

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 18**

Is 45:1, 4-6
1 Thes 1:1-5b
Mt 22:15-21

Monday, October 19

Eph 2:1-10
Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday, October 20

Eph 2:12-22
Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday, October 21

Eph 3:2-12
Lk 12:39-48

Thursday, October 22

Eph 3:14-21
Lk 12:49-53

Friday, October 23

Eph 4:1-6
Lk 12:54-59

Saturday, October 24

Eph 4:7-16
Lk 13:1-9

**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 25**

Ex 22:20-26
1 Thes 1:5c-10
Mt 22:34-40

**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
World Mission Sunday
October 18, 2020**

The Pharisees asked Jesus,
"Teacher, tell us,
is it lawful
to pay tax
to Caesar or not?"

And Jesus said to them
Repay to Caesar what
belongs to Caesar

and to GOD what
belongs to GOD

Among all
peoples, give
the LORD
glory and
honor.

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This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, October 19	No Mass
Tuesday, October 20	No Mass
Wednesday, October 21	
8:30 a.m. Lewiston	<i>Ellen Brandel</i>
Thursday, October 22	
8:30 a.m. Lewiston	<i>Steve Thesing+</i>
Friday, October 23	
8:30 a.m. Altura	<i>Gene and Tamara Stevens+</i>
Saturday, October 24	
4:30 p.m. Wilson	<i>Gary Langowski+</i>
Sunday, October 25	
8:30 a.m. Lewiston	<i>Parishioners of the Cluster</i>
10:30 a.m. Altura	<i>Phyllis Haler+ and Cora Gibbs+</i>

WELCOME TO OUR TRI-PARISH COMMUNITY

New Parishioners are invited to contact the Tri-Parish Office at 507-523-2428 or via email at strose@hbc.com. Normal office hours are Tuesdays, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Wednesdays 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., and Fridays 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

BAPTISM: Baptisms are regularly celebrated during Saturday and Sunday Masses and Sunday afternoon. Parents are asked to meet with Fr. Thompson before the baptism of their first child. Please call the St. Rose Rectory to set the date of the baptism.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Confessions are offered every Saturday at St. Rose from 11:00 a.m. to noon, or anytime by appointment with Fr. Thompson.

MARRIAGE: Instruction must begin at least six months in advance. Please contact Fr. Thompson to begin the preparation process. An Engaged Encounter or similar course is also required.

RCIA: Those wanting to learn more about our faith or are interested in becoming full members in the Catholic Church please contact the Office.

Prayer Chain: Call Rosie Moger 523-3357 with prayer requests or to join the prayer chain.

Bulletin announcements: Please submit items to the office by Wednesday 11:00 a.m. for publication in the following Sunday bulletin.

St. Rose of Lima

Sacrificial Giving – October 4, 2020

Contribution Total (includes e-giving)..... \$ 2,409.98

St. Anthony of Padua

Sacrificial Giving – October 11, 2020

Contribution Total..... \$ 348.00

Immaculate Conception

Sacrificial Giving – October 10, 2020

Contribution Total..... \$ 1,104.00

Health and Safety Guidelines

- Please leave immediately after Mass, and do not congregate in the narthex or parking lot.
- Wash your hands before attending and use hand sanitizer upon entering and exiting.
- People not of the same household must always remain at least six feet apart .
- All attendees must wear masks.

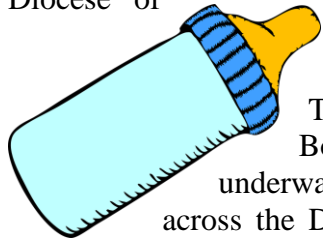
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Of Interest to All

Baby Bottle Campaign Supports Alternatives to Abortion. With economic concerns cited as a significant reason why women in Minnesota are having abortions, it seems all the more vital for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester and Catholic Charities to be collecting spare change. The 14th annual Baby Bottle Campaign is underway in churches and schools across the Diocese where parishioners and students take home a baby bottle and fill it with their spare change over the next month. It may seem that one bottle of change won't make an impact, but putting these bottles together will help a number of women choose adoption or parenting rather than abortion for their unborn child and give babies the best start possible. The Baby Bottle Campaign is a perfect project for providing individuals and families a chance to offer a real response to women choosing life over abortion.



Join Elder Network facilitators for an adventure in Aging Mastery! This Aging Mastery program will be presented in a book club format by Elder Network program coordinators for Winona and Wabasha Counties, Barb Parker and Bonnie Sandberg. Elder Network's mission is to improve the quality of life for seniors in our areas. The book club will be available to participants via Zoom or telephone. You will be informed, encouraged, and supported in taking steps to improve your life and to become more engaged in community. The book club will empower you to maintain small but impactful changes in six different areas of aging well. We will have fun on this journey – we hope you can join us! This book club is an 8-week study on Wednesdays from 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. The start date is **Wednesday, October 28** and the study will end on Wednesday, December 16. Don't hesitate as class size is limited. Give us a call or send an email with your interest. Barb: barbp@elder-network.org; or 507-452-0580. Bonnie: bonnies@elder-network.org; or 651-564-0351. This book club is free to the public. We look forward to embarking on this journey with you!

Upcoming Church Council Meetings

Thurs, Oct. 29: St. Anthony, 5:30 p.m.

Tue, Nov. 10: Immaculate Conception, 5:30 p.m.

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Winona-Rochester is currently accepting applications for a full-time Employee Benefits Coordinator. Reporting to the Director of Human Resources, the position handles day-to-day administration of a full array of employee benefits (health, dental, LTD, Life, 403(b) retirement w/match, etc.) offered to employees throughout the diocese. The position acts as the key relationship contact with all administrative contacts throughout the diocese. Applicants should have an Associate Degree in human resources, accounting, administration or equivalent offsetting experience and a minimum of 1-3 years of experience in an employee benefits administration and/or bookkeeping role. The selected applicant typically possesses a combination of strong computer, interpersonal, attention to detail and multi-tasking skills along with a desire to work in a faith-based (Roman Catholic) organization. The Diocese of Winona-Rochester offers a competitive salary and benefits package.. Please send resume, cover letter, references, and salary requirements by **November 9**, to: Office of Human Resources, Diocese of Winona-Rochester, 55 W. Sanborn Street, Winona, MN 55987, or e-mail to: hr@dow.org.

“The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” Listen with your spouse for God's message of love by exploring a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend. The next weekends are **November 13-15** (Virtual Weekend), and **February 12-14** in Windom, MN. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: southmnwwme.org or contact us at applications@southmnwwme.org or 507-227-8229.

Prayer to St. Michael

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

Give to the LORD you families of nations the GLORY due his NAME!

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Pastor's Perspective: A Time to Rest, and a Time to Act

The Book of Ecclesiastes has a great passage describing times for many things. There is a time to sow, and a time to reap (that time is now!). There is a time for all things under the sun. We know this, and yet sometimes it can be hard. We like the times to laugh, but not, perhaps, the times to weep. There are times for different things in our faith as well.

Not too long ago, I read a newspaper article about exercise. It said that when the pandemic began, most people gave up their exercise routine in light of all of the confusion and restrictions. However, now that we are a few months into the pandemic, the article asked whether we had learned a new routine. For a lot of people, the answer is 'no.' We are still using the confusion and restrictions as an excuse, but we have had enough time for resting; now it is time to act.

As we celebrate this World Mission Sunday, we could say much the same thing. Except that rather than using the excuse of the pandemic, we might say that we don't go out, evangelize or share our faith 'because we are Catholic, and Catholics don't do that' (or if they do, it's the professionals, the clergy and religious, that should do it). Wrong! As Catholics, sharing our faith in what we do and say is integral to our faith-for all of us!

Now, there is a valid question of what that looks like. It doesn't have to look like the Jehovah's Witness model of going door to door (though it certainly could). Start by expressing a genuine interest in what is going on in somebody's life, then share the hope that we have in Jesus. Then, do that consistently. It really is that simple.

There is a time for everything. Will you see this as a time to act in faith by sharing that faith with others?

Fr. Will Thompson

