

St. John The Evangelist Church
6 September 2020 23rd Ordinary Sunday

stjohnsfortpierre.org website has parish bulletins & audio devotions at 'click to listen to daily reflections from Fr. Ron'

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 4pm or by calling 223 2176 for Fr. Ron Garry. Office email: main.stjohns@midconetwork.com
 No Eucharistic Adoration Sunday 6 September

Mission of Reparation and Intercession Conference for the Unborn

Friday 4th Sept – Tue 15th, 6:30-8:30pm each evening at Sts. Peter & Paul Church.

Marty Rotella presents teachings & music.

A rosary for the unborn concludes each night
 On Thursday 10th at noon, he will be speaking about Our Lady of Guadalupe

Mass schedule

Saturday 5:30pm Sunday 7:30am, 10:00am
 Monday– 5:30pm **Tuesday 8th – change to 7:00am**
 Wednesday – 7:00am & 10:00am
 Thursday – 7:00am Friday – 7:00am
 Sat 9/5 + Bill Schumacher By Carol and Roger Kelly
 Sun 9/6 + Regina Iversen By Carol Pond & For parishioners
 Mon 9/7 + Jared Davis By Les & Sandy Hanson
 Tue 9/8 + Daniel Ramsey By family
 Wed 9/9 + Donald Kocher By Dave & Rosemary Jaswa
 Thu 9/10 + Daniel Ramsey by Katie Parsons
 Fri 9/11 Reparation for clergy abuse
 Sat 9/12 + Don Iversen By Carol & Sid Pond

May the Lord bless in the covenant of marriage:



Kirstyn Larsen & Tyler Mattheis



MaKenna Sommars and Colton Chiantaretto

If you wish to donate to the **relief efforts in Beirut** Lebanon, after the port area explosion, a reliable charity agency is Catholic Near East Welfare Society, 1011 1st Ave, Floor 15, New York, NY 10022-4195 cnewa.org You can put it in an envelope in parish collection, and we'll get it to them.

Grief Share is a worldwide Christian grief program for adults. It combines educational videos, a personal workbook to keep, and group discussion. It begins Tues Sept. 15, runs to Nov. 24, 6-8pm in Sts Peter & Paul Good Shepherd Hall. Catholic Family Services present via Zoom, then is local discussion. Workbooks are \$15. SS Peter & Paul's co-facilitators are Carolyn Guhin (222-0508) and Eileen Herrin (222- 4457).

Labor Day on Monday is usually a wonderful holiday. With this year's hardships, it reminds us of the need to uphold one another. Pray for one another, do charity with your neighbors. catholicnewsagency.com/news/spend-labor-day-in-solidarity-with-the-poor-us-bishops-say-40957

Saint John's Church
Welcome Back
Ice Cream Social

Wed. 23 Sept.
5:00 - 6:30pm

Fischers Lilly Park



Ice Cream Social

have some ice cream ~ sing a song
 ~ say a prayer with friends
 ~ after all who doesn't like ice cream...
this is a come and go gathering

Parish Faith Formation

• Some catechists met Wednesday 19 Aug with Josie and Fr. Ron; we discussed the small rooms in which our Sunday classes for grades preschool to 8 were held last year, with little air circulation.

• To clean the atrium for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd looks to be more than we can do, so we will not offer this class until the pandemic emergency ends.

• So, to start the school year of faith formation, we are preparing for once a month meetings in Padre hall, where catechists will hand out four worksheets for the month, to be read and prayed with at home. Those worksheets would be reviewed at the next month's meeting, and more would be handed out. **We begin grades 1-8 on Sunday 4 October**, with grades 5-8 from 8:35 to 9:10am; and grades 1-4 from 9:15am to 9:45am.

• These worksheets are from St. Mary's Press Discover Program, referencing the Bibles we have been using in past years. For those who do not have these bibles, we will order them for you.

• **Grades 9-12** meet on Wednesday night in Padre Hall, **beginning October 7th**, at 6:30pm, for in person learning and interaction. We will be using Ascension Press *Quick Catholic Lessons* with Fr. Mike Schmitz of Duluth MN.

• Please watch your postal **mail for registration** and school calendar. Mail them to the office by 16 September, so we know how much materials to purchase 206 W. Main Ave, Ft. Pierre



Bishop Peter Muhich is here 26 Sept, to confirm at Mass 4pm Saturday, attended only by confirmands, sponsors, & family (Padre Hall meal for them follows)



We'll pray the usual 5:30pm Saturday mass and then others of our parish can meet our new Bishop in Padre Hall at 6pm.

Holy Spirit give me **Knowledge** to know right from wrong
Courage to stand up and be strong
Understanding to follow God's way
Piety to worship and pray
Counsel to enlighten and guide me
Wisdom to feel your presence beside me, and
Fear of the Lord to always be awed by the greatness of Almighty God.