

The next <u>Holy Hour and Social for Men</u> will be on Sunday, August 11th at 7:00pm at Church of St. Michael, Pine Island. Fr. Kasel will give a talk about the importance of Devotion to the Immaculate Heart Mary. All men are invited!

CHURCH OF SAINT MICHAEL NEWS



Catholic Vacation Bible School (CVBS)

Church of St. Michael, PI for children 4 years old -6th grade on August 12-16, 8:30am-12noon

Come celebrate the gift of Life at this unforgettable Birthday Blast! This is an exciting PRO-LIFE themed program where kids will learn to discover, respect, protect, serve, and celebrate life!

Daily Mass is offered in Church each weekday at 8:30am
Registration form is available at the entrance of the Church
and in our website.



You are invited to the FALL FESTIVAL!

August 24-25, 2019 at the Church of St. Michael

Volunteer Sign-up is located at the entrance of the Church. Please sign up for one of the many jobs available from helping with games, serving in the dining room working in the kitchen, and cleaning up. Anyone and everyone can help, even the little ones, so sign up the whole family.

Arts & Crafts Vendors: We are looking for Arts and Crafts vendors for the Fall Festival on Saturday & Sunday, August 24th & 25th, from 9:00am to 3:00pm. The fee is only \$25 for two days. Please contact Terri Pass at stmichaelharvest@gmail.com.

Music Entertainment: Musicians are needed to perform for our guests during our Saturday-Sunday Fall Festival. Do you have a musician or two in the family? Piano, guitar, violin, accordion, bagpipes, trumpet, flute, clarinet ...Solos, duets, ensembles...the options are endless. For questions, please contact the Parish office at 507-356-4280.

Free Bingo: There will be free bingo both Saturday and Sunday. We are looking for volunteers to work the bingo. We have some prizes left, but we do need a few more items. Winners will be from 5-95 years old.

Baskets/Items for the Fall Festival Silent Auction



We are in need of baskets to be donated for the Silent Auction held during the Festival this Fall. Please make up any type of "basket" that you like or any individual items, including religious items, gift certificates, gift cards, homemade items, or purchased items. Please

drop off any items at the parish office. Thank you for your generosity!

Historic Church of St. Rose 2019 Ice Cream Social Saturday, August 17, 1:00 to 5:00

Join us as we celebrate the 15th Annual Ice Cream Social on the third Saturday in August. Bring your sweet tooth while you enjoy this historic site with the growing number of supporters known as the Friends of St. Rose. Mark your calendar to join us on this summer afternoon in Cherry Grove Township (8778 Cty Hwy 11 Blvd Kenyon, MN 55946) to enjoy this rural setting and catch up on the latest progress. Historic presentations will occur inside the church throughout the event and live Dixieland Jazz music will be performed outside.

Mission Doctors Association will offer the 2019 Midwest Retreat/Seminar, Sept 13 -15, 2019 for Catholic Physicians, Dentists, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants, and their spouses, considering Short-term mission service in Africa or Latin America. This will be held at Loyola Stritch Medical School, Chicago. Information and Accreditation Statement (for the 11 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)) are available on the web site: www.MissionDoctors.org or by calling the office for more information (213) 368-1872.

Looking for the 'just right' gift? Try a Catholic Faith CD! We have several great talks available in our Lighthouse Media Display.

WEEKLY TITHING for August 3-4, 2019

Envelopes: \$ 1,728.00 Plate: \$ 305.00 EFT: \$ 977.50 **Total:** \$ **3,010.50**

Quilt Show at St Michael Fall Festivall

New this Year! All are invited to the Quilt Show during the Fall Festival, Aug. 24-25, Sat. & Sun. Come and enjoy the beautiful quilts! It will be held in the Parish Center, Church of St. Michael.

PI Food Shelf: The items requested for August: Paper Products

HOLY MASS TIMES AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Monday, August 12, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

Tuesday, August 13, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

1:00pm-5:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, August 15, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass: Solemnity of the Assumption of BVM

6:30pm Holy Mass: Solemnity of the Assumption of BVM 7:30pm (EF) Holy Mass: Solemnity of the Assumption of BVM

Friday, August 16, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

Saturday, August 17, 2019

4:15pm Confession/4:35pm Rosary

5:00pm Holy Mass **Lector:** Jon Lenn

Usher: Bob McCutcheon

Sunday, August 18, 2019

7:00am Extraordinary Form Holy Mass

10:30am Holy Mass **Lector:** Ted Bauer

Servers: John Bauer, Nicholas Bauer, Ian Brost, Liam Brost

Usher: Ted Bauer

UPCOMING CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, August 11, 2019

7:00pm Men's Holy Hour & Social at St. Michael

Monday-Friday, August 12-16, 2019

8:30am-12pm Catholic Vacation Bible School (CVBS) at St. Michael

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

11:00am-1:00pm CCW Salad Luncheon at Church of St. Paul

Thursday, August 15, 2019

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

August	12,	2019	†Jim	Bauch	(Janet	t Bauch)
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August 13, 2019 †Gerald & Dolores Bauer (Sarah Bauer)

August 14, 2019 Lucy McNamara

August 15, 2019 Janet Bauch (Josefina Meyer)

August 15, 2019 Parishioners

August 15, 2019 Lynn Kemmetmueller

August 16, 2019 †Richard Krause (Joan Krause)

August 17, 2019 Parishioners

August 18, 2019 (EF)Pauline Nilo (T & J Meyer)

August 18, 2019 Special Intention



CHURCH OF SAINT PAUL NEWS



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and in the Church website http://www.stpaulstmichael.com

Congratulations to Conway & Avonne Marvin, who

recently celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary on July 17! May God continue to bless you both!

Words to Live by:

"Be Not Afraid; my Immaculate Heart will be your refuge and your safe path to God." Our Lady of Fatima to Saint Lucia "I want My Church to...put the devotion to this Immaculate Heart beside the devotion to My Sacred Heart." Jesus to Sister Lucia of Fatima

"Sacrifice yourselves for sinners and say many times, especially when you make some sacrifice: 'O Jesus, it is for Thy love, for the conversion of sinners and in reparation for sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary." Our Lady of Fatima

"After the love which we Jesus Christ, we must give the chief place in our heart to the love of His Mother Mary." St. Alphonsus Ligouri

Pro Life Quote

"The Catholic community must offer support to those women who may find it difficult to accept a child, above all when they are isolated from their family and friends. Likewise, the community should be open to welcome back all who repent of having participated in the grave sin of abortion, and should guide them with pastoral charity to accept the grace of forgiveness, the need for penance, and the joy of entering once more into the new life of Christ." – Pope Benedict XVI

JOIN US FOR A PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GOOD HELP, near GREEN BAY, WI Monday, August 26 - Tuesday, August 27, 2019

We will also be visiting these Churches and destinations:
The National Shrine of St. Joseph, St. Francis Xavier Cathedral,
Diocese of Green Bay and Diocesan Museum
(If time allows: the Carmelite Monastery in Denmark, Wisconsin)
We will be staying for one night at the Quality Inn & Suites Downtown 321 S Washington Street - Green Bay, WI 54301

To Register, fill out the form found at the entrance of the Church and return to: Church of St. Michael, Our Lady of Good Help Pilgrimage 451 5th Street SW - Pine Island, MN 55963, call with questions: 507-356-4280

You are invited to join a **prayer session** at the Church of St. Paul, Zumbrota every Tuesday, at 12:00noon-1:00pm. For question contact the Parish office at 507-732-5324.

Holy Rosary at the Zumbrota Care Center: You are invited to pray the Holy Rosary with our residents every Monday at 10:15am in the south Day Room of the Zumbrota Care Center. Please join us in this powerful prayer for all of your special intentions and needs.

The **Knights of Columbus Council 2751** will be having "STEAK FRY SOCIAL" on Monday, August 12 Preceded by Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church at 5:30pm

Zumbrota Area Food Shelf—items requested for August: **noodles**, **pastas**, **and macaroni products**.

WEEKLY TITHING for August 4, 2019

Envelopes: \$ 1,095.00 Plate: \$ 61.00 EFT: \$ 1,215.00 **Total:** \$ 2,371.00

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27th Annual CCW Salad Luncheon

Wednesday, August 14, 2019 11:00am to 1:00pm at Church of St. Paul

Assorted Salads, Cheese Tray, Deviled Eggs, French Bread, and Beverages

Prices: Adults \$8.00, Children 6-12 \$4.00, Preschool FREE Tickets at Church day of Luncheon Take-outs available Call 732-5347 St. Paul CCW Ladies: Pull out your favorite recipes and plan to supply a salad on August 14th for the Annual CCW Salad Luncheon. Your salad should serve 15. There is a signup sheet at the back of church for you to indicate what you wish to bring and when you wish to work. Please drop off the salad on Tuesday, Aug 13, 6:30 to 7:30 pm or Wednesday, August 14, 8-10am. It takes a number of us to make this a success, so please take the time to sign up.

Thank you for your participation.

HOLY MASS TIMES AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 13, 2019

8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

9:00am-5:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

7:30pm Holy Mass for the Vigil of the Assumption

Thursday, August 15, 2019 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8:00am Confessions/8:30am Holy Mass

Sunday, August 18, 2019

8:25am Confessions/Rosary

8:45am Holy Mass - On 1st, 3rd, & 5th Sundays of the month Holy Mass will be versus populum; 2nd & 4th ad Orientem

Lector: Mark Huneke

EM: Loretta Froyum, Anne Varner, Rob Weber,

Becky Mancilman, Shirley Gregory

Altar Servers: Gunner Mancilman, Joel Matuska
Ushers: Mark Huneke, Ken Kronebusch

Nursing Home Minister: Anne Varner

UPCOMING CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, August 11, 2019

7:00pm Men's Holy Hour & Social at St. Michael

Monday, August 12, 2019

10:15am Holy Rosary at Zumbrota Care Center

Monday-Friday, August 12-16, 2019

8:30am-12:00pm Catholic Vacation Bible School at St. Michael

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

11:00am-1:00pm CCW Salad Luncheon at Church of St. Paul Thursday, August 15, 2019

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

August 13, 2019 †Eleanor Warchol (Our Lady of St. Croix)

August 14, 2019 Parishioners

August 15, 2019 †Kenneth Retterath

August 18, 2019 Parishioners



NEWS FROM SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT PAUL

(from pg.1) "preeminent and . . . wholly unique member of the Church"; indeed, she is the "exemplary realization" (typus) (Lumen Gentium 53, 63) of the Church.

Her role in relation to the Church and to all humanity goes still further. "In a wholly singular way she cooperated by her obedience, faith, hope, and burning charity in the Savior's work of restoring supernatural life to souls. For this reason she is a mother to us in the order of grace." (Lumen Gentium 61)

"This motherhood of Mary in the order of grace continues uninterruptedly from the consent which she loyally gave at the Annunciation and which she sustained without wavering beneath the cross, until the eternal fulfillment of all the elect. Taken up to heaven she did not lay aside this saving office but by her manifold inter cession continues to bring us the gifts of eternal salvation Therefore the Blessed Virgin is invoked in the Church under the titles of Advocate, Helper, Benefactress, and Mediatrix." (Lumen Gentium 62) "Mary's function as mother of men in no way obscures or diminishes this unique mediation of Christ, but rather shows its power. But the Blessed Virgin's salutary influence on men . . . flows forth from the superabundance of the merits of Christ, rests on his mediation, depends entirely on it, and draws all its power from it." (Lumen Gentium 60) "No creature could ever be counted along with the Incarnate Word and Redeemer, but just as the priesthood of Christ is shared in various ways both by his ministers and the faithful, and as the one goodness of God is radiated in different ways among his creatures, so also the unique mediation of the Redeemer does not exclude but rather gives rise to a manifold cooperation which is but a sharing in this one source." (Lumen Gentium 62)

"All generations will call me blessed": "The Church's devotion to the

Blessed Virgin is intrinsic to Christian worship." (See Luke 1:48; Paul VI, Marialis cultus 56) The Church rightly honors "the Blessed Virgin with special devotion. From the most ancient times the Blessed Virgin has been honored with the title of 'Mother of God,' to whose protection the faithful fly in all their dangers and needs. . . . This very special devotion . . . differs essentially from the adoration which is given to the incarnate Word and equally to the Father and the Holy Spirit, and greatly fosters this adoration." (Lumen Gentium 66) The liturgical feasts dedicated to the Mother of God and Marian prayer, such as the rosary, an "epitome of the whole Gospel," express this devotion to the Virgin Mary. (See Paul VI, Marialis cultus 42; Sacrosanctum concilium 103) After speaking of the Church, her origin, mission, and destiny, we can find no better way to conclude than by looking to Mary. In her we contemplate what the Church already is in her mystery on her own "pilgrimage of faith," and what she will be in the homeland at the end of her journey. There, "in the glory of the Most Holy and Undivided Trinity," "in the communion of all the saints," (Lumen Gentium 69) the Church is awaited by the one she venerates as Mother of her Lord and as her own mother.

In the meantime the Mother of Jesus, in the glory which she possesses in body and soul in heaven, is the image and beginning of the Church as it is to be perfected in the world to come. Likewise she shines forth on earth until the day of the Lord shall come, a sign of certain hope and comfort to the pilgrim People of God. (Lumen Gentium 68; see 2 Peter 3 10) Through the intercession of Our Mother, Assumed into Heaven Body and Soul, St. Joseph, and our patrons, St. Michael and St. Paul, may God bless you, your families and our parishes! In Christ through Mary,

Fr. Kasel



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