# **WELCOME**

Sharing in the body of Christ, we seek to:

Know See Be

THE HEART OF CHRIST. THE FACE OF CHRIST. THE HANDS OF CHRIST



September 22, 2024 • The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday: 5 p.m. Sunday: 8:30 a.m.,10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

### Nursery

Nursery is available for children ages nine months to kindergarten during the Sunday morning Masses

### Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday 8 a.m.

#### Confessions

Saturdays: 8:30-9:30 a.m. Wednesdays: 5:15-6:15 p.m.

### Sign Up for Email!

If you are not receiving our emails, the sign up link is on hnoj.org under the contact us information.

### Anointing of the Sick or Funeral

Please call the parish office at 763-473-7901 to schedule. Or for an emergency, call 763-233-0259.

#### **Adoration Schedule**

Sign up at hnoj.weadorehim.com Monday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Tuesday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.



Give Online:

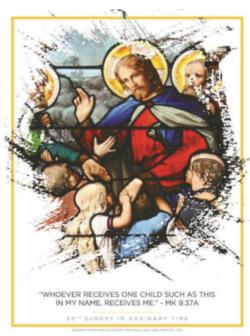
https://www.hnoj.org/online-donations

### Seeing Jesus in Others, Gospel Reflection

By Father John Muir

When I was a wet-behind-the-ears seminarian, I was sent for an immersion with the poor. For one month, I lived in a home for adults with developmental disabilities. It was a challenge for me because the residents had significant communication issues. A 30-vearold man there named Robin was totally deaf and mute. He had Down's Syndrome. He looked like a Viking, with a shock of red hair and a fine beard. But I felt awkward and disconnected from him. All my normal ways of interacting failed. I resigned myself to the fact that we'd never connect.

Then one morning something amazing happened. He was on the living room floor quietly playing with toys. Watching him from a chair, I sensed Jesus' words float into my mind, "Whoever welcomes one



such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me" (Mark 9:37). I thought, "Jesus, you must somehow be in Robin." I sheepishly made sure no one else was in the room, and then I spoke in a clear voice: "Jesus, are you there?" Robin did not turn to me and say, "Hi, John. Yes, it's me, Jesus." He kept playing with his toys in silence.

But something changed in *me*. From that moment on, it was easier to just be with Robin, to joke around with him, to try sign-language with him, to let him be himself, and for me to be myself. His "disabilities" were no longer obstacles to overcome. He became just Robin, my friend.

Who in your life seems awkwardly distant or uncomfortable to be with? Next time you see him or her, quietly invoke the name of Jesus, and see how the barriers disappear in you.



Like us on facebook.com/hnojwayzata



Follow us on twitter.com/HNOJ Wayzata



Follow us on Instagram hnojwayzata

### Parish News

### Men's Retreat, Oct. 5

HNOJ's new Men's Retreat is a simple Saturday morning gathering where we will learn something valuable about our faith and ourselves with other guys from HNOJ. Our guest speaker will be Fr. Nathan LaLiberte with "hunger" as our theme. Come and be spiritually



renewed and personally supported in being who you are when you are at your best. Small investment, big outcome.

Fr. Nathan is a gifted speaker and reflective preacher. With a particular interest in faith and psychology, Fr. Nathan presents eternal truths in just the kinds of unconventional ways that will get our attention and call us to know Jesus Christ more and more.

For what do we hunger? For what do YOU hunger?

- Is it for belonging?
- Is it for friendship?
- Is it for support in your unique walk as a single man, father, or husband?
- Is it for the nourishment of the Word, Eucharist, and the Community of Faith?

Please register today for our Saturday, Oct. 5, retreat at HNOJ from 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Cost for the retreat is \$40 (with scholarships available), Registration may be found at hnoj.org/mensreatreat24

#### **OCIA**

Not Catholic and want to learn about Catholicism?

HNOJ's OCIA program is for anyone interested in learning more about Catholicism.



People join OCIA for various reasons:

- Seeking to become Catholic
- Raised Catholic but was never Confirmed
- Getting married and want to become Catholic
- Baptized or unbaptized and want to learn about Catholicism

Learn more or inquire about joining at hnoj.org/OCIA or email Chris at ckostelc@hnoj.org.

### Final Talk in the St. Paul Speaker Series

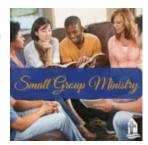
Even if you haven't been able to attend the first two talks in Fr. Wratkowski's series about St. Paul, the Apostle, you are invited to attend this Friday, Sept. 27, from 6:30-8 p.m.

It's free to attend, and there will be hospitality. Childcare for ages nine months to kindergarten is available. Please register today to reserve your spot at hnoj.org/stpaulseries

### Small Groups at HNOJ

Jesus started his universal church in a small group, so we are adopting the same strategy at HNOJ.

While we are blessed with a very large, dynamic parish, it can be overwhelming to find close connections and friendships and to think "I'm just another number."



You're NOT just another number.

Whether you are new to the parish or not, we can help you get started.

- Meet people with similar interests at HNOJ
- Develop authentic friendships and a support group
- Deepen your personal relationship with Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ

Our groups have just started and it's not too late to join! Find out more details at hnoj.org/smallgroups or email Tim Lyndal today at tlyngdal@hnoj.org.

### **Small Group Leaders Needed**

We are looking for people to lead small groups this fall. Don't worry, we have training!

Please join us for our small group leader trainings (Chipotle meal provided too) on Sunday, Sept. 29, from 12-3 p.m.

Attending the session will help prepare you to lead your very own small group. You will become versed in the seven-step method, learn how to manage a group through the different challenges that arise and ultimately lead with grace and joy in what Archbishop Hebda has called the "key to growth" in the local Catholic Church.

For any questions, you can contact Tim Lyngdal at tlyngdal@hnoj.org. Please register at hnoj.org/ smallgroupministry

#### Communion Outreach

If you or someone you know is homebound in our parish area and would like Communion brought to them, please contact Maureen Laird-Hayes at mymontanamo@gmail.com



or 612-723-7001. At Holy Name of Jesus it is our joy and honor to be able to provide this ministry through our Communion Outreach Team.

### Formed.org

Discover all the best Catholic content in one place. Entertaining movies, enlightening programs, inspiring talks,

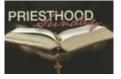
enlightening programs, inspiring talks, audio dramas and a great selection of popular e-books – all just a click away! It's easy to sign up for this free resource.

To create a personal free account, please go to formed.org and enter our parish name.

### Parish News

### Priesthood Sunday, Sept. 29

Priesthood Sunday is a nationwide celebration in recognition of the generosity of ordained priests and an invitation to the laity to share in praying for and thanking every priest for their "Yes" to being a priest. Priesthood Sunday is sponsored by Serra



International; a unique organization of lay people founded to promote and support priests, deacons and consecrated religious men and women serving the Catholic Church.

Think of the priests you have encountered in your life. Please say a prayer for those priests thanking our Lord God for the gift they have been to you.

### Sunday Night Lectors Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help proclaim the readings at Mass especially the Sunday evening Mass. This is a vital part of our Mass and if God is calling you to this ministry, please consider signing



Lectors are scheduled for the Mass time(s) that they are available and there is rehearsal the Monday night before you lector.

If you are interested and 16 years or older, please contact Jan at the church office at 763-473-7901 or jstumpf@hnoj.org.

### Scripture of the Week



"You ask but do not receive. because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions." (James 4:3)

Our Gospel today continues where last week's left off. Jesus continues to teach His disciples about what His fate will be. While the disciples understand Jesus as the Son of God, true Son of true God, they are struggling



to understand His predictions of His death - after all, by human wisdom and logic, how can God die? So instead, they begin to discuss which of them is the most important.

Clearly, they have missed the point. Jesus teaches them about being servant first. He teaches about the importance of accepting others, even to honor children and to receive them into their midst. And then He drops a bombshell that we struggle to understand even today. By receiving one of God's children, we receive Jesus Himself, and when we receive Jesus we receive God the Father as well. Not because they are the same but because they are One.

Weekly reflections by parishioner Jon Hickman.























**ASCENSION** 





























### In Our Parish and Our Community

### The Chosen Small Group Added Meeting Time

Our first session of "The Chosen" Small Group was a hit! We had almost 20 people show up and so we have decided to split it into two groups. The new group will meet in the Fireside Conference Room on Thursdays from 1-2:30 p.m. starting on Sept. 19. Sign up through the Group Vitals at hnoj.org/smallgroups. Or you can email Betty Kemmetmueller at bkemmetmueller@gmail.com.

## Cemetery Clean Up: Please Have Items Removed by Oct. 25

We will be doing a fall clean-up of the cemetery in early November, so please remove any items of value by Oct. 25. Winter wreaths may be put on graves after Nov. 10.

Thank you for helping us to be good stewards in the care of the final resting place of our deceased loved ones.



### Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Make plans for a getaway with the one you love before your calendar fills up!! A Marriage Encounter Weekend is a private weekend away from life's distractions that allows a husband and wife to

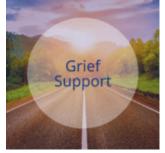


focus on each other. The next available weekends are Oct 4-6, in Buffalo, MN and Feb 14-16, 2025 in Buffalo, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: twincitieswwme.org or contact Brent and Tracy at 612-234-7440 or applications@twincitieswwme.org.

### West Suburban Grief Coalition, Thursdays

The West Suburban Grief Coalition meetings are held on Thursdays from 4:30-6 p.m. There is a speaker for 30 minutes, and the remainder of time will be in breakouts for spouse loss, child loss and family loss grief discussions and healing.





Please feel free to refer new people suffering from a loss to WSGC. For more information, please contact Harley Feldman at 612-840-1774 or harleyfeldman@gmail.com.

### Room for Nursing Mothers

If you have a need for a room to nurse a baby, please go to the welcome desk in the Gathering Space and someone can let you into the St. Cecilia Room. You will be able to check in and out at the welcome desk. There is a family bathroom with a changing station on the way to/from that room.



### Legos Needed

The HNOJ School Lego Club would like to replenish our Lego collection with any new and used Legos that are no longer being used. Our club creates a variety of fun projects, and we are in need of more



Legos and wheels. We would appreciate your help! Please bring them to the church or school office addressed to Jill Reiner.

### **Annual Candlelight Rosary Procession**

Please join us for our Annual Candlelight Rosary Procession on Friday, Oct. 4, at 7 p.m. (Line-up begins at 6:30 p.m.), Procession from State Capitol to Cathedral of Saint Paul. As a public witness to our Catholic faith during the month of October, come with family and friends to the annual Archdiocesan Candlelight Rosary Procession.



Those who cannot walk the procession route may go directly to the Cathedral to pray the Rosary with those who are in procession. The event concludes at the Cathedral with Marian prayers, Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction with Archbishop Hebda presiding. For more information visit minnesotarosaryprocessions.org.

### St. Thomas the Apostle Garage Sale

St. Thomas the Apostle in Corcoran is holding its annual garage sale in the Parish Center dining hall from Oct. 2-4. Invite friends and family to come for great deals and unique finds! This event is a fundraiser for St. Thomas the Apostle, and proceeds help with parish and community initiatives. The sale features clothing of all sizes, toys, games, puzzles, books, miscellaneous household items, baby items, furniture and more. The sale will be open on Wednesday from 1-8 p.m.; Thursday, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.; and Friday, 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Learn more at churchofstthomas.org/events-1/garagesale24.

### Thank You HNOJ From Ascension

Thank you to all who purchased school supplies for our teachers at Ascension. Your generosity helps in so many ways, and we are very grateful.



### Contact Us

### **Parish Staff**

Pastor
Fr. Tim Wratkowski763-745-3491
Parochial Vicar
Fr. Chris Yanta763-745-3495
Deacon
Rev. Mr. Dennis Hanson
Parish Administrator
Janna Webskowski
Executive Assistant/Room Scheduling
Cheri Quast
Accountant/HR Specialist/Contributions
Gabby Lehner
Music Director
Kraig Windschitl
Coordinator of Elementary Faith Formation (Preschool-Gr. 5) Jennifer Wendt763-745-3483
Middle School Youth Minister (Gr. 6-8)
Luke Klavins
Senior High Youth Minister (Gr. 9-12)
Eve Anders
Director of Mission and Faith Formation
Chris Kostelc
Coordinator of Mission
Tim Lyngdal
Bulletin/Website
Sarah Reid
Baptism Scheduling/Safe Environment Coordinator
Jennifer Wendt763-745-3483
Front Desk

Cemetery/Sexton Bob Weinzierl, Jr612-720-9206
Parish Prayer Line: As a parish community we hold each other in prayer and commit to praying for those in need. To share your prayer requests confidentially or to join the Prayer Line Email: prayerline@hnoj.org or call Lee Ann Silver
Mass Intentions: Call to have a Mass offered for the intention of a deceased loved one Front Desk763-473-7901
Pastoral Council Chairperson Bill Inhofer763-476-6273
School Staff
Principal Martha Laurent
Courtney Bush 763-745-3493
Administrative Assistant Carla Durand763-473-3675 vm150
Email Addresses
Initial of first name followed by last name and @hnoj.org (example dhanson@hnoj.org)

Exceptions: Fr. Tim Wratkowski: frtim.wratkowski@hnoj.org Fr. Chris Yanta: frchris.yanta@hnoj.org







SUMMIT

### DON STODOLA

WELL DRILLING CO., INC. SINCE 1945

3841 North Main St., St. Bonifacius
WELL AND PUMP SERVICE • WELL ABANDONMENT
Off: (952) 938-2111 or (952) 446-WELL





## LET'S GROW YOUR BUSINESS

Place Your Ad Here and Support Our Parish!

CONTACT ME
Gina Shaughnessy

Gshaughnessy@4LPi.com • (800) 950-9952 x2487



One of the Original Members of

Holy Name Church







10900 Wayzata Blvd, Ste 830, Minnetonka

Matt Scherer

651-583-7292

763-420-6834

www.kottemannortho.com









Sanding • Refinishing • Installation

Troy, Neva & Sam Gullickson
20060 148th Circle No. Rogers
763-428-8601

www.puanesFloorService.com





Private Event SpacesAward Winning MenusEffortless Planning

763-478-6661

medinaentertainment.com







Family Owned & **Operated Since 1964** 

Wayzata 952-473-5577

www.davidleefuneralhome.com Compassionately Serving You

**IYPlumbing** 

**Price Options to Choose From** 



BSM Grad and

Parishioner

1525 County Road 101 N, Plymouth 763-475-2820 | parkdental.com

Long Lake



37th Ave. No. & Vicksburg Ln. **Plymouth** 

763-553-1411

www.gearty-delmore.com



952-475-3500

www.minnetonkatravel.com 319 Barry Ave S., Ste. 205 • Wayzata, MN 55391



763-479-2272 We are a full-service water well contractor www.tistevenswell.com





chestnut & cambronne, p.a. A Full Service Law Firm Serving

Business, Family and Government

Francis J. Rondoni ATTORNEY AT LAW

612-339-7300



345 North Brown Road • Long Lake, MN 55356

952-473-2527



Minnesota

Catholic Match.com/MN



(612) 270-4993 sale/service text



hassan SAND & GRAVEL Decorative Rock • Wood & Rubber Mulch Topsoil • Driveway Aggregate • Landscape Supplies Rogers, MN • (763) 428-2393 www.HassanSand.com





CALL FOR A NO-OBLIGATION FREE QUOTE.

### INSURE CAREFULLY. DREAM FEARLESSLY.

Jeffrey Mayhew Agency, Inc.

3390 Annapolis Ln N Ste C • Plymouth, MN 55447 (763) 551-1074 • jmayhew@amfam.com



AMERICAN FAMILY

ican Family Mutual Insurance Co













print and digital newsletters to reach your community.

Visit Ipicommunities.com



 Legal/Loan Document · Anything Requiring Ben Jonas Parishioner (262) 930-4911









www.goldleafinsuranceagency.com

### Do you have questions on your 2025 Medicare Plan?

Currently, I represent 9 Medicare organizations which offer 87 Medicare products in MN. You can always contact Medicare.gov, 1-800-MEDICARE, or your local State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) for help with plan choices. Licensed in 12 states, I do not offer every plan available in every state. Please call me to discuss your options. You may also contact Medicare.gov, 1-800-MEDICARE, your local State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) to get information on all of your options. Licensed in AZ, CA, FL, HI, IA, IL, MN, ND, OH, SC, SD and WI,





SUPPORT OUR