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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

Weekdays

Wednesday 9:00 am

First Friday of each month 9:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration has been suspended until further notice due to the weather.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

First Friday of each month 8:30 am

First Saturday of each month 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm

Or by appointment

April 23, 2017

WEEKLY REFLECTIONS

On Going to Brother Emmanuel's Funeral- Part II

After waking up early from a good night's sleep, I was ready twenty minutes before I was to meet our motorcade at Denny's in King City, CA. Having some extra time, I decided to go a local coffee shop for coffee and something to eat. When I went to start my rental car, it would not! After several more attempts, I called the help line at the rental car company, and after a while, the person on the other end of the line said someone would be there by 7:30 am- the time I was supposed to meet our motorcade at the restaurant.

Happily, the tow truck person arrived and in ten minutes I was on my way to Denny's. The three other people in our caravan were standing by their cars, wondering what had happened to me. After introducing ourselves, we began our two hour plus trip to Immaculate Heart Hermitage, Big Sur, which took us through the Lucia Mountain Range. Once we started to climb the mountain road, which was zigzagging along steep drop offs without guardrails, we drove slowly. Reaching the other side of the mountain, before us was a perfect view of the Pacific Ocean that was several miles and thousands of feet below us. Since it was sunny, you could see far into the Ocean. Subsequently, making the journey down the mountain, we arrived at California Highway 1. A security person was present, for only locals and authorized personnel were allowed to proceed onto the highway.

After only driving a few miles, a truck in front of us was stopped by a highway construction worker and the two began chatting. The driver then came to our cars and told us that it would be an hour before we could go through the construction zone. Jason, the driver of the lead car in our procession, went to speak to the road worker. He came back indicating that we would be allowed to continue immediately since we needed to arrive at the hermitage for the 11:00 a.m. funeral Mass; it was 9:45 a.m. Going five miles on Highway 1, we arrived at a badly damaged two-mile curving road that led up to the hermitage grounds.

As we went through the hermitage gates with the church on the right side, we were greeted by the superior, Prior Father Cyprian and several other individuals. I was told to go a little further to the parking lot and then return for the "Reception of the Body at the Church" ceremony, a prayer service that is part of the funeral ritual that we do not practice at either of the parishes.

By the time, I returned to the hermitage enclosure-side of the church, a decent size crowd of monks, workers, and neighbors had gathered. Following the brief prayer service lead by Father Cyprian, the simple wooden casket holding Brother Emmanuel's body was moved into the church where it would remain until the end of the funeral Mass. For the next hour, the monks and other individuals could view my uncle's body and say a prayer for him.

In the meantime, I was shown my living quarters and then invited to Father Cyprian's office to go through some of Brother Emmanuel's papers and pictures. As I started to look through the pile, the Prior left, telling me to take my time to view the items as I had an hour until the Funeral Mass would begin. During the next...to be continued.

Have a great spring week, Father Shane

April 23, 2017

FAITH FORMATION

Rite of Choice

Please pray for our first year Confirmation candidates who have celebrated the Rite of Choice this Sunday.

First Communions

Please pray for the children who will be receiving the Sacrament of Eucharist for the first time on May 7th.



Mama Mia!

The CCW will be participating again with the annual Progressive Dinner for "A Place for You" held at 3 local churches. The dinner is Friday, April 28, 2017.

Tickets are available at the church office. Or contact Elaine Robinson at 320.358.3223, please see the flyer on the bulletin board for further information as well.

NEEDING OUR PRAYERS

Marjorie King
Jean Amunson
Bill Peno
Mary Knack
Wayne King
Robby Murry
Heidi Blatz
David Gaul
Cecilia Shinler
Joan Parkin
Cathy Gamache

Margaret Brooker
Marvin Johnson
Arlene Greenhagen
Gerald Mollberg
Jim Mitchell
Judie Peltier
Betty Erickson
Phyllis Swanson
Nick Cieminski
Betty Anderson
Ariel Thull-Rulfsen

Kim Sarago
Jim Kirchberg
Ethel Thomas
Tom McKenzie
Sue Roth
Abby Larson
Elsie Moore
Tom Solorz
Colleen Najewski
Lenny Anderson

Please advise the office if any of these names can be removed. Thank you.

"Loving God, we ask that you enfold in your tender compassionate care all those in our community whose hearts are breaking and whose worries consume them."

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Totals for this past week will be included in next weeks bulletin.

Thank you for your generosity in supporting our parish!

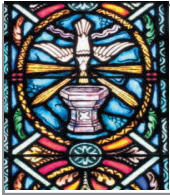
Food Shelf

We will continue to collect food for the Rush City food shelf on the second Sunday of each month. Please place your items in the food shelf bins.



Sunday of Divine Mercy

MASS INTENTIONS



April 26 Open
 April 29 George Strandmark†
 April 30 Rick Kement

LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, April 29 4:00 p.m.

Lector: Rick Drevecky
Communion: Chuck Debeveck,
 Jeanne Kay
Gifts: Solorz Family
Ushers: Derrick Murphy, Kevin
 Murphy
Servers: Alexis Murphy

Sunday, April 30, 9:00 a.m.

Lectors: Sue Roth, Jeremy Al-
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Communion: Beth
 Churchsmith, Audrey Larson,
 Clarence Larson
Gifts: Larson Family
Ushers: Ron Peltier, Rodney
 Swanson, Don Belland
Servers: Maggie Roth, Isabelle
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A SECOND COLLECTION

April 29th we will have our annual April second collection which typically is for the support of Catholic Missions in the United States and its territories. This year, however, our collection will be for the New Camaldoli Hermitage in Big Sur, California.



Often, Religious
 Communities and their
 needs are forgotten.
 Many support themselves
 by offering hospitality and
 retreats as a primary source

of income. This is the situation at New Camaldoli Hermitage. Unfortunately during these past few months, the Big Sur area and Hermitage have experienced historic destruction to the roads.

The hermitage's own road was severely damaged and will cost between \$100,000 to \$250,000 to repair. In addition, they have lost about \$300,000 in revenue due to cancelled retreats; this number will only increase.

In light of their financial loss, our collection next week will be taken up for them. I ask that you open your pocket books as you have done for Missionaries such as Fr. Andy or as in 2005 when Hurricane Katrina hit New Orleans.

Thank you for your support in advance and know that the Prior, Fr. Cyprion and the entire Camaldoli Community will keep you all in their prayers. If you would like to write a check for your donation, please make it out to Sacred Heart and we will send one check for the total amount to the Hermitage.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Wednesday, April 26

Fr. Shane Sacred Heart 9:00 am

Saturday, April 29

Fr. Fitzgerald Sacred Heart 4:00 pm
 Fr. Shane St. Gregory's 5:00 pm

Sunday, April 30

Fr. Shane St. Gregory's 8:30 am
 Fr. Fitzgerald Sacred Heart 9:00 am
 Fr. Shane St. Gregory's 10:30 am

April 23rd Divine Mercy Sunday at Sacred Heart at 3:00 pm

Please Note: There will not be Eucharistic Adoration until further notice until we can find parishioners who will adore the Lord during this time.

SAVE THE DATES

May 7th—Our parish will be holding a Baby Bottle Fundraiser for Options for Women aka Chisago County Life Care Center, the only pregnancy resource center in Chisago County which is located in North Branch. Baby Bottles will be available for pickup at mass on May 6 - 7, and we ask that you return them at mass on June 3 - 4. Bottles are to be used for your spare change and any other donations you would like to make to this organization which works with women and families in our community.

May 9th @ 7:00pm the United Catholic Seminar with Denise De-gerstrom on end of life planning.

May 9th there will be a Fall Festival Organizational meeting in the Parish House at 6:30pm.

May 18th is Our Annual Soup and Salad Luncheon
September 17, 2017 is our Fall Festival

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you or a loved one are ill in any way and would like to have your name included in the Sunday Prayers of the Faithful, contact the Parish office. Also, any prayer request or needs can be written in our Parish Intercessory Book in the back of church AT ANY TIME.

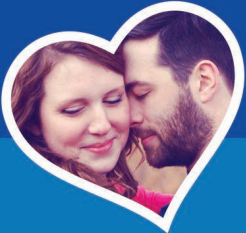
ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Are you or someone you know having surgery? Seriously ill or suffering in mind, body or spirit? Consider receiving the Sacrament of Anointing. This rite is intended to convey God's grace to those who receive it, through the power of the Holy Spirit. To set a time that works for you, please contact the parish office.

American Cancer Chisago County Relay for Life annual pancake, sausage and egg breakfast will be held on Saturday, April 29th in North Branch at Trinity Lutheran Church, 38460 Lincoln Trail,



8:30-11am. Cost - Free will offering or donate at www.relayforlife.org/chisagomn. Please come and support the huge battle against cancer. For information, contact marthaarnold@me.com, TRLeivian@gmail.com or jmkewpie@frontiernet.net

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