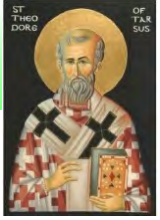


Our Lady of the Pines & St. Theodore of Tarsus Catholic Churches



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Parish Office Hours	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
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July 15, 2018 **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sunday Reflection: You are on God's List!



When God calls people for his mission, he seems to apply totally a different standard! In his wisdom, he continues to call all kinds of people to do his job! God called Amos to be a prophet. Amos was just a shepherd and a dresser of Sycamore trees. The temple priest Amaziah said, "Certainly, Amos is not qualified to be a prophet." No matter, God chose Amos to be his prophet. And Amos did a marvelous job.

In the Gospel, Jesus sends out his 12 disciples. What a group! Four of them were simple fishermen: Simon, Andrew, James and John. Matthew was a tax collector whom the Jews hated. Simon, the Zealot, was a member of a Revolutionary Group. Thomas, we call him the doubter. Judas Iscariot was Jesus' betrayer and there were four others about whom we know nothing: Philip, Bartholomew, Thaddeus and James the son of Alphaeus.

All these men's past stories and their insignificant backgrounds did not stop Jesus to choose them to be his disciples. And to continue his mission, God keeps on calling us today, in whatever situations we are in.

Our inadequacies or our refusal to carry out the mission do not cancel our responsibility to preach the gospel. Every one of us is on God's list!

No Weekday Mass at OLP from July 10 – August 10

Due to the Pastor's absence, there will not be any weekday Masses and Eucharistic Adorations at Our Lady of the Pine's Church, Nevis from **July 10 through August 10, 2018**. Nevis. We are sorry for the inconvenience.

Weekday Masses are available in the neighboring parishes. At **St. Peter's Church, Park Rapids** on Mondays: 05:30 PM, Wednesdays: 08:30 AM & Thursdays: 08:30 AM; and at **St. Agnes's Church, Walker**, Tuesdays: 08:00 AM, Wednesdays: 08:00AM & Thursdays: 08:00 AM.

Mass Times

Our Lady of the Pines, Nevis
(No Weekday Masses from July 10 Through August 10, 2018)
Saturdays: 5:00 PM
Sundays: 10:30 AM

St. Theodore's Church, Laporte
Sundays 8:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration at OLP
(No Adoration Scheduled in Summer)
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays 4:15-4:45 PM at OLP
Sundays 8:00 AM at St. Theodore's

Dear Visitors

Welcome to Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis and St. Theodore Church, Laporte, MN. We are happy to have you worshipping with us! If you consider becoming a member of either of our parishes, please stop by the Parish Office or call us at 218-652-4005 to send you a registration form.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

<p>Saturday, 07/14</p> <p>Visiting Priest: Fr. Ray Palcisko</p>	<p>8:00 - 10:00 AM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 5:00 PM</p>	<p>OLP Donut Sale in the Parish Hall</p> <p>Sacrament of Reconciliation: at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Mass at OLP: Birthday Remembrance of + Leola Geisen by Jill and Jesse Clack Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts</p>
<p>Sunday, 07/15 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Visiting Priest: Fr. Ray Palcisko</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation: at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Mass at STC: Thanksgiving for the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Paul and Maryann Sands by Sands Family</p> <p>Mass at OLP: For the Members of our Parishes Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts Hospitality Served at OLP following Mass</p>
<p>Monday, 07/16 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>		<p>NO Weekday Mass</p>
<p>Tuesday, 07/17</p>	<p>10:30 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM</p>	<p>NO Weekday Mass</p> <p>Money Counters: Donna Lindow, Loren Karmer and Terry Moen KC Scripture Rosary at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte KC General Council Meeting at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte</p>
<p>Wednesday, 07/18</p>	<p>10.00 - 11.00 AM</p>	<p>NO Weekday Mass</p> <p>Ecumenical Bible Study in the Community Meeting Room, Nevis</p>
<p>Thursday, 07/19</p>		<p>NO Weekday Mass</p>
<p>Friday, 07/20 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</p>		<p>NO Weekday Mass NO Eucharistic Adoration</p>
<p>Saturday, 07/21</p> <p>Mission Appeal: "For Hands Together" By Fr. John Martin</p>	<p>8:00 - 10:00 AM 4:15 - 4:45 PM 5:00 PM 5:45 PM</p>	<p>OLP Donut Sale in the Parish Hall</p> <p>Sacrament of Reconciliation: at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis Mass at OLP: For the Good Health of Deloris Lamb by Jerome & Arlene Biessener OLP Birthday and Anniversary Celebration following the Mass Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts</p>
<p>Sunday, 07/22 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Mission Appeal: "For Hands Together" By Fr. John Martin</p>	<p>8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation: at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte Mass at STC: For the Members of our Parishes</p> <p>Mass at OLP: For +Rita Yaggie by Mary Kempf OLP Birthday and Anniversary Celebration following the Mass Donuts sold at OLP after the Mass, as long as the stock lasts</p>
<p>Upcoming Events</p>	<p>July 25 July 28 - 29 August 01 August 04 - 05 August 04 - 05 August 08 August 11 August 11 - 12 August 14 August 14 August 15 August 15 August 17 August 18</p>	<p>Ecumenical Bible Study in OLP Community Room 10:00 - 11:00 AM Visiting Priest: Fr. Augie Gothman</p> <p>Ecumenical Bible Study in OLP Community Room 10:00 - 11:00 AM Visiting Priest: Msgr. Mike Foltz</p> <p>CHI St. Joseph's Auxiliary Quilt Raffle Sale</p> <p>Ecumenical Bible Study in OLP Community Room 10:00 - 11:00 AM</p> <p>Memorial Service for + Jerry Amundson at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte</p> <p>DAA Summer Appeal</p> <p>Weekday Masses Resume at Our Lady of the Pines Church, Nevis</p> <p>Holy Day of Obligation Mass at Nevis: Assumption of Our Lady at 5:00 PM</p> <p>Holy Day of Obligation Mass at Laporte: Assumption of Our Lady at 8:30 AM</p> <p>Ecumenical Bible Study in OLP Community Room 10:00 - 11:00 AM</p> <p>Wedding Rehearsal: Lydia Lutz & Hunter Schroeder at 4:30 PM</p> <p>Wedding Ceremony at OLP: Lydia Lutz & Hunter Schroeder at 2:30 PM</p>

Our Lady of the Pines Church Liturgical Ministers Saturday, July 21, 2018	
Sacristan	Leah Pigatti
Musician	Ardis Johnson
Cantor	Rita Schuldt
Lectors	Leah Pigatti, Shari Hammer & Connie Walz
Altar Servers	Help Needed
Ushers	Ed Dvorak, Tom Walz, Dan Carolson & Don Dierkhising
Greeters	Leah Piggati & Dee Dvorak
Eucharistic Ministers	Sue Joerger (C), Marlene Meyer, Theora Goodrich, Jona Seifert & Jim Seifert

Sunday: July 22, 2018	
Sacristans	Bob DeCrans & Mary DeCrans
Musician	Don Hudson
Cantors	Angie Lindow & Karie Lindow
Lectors	John Lindow, Carol Lindow & Jeanne Thompson
Altar Servers	Help Needed
Ushers	Jim Warner, Tom Wenner, Ed DeLaHunt & Ted Stallman
Greeters	Carol Lindow, Karie Lindow & Cheryl Van Guilder
Eucharistic Ministers	Kay Marcussen (C), Thomas Pacholl, Sally Forelich, Cheri Stallman & Ted Stallman; <i>(Bob DeCrans & Mary DeCrans)</i>

St. Theodore's Church Liturgical Ministers Sunday: July 22, 2018	
Sacristan	Charlotte Rauch
Musicians	Angie Jobe & Carol Wellen
Cantor	Sharon Lembke
Lectors	Kevin Warne, Ruth Grandy & Bonnie Conrad
Altar Servers	Anna Katzenmeyer, Gabby Nelson & Abree Katzenmeyer
Ushers	Ken Nelson & Marcel Noyes
Greeters	Ruth Grandy & Irene Fehn
Eucharistic Ministers	Dan Janiga (C) Jean Janiga & Charlotte Rauch

Stewardship Report For the Week of 07/08/2018	Our Lady of the Pines	St. Theodore's Church
Sunday Offering	\$3302.27	\$756.00
Second Collection: For Holy Father	\$1315.50	\$122.00
STC Cemetery Collection	- -	\$353.00
Candle Envelopes	\$20.00	- -
Rectory Project Fund	\$125.00	- -
Retired Priest Envelopes	\$200.00	

2018 DAA Contribution \$ as of May 31, 2018 % of Parish Participation	\$11,532.00 (Goal: \$13,852 34.08%)	\$2,464.00 (Goal: \$3,526 32.20 %)
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Knights of Columbus News

The Knights of Columbus meeting this month will be at St. Theodore of Tarsus Church in Laporte. We will start with a prayer service "Scripture Rosary" at 6:00 PM a Soup and Sandwich supper at 6:30 PM with the meeting to follow at 7:00PM. Parishioners are welcome for the Prayer service and Supper. Brothers Knights please bring your families.

~ Dan DeCrans, Grand Knight

Movie Time at St. John's Akeley: "I can only Imagine"

St. John's Lutheran Church, Akeley is screening the movie, "I can only Imagine" on **Friday, June 20**. It will be shown at 2:00 PM and at 7:00 PM. It's a free movie with free popcorn, pop and water. Come and enjoy a fun and thought provoking movie.

~ Joanne Mueller

CHI St. Joseph's Health Farmer's Market

CHI St. Joseph's Health will be hosting an onsite Farmer's Market, at the South Side walk, St. Joseph's Hospital, Park Rapids on July 18, August 1, 15, 29 and September 12 from 10.00 AM – 2:00 PM. Power of Produce Club: All kids ages 4-12 will receive a free \$2 token good for their choice of fruit or vegetables.

~ Betsy Meyer

OLP Monthly Assignments: July 2018	
Hospitality Ministers	Shirley Zurn (C), Barb Kalinoski, Kay Marcussen, Margo Bernardy, Maureen Waltman and Chris Trueschiff
Altar Linen	Leah Pigatti

Prayer Requests

Ann Evers, Karen Copa, Dennis Kriens, Nels Kramer, Megan Shaw, Cecilia Daniels, Art Meyer, Ruth Hrubes, Nicholas Davis, Rita Cole, Trent Cole, Brenda Nulliner, Marie Hassler, Jack and Kathy Roberts, Shawn Karl, Jan Lundberg, Dennis Schafer, Alan Knott, Barbara Dietenberger, Peg Koktavy, Dorothy Goeden, Priscilla Dietenberger, Harold Dietenberger, Jean Dryness, Greg Carter.

Please call the Parish Office at 652-4005 to keep a name on the Prayer List or to add someone new. Names will be removed after 4 weeks, unless a fresh request is made.

Welcome to Fr. Jack Martin

Warm welcome to Fr. Jack Martin, who will be celebrating the weekend masses in our parishes on **July 21 & 22**. Fr. Martin is a retired priest of the Archdiocese of Newark, NJ, who assists "Hand Together" organization in their mission in Haiti. We are delighted to have Fr. Martin in our community! Welcome Father!

Sympathy

St. Theodore's Parish Community offers its sympathy and prayerful support to Colleen Curran and the members of her family at the death of her husband **+Jerry Amundson** who passed away on July 4th. There will be a memorial service at St. Theodore's Church, Laporte on August 11th. Please keep the family in your prayer. May +Jerry rest in peace!

Thank You

St. Theodore's Cemetery Committee thanks all the donors who contributed for the Cemetery Projects that are being done at St. Lawrence Cemetery Guthrie. Your generosity of \$353.00 in last week's special collection will go toward the fencing of the Cemetery. We are grateful for your donation.

E - Parish Bulletin

Electronic version of our parish bulletin is available on our web site www.ccnevislaporte.org before the weekend. Our Parish Office will be happy to email you a copy of our weekly bulletins. Kindly update your family information in the new census form made available at the Gathering Place.

Grief Support Group

Do you know about a new grief support group for those who have lost spouses or partners which is being hosted on **1st and 3rd Thursday of each month** at Sanford Health Neilson Place, Trillium Conference Room, 1000 Anne St, NW, Bemidji from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM? The Sanford Health team has received special training to guide those who participate in this grief support group to move through this journey. The Grief Support Group provides emotional support in a safe environment for participants to explore how to cope. No registration or fee is needed. Call (218) 333-5643 for more information. ~ Kathy DonCarlos

Esto Vir Vocation Camp

Esto Vir! is a vocation camp for young men (age 16+). This camp is an opportunity for young men who may be open to the priesthood to come together and spend some days in community with each other and the seminarians of the diocese. **Date: August 7-9, 2018 Location:** Sand Hill Lake Bible Camp (Fosston, MN) **Cost:** FREE! Questions can be directed to Fr. Matt Schmitz, Promoter of Vocations, at 218-773-0877. www.crookston.org/vocations/estovir for more info!

Safe Environment Certification

All Parish staff, volunteers, Faith Formation teachers & subs who are in ministry and service to children are required to attend a Safe Environment Program every year to deepen the role as promoters & advocates for children and models of appropriate behavior. For Year 2018-2019, a new test (Component A) is available on the diocesan website. We request you to visit: www.crookston.org/ministries-offices/safe-environment/certification. If you have done last year's Safe Environment Certification, you will be doing "Returning Employees or Volunteers" section. Please get certified as early as possible.

Vacation Bible School

St. Peter's parish, Park Rapids invites students entering kindergarten through 4th grade to join their vacation Bible School Program to be held from **Monday, August 6 through Friday August 10** from 9:00 AM to Noon. Students will learn about "Holy Heroes" with stories, Art Projects, Games, Snacks, Music and Fun. Registration is due by July 31. Suggested donation \$15 to offset cost of supplies & snacks Registration forms are in the Gathering Place and at their website at: www.stpeterpr.org under the faith formation tab.

Fresh Donuts Sale at Our Lady of the Pines

OLP Fundraisers Group is selling freshly made Donuts on Saturdays from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM. If stock lasts, you may be able to buy after weekend Masses. Preorders are accepted by email: parishofficenevis@gmail.com or voicemail at: 218-652-4005.

Nevis Muskie Days Festival

Muskie Days is a Nevis tradition that you just can't miss! The Nevis Civic & Commerce Association invites you to its 68th Annual Muskie Days Festival on **Friday, July 27 and Saturday, July 28, 2018**. Come and enjoy Music, Food, Parades, Kids Games, Inflatables, Flea/Crafters Market and tons of family Fun. ~ Nevis Civic and Commerce

Benefit for Fr. Don Braukmann

The Bemidji Council 1544 Knights of Columbus is holding a benefit for Father Don Braukmann on **Sunday, August 12, 2018**. It will be a brunch, with serving from 8:30 to 1:00 PM. We will be serving French Toast, Sausage, Eggs, fruit and more. Free Will Offering.

If you would like to donate to the benefit and cannot attend, you can send it to St. Philips Church, Attn. Bob Schlichting, 702 Beltrami Avenue, Bemidji, MN 56601. Checks should be made to Knights of Columbus Council #1544. Mass times on Sunday in Bemidji are 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am and 6:30 pm. Father Don retired on July 1 from active ministry due to his battle with ALS (*Lou Gehrig*) disease. ~ Ron Arel