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t. Mary's Warroad, MN  
t. Joseph's Williams, MN  
acred Heart Baudette, MN

## Parish Offices

### **St. Mary's**

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## Sacrament of Reconciliation

### **St. Mary's:**

Saturdays 3pm—3:30pm

Tuesdays 5:45pm—6:30pm

### **St. Joseph's:** Saturdays 4pm—4:20 pm

### **Sacred Heart:** Sundays following Mass



### **Homebound or in a health care facility?**

### **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**

Call pastor if Holy Communion/or a visit is desired.

Hospitals will not call unless a patient asks that a priest be notified.

### **Planning a Marriage or Baptism?**

Contact pastor for more information

### **Parishioners**

- Please notify the parish office of changes of address or telephone number.
- If you are new to the area or a seasonal parishioner please register with the parish office.

### **Abortion Alternative**

Birthright~1-800-550-4900

Crisis Pregnancy Helpline~1-888-4-OPTIONS

Bemidjipregnancyoptions.com or 218-444-3035

Heartbeat International, optionline.org 1-800-712-HELP

### **Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator**

Cindy Hulst, LSW,

218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number)

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

### **St. Mary's Masses & intentions:**

Saturday, May 1st, Mass @6pm: *Darell S. Alipoyo*

*Commentator: Barb Kotta*

*Readers: Nancy Ellenson*

Sunday, May 2nd, Mass @ 8:30am: *Michael Thiessan*

*Commentator: Kim Hruha*

*Reader: Paul Harren*

Tuesday, May 4th, Mass @ 5:15pm: *Harley Drees*

Wednesday, May 5th,

10:30am Morning Prayer Group

7pm Mass for all RE Students

and their Families.

Thursday, May 6th, Mass @ 8:30 am

- Adoration 7pm

Friday, May 7th, Mass @ 8:30 am

Saturday, May 8th, Mass @6pm: *For All Mothers*

*Commentator: Deb Culleton*

*Readers: Darlene Smith*

Sunday, May 9th, Mass @ 8:30am: *Darell S. Alipoyo*

*Commentator: Tom Goldsmith*

*Reader: Denise St. Germain*

### **Mother's Day Corsages**

What a way to say THANK YOU to your Mom for Life and a way to insure life for all. When you purchase a corsage you are sending a message to defend the equal dignity of people, especially the unborn, pregnant women, the elderly and the disabled. Corsages will be sold on Mother's Day Weekend May 8th & 9th, for \$4.50, please make checks payable to MCCL (Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life). Also you may purchase a Corsage to be donated to people who live in Assisted Living Center. Extra corsages will be available on limited basis. Thank you. A sign up sheet will be in Gathering of Church to give us an idea of how many to order.



## Sacred Heart's & St. Joseph's Week Ahead

### **Sacred Heart Masses & intentions:**

Sunday, May 2nd, @ 10:30am: *Ponciano & Maria Jaropay*

Wednesday, May 5th, @ 8:30am: *Ponciano & Maria Jaropay*

Sunday, May 8th, @ 10:30am: *Norman & Dorothy Hovde*

### **St. Joseph's Masses & Intentions In Williams:**

Saturday, May 1st, @ 4:30pm: *Mass for the Parishes*

Saturday, May 8th, @ 4:30pm: *For All Souls*



### **Readings for week of May 2nd, 2021**

2 May 2021 – Sunday-FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, First Reading: Acts 9: 26-31, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 (26a), Second Reading: First John 3: 18-24, Gospel: John 15: 1-8

3 May 2021 – Monday- Philip and James, Apostles Feast- First Reading: First Corinthians 15: 1-8, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 19: 2-3, 4-5, Gospel: John 14: 6-14

4 May 2021 – Tuesday- First Reading: Acts 14: 19-28, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 145: 10-11, 12-13ab, 21, Gospel: John 14: 27-31a

5 May 2021 – Wednesday- First Reading: Acts 15: 1-6, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 122: 1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5, Gospel: John 15: 1-8

6 May 2021 – Thursday- First Reading: Acts 15: 7-21, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 96: 1-2a, 2b-3, 10, Gospel: John 15: 9-11

7 May 2021 – Friday- First Reading: Acts 15: 22-31, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 57: 8-9, 10 and 12, Gospel: John 15: 12-17

8 May 2021 – Saturday- First Reading: Acts 16: 1-10, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 100: 1b-2, 3, 5, Gospel: John 15: 18-21





## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter



“Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth.” - 1 JOHN 3:18

Regarding our Catholic faith, do you “walk the talk?” Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it’s not too late to start!

## St. Mary’s

## Sacred Heart & St. Joseph’s

### Religious Education

**May 5th**, End of the Year Mass for all PreK-12 grade students & families 7pm. Stick around after Mass for Ice cream Treats and Fellowship.

**May 16th**, First Communion Mass 1pm (new day/time)

**May 30th**, All St. Mary's Seniors are invited to wear their cap and gown for a special mass 8:30am

**June 13th** Confirmation 1pm (new time)

### Thank You



April 25	Sacred Heart	St. Joseph
Envelopes	\$1400	\$440
Plate	140	112
Total	\$1540	\$552

### Diocesan Annual Appeal Goals

#### Donations received as of April 16th, 2021

- ⇒ Sacred Heart, Goal: \$8,613 Received: \$6,585
- ⇒ St. Mary’s, Goal: \$13,925 Received: \$9,265
- ⇒ St. Joseph’s Goal: \$2,683 Received: \$1,280

**Contribution to St. Mary’s 4/25/2021**  
 Envelopes: \$1,486  
 Online: \$497



### Happy Birthday!!!



(May 2nd—May 8th), goes out to:

Mary Phillipe, Jennifer Bachand, Beverly Gibbons, Liz Aasen, Cassidy Pelland,

Daniel Rose, Andrew Dignan, Charles Buss, and Austin Plovie.

### Please Hold in Prayer

Connie Koenig, Darin Lovin, Justin Thompson, Mary Wickersham, Beth Robinson, Larry Sindelir, Marilyn Biondi, Les Swanson, Dick Soderberg, Charlene Forpahl, James Sweeney, Don Taylor, Robert Sator, Knox Packar, Mark Vanyo, Nancy Pellett, Katrin Peterson, Tom Gerszewski, Kai Canfield, Deanne Johnson, Charlene Kuznia, Ann Winkler, Roberta Brunell, George Ganyo, Frank Ciekliniski, Susie Lykken, Loren Olson, Dale Telle, & Stephanie Schmitz.

**Please Help keep our records up to date**, if moving, let Parish office know of address change, new phone number, name change, married, moving to new Parish, whatever it may be, please share with office. Any Birthday names that you know of that should be removed from list, or missing names that need be added, please let Terrie Lynn in Office know by email or phone, [Stmarys2@mncable.net](mailto:Stmarys2@mncable.net) or call/text 218-386-2727

### HONOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

**We Keep in our prayers...**



**St. Mary's:** Ryan Hartman, Maksymilian Crompton, Jacob Larson, Tyler Larson, Brett Hebel, Nic Gray, Joseph Larson, Shane Thompson, Krista Johnston, Alex Johnston, Derek Woodward,

Jason Hilligoss, Deb Lien, and Kyle Mohrbacher.  
**Sacred Heart:** Evan Torgeson, Ryan Torgeson, Jennifer Dalton, Victoria Chamberlain, Brandon Lockner, and Calvin Krause.

# On the Vine: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fifth Sunday of Easter

Readings:

[Acts 9:26–31](#)

[Psalm 22:26–28, 30–32](#)

[1 John 3:18–24](#)

[John 15:1–8](#)



In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that He is the true vine that God intended Israel to be—the source of divine life and wisdom for the nations (see [Sirach 24:17–24](#)).

In Baptism, each of us was joined to Him by the Holy Spirit. As a branch grows from a tree, our souls are to draw life from Him, nourished by His word and the Eucharist.

Paul in today's First Reading seeks to be grafted onto the visible expression of Christ the true vine—His Church. Once the chief persecutor of the Church, Paul encounters initial resistance and suspicion. But he is known by his fruits, by his powerful witness to the Lord working in his life (see [Matthew 7:16–20](#)).

We too are commanded today to bear good fruits as His disciples so that our lives give glory to God. Like Paul's life, our lives must bear witness to His goodness.

Jesus cautions us, however, that if we're bearing fruit, we can expect that God will "prune" us—as a gardener trims and cuts back a plant so that it will grow stronger and bear even more fruit. He is teaching us today how to look at our sufferings and trials with the eyes of faith. We need to see our struggles as pruning, by which we are being disciplined and trained so that we can grow in holiness and bear fruits of righteousness (see [Hebrews 12:4–11](#)).

We need to always remain rooted in Him, as today's Epistle tells us. We remain in Him by keeping His commandment of love, by pondering His words, letting them dwell richly in us (see [Colossians 3:16](#)), and by always seeking to do what pleases Him. In everything we must be guided by humility, remembering that apart from Him we can do nothing.

As we sing in today's Psalm, we must fulfill our vows, turning to the Lord in worship, proclaiming his

