SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (OF)
SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY (EF)

Clergy
Reverend Mark Moriarty, Pastor
Reverend James McConville, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Nathan Allen

Sunday Masses
Saturday 5:15 pm (Vigil Mass that fulfills the Sunday obligation)
6:30, 7:30 am (Latin EF Low Mass), 8:30, 10:00 am (Latin OF High Mass), 12 Noon

Weekday Masses
6:30 am Monday through Friday
5:15 pm Friday, 8:00 am Saturday (Sung Latin Mass)
During the school year, there are Masses on most Tuesdays and Thursdays
(and occasionally on another day) at 8:45 am

Holy Days of Obligation
Watch bulletin for Mass schedules

Confessions
Fridays 4:00-5:00 pm (Chapel)
Saturdays: 4:00-5:00 pm (Upper Church) and 8:00-9:00 pm (Chapel)
Every Tuesday following the 7:00 pm Novena (Chapel)

Adoration and Devotions
Tuesday: 7:00 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Chapel)
7:30 pm Confessions, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Holy Rosary
First Fridays: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 7:15 am (Chapel)
Saturday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 4:00 p.m. until
5:00 pm Benediction (Upper Church)
Sunday: 3:00 pm Vespers during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and
concluding with Benediction (Upper Church)

Parish Office Hours
Monday – Thursday: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm
Friday: 8:00 am – Noon

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Enjoy coffee and doughnuts served today after Mass in Schuler Hall by the Men’s Club.

**CHORALE AND ORCHESTRA NOTES**

**W.A. Mozart, Spatzenmesse, K 220 (1776)**

*The music for this Mass is sponsored by Helène Houle in memory of her mother, Laura l’Allier Houle.*

The *Spatzenmesse* (Sparrow Mass) was composed in Salzburg by Mozart (1756–1791) in 1776. The nickname is derived from reoccurring violin figures in the *Sanctus* and *Benedictus*, which resemble birds chirping.

The Twin Cities Catholic Chorale is a non-profit organization that depends solely on the generosity of its patrons. Programs are available at the church entrances, and they are posted on the Chorale’s website at [www.catholicchorale.org](http://www.catholicchorale.org), which also contains a video about the Chorale’s role in the 10:00 am Mass. **Next Sunday the Chorale and Orchestra will present Josef Rheinberger’s Mass in C, Op. 169.**

**ALTAR SERVERS**

- **Saturday, February 22, 5:15 pm**
  - C. Ethier, P. Rother, W. Kiehl
- **Sunday, February 23**
  - 7:30 am
    - D. & X. Adkins
  - 8:30 am
    - R. Bushee, D. Coyne, J. & L. Macdonald, S. Mathis
  - 10:00 am
  - 12:00 pm

**COMING SOON TO SAINT AGNES**

**VIRTUS Training**

Monday, February 24th, at 6:30 pm in Schuler Hall

There will be a VIRTUS **Protecting God’s Children** Safe Environment training session for new employees and volunteers at Saint Agnes Church in Schuler Hall starting promptly at 6:30 pm on Monday, February 24th. Please arrive 10-15 minutes early to check-in. All are welcome to attend VIRTUS training sessions, but attendees must [pre-register](http://www.virtusonline.org) at [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org). New Volunteer packets with forms and a VIRTUS account guide are located in the school and parish offices. Contact Annette Beaudry at 651.925.8826 or abeaudry@saintagnesschool.org with any questions or if session is marked as full.

**OF Confirmation at the Cathedral on Sunday, February 22nd at 10:00 am - 52 students from Saint Agnes**

The Confirmation Retreat—open to all Confirmandi—is being held on Friday, February 21 in Schuler Hall starting at 7:55 am. The retreat will include prayer, an opportunity for confession, small group discussions, and a keynote talk on the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

**Men’s Mardi Gras Night**

All men of the parish are invited to join the Men’s Club on Tuesday evening, February 25, for Mardi Gras! There will be recitation of the rosary at 6:30 pm in the Chapel, followed by a brief religious talk and then the dinner, for which Peter Dahdah will again be making his celebrated gyros. There will be beer and other adult beverages, as well as a

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**Lenten Homilies on the Four Last Things & Purgatory**

I am pleased to announce that throughout Lent the clergy of Saint Agnes will preach on the Four Last Things and Purgatory. Traditionally, the four last things are Death, Judgement, Heaven and Hell. Although these topics were most frequently preached on during the Advent, it is very fitting that an expanded list, which includes Purgatory, is appropriate for Lent. A few of the topics have been further divided so as to allow us to delve more deeply into these worthwhile meditations.

This Lenten homily series will begin on Ash Wednesday and continue through the Sundays of Lent, excluding Palm Sunday, and concluding on Easter with the topic of Heaven.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Father Mark Moriarty
as cigars for those so inclined. A free poker tournament (Texas hold ‘em) will follow dinner at 7:45 pm. The cost will be $20 for food and drink, or $25 for food, drink, and cigar.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Quo Vadis Youth Vocation Camp
July 19–22, 2020, Dunrovin Retreat Center, Marine on St. Croix, (for young women); Kiwanis Camp, Marine on St. Croix (for young men)
Quo Vadis is a camp experience for youth ages 14-17 to learn that nothing is more important than discovering God’s will for your life – and living it! Quo Vadis (Latin for “Where Are You Going?”) begins on Sunday, July 19 with 4 pm registration, followed by 5 pm Sunday Mass and concludes on Wednesday at 1 pm. The camp includes Mass, prayer, campfires, talks, field trips to visit religious communities, confession, Rosary, and lots of outdoor camping and recreation. Registration fee: $150. For more information and to register, visit www.10000vocations.org.

Vianney Visit
February 14–16, St. John Vianney College Seminary, St. Paul
Vianney Visit provides high school sophomores through college age men (ages 16–24) the opportunity to take a closer look and experience college seminary. Attend Mass, prayer, and spiritual conferences with SJV priests and hear testimonies from SJV seminarians. There is no charge for the event. All meals are provided. Please contact Father David Blume, Director of Vocations, at 651.962.6890 or stpaulvocations@10000vocations.org to let him know of your interest in the Vianney Visit. To register, please call 651.962.6825 or online at https://semssp.org/registration-svj/.

CPO Lenten Retreat
Church in Crisis—How to Be a Light in the Darkness
Sponsored by Catholic Parents Online and featuring Fr. Robert Altier. Saturday, March 28, 2020, 8:00 am to 2:30 pm at Maternity of Mary Catholic Church, 1414 Dale Street North, St. Paul, MN 55117. You may register at www.catholicparents.org. For more information please call 651.705.5409.

2020 Lenten Lecture Series—Schuler Hall following Stations
These talks are meant to help all of us grasp the origins of the sexual revolution, what went wrong and how we can rebuild a culture that values God’s plan for human happiness.

WEEKLY CALENDAR
(Regular, weekly Masses, Confessions, and Devotions are found on the bulletin cover.)

Sunday, February 16
Enjoy coffee and doughnuts after all Sunday Masses in Schuler Hall served by members of the Men’s Club.
RCIA Class (Bride’s).........................................................11:30 am
Bean Bag Bonanza (UAC) .............................................1:00 pm

Monday, February 17
School and Parish Offices closed for Presidents’ Day
Friends of Bill W. (Bride’s).................................6:00 pm

Tuesday, February 18
TCCC rehearsal (Loft)....................................................7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 19
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (UAC) .................9:30 am
Men’s Club (Schuler)...................................................6:30 pm

Thursday, February 20
Parish Choir rehearsal (Loft).......................................7:00 pm
Bible Study (Bride’s)......................................................7:00 pm

Friday, February 21
Confirmation Retreat (Schuler).................................8:00 am

Saturday, February 22
Confirmation (Cathedral).........................................10:00 am

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 17 | The Seven Holy Founders of the
6:30 am | LaVerne Ann Green † | Servite Order

Tuesday, February 18
6:30 am | The Richard McNamara, Sr. Family

Wednesday, February 19
6:30 am | Deb Bauer-Bieniek (B)
8:45 am | Maryanne Williams

Thursday, February 20
6:30 am | Kathy Engelhart
8:45 am | Michael Bilotta †

Friday, February 21 | Saint Peter Damian
6:30 am | Edward Brown †
5:15 pm | Patrick Burns (B) †

Saturday, February 22 | The Chair of St. Peter
8:00 am* | Alphonse Matt Jr. †
5:15 pm | Jenny Murphy

Sunday, February 23 | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (OF)
Quinquagesima Sunday (EF)
6:30 am | Patrick Powers †
7:30 am | Deceased Members of the Eichten Family
8:30 am | Mary Elizabeth LeVoir
10:00 am* | Herman and Eileen Brenberg †
12:00 pm | Missa pro populo (for the people)

(B) birthday | (A) anniversary | † deceased | * sung Mass

SUNDAY OFFERINGS FOR FEBRUARY 9

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