

The Catholic Church of

St. Alphonsus



Founded 1959

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Parish Mission Statement

St. Alphonsus is a Roman Catholic Community providing a spiritual home for people of diverse ages, ethnicity and economic status.

As a Christian community, we seek to welcome all individuals and families to grow in faith and express it.

We affirm Christ's presence in all people and value service, giving, worship, and education in all forms.

We strive to be the vibrant body of Christ in all its parts, energizing and evangelizing both ourselves and others.



SAINT CLEMENT MARY HOFBAUER (1751-1820)

Born in Moravia (Czech Republic,) he worked in early youth as a baker, and then as a servant in the Premonstratensian Abbey at Klosterbruck, where he was able to begin his studies for the priesthood. He made regular pilgrimages to Rome, where he was eventually received by the Redemptorists in 1784, and ordained at Alatri in 1785.

From 1787 to 1808, he worked very effectively in Warsaw, where he founded the first Redemptorist house outside Italy. This was followed by other foundations in Prussia, Germany, Switzerland and Romania, all of which he ruled as vicar general of the Congregation.

Forced by the advance of Napoleon's troops to leave Warsaw, he moved to Vienna, where by preaching, spiritual direction and as a confessor he converted and helped many people of every social level. He had influence at the Congress of Vienna, and on the culture of his time, notably on the romantic movement. He died at Vienna on March 15th, 1820.

He was canonised by St. Pius X on May 20th 1909, and is co-patron of Vienna and of Warsaw.

St. Clement Hofbauer Redemptorist Saint

May 20, 2009 marks the 100th anniversary of the canonization of St. Clement Hofbauer. Though the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer (C.Ss.R) is of Italian origin, US Redemptorists trace their roots to Vienna, where St. Clement eventually settled in 1808. From there Redemptorists spread through northern Europe and the United States. St. Clement's efforts in Vienna are all the more inspiring when it is remembered he worked at a time when the emperor strictly controlled the Church and its affairs.

Considered the second founder of the Redemptorist Congregation, St. Clement was zealous in his ministry for orphaned children, seeing to their physical and educational as well as their spiritual needs.

He creatively ministered in new ways as he gathered with a community of like-minded individuals to foster spiritual renewal. He served as an inspiration to men and women of his time, and the Redemptorists in Brooklyn Center continue his legacy by their extraordinary proclamation of God's plentiful redemption through preaching and teaching.



From the Pastor's Desk

Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

THANKS to our Council of Catholic Women for the gift of the beautiful crucifix in the front gathering space of church. The crucifix was presented to the women of the CCW at the installation of new officers on Monday, May 4, 2009. Our CCW continues its proud heritage of giving back to the parish the fruits of their labors and activities. Thank you, women of the CCW!

Join your Redemptorists this Tuesday, May 19 to honor the Blessed Mother: Rosary at 8:00 AM, Mass with Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions at 8:30 AM, and light refreshments in the CSSR Hall afterwards.

At all the Masses this weekend, Mary McCue and Julie Weiss are asking us for help with the **FUN FAIR REVIVAL WEEKEND on August 1 & 2, 2009**. We need many helping hands to make this a great celebration for our 50th Anniversary. Get the word out to former parishioners about the weekend. As of this date, the following Redemptorists are coming back for the celebration: Fathers Dick Quinn, Jack Dowd, Ed Vella, Tuan Pham, Ed Monroe, Jim Shea, and Harry Grile. We are contacting the Sisters who taught in our Parish School and inviting them to the August weekend as well as the School Home Coming celebration on October 3rd, 2009. Contact former parishioners and all your children....invite them all for a grand celebration!

Thanks for your continued generosity towards the Debt Reduction. As we soon enter in to the "going up north to the cabin" and summer season, please remember your contributions to the parish as well. This might be a good time to consider using the automatic deposit for your parish financial contributions. Call the business office at 763-503-3389 for more information.

Pray for your fellow parishioners and during the month of May, pray the rosary!

Joyfully,
Fr. Pat, CSSR

A Redemptorist Community

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Mass Schedule

Saturday
5:00 PM
Sunday
7:00 AM, 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM,
12:30 PM (in Spanish)
and 5:30 PM

Holy Days As Announced

Weekdays Mon-Fri

7:00 AM & 8:30 AM
6:00 PM (During Lent)

Saturday morning

8:00 AM

Confessions

Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM

Parish Staff

763.561.5100

Pastor

Rev. Pat Grile, C.Ss.R.

Redemptorist Pastoral Staff

Rev. Bill Bueche, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Brian Gilles, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Brian Johnson, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Wil Lowery, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Jimmy Pham, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Joseph Stenger, C.Ss.R.

Rev. Martin Stillmock, C.Ss.R.

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Rev. Mr. John Winkelman

Administrator

David R. Johnson

503.3344

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Parish School Principal

Robert E. Terry

763.561.5101

Religious Education Staff

Barbara Walhood

503.3340

Jon Q. Heyer

503.3342

Youth Ministry Coordinator

Teresa Rousseau

503.3349

Bilingual Pastoral Assistant

Michael DePass

503.3326

Director of Music

Mary Raeker

503.3322

Mass Intentions for this Week

A † before a name indicates the person is deceased.

Monday, May 18

7:00 AM Sr. Ancilla, OSB

8:30 AM † Mary Paul

Tuesday, May 19

7:00 AM † Ruth & Jerry Sparks

8:30 AM † Dick Kellington

Wednesday, May 20

7:00 AM Redemptorists of St. Alphonsus

8:30 AM † Stanley & Joanne Zyvolski

Thursday, May 21

7:00 AM † Peggy Stenger

8:30 AM † Bess Lahiff

Friday, May 22

7:00 AM † Tony Valenty

8:30 AM † Gerry LaCrosse

Saturday, May 23

8:00 AM † Ivan Hayes

5:00 PM † Jerome Minor

Sunday, May 24

7:00 AM † George Pauly

8:30 AM † John Turbitt, Sr.

10:30 AM Florence Okokpuije

12:30 PM Intentions of the Day

5:30 PM For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

Liturgical Ministers for Next Week

May 23 & 24—Ascension of the Lord

Saturday 5:00 PM

Lectors Mike Kraemer & Judy Catton

Cantor Bill Miller

Accompanist Carol Vickery

Sunday 7:00 AM

Lectors Gerald Hunt & Rick Vonderharr

Cantor Jean Olson

Accompanist Carol Vickery

Sunday 8:30 AM

Lectors Christina Wilson & Robert Thell

Cantor Mary Raeker

Accompanist Kathy Drew

Sunday 10:30 AM

Lectors Anna Hardy-Brown & Melissa Dubuque

Cantor Audrey Merfeld

Accompanist Kathy Drew

Ensemble Exultation Choir

Instrumentals Mary Ann Marschall

Sunday 12:30 PM

Music Latino Choir

Sunday 5:30 PM

Lectors Judy Jordahl & Michelle Buechner

Cantor Larry Nelson

Accompanist Kathy Drew

Marian Morning May 19

May is the month of Mary. We will honor our Blessed Mother on **Tuesday, May 19** with the Rosary at 8:00 am, Mass at 8:30 and Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions. Everyone is then invited to the CSSR Hall for refreshments and fellowship.

Hot Dogs for Sharing and Caring

The "Oldtimers" are again preparing a picnic for Memorial Day at Sharing and Caring Hands. You can be a big help by donating hot dogs. Bring hot dogs packages to the parish office and the guys will cook 'em up along with lots of side dishes. Hundreds of people will be served.

West Africans

This is an opportunity for parents, family and friends to receive information about resources for children's care, education and activities. At St. Alphonsus CSSR Hall, Saturday, May 30 from 9:30 am—12:30 pm. For information call Victoria at 763.438.3339.

Feast of The Ascension

The feast of the Ascension of our Lord will be celebrated on Sunday, May 24 in this Archdiocese, and most others in the USA. Thursday, May 21 is NOT a Holy Day.



This Week From Dave
Parish Administrator Dave Johnson
Dave Johnson, Parish Administrator

Dear Parish Community,

Periodically I hear parishioners wonder why St. Al's doesn't do more to rent out its facilities to others as a source of income for the parish. At first glance this appears to be a fairly straight forward and enterprising source of funds. Several factors are weighed before we permit others to use our facilities. First this is a busy place and many of our own parish groups reserve facilities far in advance. Many requests must be turned away as parish activities are always first priority for using facilities. Another factor is the proximity of the CSSR Hall to our worship space and possible disruptions. Still another factor is limited staff for clean-up and security. Many facilities provide trained and licensed food handlers. We do not. While we do make our facilities available our opportunities are frequently limited by our own priorities.

God Bless! Dave

Attention: St. Al's Seniors (50+)

Our May 21 meeting will begin at 5:30 with a social in the C.Ss.R. Hall. This is our spring salad potluck so bring your favorite salad to share. There will be a short meeting with the installation of officers. Come and see who will entertain you this month. Bring a friend or neighbor. The more, the merrier!

Flower Gardeners

Love flowers? Want to help with the parish flower beds? All the gardens could use occasional assistant gardeners with watering or weeding. Call Kathy at the office 763.561.5100 for more information.



No Green Thumb? A Helping "Two-fer"

The School is selling Linder's Garden Center gift cards. Pick one up for the Church flower gardeners and help keep St. Al's beautiful and the children educated!

TOOL

All Catholic Married Couples are invited to join TOOL (Teams of Our Lady). TOOL is a Marriage Spirituality Program. If you missed the information night, simply call Fr Brian Johnson 763.561.5100 for more information about this program. Here are a couple of examples of what couples who have been members of TOOL had to say about their experiences with the program: *"Teams helped us to build a better relationship with God and with each other."* *"Our experience with Teams has had a profound influence on our life, making a good marriage even better."* Consider letting TOOL bring similar benefits to your marriage!

St. Al's Women

The May packet of Weekly Collection Envelopes includes a green envelope for the Council of Catholic Women (CCW) dues. All women of the parish are welcome to become members. The dues are used for organizing the Christmas Bazaar, The Women's Day of Reflection, and Speakers/Hospitality at several of our general meetings. You also become members of the Archdiocesan Deanery CCW will hosts excellent speakers at four meetings a year. We welcome any level of participation that you can give, whether is being a member of one of our 12 guilds or attending the general meetings of the whole membership, donating to our Bazaar or Bake Sales, or just this monetary support. For more information about CCW or Guilds call Carol Skogrand at 763.424.7217.

Parish Phone Numbers

Parish Office 763.561.5100
Fax 763.561.0336
Email parishoffice@stalsmn.org

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Thurs 8:30-8:00 PM
Friday 8:30-4:00 PM
Saturday 8:30-7:00 PM
Sunday 8:00-1:00 PM

Business Office

763.503.3389

School

763.561.5101

Parish Health Ministry

Message Line 763.503.3331

Perpetual Adoration Chapel

Open 24 hrs. every day
Call Becky at 763.566.8276

Parish Trustees

Randy Pearce 612.886.1800
Lynne Wyffels 763.315.3432

Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Council meets on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7 PM at the Parish Office. Parishioners are welcome to contact a council member if you wish to include an item on the agenda. Council Meeting Minutes are available at the Parish Office.

Bob Byrnes, Chair
424.7630

Jill Collins 536.0079
Gerie Fischer 566.3222
Jose Flores 208.2092
Kathy Hartley 566.3067
Brian Johnson 425.6418
Joe McCue 493.5754
Dave Muehlberg 315.9375
Kami Schmitz 425.8735
Ryan Snee 566-8583
Terrance Spanier 503.6760

Finance Commission

Ed Daley, Chair
763.566.5232

FAITH FORMATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Upcoming Schedule

S.A.L.T. – Wednesday, May 20th, 6:30 pm
 Latino Youth Group – Sunday, May 17th, 2:00 pm
 Youth and Young Adult Commission, Monday, May 19th, 7 pm

St. Al's Youth Mission Team

Our mission trip this year has been changed to Appleton, WI. Appleton was hard hit last year with flooding and we are heading out to help those in need. Our mission is not only to work hard but to share our faith with other teens and the community. Please pray for us as we prepare to spread God's love. Teammates – we have a meeting on Thursday, May 21st at 6:30 pm. Please meet in the youth room. Please note this meeting is mandatory!!

Graduation Celebration Mass!

All graduates including those young people (and not so young) who are graduating from grade school, high school, college and other educational programs will be honored, Today, at the 5:30 PM Mass. Please pray for our young people as they begin a new phase in their lives. A simple reception will follow.

Summer Softball

Are you interested in a fun and fellowship softball league. Then it is time to let me know. We are once again invited to sign up for a summer church league, but I need to measure where the interest is. If you are interested in softball, please call Teresa at 763-503-3349. Please leave a message telling me that you have an interest. Our team is made up of 7th-12th graders and games are played on Sunday evenings during June and July. We will make a decision by May 20th on whether there is enough interest. Thanks!

Youth and Young Adult Commission

Our next meeting is this Monday, May 19th at 7 PM in the Youth Room.

- Barb Walhood – 763.503.3340, • Jon Heyer – 763.503.3342,
- Teresa Rousseau – 763.503.3349 • Michael DePass, en Español – 763.503.3326

St. Al's Ice Cream Social

As part of our 50th Anniversary, the Parish Life Commission and the Pan African Network will be hosting an Ice Cream Social on Sunday, June 28. Please put this date on your calendar and watch the bulletin for more of the details for this event! We are looking for donations of canned pop and bottled water for this event. If you wish to donate these items, you can drop them off in the office. If you wish to volunteer to work, please contact Pam or Chris Carlson @ 763-561-3958.

Parish Special Events

May 17	English Baptisms
May 17	Baccalauerate Mass
May 19	Marian Morning
May 19	VIRTUS training
May 19	Branch Meal Preparation
May 21	St. Al's Seniors
May 25	Memorial Day
May 25	"Oldtimer's" Picnic at Sharing and Caring Hands
May 28	St. Al's 8th Grade Graduation
May 31	Special Ed Party
June 7	Fr. Lowery's 60th Jubilee

RCIA

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Habitat for Humanity

This year's build is at 14852 Olivine St. NW in Ramsey. St. Al's needs a coordinator. Call Dan Maxwell to volunteer 763.550.9572.

May God continue to bless the Marriage of :

**Jacque & Helen Long—55 years
 May 29**

Sacramental Information

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:15 PM

Confesiones

Todos los Domingos 30 minutos antes de la misa en Español.

Baptisms

A program for both parents is offered before the baptism of a child. Call the parish office for the date of the program and to register.

Bautismo

Pláticas Bautismales el 1º Martes de cada mes a las 7:00 PM. Llamar para reservar su lugar 763.503.3326

Bodas

Contactar Padre Bill 763.503.3313

Weddings

Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to your anticipated wedding date.

Rosary

After the 8:30 AM daily Mass Please join us!

Perpetual Help Devotions

Tuesday after 8:30 AM Mass

Prayer Request Box

A box to receive special prayer requests is located by the Baptistry. These requests will be remembered during the daily rosary.

St. Alphonsus Endowment Fund

Please contact the parish office for more information on how to donate to the Endowment which provides long term support for the parish.

St. Alphonsus School Endowment Fund

Brochures are available at the parish office, or on our web site www.stalsmn.com



Crusader Corner

St. Alphonsus School

Everyone Loves a Parade!

Save the date, June 18th 2009. St. Alphonsus Parish and School will be marching in the Brooklyn Park Tater Daze Parade again this year. All are welcome. Wear your St. Al's 50th anniversary t-shirts or St. Al's gear. Watch the bulletin for our parade line up number or contact Sharon Arbeiter with question sar-beiter@comcast.net or 763.503.2821. Let's show our St. Al's spirit!



Environmental Garden Window

Please take time to stop and look at the Environmental Garden that last year's Student Council developed for the St. Al's students. You will notice a beautiful new stained glass window marking the entrance to the garden. Mr. Quinn, Phy Ed & Science teacher, made the whole window and its wood frame and donated it to the Student Council to, in turn, donate it to the school. It is a wonderful gift to the school and it makes the entrance to the Environmental Garden far more attractive. Thank you Mr. Quinn!

Adopt-A-Classroom: Summer Painting Project



We're looking for families or groups of friends to volunteer to paint a classroom in the elementary wing this summer between June 15th and July 25th. Work may be done on your own schedule. Paint and all supplies will be provided. We are also accepting monetary donations toward this project. Checks should be made out to St. Alphonsus School with "painting project" in the memo line. Please contact Kami Schmitz (763-425-8735 or kschmitz@roomandboard.com) for information or to volunteer.

Thank-you!

The St. Alphonsus Parish School and its Families would like to **thank** the following companies/individuals for their donations to the St. Al's Teacher Appreciation Prize Drawings.

We appreciate their support of our St. Al's Teachers! The prize drawings were a huge hit with the teachers. If you have the opportunity to thank the individuals or do business with the companies listed, please mention their contribution to St. Al's. It is always a big "plus" to support those who support us. **Allen & Maureen Arbeiter; Davanni's; Sammy Perrella's; Bob, Shelly & Gabby Gruenke; Brookdale Car Wash; Beth Pedersen & Family; Linda Kraemer— Independent Pampered Chef Consultant; Northwestern Book Store; Houlihan's; John & Barb Saunders; Margaret Nguyen & Family; Kathy Drew; Esther & Joseph Retzer; The Fulgham Family and Several Anonymous Donors!**



Readings for the Week of May 17, 2009 Sunday

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48
1 Jn 4:7-10 / Jn 15:9-17

Monday
Acts 16:11-15 / Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday
Acts 16:22-34 / Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday
Acts 17:15,22—18:1
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday
Acts 18:1-8 / Jn 16:16-20

Friday
Acts 18:9-18/ Jn 16:20-23

Saturday
Acts 18:23-28 / Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday
Acts 1:1-11 / Eph 1:17-23 or
Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13
Mk 16:15-20

Please Pray for the Sick

Christine Vener

Bette Martian

Dorothy Freundsuh,
Sister-in-law of
Germaine Zyvolosky

Jackie Payne,
Sister-in-law of Linda Payne

Astrid Vinje,
Mother of Don Vinje

God Grant Eternal Rest

Stella Welch,
Aunt of Marie Tromiczak

Alice Eskierka,
mother of Kathy Arntson and
Susan Eskierka

Bleacher Project

We made \$8,200 at the parish garage sale! The estimated cost for our bleacher replacements is \$25,000, so we have a ways to go. If anyone would like to make a donation towards this project, bring it to the parish office marked "Bleacher Project". Any amount will help us complete this project.

Good Deals for Good Cause

A unique Garage Sale is being held for the benefit of the Holy Family Catholic Adoption Agency on Wed. May 20th from 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. and Thurs. May 21st from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. at the Anoka County fairgrounds (Ferry St). To donate or for more info call 763.421.8917. Please pray for our cause.

North Side Life Care Center

There is a big need for gently used children's summer clothes sizes newborn—size six. We also need gently used baby equipment such as strollers, bouncy seats, high chairs, etc. Please keep us in mind as you clean our your closets or go to garage sales.

Financial Stewardship

May 9 & 10, 2009

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Actual	\$23,177	\$1,342,410
Budgeted	\$27,677	\$1,374,785
Variance	(\$4,500)	(\$32,375)

For Debt Reduction \$877.50

Thank you for your generosity !

Wedding Banns

May 30, 2009

Russell Sanborn & Caitlin Schwartz

Elpidio Tolentino & Lois Barsness

NOTICIAS DE NUESTRA COMUNIDAD

Celebramos el Aniversario de 50 años de Nuestra Parroquia de San Alfonso

El sábado, 1 de agosto y el domingo, 2 de agosto de 2009 tendremos una FERIA DE DIVERSIONES para toda la familia. Habrá música en vivo, buena comida y bebida, juegos para niños, muchas diversiones, etc. **El domingo, 2 de agosto la hora de misa será a las 11:00 de la mañana.** Será una misa bilingüe para unir a todas culturas de nuestra Parroquia. No tendremos la misa de 12:30 PM este día especial para poder celebrar nuestra diversidad. Es una gran celebración y necesitaremos la ayuda de muchos. Si usted podrá ayudar por algunas horas en estos días, por favor llame al 763-503-3326. Todo el mundo está invitado.

Calendario de Bautizos

Pláticas de Preparación (En el salón de la iglesia)

A las 7:00 de la tarde El primer martes

2 de junio

7 de julio

4 de agosto

1 de septiembre

Bautizos

A las 11:00 de la mañana

El segundo sábado

13 de junio

11 de julio

8 de agosto

12 de septiembre

CCW Latina

¿Está usted interesada en servir a Dios y a su prójimo? Le invitamos al grupo de mujeres "Madre Teresa de Calcuta" Nos reunimos los segundos y cuartos sábados de cada mes de 4:30 a 6:00 de la tarde en la casita atrás del gimnasio de la escuela en el 4111 71st Ave. N.

El Grupo Juvenil

Reuniones: Nos reunimos el primer y tercer domingo del mes después de la Misa de 12:30 PM. Jóvenes de los grados 7 hasta 12 están invitados.

Actividades: Softball (béisbol)

Los domingos en la tarde en junio y julio. Llame a Teresa al 763-503-3349 ahorita.

Rezar el Rosario en Grupo

Si tiene interés, se puede llamar a la oficina al 763-503-3326 para más detalles.

Ministerio de Evangelización

Es para adultos que tienen interés de estudiar La Biblia, rezar, y desarrollar su vida espiritual. Es todos los sábados entre las 9 AM y las 11 AM en la casita atrás del gimnasio de la escuela en el 4111 71st Ave. N.

Para Nuestros Voluntarios

El domingo, 21 de junio después de la Misa a las 2:30 PM en el salón de la iglesia, tendremos **una sesión en español de Virtus, clase de cómo proteger nuestros niños.** Es obligatorio para los padres de nuestra escuela y toda la gente que van a trabajar de voluntario o participar en actividades de nuestros niños y jóvenes. Es para todos nuestros líderes de varios ministerios y los que participan. Será de las 2:30 a las 5:30 de la tarde. Niños no puedan estar en el salón durante la sesión. Llámenos para apuntar su nombre al 763-503-3326.

Salud y Familia- Paso a Paso

Únase al desafío de caminatas Paso a Paso. ¡Participe con toda la familia y amigos! Se inicia el domingo 17 de mayo y finaliza el domingo 12 de julio del 2009. La iglesia que camina más minutos, ¡gana! Reunimos los martes en la tarde enfrente de la iglesia.

Clases de Catecismo

Inscripciones serán después de las Misas los domingos, 9, 16, 23, y 30 de agosto. Debería de traer una copia de la Fe de Bautismo para los que van a hacer la Primera Comunión. Llámenos al 763.503.3326.

Adoración Perpetua al Santísimo

Hay tanta gente que habla de la paz profunda que se encuentra adorando el Santísimo en la Capilla de Adoración. Si usted le gustaría comprometerse una hora con nuestro Señor Jesucristo, necesitamos adoradores por las horas siguientes: **los domingos** a las 4am y 3am; **los lunes** a las 2pm; **los viernes** a las 6am, 1pm, y 7pm; **los sábados** a las 1am, 2am, mediodía, 1pm, y 7pm. Llame a Michael DePass si tiene interés al 763.503.3326.

Horario de las Misas

En Español

Domingo—12:30 PM

En Inglés

Sábado: 5:00 PM

Domingo:

7:00 AM, 8:30AM, 10:30 AM,
y 5:30 PM

Días de la semana
(lunes a viernes)

7:00 AM y 8:30 AM

sábado – 8:00 AM

Información De Los Sacramentos

Confesiones:

Todos los domingos 30 minutos antes de la misa en español.

Bautismo

Pláticas Bautismales el 1°
Martes de cada mes a las 7:00
PM. Llamar para reservar su
lugar 763.503.3326

Bodas:

Debe hacer una cita con
Padre Bill.

Confirmación:

Llama la oficina a
763.503.3326.

Unción de los Enfermos:

Llama la oficina a
763.503.3326.

Estamos aquí para servirles.
Paz y alegría en Jesucristo,

Nuestro Salvador,

Padre Bill Bueche,

Ministerio Latino

Michael DePass, Asistente

**Se puede llamarnos a
763.503.3326.**

Children's Reading Program Volunteers Needed

Sharing & Caring Hands and Mary's Place is looking for volunteers to help this summer with their Reading Program for homeless children. Come as often as you are able to. If interested, please call: Kathy at 612.328.0988.

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Fundraiser for Former Parishioner

Nancy Madden, former parishioner and daughter-in-law of the late Gloria Madden is being treated for stage 4 ovarian cancer at Mayo Clinic. She was laid off her job and lost her medical insurance and so did her husband Larry. A Benefit spaghetti dinner and silent auction will be held at the Elks Lodge 44, 2875 Brookdale Dr. on May 29 from 6—8 pm.

Archdiocesan Marriage Day Celebration

All couples celebrating silver and golden anniversaries in the 2009 calendar year are invited to join Most Reverend John C. Nienstedt of St. Paul and Minneapolis on: **Saturday, June 13 at the Cathedral of St. Paul at 10:00 AM** for Mass, renewal of vows, and a short reception. Couples married over 50 years will also be honored and are invited to attend. Families and friends of honored couples welcome! Sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office for Marriage, Family and Life. For more information, call 651-291-4488 or visit our website: www.archspm.org/family

Adoration Chapel:

We have need regular adorers at these times: Sunday: *3AM, *4AM; Monday : 2PM, Friday: 6AM, 1PM, *7PM; Saturday: *1AM, 2AM, *NOON, 1PM, 7PM (*indicates we are currently filling this hour with substitutes)

There is a Chapel coordinator's meeting **Monday, May 18th** beginning with Mass at 6:30pm.

We are opening this up to any adorer who may be interested. Please RSVP to a Division leaders (phone #'s on the bulletin board) or Becky Borchardt @763-566-8276 if you are coming.