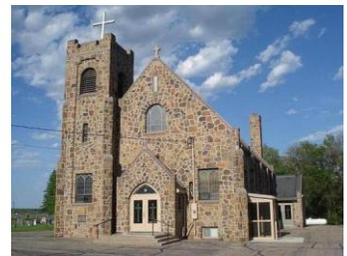


June 11, 2017

The Most Holy Trinity
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	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Intentions</u>	<u>Servers</u>
June 14 th 9 a.m.		James & Delores Trettel	
June 17 th 8 p.m.	Brigetta Klemek	Daniel & Veronica Minnerath	Jane Klemek & Jack Klemek
June 18 th 9 a.m.	Ryan Holthaus	Parishioners	Edmund Massmann & Kasey Brinker
	<u>Gift Bearers</u>	<u>Communion Ministers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
June 17 th 8 p.m.	Minnerath Family	Kyle Klemek, Brigetta Klemek & Mike Willenbring	Kyle Klemek & Jack Klemek
June 18 th 9 a.m.	Ushers	Ryan Holthaus, Gregg Schleppenbach & Leo Pohl	Jane Schaefer & Louis Schaefer

From Your Pastor

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity. I like what Justo Gonzalez said about the Trinity. He said: "The Trinity is a mystery, not a puzzle. You try to solve a puzzle; you stand in awe before a mystery." Some of these mysteries do a good job of reminding us that we will never be equal to God; a temptation that the serpent tried to instill in the minds and hearts of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Paradise. The devil told them, the reason God forbid you to eat from that tree is because, if you do, you will be equal to God. Yes, quite unnerving indeed. At our Baptism, we were each one of us baptized, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit". When we pray that short prayer, the sign of the Cross reverently, it becomes a very powerful prayer; a prayer to the Trinity.



On behalf of Saint James Parish, I want to thank Nick and Jill Heinen and family who have chaired the Bazaar these past six years, and have done a wonderful job of it. I also want to thank Kyle and Brigetta Klemek who have agreed to take a turn beginning next summer of 2018. Thank you to Kyle and Brigetta as well.

I also want to thank all of the parishioners of Saint James Parish, who in so many different ways have helped make the Bazaar at Jacobs Prairie a success year after year. Lastly to all of you who showed a real Benedictine hospitality to all of our guests who came to the Bazaar year after year to support St. James Parish endeavors.

Finally, thanks to Ralph Leither our custodian who continues to keep the complex looking beautiful, lawns mowed, and everything neat and clean.

Fr. Julius

We need help to put tarps on the stands Sunday Morning at 7 AM.
 Thanks. Nick Heinen

We are asking parishioners to bring 2-3 cakes for the cakewalk. Cakes can be dropped off the morning of the bazaar on the North side of Germain Hall. Please remember to label your cakes (cake flavor and frosting). Jim Willenbring

Annual Novena of Masses at the Assumption (Grasshopper) Chapel, Cold Spring on Thursday evening beginning May 4 through June 29. Rosary 7:00 pm with Mass at 7:30 pm. Mass is outdoors, bring a chair and dress for the weather. In case of rain or severe cold Mass will be celebrated in the Church of St. Boniface.

Fr. Bob McCahill, MM, on Tuesday, June 13th at 6:30pm at Christ Church Newman Center in St. Cloud. Fr. Bob McCahill, a Maryknoll missionary, has spent the last 35 years serving in the predominantly Muslim country of Bangladesh. His is a ministry of presence not proselytizing, getting to know his neighbors as he rides through the villages on his bicycle, and helping those in need get often difficult medical care. He has been called the "Mother Teresa of Bangladesh." Come to hear his stories and learn more about his ministry and his Muslim brothers and sisters, and you will see why! The event is free and open to all. Contact the Mission Office for more information: 320-251-1100.

Financial Report

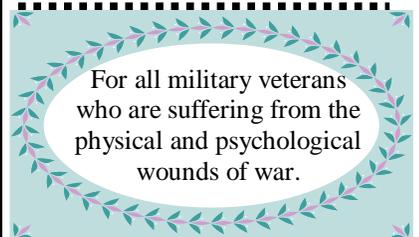
Last Week's Collection:

Adult	\$2514.00
Youth	\$ 7.25
Loose	\$ 502.00
Votive	\$ 47.51
Ref. & Mission	\$ 156.75
TOTAL	\$3237.51

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Please pray for these parishioners who are ill:

- Allen Backes
- Annette Heinen
- Doug Kosloski
- Joe Froehle
- Joan Willenbring
- Juletta Dingmann
- James Johannes
- Nell Bechtold
- Liam Current
- Mary Kay Donabauer
- Sue Hammer
- Richard Depa



Area Coming Events

Please save the dates:

June 11 - Parish Bazaar
 View quilts to be Auctioned at the St James website <https://stjamesjp.wordpress.com/quilt-auction-june-11-2017>
[Poster](#)
[Worklist](#)

June 25 - farewell event for Fr. Julius Beckermann, more info to come. Sandy Hansen.

August 12 - Pork Chop Feed

For June 10/11:

New Developments in our RSP Catholic Community

Mass Schedule: The realignment of priests announced last weekend has domino effects that we were not anticipating. First, the Abbey has agreed to provide a part-time Chaplain for the Assumption Community. This chaplain will be living at the Abbey and ministering in the Assumption Community only. The good news from this is that it relieves a lot of pressure on the priests assigned to the RSP CC. Additionally, it allows us to change the Mass schedule so that the presider is able to stay and interact with parishioners after Mass rather than needing to run off to say another Mass.

The REVISED weekend Mass schedule will be as follows in the Rich Spring Prairie Catholic Community:

Saints Peter & Paul: Sat: 5:00 PM; Sun: **10:00 AM**, (and 5:30 PM on the third Sunday of the month)

Saint Boniface: Sat: 5:30 PM; Sun: 8:00, **10:30 AM**, 1:00 PM in Spanish, (and 5:30 PM on the first Sunday of the month).

Saint James: Sat: 7:30 PM; Sun: 8:30 AM

Fathers Matthew, Cletus and Efrain will have a presider schedule that will rotate them through all of the parishes both on the weekends and during the week. The deacons will also have a preaching schedule where they will be assigned to one priest for the given weekend and preach at all of those Masses. This schedule will be re-examined after the initial six-month trial period.

Bulletin: Beginning the weekend of July 1, we will have a common bulletin for the three parishes. First, to help associate the parishes with the name of our Catholic Community, you will see the parishes listed as the Churches of Saints Peter & Paul, Boniface, and James.

Each parish will have its own area of the bulletin, and the content of the parish area will be determined by each parish. There will be one bulletin editor, Ken Oksendahl from Saints Peter & Paul, and bulletin materials can be submitted to him by the Monday at noon for the weekend's bulletin beginning on June 26. There will also be an additional section that will feature catechetical and formational material that will benefit all three parishes. More information will be available in the coming weeks.

Fr. Matthew Luft, OSB
Pastor