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Fr. Roger Klassen, OSB, Pastor

**Welcome to our Tri-Parish Community!**

Rev. Mr. Rick Scherping, Deacon

Visitors are always welcome at our celebrations. For information about our three parish communities or about Sacred Heart School, please contact the Tri-Parish Office at 320-836-2143 or visit our websites, [Sacredheartfreeport.org](http://Sacredheartfreeport.org), [Newmunichchurch.org](http://Newmunichchurch.org), or [Strosachurch.org](http://Strosachurch.org). Parish bulletins and calendars are available on-line at our Tri-parish websites. **Weekly Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Thursday before 9:00 AM.** Please e-mail announcements/correspondence to [triparish@albanytel.com](mailto:triparish@albanytel.com) or send to: Tri-parish Office, 106 3rd Ave N E, Freeport MN 56331-0155.

**From the Pastor...**

**C**ollection for Nepal Earthquake Victims All of us are certainly aware of the vast destruction that has taken place as a result of the 7.8 magnitude earthquake which struck Nepal in the late morning of April 25. Thousands have been left homeless and thousands more are lacking basic necessities. This past week the Bishops of the United States received a letter regarding this devastating natural disaster from Archbishop Joseph Kurtz, President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

In his letter, Archbishop Kurtz wrote, "Our Church mourns the terrible suffering of our brothers and sisters affected by this powerful earthquake. The earthquake struck the Kathmandu valley, which is densely populated with nearly 2.5 million people. Tens of thousands of families are sleeping outside in Kathmandu and require shelter and protection from the cold and relentless rain, which has worsened conditions. Aftershocks continue—one reaching 6.7 magnitude and another 5.4 magnitude—increasing fear, causing further damage to buildings and interrupting rescue operations. Most markets in Kathmandu are closed. People urgently need basic essentials. Shelter, blankets, safe water, food, medical care, hygiene and counseling are priorities. Hygiene and sanitation are critical to preventing waterborne diseases."

To show our solidarity with our brothers and sisters who are suffering as a result of this earthquake, Bishop Kettler is asking that every parish of the Diocese of Saint Cloud take up a special collection for the victims of this earthquake. Please put your donation in an envelope with your name, parish and envelope number on it and drop it in the collection on either the weekend of May 9-10 or May 16-17. The bishops realize that the following weekend, May 23-24, is the collection for the Holy Father, but both causes are important.

**M**ass at Lake Maria Wednesday, May 20 We all have special needs in our tri-parish community, and on Wednesday, May 20, at 8:00pm, we will have the opportunity to request Mary's intercession in this month dedicated to her as we deal with many different issues, such as the bird flu virus, the need for rain and good weather for our growing season, the desire for peace and harmony in our cities and among nations of the world, and helping victims of natural disasters such as the earth quake in Nepal. Please plan of taking this opportunity to celebrate the Eucharist celebrating **new life** in the midst of God's awesome creation!

**C**harities of the Quarter At our three to parish pastoral council meetings last week, two special causes were singled out as our "charities of the quarter". The St Rose of Lima council will send a donation on behalf of the parish to the Mary and Mike Eggert family of St. Francis. Daughter Aubriella (born Nov. 2014) was diagnosed on Feb. 27 with spinal muscular atrophy (SMA), a genetic disease affecting the part of the nervous system that controls voluntary muscle movement. The Sacred Heart and Immaculate Conception councils will send donations to Covenant House in New York City to help the staff there to continue ministering to thousands of homeless kids that come to their crises shelter for a hot meal, some clean clothes, and a safe place to sleep. Members of our three parishes are invited to add to the parish donation to these "charities of the quarter" by labeling their donation "Charity of the Quarter" and dropping their gift in the Sunday collection.



**GOOD WINE** Vines and wines and vineyards, the rituals of tasting, and the good wine were shared by Jesus at Cana's wedding. Jesus is our vine and we his branches. The fruit we produce is the life of the Holy Spirit in us. "We know he lives in us by the Spirit he has given us." Taste and see how good the Lord is. Jesus himself gives the best wine of divine life to those who ask. Come to the wedding feast of God!

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In today's reading from John chapter 1, we learn Christian love requires action. "Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." Further on he exhorts us to believe in the name of Christ and to love one another just as he commanded us. Jesus commands us to love one another. But He doesn't stop there. He directs our concern especially toward the poor and vulnerable; "Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." (Mathew 25)

Pope Francis echoed this sentiment in an Apostolic Exhortation from November of 2013. He said "The Pope loves everyone, rich and poor alike, but the Pope has the duty, in Christ's name, to remind the rich to help the poor, to respect them, to promote them." As we journey through this Easter season, let the love of God and the gifts of the Holy Spirit be made known through our actions in the world. And may all of our encounters-especially with those most in need-bear the healing love of Christ.

*Doug Scott, Rural Life coordinator, Catholic Charities, St. Cloud*

5th Sunday of Easter, Cycle B, Weekdays-Year I May 3, 2015

## Masses at Freeport

May 4 - 10, 2015

Mo 8:15am Communion Service  
Tu 8:15am Communion Service  
We 8:15am †Rose Marie Hiltner  
Th 8:15am Communion Service  
Fr 8:15am ††Ann & Roman Zwick  
Sa 4:00pm ††Elmer & Rosalie Elfering

### Sacred Heart Parish Events

Su 5-3 10:15 am St. Joseph Society Brkfst/Mtg  
Su 5-3 2:00pm Confirmation- Melrose  
Fr 5-8 9:00am Eucharistic Adoration  
Su 5-10 7:00pm Harmony Practice  
Sa 5-16 4:00pm Graduation Mass/Social  
Su 5-17 7:00pm "500" Card Party  
Sa 7-18 Parish Festival  
Su 7-19 Parish Festival

### St. Joseph Society Meeting/Breakfast

St. Joseph Society annual members' meeting and breakfast Sunday, May 3, in the Sacred Heart Parish church basement. All members and any male members of the parish wishing to join are welcome to attend. The starts at 10:15am with the meeting to follow.

**"500" Card Party** Sunday, May 17 at 7:00 pm in the church basement. Lunch workers: Joyce & Jerome Klaphake.

### Class of 2015 Graduates' Mass

will be on Saturday, May 16 at the 4:00 pm Mass followed by a Social. Please come down to extend your best wishes to these young people as they prepare to venture out of this parish community.

### Festival 2015 News—July 18/19

♥Anyone wishing to enter a Unit in the Sacred Heart Parade should contact Bud Heidegerken at 836-2823. The theme this year is "It's a Musical World".

♥Make sure your **calendars are marked** for the festivities on July 18 for the Polka Mass/Fabulous Armadillos and July 19 for the parade and entertainment.

♥**Grand Raffle:** Anyone wishing to donate to the Festival Grand Raffle, please call Wayne/Kristie Revering, 836-2359, or Peter/Marilyn Heidegerken, 836-2565.

*Deana & Gwen Festival Coordinators*

### Little League Baseball

•**Boys (Grades 5-8)** interested in Little League Baseball will have practice at 6 pm Sunday at Black Sox Park. Questions call Bud Heidegerken 836-2823 or Andy Welle 836-7053.

•**Practice for Grades 1-4** will begin on Sunday May 23 at 6:00 pm at the I-94 Park

### Freeport Community Garden

Rows are assigned and the map is posted on the garden shed. Anyone interested in one or more of these 80-foot-long rows, should call the tri-parish office at 836-2143 indicating how many rows 3 1/2 foot apart (wide enough for the tiller to pass between rows) and how many rows 7 feet apart (for "vine-y" plants such as squash, watermelon or cucumbers). It is important to stretch a string from pole to pole and plant carefully under it so the tiller can pass between rows. Need tools? Call Fr. Roger for shed combination.

## Masses at New Munich

May 4 - 10, 2015

Th 8:15am †Quentin Mayers  
Su 9:00am †Lucille Meyer, Anniv.

### Immaculate Conception Events

Su 5-3 7:30pm Card Party  
Mo 5-4 7:30pm Munichfest Planning Mtg  
Su 5-10 7:00pm Harmony Practice-FR  
Th 5-14 7:30pm Choir Practice  
Su 5-17 10:00am Fellowship Sunday  
Su 6-14 10:00am Celebration for Fr. Roger  
Sa 6-20 Munichfest

**"500" Card Party** Sunday, May 3 at 7:30 pm in the church basement.

**Choir Practice** Thurs., May 14, 7:30pm

**May He Rest in Peace** We offer our prayers and sympathy to the family of †Roman "Boysie" Bushman, who died at the CentraCare Health Nursing Home on April 29. His funeral was celebrated here Saturday, May 2.

**Fellowship Sunday** All are welcome to gather after mass Sunday, May 17 in the church basement for doughnuts/refreshments.

**Thank You, NM Lions,** for your generous donation of \$650 to parish needs!

**Please, NO Tractor/trailer Parking** on Church Parking lot. The asphalt cannot withstand large commercial truck traffic. Thanks for your cooperation. *Your Parish Council*

### June 20—Munichfest 2015 News

•**Planning Meeting** Monday, May 4, 7:30 pm in church basement for committee members.

•**Packets** for the raffle tickets, worker schedules and Munichfest information will be available after Mass in New Munich the next few weekends, please plan to pick them up .

•The planning is going well and this year's theme is **"Down on the Farm"**

•The parade will be at 2:00pm with the majority of the events starting after the parade, including the Kid's Tractor Pedal Pull.

•Thanks to all the businesses and people who donated for the Grand Raffle.

•In addition to other music throughout the afternoon and early evening, this year we will have live music starting at 9:00m featuring the Buck Band!

•Please save this date and let your friends and relatives know!

**Polka In The Park** Wednesday, May 13 at city hall in New Munich. All are welcome. Sponsored by New Munich Jaycees.

**Join the Celebration** All current and former members of Immaculate Conception Parish are invited to a "Celebration of Fr. Roger's 18 Years of Service" to our church on Sunday, June 14, following the 9:00 am mass. A short program will be held in church followed by a "Pig Roast" dinner.

**New Munich Pee Wee (3-5 Grade) and Little League (6-8 Grade) Baseball** teams first practice Sunday, May 17, 5:30pm at the NM baseball field. Questions? Call Pat at 612-220-5278 or 837-5278.

♥**The New Munich Legion Baseball Team** first game Tuesday, June 2, NM Baseball field. Practice schedule "will be determined". Questions? Call Pat at the above numbers.

## Masses at St. Rosa

May 4 - 10, 2015

Tu 8:00am †Joyce Middendorf  
Sa 8:00pm ††Aloys Wiechman Family  
Su 9:30am For the Members of our 3 Parishes

### St. Rose of Lima Parish Events

We 5-6 7:30pm Confirmation Last Class  
Sa 5-9 after mass Carnation Sale  
Su 5-10 after mass Carnation Sale  
Su 5-10 7:00pm Harmony Practice-FR  
Tu 5-12 7:30pm Adult Choir Practice  
Su 5-17 9:30am Graduation Mass

**St. Rose Graduation Mass** will be Sunday, May 17.

### Festival News:

♦We are **thankful to the volunteers** who will be chairing the hamburger stand and blackjack table. We are **still in need of a volunteer** to chair the dining room.

♦One of the **Festival Freezers broke** last year. We are in search of either a quality freezer to be donated or funding to purchase a new one.

♦If interested in volunteering, donating or for questions contact Ben and Sarah Wiechman (320) 256-5009, Brad and Jenelle Herkenhoff (320) 836-2664, Kim and David Wiechman (320) 293-4728.

### Carnation Sale Next Weekend

St. Rosa Christian women will have their annual carnation sale after masses next weekend. Proceeds will go to benefit Options for Women, Sauk Centre. Suggested donation \$2.00 each.

## Tri-Parish News

### Youth Group Raffle Winners

May 4- Deb Heinen  
May 5- Dennis Hartung  
May 6- Sharon Blaskowski  
May 7- Nicole Welle  
May 8- Jane Austing  
May 9- Ruth Wieling  
May 10- Glen Wilwerding

**Thank You** to all who participated in the Tri-Parish Youth Group Calendar Raffle! Be sure to thank our business sponsors as well! Congratulations to our winners!

### Rural Stearns Faith In Action

is seeking volunteers to meet friendly visiting and transportation needs of seniors, and people facing difficult life circumstances, in your community. Call Mary Rademacher to volunteer at 320.348.2316 or e-mail [rademacher.mary@assumptionhome.com](mailto:rademacher.mary@assumptionhome.com)

### Helping Hands Needed....

The Freeport Meals on Wheels route needs volunteer drivers to deliver meals to home bound seniors every other Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Chances are, if we can not find the volunteers needed we will need to cut back on the number of days for delivery. Please consider lending a helping hand to the service of others. May God guide your heart. Call for more information 320-845-4070.

## Tri-Parish News

### ◆◆◆◆◆ St. Rose of Lima ◆◆◆◆◆

Adult Env.	2,068.00	Plate	99.80
Home Mission	70.00	Votive	532.25
		<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,770.05</b>

### ◆◆◆ Immaculate Conception ◆◆◆

Adult Env.	1,756.00	Plate	387.00
Bsmt. Use	700.00	Stole Fee	100.00
Home Mission	60.00	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,003.00</b>

### ◆◆◆◆◆ Sacred Heart ◆◆◆◆◆

Adult Env.	2,807.60	Plate	99.00
School Support	130.00	Votive	85.67
Home Mission	5.00	Stole Fee	140.00
		<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,267.27</b>

## The Scriptures This Week

Lectionary readings at [www.ncbuscc.org](http://www.ncbuscc.org)

<b>Mo</b>	Acts 14:5-18	Jn 14:21-26
<b>Tu</b>	Acts 14:19-28	Jn 14:27-31a
<b>We</b>	Acts 15:1-6	Jn 15:1-8
<b>Th</b>	Acts 15:7-21	Jn 15:9-11
<b>Fr</b>	Acts 15:22-31	Jn 15:12-17
<b>Sa</b>	Acts 16:1-10	Jn 15:18-21
<b>Next Sunday</b>	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48	
	1 Jn 4:7-10	Jn 15:9-17

## Tri-Parish Prayer Requests...

Please call the Tri-parish office to be added to this list.

**May He Rest in Peace:** Roman "Boysie" Bushman

### For our Triparish Confirmation Candidates

**For the Sick:** Dorine Revermann, Otto Thelen, Jackalyn Wilwerding, Richard Rademacher, Eleanor Niehoff, Jim (JT) Terwey, Joan Schlicht, Ashtyn Fiedler, Rose Funk, Shirley Heidgerken, Arlene Arnzen, Bernice Scherping, Frances Borgerding, Marcella Briol, Esther Steinernan

### Contact Persons for Prayer Line Requests:

- ◆ Sacred Heart - - - - - Marcella Briol 836-2611
- ◆ Immaculate Concept. - Bernice Zink 837-5321
- ◆ St. Rose of Lima - - Marlene Herdering 761-8714

**Harmony Practice:** Sunday, May 10 at 7:00 pm, Freeport **Sing:** Saturday, May 16 at 4:00 pm, Freeport.

## Part-Time PreSchool Teacher Opening

Sacred Heart School has an opening for a Part-time Pre-school teacher in the upcoming school year. Call the school office at 836-2591 for application information.

**Labels for SHS** If you have any of the following around the house yet - **Box Tops, Food Club Labels, Campbell's Labels, Teal's Receipts, Loaves for Learning** - please send them with a SHS student or drop them off at school within the next few weeks. We will send them in for redemption in June. Thank you for saving these items for SHS.

**Question of the Week:** Please reflect on the following questions:

**Question for Children:** How do you keep yourself connected to Jesus in your daily life?

**Question for Youth:** Jesus is the vine - we are the branches, connected to Him as our life-source. When do you feel most con-

## Tri-Parish Faith Formation, Youth Ministry, Sacred Heart School

### Tri-Parish Youth Ministry/Faith Formation Director:

Kristen Herdering (also Sacred Heart Rel Ed) 249-3032

### Religious Education Coordinators:

St. Rose of Lima: Kayla Hartung 333-8461

## 11th Grade Confirmation

◆ **Confirmation** - Sunday, May 3, at 2:00 pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Melrose. Students should arrive by 12:50 pm, Sponsors by 1:30 pm.

◆ **Last Class** - Wednesday, May 6 at 7:30 pm in St. Rosa for students and parents. A meal will be provided.

## Youth Group

◆ **Sing and Strum Choir** will be playing at the 8:00 pm Mass in St. Rosa on Saturday, May 9 followed by Youth Group activities. Practice at 7:00 pm. Join the fun!

◆ **Joyful Noise:** June 5-6, Grades 7-12. Be uplifted through great music and tons of fun at the National Sports Center in Blaine! Artists include Matthew West, tobyMac, For King & Country, Jamie Grace, & MANY more. Also enjoy a 'playground' of huge inflatables! Leave Freeport on Friday, June 5 at 1:00 pm, camp at Bunker Hills Campground that night, return around 12:30 am Saturday night. Regular admission- \$75, Youth Group Fundraisers- \$50, Class of 2015- \$35. Registration/payment due to the Tri-Parish office by May 31st. \*Hurry, only open to first 20 students to register!

◆ **Lock-In hosted in Osakis:** June 3rd, 6:00 pm -6:00 am, Grades 6-8. Theme: "Hello, My Name Is..." Join us for a night filled with fun activities, various speakers, lots of snacks, and SO much more! We'll be discussing our true identity within the world we live in. Meet in the Freeport lot at 5:15PM and return around 6:30AM. \$10 per student. 9-12 graders are invited to help run this night! Registration forms found on bulletin boards and due May 27. Contact Kristen for more info!

nected to Jesus in your everyday life? How can you go there more often?

**Question for Adults:** How does your own connection to Christ, the vine, affect your daily life? What image from this reading helps you see the importance of this connection to Christ?

**Girls Softball** Grades 1-9 will begin Monday, May 24 at 6:00 pm at the church diamond, Freeport. Any questions call Bud Heidgerken 836-2823.

**Daughters of Isabella** Rosary at 6:40 pm along with Communion Service at 7:00 pm Monday, May 4 at the Pine Villa Chapel, with meeting to follow.

◆ **Pillow Cleaning** Thursday, May 14 7:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Sauk River Park, Melrose.

**Electronic Waste Recycling** The Pelican Peak 4-H Club will be conducting an electronic waste recycling event. At the Freeport Fire Hall on Saturday, May 30

◆ **Join Tri-Parish Youth Group on Facebook** to stay informed about events, share photos, make prayer request, download registration forms and more!

◆ Follow us on **Twitter@TriParish\_YG.**

## Sacred Heart School *Kathy Welle*

◆ **School Liturgy** on Wednesday, May 6 will be planned by Mrs. Harren and the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students.

◆ **It is with regret that we accepted the resignation of Mrs. Sara Van Beck** this past week. Mrs. Sara has been a dedicated and wonderful pre-K teacher at SHS for the past 7 years, but at this time is needed full time by her family. Thank you Mrs. Sara, our love and prayers are with you and your family.

## Tri-Parish Faith Formation/Rel Ed

◆ **Vacation Bible School** - June 15-19 on Sacred Heart Church grounds from 9:00-11:30am. This summer's theme is "Everest- Conquering challenges with God's mighty power!" Embark on an icy expedition where kids overcome obstacles with God's awesome power. Registration forms found in back of churches and on bulletin boards. Due June 9. Many volunteers also needed! Don't miss the best week of summer!



## BWCA Trips this Summer

At present no definite BWCA groups have formed, no leaders have come forward, and no specific dates or routes were requested, so right now we have no permits for any trips this summer. If an adult is willing to lead a group, or any campers want to form a group with a qualified leader and chaperone, please see Fr. Roger ASAP so we can see what can be done to continue this program.

from 8:00 am until 11:00 am. If you have any questions please call Jason or Amy Scherping at 320-836-7098 and leave a message.

**Saint John's Has Been Awarded** a grant to develop successful models of building and sustaining community in parishes nationwide. We are now seeking men and women student applicants and referrals for this new Lilly Community Fellowship program at Saint John's School of Theology. More info at [www.collegevilleMN.com](http://www.collegevilleMN.com)

**Nominate a Candidate** for the 2015 *Humanae Vitae Award*—someone who shows great courage promoting the teachings of *Humanae vitae* in ministry, education, or witness. Submit your nomination with a short essay (500 words or less) by May 29. Visit [www.stcdio.org/omf/nfp](http://www.stcdio.org/omf/nfp) for information. Send or fax nomination to: Office of Marriage & Family, Natural Family Planning Advisory Committee, 305 7th Avenue North Suite 100, St. Cloud, MN 56303 E-mail: [omf@gw.stcdio.org](mailto:omf@gw.stcdio.org) Fax: 320-258-7658.

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## Community Calendar



**May 3, Sunday** Albany Boy Scout Troop 30 Beligan Waffle Brunch from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm at Seven Dolours Parish Center, Albany. Silent Auction.

**May 3, Sunday** The Crosier Fathers and Brothers of Onamia invite you to an Open House, 2-4 p.m. The afternoon will feature *The Art of the Priory*, including stained glass, carvings, paintings, sculptures, iconography, pencil drawings, and a 16th century chalice. The Open House and reception includes an invitation to join the Crosier Community for Sunday Evening Prayer at 4:30 p.m. This event is free.

**May 4, Monday** Mother of Mercy Auxiliary Meeting at 2:00 pm in the Chapel at Mother of Mercy Nursing Home. Discussion of spring fundraisers will take place.

**May 16, Saturday** St. John's/St. Andrew's Catholic School 100 year celebration of St. John's School Building, Meire Grove. Welcome all Alumni, Family, Friends, former Pastors, Sisters, Principals, Teachers and Staff to our 100 year celebration and All School Reunion. Meal (free will offering) in the St. John's Church basement following 4:00 pm mass with Bishop Kettler. School tours, Social hour, Story Sharing, Root Beer Floats 1-4:00pm. Meire Grove Band playing from 2-3:00 pm.

**May 16, Saturday** Mental Health Walk 11:00am. Start at Lake George, St. Cloud. To register/donate: www.namistcloud.com or call 320-654-1259. Check in begins at 9:00 am; Team recognition and photo's at 10:30 am. Prizes for Best Team T-shirt, Door Prizes, Silent Basket Auction, Silly Hat Walk for the Kids. Proceeds go to NAMI St. Cloud Area programs of Education, Advocacy, Support.

**May 20, Wednesday**, Chicken dinner with all the trimmings. Freeport Community Center. Serving from 4:30 to 7:30 pm.

Look for more information about these events in The St. Cloud Visitor

## Our Tri-Parish Cluster Information

### Area Code 320 for all phones

#### Tri-Parish & Freeport Phone Numbers

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Freeport Church Basement 836-2129  
Deacon Rick—Home 836-2635  
Sacred Heart School 836-2591  
Sacred Heart School FAX 836-2514  
Kristen Herdering, Youth Min. 249-3032

#### New Munich Phone Numbers

New Munich Church Basement 837-5217

#### St. Rosa of Lima Phone Numbers

Religious Ed Office, kitchen 836-2537

#### St. Cloud Diocese Website:

www.stclouddiocese.org

### Celebrating The Sacraments

**Baptism:** Call Fr. Roger or Deacon Rick to arrange for pre-Baptismal preparation and/or the celebration of Baptism.

**Reconciliation:** Celebrated individually 15 minutes before weekday morning masses, before Saturday evening masses, or by appointment (call Fr. Roger).

**Weddings:** Couples must contact pastor at least 6 months prior to planned wedding date to plan marriage preparation.

**Communal Anointing of the Sick** is celebrated twice a year. Call the Parish Office to arrange for individual anointing of the homebound or hospitalized.

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Albany, MN 56307  
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# May, 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Mass at 10:30 am—FR Grandparents Day Mass	2 Masses at 4:00 pm-FR 8:00 pm-SR
3 Masses at 9:00 am-NM 9:30 am-SR 10:15am St. Joseph Society Mtg/Brkfst-FR 2:00 pm TP Confir- mation in Melrose 7:30pm—NM “500” Card Party	4	5 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	6 Mass at 8:15 am—FR 7:30 pm—SR Confirmation Class	7 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	8 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	9 Masses at 4:00 pm-FR 8:00 pm-SR 7:00pm Sing & Strum Choir Prac- tice—SR 9:00pm Youth Group Activities— SR
10 Masses at 9:00 am-NM 9:30 am-SR 7:00pm Harmony Practice—FR	11	12 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	13 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	14 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	15 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	16 Masses at 4:00 pm-FR Graduation Mass w/Social 8:00 pm-SR
17 Masses at 9:00 am-NM *Graduation Mass w/Social *CUF Fellowship 9:30 am-SR Graduation Mass 7:00 pm—FR “500” Card Party	18	19 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	20 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	21 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	22 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	23 Masses at 4:00 pm-FR 8:00 pm-SR  - SR Maggie Wiechmann/Chad Binsfeld Wedding
24 Masses at 9:00 am-NM 9:30 am-SR	25	26 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	27 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	28 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	29 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	30 Masses at 4:00 pm-FR 8:00 pm-SR
31 Masses at 9:00 am-NM 9:30 am-SR						

# June, 2015

Freeport = FR, New Munich = NM, St. Rosa = SR, Tri-Parish = TP, Youth Group = YG

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Mass at 8:00 am—SR  6:30 pm—NM CUF Join Hands Meeting	3 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	4 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	5 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	6 Masses at 4:00 pm—FR 8:00 pm—SR  9:00 pm—SR CUF Qtrly Meeting
7 Masses at 9:00 am—NM 9:30 am—SR	8	9 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	10 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	11 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	12 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	13 Masses at 4:00 pm—FR 8:00 pm—SR
14 Masses at 9:00 am—NM 9:30 am—SR  10:00am Celebration for Fr. Roger—NM	15	16 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	17 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	18 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	19 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	20 Masses at 4:00 pm—FR 8:00 pm—SR  Munichfest—NM
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">           Vacation Bible School            9:00 am to 11:30 am Each Day on Sacred Heart Church Grounds—FR         </div>					
21 Masses at 9:00 am—NM 9:30 am—SR  7:00 pm—FR "500" Card Party	22	23 Mass at 8:00 am—SR	24 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	25 Mass at 8:15 am—NM	26 Mass at 8:15 am—FR	27 Masses at 4:00 pm—FR 8:00 pm—SR
28 Masses at 9:00 am—NM 9:30 am—SR	29	30 Mass at 8:00 am—SR				

## Ministry Sign Up Sheet

With the new mass schedule we would like to ask all parish members to consider becoming a ministry volunteer.

Please prayerfully consider volunteering.

Even if you can only do 1 weekend per month or every other weekend please volunteer any little bit will help. Thank You!

Below is a chart of the "liturgical ministries" in our Tri-Parish Cluster. To sign up for a particular ministry, fill out this sign-up sheet, enter your name in the column to the left of the ministry you wish to sign up for, and circle the ministry under the Mass time that works best for you. You can either drop it in the collection basket, or mail it to the Tri-Parish Office, c/o Sacred Heart Parish, PO Box 155, Freeport MN.

**Note for Lectors:** A reminder to visit the website [www.nccbusecc.org](http://www.nccbusecc.org) to look up and read, and check "audio" to HEAR the Sunday readings before you come to lector at Mass. Coming to Mass with some understanding of what you are reading makes a huge difference to the listeners.

"Thank you" to all who are currently ministering to their parish in any way.

*Give some consideration to your God-given talents and allow the "seed to grow and yield thirty, sixty, and a hundredfold..." Mk 4:3-8*

### Stewardship Response Sheet Please return (drop in collection basket)

**Family/Household Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### Liturgical Ministries for our Tri-Parish Cluster

Member Name(s)	Freeport			New Munich			St. Rosa	
	<u>Jan.-June</u> Saturday 4:00 pm	<u>July-Dec.</u> Sunday 9:00 am		<u>Jan.-June</u> Sunday 9:00 am	<u>July-Dec.</u> Saturday 4:00 pm		Saturday 8:00 pm	Sunday 10:30 am
	Usher	Usher		Usher	Usher		Usher	Usher
	Lector	Lector		Lector	Lector		Lector	Lector
	Servers	Servers		Servers	Servers		Servers	Servers
	Euch. Min.	Euch. Min.		Euch. Min.	Euch. Min.		Euch. Min.	Euch. Min.
	Children Lit.	Children Lit.		Children Lit.	Children Lit.		Children Lit.	Children Lit.
	Sacristan	Sacristan		Sacristan	Sacristan		Sacristan	Sacristan
	Collection Count Wednesdays 9:15am at Freeport State Bank			Collection Count Wednesdays 9:15am at Freeport State Bank			Collection Count Wednesdays 9:15am at Freeport State Bank	
List any special requests:								

**\* Additional Stewardship Response Sheet (if needed for family members choosing the same ministry.)**

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	Servers	Servers		Servers	Servers		Servers	Servers
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## Sacred Heart Parish - Freeport Volunteer Ministers

### Ushers 4:00 pm

Noah Van Beck  
Peter Heidgerken  
Joe Hennen  
Allen Notch  
Dennis Gerads  
Kenneth Goebel  
Gopher Meyer  
Harry Kerfeld  
Ron Bertram  
Mark Middendorf

### Ushers 9:00 am

Mel Goebel  
Dennis Gerads  
Mark Middendorf  
Jerry Mayers  
Ed Overman  
Travis Scherping  
Gene Blommel  
Ed Atkinson  
Ron Bertram  
Everett Scherping  
Dan Roering  
Kurt Scherping  
Pat Caveny

Sean Caveny  
Tom Hiltner

### Eucharistic Ministers 4:00 pm

Allen Notch  
Geri Ettel  
Linus Ettel  
Norb Overman  
Heidi Hollenkamp  
Kenneth Goebel  
Phil Osendorf  
Mary Ann Laing  
Kristie Revering  
Kathy Welle  
Jean Hemker  
Kristen Herdering  
Carrie Roering  
Jared Overman  
Dale Overman  
Dana Overman

### Eucharistic Ministers 9:00 am

Norb Overman  
Millie Nienaber  
June Scherping

Heidi Hollenkamp  
Judy Rothstein  
Ken Vanderweyst  
Edward Job  
Carol Primus  
Rich Primus  
Phil Osendorf  
Mary Ann Laing  
Mike Schlicht  
Kathy Welle  
Kristie Revering  
Jean Hemker  
Kristen Herdering  
Carrie Roering  
Jared Overman  
Dale Overman  
Dana Overman

### Lectors 4:00 pm

Geri Ettel  
Kathy Welle  
Anne Hoeschen  
Phil Osendorf  
Judy Rothstein  
Ron Rieland  
Deana Middendorf

### Lectors 9:00 am

Millie Nienaber  
June Scherping  
Carol Primus  
Phil Osendorf  
Keith Overman  
Greg Thelen  
Gary Thelen  
Kathy Welle  
Anne Hoeschen  
Judy Rothstein  
Ron Rieland  
Pam Rue  
Deana Middendorf

### Servers 4:00 pm

Cassidy Nienaber  
Leah Revering  
Eli Revering  
Kaylee Gerads  
Kyle Gerads  
Luke Herdering  
Laura Funk  
Alexis Funk

Joe Laing  
Spencer Van Beck  
Quentin Van Beck  
Maretta Van Beck  
Gwen Welle  
Julia Welle  
Avery Welle  
Katelyn Welle  
Nathaniel Welle  
Abigail Welle  
Nick Gilk  
Vanessa Pung  
Tyler Scherping

### Servers 9:00 am

Kaylee Gerads  
Kyle Gerads  
Gwen Welle  
Julia Welle  
Rodolfo Scherping  
Luke Herdering  
Sean Caveny  
Joe Laing  
Avery Welle  
Katelyn Welle  
Laura Funk

Alexis Funk  
Tyler Scherping  
Nathaniel Welle  
Emily Scherping  
Leah Revering  
Eli Revering  
Vanessa Pung  
Nick Gilk  
Anna Wilwerding  
Abbie Harren  
Ethan Harren

### Friday Adoration Closing

Millie Nienaber  
Mary Ann Laing  
Deacon Rick Scherping

### Sacristans 4:00 pm

Linus Ettel  
Norb Overman

### Sacristans 9:00 am

Norb Overman  
Keith Overman

### Money Counters

Ed Overman  
Mark Middendorf  
Bud & Ann Heidgerken  
Frank & Jean Osendorf  
Jim & Arliss Notch

### Children's Liturgy

Mary Ann Wilwerding  
Mary Prax-Williams  
Allison Funk  
Sub: Carrie Roering

### Rosary Leaders

Edward Job  
Jenny Hiltner  
Norb Overman  
Laura Hoeschen  
Dolores Waldorf

## Immaculate Conception Parish - New Munich Volunteer Ministers

### Ushers 4:00 pm

Tom Neal  
Tom Wenker  
Scott Thelen  
Matt Heinen  
Lee Wolbeck  
Dustin Rademacher  
Nathan Maus

### Ushers 9:00 am

Ron Schaefer  
William Nathe  
Elmer Wolbeck  
Tom Neal  
Dennis Thull  
Tom Wenker  
Scott Thelen  
Alvin Holdvogt  
Marv Ostendorf  
Donald Gaebel

Dave Ehlert  
Matt Heinen  
Art Funk

Victor Uphoff  
Jim Boeckers  
Lee Wolbeck  
Darrel Maus  
Dustin Rademacher  
Nathan Maus

### Eucharistic Ministers 4:00 pm

Maureen Schaefer  
Jim Schmiesing  
Linda Schmiesing  
Richard Sand  
Helen Poepping  
Tom Neal  
Kayla Hible  
Dan Krueger

### Eucharistic Ministers 9:00 am

Jim Schmiesing  
Linda Schmiesing  
Georgine Nathe  
Richard Sand  
Helen Poepping  
Marv Thielen  
Tom Neal  
Bernice Zink  
Les Zink  
Sheila Thull  
Shirley Worms  
Rosie Ostendorf  
Judy Gaebel  
Rosie Ehlert  
Dave Ehlert  
Kayla Hible  
Dan Krueger  
Diane Boeckers

Morgan Uphoff  
Sheila Poepping

### Lectors 4:00 pm

Linda Schmiesing  
Christina Sand  
Kate Schaefer  
Mary Krueger

### Lectors 9:00 am

Linda Schmiesing  
Christina Sand  
Mary Krueger  
Brady Van Drehle  
Ashley Maus  
Kate Schaefer  
Sheila Poepping

### Servers 4:00 pm

Casey Klein  
Rose Heinen  
Abby Heinen

### Servers 9:00 am

Casey Klein  
Brian Thielen  
Ethan Van Beck  
Avery Van Beck  
Erika Hoppe  
Nathan Maus  
Ashley Maus  
Katie Maus  
Morgan Uphoff  
Rose Heinen  
Abby Heinen

### Weekend Sacristans 4:00 pm

Ann Klein  
Linda Schmiesing  
Dan Krueger

### Weekend Sacristans 9:00 am

Les Zink  
Linda Schmiesing  
Rosie Ehlert  
Dan Krueger

### Money Counters

Janet & Al Fuechtman  
Elmer & Kathy Wolbeck  
Donald & Judy Gaebel  
Char Mayers  
Dave Ehlert

### Weekday Lectors

Les Zink

### Weekday Eucharistic Min.

Bernice Zink

### Weekday Sacristans

Les Zink  
Bernice Zink

## St. Rose of Lima Parish - St. Rosa Volunteer Ministers

### Ushers 8:00 pm

Duane Hellman  
Dennis Ritter  
Corey Herdering  
Tom Toenyan  
Glen Engelmeyer  
Tim Toenyan  
Joseph Wiechman  
Kurt Herdering

### Ushers 10:30 am

Mark Wiechman  
Craig Jepperson  
John Von Wahlde  
Jared Von Wahlde  
Claude Toenyan  
Matt Toenyan  
Chad Van Beck  
Bailey Van Beck

### Eucharistic Ministers

#### 8:00 pm

Brenda Wiechmann  
Darlene Engelmeyer  
Mary Kay Herkenhoff  
Stephanie Boeckermann  
Kayla Hartung  
Sheila Hellelmann  
Julie Toenyan  
Corey Herdering  
Mary Sand  
Kayla Herdering  
Katie Hellelmann  
Samantha Toenyan

#### Eucharistic Ministers

#### 10:30 am

Cheryl Wiechman  
Philip Wiechman  
Diane Herkenhoff  
Lillian Arnzen  
Craig Jepperson  
Mary Jepperson  
Sandy Von Wahlde  
John Von Wahlde

Sheila Hellelmann  
Mary Sand  
Brianna Herdering

### Lectors 8:00 am

Sheila Hellelmann  
Mike Herkenhoff  
Lisa Austing  
Kally Herdering

### Lectors 10:30 am

Steve Wiechman  
Sheila Hellelmann  
Mary Jepperson  
Sandy Von Wahlde  
Karen Toenyan  
Lisa Austing  
Jan Herzog

### Rosary Leaders

Mark Wiechman Family  
Sheila Hellelmann  
Steve Wiechman Family  
Claude Toenyan Family

### Servers 8:00 pm

Ashley Herdering  
Nathan Herdering  
Nathan Kerfeld  
Chris Herdering  
Ryan Herdering  
Zachary Herdering

### Servers 10:30 am

Samantha Wiechman  
Loren Herkenhoff  
Emily Fleischhacker  
Mikayla Von Wahlde  
Paul Pundsack  
Meghan Pundsack  
Myra Arvig  
Vanessa Van Beck  
Zachary Van Beck

### Money Counters

Bev Wiechman  
Brenda Wiechmann  
Sandra Herdering  
Sub - Mary Jepperson

### Sacristans 8:00 pm

JoAnn Hartung  
Darlene Engelmeyer  
Sheila Hellelmann

### Sacristans 10:30 am

Karen Kerfeld  
Karen Mueller  
Sheila Hellelmann  
Cheryl Wiechman

### Children's Liturgy

Katelyn Hellelmann  
Kayla Herkenhoff  
Alyssa Hoeschen  
Brianna Hartung  
Emily Herdering  
Brianna Herdering