



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 4th, 2024

St Mary of Czestochowa
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Growing together in Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit, leading others to Him; striving to become saints.

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Welcome! If interested in becoming a member or becoming a Catholic, contact Fr. Kubista.

Baptism: Contact Fr. Kubista at least 3 months before the birth to attend a class and set a date.

Faith Formation for grades K-Confirmation Wednesday evenings from Sept 20th-March

First Confession & Holy Eucharist: Register for 2nd grade Faith Formation classes.

Confirmation: Register for 9th & 10th grade Faith Formation classes.

Marriage: Contact Fr. Kubista at least

six months before the planned wedding date.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: If you move to a nursing home or care facility and would like a priest to visit, or if unable to attend mass and would like communion at home, contact Fr. Kubista.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact Fr. Kubista when seriously ill or near death.

Funerals: Contact Fr. Kubista

Eucharistic Adoration - First Friday of every month 9-10am (including Confessions, Benediction) and Wednesdays 9am-6pm.

First Saturday devotions start 35 minutes prior to 4pm Mass.

Mass Intention Requests may be placed in the collection plate. Please enclose them in an envelope along with instructions (i.e., desired dates, number of masses, etc). Or contact Sue Roskowiak at 612-414-4705.

Bulletin Items by Thurs noon: kmotzko@stmarydelano.org

Hall Rental: Contact Mary Kay Swartzter.

Safe Environment Coordinator: Kathleen Motzko
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Formed.org sign in under St. Boniface.

MASS SCHEDULE / Intentions		
Sat 3rd	4pm	Olivia Jacobson +
Sun 4th	8:30am	St Mary's Living & Deceased
Tues 6th	6:30pm	Max Gabreleicik +
Wed 7th	8:30am	Geraldine & James Motzko Sr+
Thur 8th	8:30am	Special Intention
Fri 9th	8:30am	NO MASS
Sat 10th	4pm	St Mary's Living & Deceased
Sun 11th	8:30am	Bill Horsch +

Lector and Sacristan Schedule	
Aug 3rd	George & Sue (L/S), Jim & George (U)
Aug 4th	Deb D (L/S), Jim O' & Gene G (U)
Aug 10th	Dickhausens (L/S), Don G & Volunteer (U)
Aug 11th	Theisens (L/S), Jim Otto & Joe N (U)

Reconciliation Times: One-half hour before each Mass or by appointment.

Rosary Times: starts 16 min before each weekday Mass and 20 min before Sat & Sun Masses

Divine Mercy Chaplet after each weekday Mass

For The Sake of His Sorrowful Passion, Have Mercy on Us and On The Whole World

A Message from Fr. Kubista:

Worrying about whatever impacts our lives either for good or not. The Webster's New World Dictionary says worry is *"to cause to feel troubled or uneasy; make anxious; distress."* As can be seen from the definition, these things can either be good or bad depending on how they impact us, how worrying moves our thoughts and actions. We can be worried about what someone is going to think of us or future events, like how things are going to go for us the next day. This sense of being worried can either be good or bad; good if it spurs us to be better and bad if it hinders of us in any way. Maybe we are worried because we have not followed things that we should have followed: we didn't follow the commandments or the laws of the Church and are concerned that we have hurt our relationship with God and our brother and sister. This is a good sense of being worried and can help us do better next time.

Worrying can hinder us and be bad for us. It can take energy out of us as our mind can get so focused on whatever we are worried about that it drains us from focusing on things in the present, on what we should be doing now. As a result, we can be less attentive towards others or to the situation we find ourselves. We can make more mistakes on what we are doing because our mind is being torn apart. We may not do things as well because our motivation to excel at what we are doing is being pulled down by worrying. Worrying can pull us down and hinder us from doing what we should do.

Worrying can help us and move us positively. It can give us energy when we realize that it does matter what we do and how we think. It can help us be more attentive to people because we are concerned with them and that we want to do right by them. Worrying can motivate us as we realize the importance of what we are doing and try to do better. It can move us to love our God and our brother and sister even more. Worrying can help move us to be a better person.

Christ says we are not to worry which implies that at a certain point we should no longer worry about something. If we have done all that we can, then we have to let go of the worry and if we don't it moves us into anxiety, which is not good. Anxiety is defined in Webster's New World Dictionary as the *"state of being uneasy, apprehensive, or worried about what may happen, concern about a possible future event."* When we worry about things which are out of our control it is not good and makes our situation worse. What we need to do is to let go; to do the best we can and then let God take care of the rest (trust God). This is not easy to do and we need to ask Jesus to help us with it. At every mass we ask Jesus for this help when the priest says. *"Deliver us Lord from every evil, and grant us peace in our day. In your mercy keep us free from sin and **protect us from all anxiety**, as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Savior Jesus Christ."* We are called to wait in joyful hope and not to let worrying and anxiety get in the way of us growing closer to God and to our brother and sister.

Let us ask God to help us to let go of those things in our life which we are worrying about, those things which are out of our control. We can pray that God will take care of them and then let them be. As Matthew 6:34 says: *"Do not worry about tomorrow; tomorrow will take care of itself."* God bless you.

General Raffle Donations

\$5000	St. Mary of Czestochowa
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\$1000	St. Mary of Czestochowa
\$500	Gridor Construction
1/2 a hog (2 prizes)	Jon Gabrelcik
¼ beef & processing	Gene Gabrelcik
¼ beef & processing	Joe & LuAnn Neaton
Yeti Hard Cooler	United Rental/Derek Stifter
8-\$50	Kevin Danielson Construction
5-\$50	Crow River Dental/Greg Glavan
\$100	Iten Funeral Home
2-\$50	CorTrust Bank/Delano
\$50	Matter Excavating/Dave Matter
\$50	Edge Realty/Judy Vanderlinde
4-\$25 GC	Farmers Plate/Watertown
3-\$25 GC	Dave's Town Club/Delano
\$50 Coborns GC	Delano Sportsmen's Club
\$50 GC	Flower Farm/Otten Bros.
\$25 GC	Rieder's Meat Market/Delano
\$25 GC	All-Season Sports/Delano
\$25 GC	Elephant Joe's/Watertown
\$25 GC	Watertown Pharmacy/Watertown
7-\$20 Target GC	Darik & Amy Stein/Watertown
3-\$20 GC	Hollywood Sports Complex/Watertown
Golf pkg	Timber Creek Golf Course/Watertown
2 online subscriptions	Herald Journal/Winsted
2 subscriptions	Herald Journal/Winsted
One free night	Grand Stay/Delano
Movie package	Imagine Theatres/Delano
CarQuest package	Delano CarQuest

Twins Tickets Auction Item Available for Bidding

Help spread the word to Twins fans!
This item missed the silent auction so we will do it via email. If someone is interested in bidding on these tickets, please email Fr. Kubista at frkubista@stmarydelano.org with their bid (highest bidder wins, no iterative bidding, one bid). **Bidding closes on Wed Aug 7th at noon.**

Details: 3 tickets to Aug. 12th game vs KC at 6:40pm. Seats located in section F of the Legends Club, Row 1, Seats 6, 7, and 8, slightly to 1st base side of home plate. Face value of the three tickets is \$219.

Additional Donations for Silent Auction and other festival needs

American Legion Delano
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Papa Murphy's/Delano
Stein Heating & Cooling
Subway /Watertown/Waconia
Tuffy's/Delano
Ugly Bar/Montrose
Watertown Fuel and Food

Our Sacrificial Giving

We offer unto you, O Lord, our sacrificial giving. Thank you.

Average weekly collection income need	\$3,315.00
7/28/24 Weekly Envelopes/Autobanking	\$2,720.00
Weekly Plate collection	\$650.25
Collection Total for 7/28/24:	\$3,370.25
Stole fee*	\$80.00
Festival donations*	\$403.00
Insurance check (elevator)*	\$4,454.26
Other*	\$1,000.00
Budgeted Collection Income 7/1/24 – 6/30/25 **	\$172,382.00
YTD Weekly Collection (as of 7/28/24)	\$11,322.00

* Not included in Collection Total

** Does not include festival income

List of raffle winners can be found on the bulletin board or on www.stmarydelano/festival

Parish Events

- **Aug 15th—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Masses at 8:30am and 6:30pm**
- **Aug 17th/18th—Mission Appeal priest visiting from Diocese of Kitui**
- **Aug 20th at 7:10pm—Festival follow-up mtg**

Archdiocese Announces Appointment

Pope Francis named Father Kevin Thomas Kenney, a priest of the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, as an auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, assigning him the titular see of Cunavia. Bishop-elect Kenney is currently the pastor of the Church of St. Olaf in downtown Minneapolis, the parochial administrator of the Church of Sts. Cyril and Methodius in Minneapolis, and chaplain at DeLaSalle High School. His episcopal ordination is scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday, October 28th, at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

Fr Kowalczyk to speak at August 8th Serra Club meeting

at the Kings House in Buffalo on Thursday, August 8th. The meeting will start with a rosary in the Chapel at 5:10 followed by Mass at 5:30. Please bring a sandwich/snack to enjoy during our social time after Mass. At 7 p.m. Father Kyle Kowalczyk the pastor of St. Maximilian Kolbe in Delano will speak about his vocation story and his two passions distance running and playwriting (writer/director) and how they fuel his faith. His theater company, *Missed the Boat Theatre*, has flourished since its 2019 founding. His recent production “Catholic Young Adults: The Musical” was performed in June.

Thank you sponsors! If you are interested in placing an ad, please contact Kathleen at kmotzko@stmarydelano.org

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Heather O'Brien, Betty Judd,
Karen Otto, Julie
Windsperger, Tom & Pam
Bruzek, Mary Smith,
Carol McGuire, Kent Stassen,
Rosie Cappelleri, Jim Berneck

Lord, look upon them with eyes of mercy, may your healing hand rest upon them, may your lifegiving powers flow into every cell of their bodies and into the depths of their souls, cleansing, purifying, restoring them to wholeness and strength for service in your Kingdom.

Radio Rosary **11:00 am Sundays**



KRWC - 1360 AM Buffalo

Aug 4th—for living and deceased members of St Francis Xavier Catholic Church, Buffalo, MN

August 11th—for the passing of just laws in our country—Knights of Columbus Council #4174, St Michael