

Lumen Christi CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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We are called to be the Light of Christ in the world. Mission Statement

October 1, 2017

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus.

— *Philippians 2:5*



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CALENDAR

Sunday, October 1

Music Ministry: Handbell Choir at 8:30 Mass
 Faith Formation 9:00 am 2nd Fl. Classrooms
 Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:30 Mass
Confirmation Candidate/Parent Session
11:30 am CR

Monday, October 2

Tuesday, October 3

Parish Council Executive Comm. 5:30 pm 1CON

Wednesday, October 4

Adult Choir 6:30 pm CH
 RCIA 6:30 pm Rm. 252

Thursday, October 5

Book Discussion: Book of Joy 9:00 am 1CON
 Senior Yoga 2:00 pm CR
 Junior Choir 5:15 CH
 Adult Faith Formation Potluck 6:00 pm CRE
 Handbell Choir 6:30 pm CH
 Baptism Class 7:00 pm 1CON
 Teaching Parish Committee 7:00 pm CRW
 Social Justice Committee 7:00 pm Rm. 237

Friday, October 6

Men's Group 6:30 am 1CON
School Marathon for Catholic Education

Saturday, October 7

First Reconciliation Parent/Child Session 9:00 CRW
 Confession 3:30 - 4:00 pm CH
 Music Ministry: Adult Choir at 4:30 Mass
 Lector Mtg. 5:30 pm CH

Sunday, October 8

Food Shelf Collection

Music Ministry: Adult Choir at 8:30 Mass
 Faith Formation 9:00 am 2nd Fl. Classrooms
 Lector Mtg. 9:30 am CH
 Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:30 Mass
 Music Ministry: Handbell Choir at 10:30 Mass
 Lector Mtg. 11:30 CH

New Parishioner Registration Next Weekend

New Parishioner registration will be offered after Masses next weekend. A parish representative will meet with you to fill out the paperwork and answer any questions.

Parish Prayer Line

Lumen Christi has a Prayer Ministry to pray for your requests. Leave your prayer requests at 651-698-5581x101 or email volunteer@lumenchristicc.org

PARISH NEWS

October 7/8 Francis Basket Collection

The first full weekend of the month is our collection for Francis Basket Food Market run by Neighborhood House in Sibley Manor. Donations of food and money are appreciated. Food items always needed are flour, sugar, rice and oil. Cash donations help them buy in bulk. Your continued generosity plays a transformative role in the lives of families seeking education, financial stability and other resources for a healthy life.

Help!



Help is needed to make dough and cinnamon and caramel rolls Saturday, October 14 from 9:00 am until noon.

If there are volunteers to help make the rolls we plan to have homemade caramel and cinnamon rolls at our first Coffee and Donuts for the year the weekend of October 14/15. Mmmm. Yum. If you are able to help please contact Sue Kaufenberg at sue.kaufenberg@comcast.net or 651-699-6130.

Lector Series of Virtual Workshops Oct. 10 & 25

Sponsored by Liturgy Training Publications.
Tuesday, October 10, 6:30 pm, 1st Floor Conference Rm
Literary Genres in the Lectionary:

Proclaiming the Different Forms of Scripture

Presented by D. Todd Williamson. "Proclaim the different forms of Scripture with conviction and a clear understanding by learning how to identify, prepare and pray with the Word of God in the form of poetry, stories, prophesies and discourses."



Lumen Christi Junior & Cherub Choirs

Kids in grades 1-8 are invited to join the Lumen Christi Youth Choirs! **Junior Choir** is for kids in grades 4-8 and will be rehearsing on Thursdays from 5:15-6:15 pm. Rehearsals start October 5 and go through the end of April, with all of January and a few Thursdays off. We will be singing at 13 Masses throughout the year, including the Christmas Eve Family Mass at 4:00 pm. Children in grades 1-3 will also have an opportunity to sing in the **Cherub Choir** at the Christmas Eve Family Mass and Palm Sunday again this year! Three rehearsals with the Junior Choir are scheduled prior to each Mass. Sign-up forms are on the bulletin board at church, and the schedule is available on the Lumen Christi website at <http://lumenchristicc.org/schedules/choir>. Have questions? Feel free to call me at 651-695-9617.
 -Lisa Theisen, Youth Choir Director

Faith Formation

Confirmation Parent-Candidate Meeting Today Following 10:30 Mass

Please pray for our candidates and their families as they begin to prepare for Confirmation next Easter season.

Baptism Class, Thursday, October 5

Please register with Phyllis Hamill-Little in the parish office for the Thursday evening class. It's okay to take the class before baby arrives!

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:30 Mass relies on teen and adult volunteers to help children preschool through 3rd grade to listen to the Gospel message for their everyday lives. Please contact Phyllis Hamill-Little in the parish office to find out more about volunteering.

Writing as a Spiritual Practice

Monday evenings October 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 6:30 pm. Four drop-in sessions. See the flyer on the Faith Formation bulletin board or contact the facilitator, Mary Jo Robinson-Jamison or Phyllis Hamill-Little in the parish office. "To pay attention, is our endless and proper work." —Mary Oliver

"Scripture and the Rosary" Fall Bible study

Fall Bible study begins October 25 for 6 Wednesday mornings. We will take up "Scripture and the Rosary" from Little Rock Scripture Study. Whether you are a devotee of this Catholic prayer or have never prayed the rosary in your life, you are welcome to this Bible study to explore this meditation on Christ's life, death and resurrection. If there are 5 or more people who want to meet at another time, we can make that happen! Please contact Phyllis Hamill-Little in the parish office for more information or to register.

VIRTUS: Protecting God's Children for Adults

VIRTUS will be offered on Wednesday, October 18 at 12:30 pm. Please register for this or another session at virtus.org.

Discipleship

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Have in you that same attitude that is also Christ Jesus," writes Paul to his beloved Philippians. The attitude he urged on them was giving oneself for the sake of others — even unto death. In this way, we not only speak but also do "Yes." Choose to live Christ.

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R. WLP

Parent's Prayer When Children are Leaving Home

Gracious God,
you blessed me with the gift of this child
and entrusted me with his/her care.
Now he/she leaves home
and begins a new life apart from me.
Surround him/her with good people,
and watch over him/her each day.
Let him/her know that I will always be near
whenever he/she may need me.
Heal any hurts we may harbor with one another,
and forgive our failings as we learn
to be in a new kind of relationship with each other.
And when the sight of his/her empty room
pierces my heart with sadness,
May I find comfort in knowing that my child
is your child too,
filled with your grace and sheltered by your love.
Amen.

Everyone Leads - How to Revitalize the Catholic Church With Chris Lowney

Monday, October 9, 7-8:30 pm,
St. Thomas More Church

Chris is a former business executive who lectures globally about leadership. He speaks credibly about how challenged organizations can navigate change to emerge stronger. As chair of one of Catholicism's largest hospital systems, he writes "from within" as a Catholic who loves his church and is committed to seeing it flourish. This event is free and open to the public, hospitality to follow the presentation. Questions? Call 651-227-7669, email Adam: <mailto:afitzpatrick@morecommunity.org> or visit <http://www.morecommunity.org/parish/>.

"We grow in kindness when our kindness is tested."
— Archbishop Desmond Tutu

The "Book of Joy" Discussion Continues Thursday mornings, Oct. 5 & 12

9:00 - 10:00 am, First Floor Conference Room

All are welcome. Find joy in the face of life's inevitable suffering. New York Times Bestseller. c2016

Lumen Christi Library Down the Main Hallway

RADICAL SPIRIT: 12 WAYS TO LIVE A FREE AND AUTHENTIC LIFE by Joan Chittister OSB. The *Twelve Steps of Humility* from the ancient *Rule of Benedict* are the centerpiece of this book. She believes "God is best found through humility. In a gentle way, she helps the reader find their authentic selves" said U.S. Catholic. "She is wise, sharp, funny and timely" said Publisher's Weekly. c2017

Seniors

**PrimeTimers Event: Thursday, October 12
Federal Reserve & Nicollet Island Inn**

Here is a priceless opportunity to see millions of dollars moved by robots and learn about the nation’s central bank: the Federal Reserve in Minneapolis.

Lunch at the Nicollet Island Inn to follow.

The guided tour is 75 minutes (wheelchair accessible.)

Because this is a SECURE BUILDING there are requirements: All must have a photo ID.

Personal belongings will be x-rayed, and all persons will pass thru a metal detector. No cameras. No photos. No bulky, oversized items like backpacks.

This tour is limited to 30 people.

Please turn your reservation in as soon as possible.

Leave Lumen Christi 9:30 am Return about 2:30 pm

Cost: \$35.00 / person

PrimeTimers Annual Dues \$15, Sept 2017-June 2018
Checks are payable to LCCC PrimeTimers and can be turned in to the collection basket or parish office.

Reservation Deadline: Tuesday, October 3

Questions? Call Shellee Micko, 651-699-1251
or Mary Ann Adrian at 651-698-5010.

October PrimeTimers Registration
Federal Reserve Bank, October 12

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____

Amt. enclosed: _____

Lunch choice:

_____ Quiche of the day

_____ Salmon Salad

_____ Chopped chicken Cobb Salad

Includes all non-alcoholic beverages.

Dessert paid separately.



***“Dorothy Day: The World Will Be Saved By Beauty:
An Intimate Portrait of My Grandmother.”***

Author Kate Hennessy, the youngest of Dorothy Day’s nine grandchildren will be the keynote speaker at the Ignatian Volunteer Corps fall annual dinner, IGNITE!, on **Tuesday, October 24th** in the St. Thomas More Church School Auditorium, 1079 Summit Avenue, St. Paul, 55105. The keynote address at 7:00 pm is open to the public. For more information, please visit www.ivcusa.org.

Highland Catholic School

Annual Garden Soup Luncheon

The Students at Highland Catholic School



Invite All Seniors of Lumen Christi
to the Annual Fall Soup Luncheon

Wednesday, October 11

Please join us for the All School Mass at Noon.
Soup Luncheon follows at approximately 1:00 pm
in the Lumen Christi Community Room.

Enjoy homemade vegetable soup, prepared by the
students and made from produce grown in the
Highland Catholic School Garden.

Please RSVP to the Parish Office: 651-698-5581
or the School: 651-690-2477

Holiday Greenery Sale

“Believe it or not, it is time to start thinking about your holiday greenery order! The Highland Catholic Home & School Committee is now taking orders. We are again partnering with Gertens to offer you beautiful wreaths, garlands, spruce tips, pointsettias (new this year) and more! We will be selling after Masses this weekend and October 7/8 and 14/15. There is online ordering at: www.highlandcatholic.org/shop. You will find product information, photos, can place your order and pay by credit card. Orders are due by Monday, October 16. Orders will be delivered to your doorstep November 18. Thank you for your support of this important fundraiser for Highland Catholic School.

It’s Marathon Time!

The Marathon for Catholic Education is this Friday, October 6. You may see the primary grades marching around the block between 9:00 - 10:00 am and the other kids walking around Highland High School Track Friday afternoon. If you would like to make a donation you can write the check to Highland Catholic School and send it to Highland Catholic, 2017 Bohland Ave.

HiC 3rd Grade Presents: Socktober

Our THIRD annual sock, t-shirt and undergarment drive! With Winter right around the corner, we invite you to donate **new socks, t-shirts and undergarments**, as well as **gently used clothing and winter gear** anytime during the month of October. All donations will be sent to **Valley View Elementary School** in Columbia Heights, where many students are in need of the basic necessities to keep them safe and warm through the winter! Drop off donated items to Highland Catholic School, anytime between Oct. 1 – Nov 2!



Vocations

Miriam Dinner

Thurs., October 12, 6:00 – 8:00 pm, Lumen Christi

The Miriam Dinner, hosted by Archbishop Bernard Hebda, is an event for women, ages 16 – 35, who are discerning consecrated life. It is typical for women discerners to be accompanied by their pastor, consecrated religious, or youth minister. The evening begins with prayer, followed by dinner with consecrated women sharing their vocations testimonies. Register online before October 9.

Email stpaulvocations@10000vocations.org or call the Office of Vocations at [651-962-6890](tel:651-962-6890).

Operation Andrew Dinner

Thurs., November 9, 6:00 – 8:00 pm, Lumen Christi

Archbishop Bernard Hebda, Bishop Andrew Cozzens and Father David Blume, Director of Vocations, invite men discerning the priesthood, ages 16 – 50, to dinner and conversation with vocations testimonials on priesthood and religious life. It is typical for a pastor, religious or youth minister to accompany each discerning guest.

Register online before November 6. Email stpaulvocations@10000vocations.org or call the Office of Vocations at [651-962-6890](tel:651-962-6890).

How to Draw Your Loved One Back to the Church

Thursdays, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, Nov. 2, 9 and Nov. 30 6:30–8:30 pm, St. Vincent de Paul Church, Brooklyn Pk Along with prayer and support from small group time, this 7-night program will help you understand why most people leave the Church and give practical tips and strategies to help our loved ones return. Cost \$50, includes all materials. More info and registration at rediscover-faith.org and click on EVENTS. Questions? Contact Molly at mollyschorr@saintvdp.org or 763-762-7374. Archdiocesan Office of Evangelization.

Pope's Quotes

Extreme Poverty

"Today we cannot be satisfied simply with being aware of the problems faced by many of our brothers and sisters. It is not enough to offer broad reflections or engage in endless discussion, constantly repeating things everyone knows. We need to 'de-naturalize' extreme poverty, to stop seeing it as a statistic rather than a reality. Why? Because poverty has a face! It has the face of a child; it has the face of a family; it has the face of people, young and old. It has the face of widespread unemployment and lack of opportunity. It has the face of forced migrations, and of empty or destroyed homes."

-- Meeting of executive board of World Food Program, June 13, 2016

Community Events

Read Between the WINEs Fall Book Club

Join WINE this October for a book club with an eternal reward! Each week from Oct. 1 through Dec. 17, women around the country will come together to deepen their prayer life by reading, discussing, and praying along with a chapter from *When Women Pray: Eleven Catholic Women on the Power of Prayer* — a book that will inspire a new outpouring of prayer for healing and holiness. For more information and to sign up for the book club, visit www.CatholicVineyard.com. (WINE is a separate organization that the Archdiocese collaborates with for certain programming within the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis.)

67th Annual Red Mass, Saturday, October 7, 6:00 pm

Church of the Assumption, 51 7th St. W, St. Paul
All lawyers, judges, and others involved in the administration of justice – along with their families – are invited to the annual Red Mass, celebrated by Archbishop Hebda. Reception to follow. Sponsored by the Lawyers Guild of St. Thomas More.

Saint Paul Street Evangelization:

Providing an Avenue to Share your Faith

Wednesday, October 4, Noon - 1:30 pm

St. Joseph Hall, The Chancery, 777 Forest St., St. Paul
Come and learn 10 practical ways that you can begin to live out your part of God's amazing plan for your life and His people. Free-will Offering. Suggested donation: \$10. Includes lunch. Visit the EVENTS page at rediscover-faith.org for more details and to register. Questions? Susanna Bolle, 651-291-4411, bolles@archspm.org.

Called and Gifted™ Workshop

Fri., Oct. 6, 7:00 – 9:00 pm and Sat., Oct. 7, 9 am. – 4 pm

Church of St. Joseph, West Saint Paul

Explore the ancient teaching of the Church on how the gifts (or charisms) of the Holy Spirit work in our life and in the life of your parish. Cost: \$80 per person. Includes: materials, refreshments and follow-up personal discernment guidance. Find more details and register at www.archspm.org/CG2017. Questions? Patrick Conley at pconley@cathedralsaintpaul.org or 651-357-1340.

Living God's Love:

Refresher Course for Married Couples

Sat., October 14, 9 am – 3:00 pm, Check-in 8:45 am
University of St Thomas - O'Shaughnessy Education Ctr
Some of our best speakers from the Archdiocesan *Living God's Love* marriage prep program will review some of the most important aspects of marriage. \$60 per couple (includes lunch). Find more details and register at archspm.org/events. Questions? Call 651-291-4488.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 30

4:30 pm †Henry Blair

Sunday 1

8:30 am †Earl Miller
10:30 am Lumen Christi

Monday 2

7:45 am †Steve Seidel

Tuesday 3

7:45 am †Gloria Rumsey

Wednesday 4

7:45 am †Bob Cox

Thursday 5

7:45 am †Ladd Brabec

Friday 6

7:45 am †Alice & †Ben Hartmann

Saturday 7

4:30 pm †Ann Landy

Sunday 8

8:30 am Lumen Christi
10:30 am †William & †Margaret
Kelly

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A HYMNAL 1055

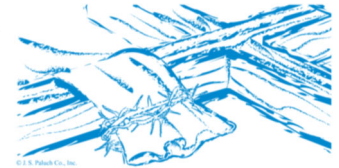
TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).

Psalm — Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).

Gospel — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 18:1-5, 10

Tuesday: Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday: Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-6; Lk 9:57-62

Thursday: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12

Friday: Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Lk 10:17-24

Sunday: Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

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Please call 651-690-2477 for a tour.

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 am

Monday - Friday 7:45 am

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays from 3:30 - 4:00 pm or by appointment

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

New Parishioners Registration for new parishioners is offered after all Masses the second weekend of every month, Sept - June. Please join us!

To Find Out About Becoming Catholic Contact Phyllis Hamill-Little.

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism A Baptism Preparation class for new parents is offered monthly and Baptisms are celebrated once a month. Contact Phyllis Hamill-Little.

First Penance & Eucharist Contact Phyllis Hamill-Little.

Confirmation Contact Phyllis Hamill-Little.

Christian Marriage Contact Fr. Paul Feela before setting your wedding date, *at least 6 months in advance* of the wedding date you would like.

Pastoral Visits / Communion for the Sick Contact Torrey Cramer-Elsner.

Sacraments for the Sick & Dying Contact Fr. Paul Feela.

Anointing of the Sick At the onset of serious illness or before serious surgery.

Sacrament of the Dying (Viaticum) At the beginning of the dying process or after a terminal diagnosis.

Funeral Arrangements Contact your funeral home first and they will make the arrangements with the parish.

Liturgical Ministers, Intercessions, Church Decor Contact Sr. Lynore Girmscheid.

Adult, Junior, Handbell Choirs, Cantors, Instrumentalists Contact Mary Poepping.

Eucharistic Adoration Available Tuesday at 8:15 am through Thursday at 3:00 pm. Call the Parish Office for a regularly scheduled hour. Located inside the Cleveland Ave. entrance.

Parish Library Located down the main hallway from the Gathering Space.

Prayer Line Please call 651-698-5581, x101.

Announcements

Bulletin Articles are due by Thursday at noon, a week before the article is in the bulletin. E-mail texts to mbisanz@lumenchristicc.org.

Mass Email lgirmscheid@lumenchristicc.org by Tuesday at noon for the coming weekend. Limit announcements to weekend events in the Gathering Area or parish-wide events in the coming week.

VIRTUS Training All adult volunteers and employees who have regular contact with youth are required to receive background checks and VIRTUS training. Contact Phyllis Hamill-Little or register at www.virtus.org.

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