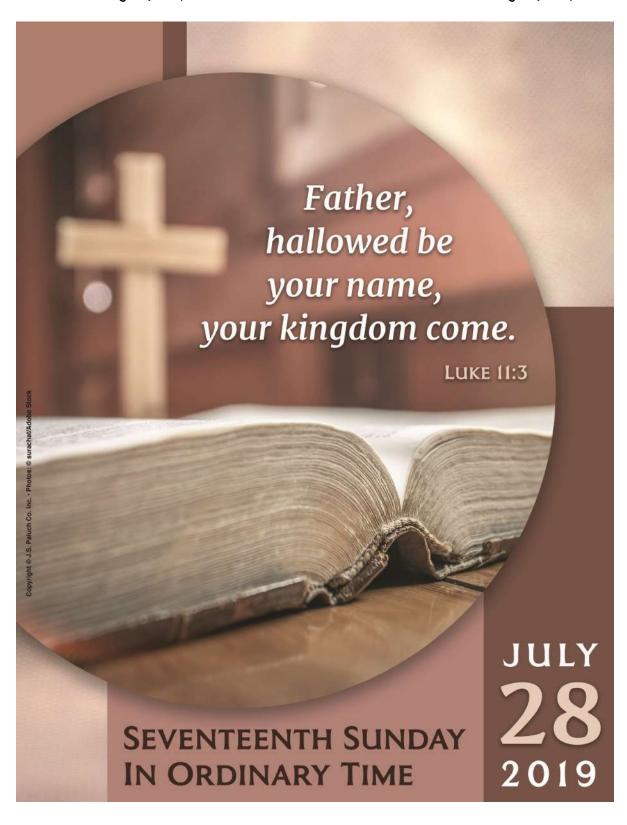
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St. Nicholas Catholic Church

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Guardian Angels Mass Times

Weekdays:

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. Wednesday: 8 a.m. Thursday: 8:00 a.m.

Friday: 9:30 a.m. (at Auburn Manor)

Weekends:

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. Sunday: Noon (Spanish)

Reconciliation:
Saturday: 6:30-6:50 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Thursday: 8:30-9:30 a.m.

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St. Nicholas Mass Times

Weekdays:

Friday: 6:00 p.m.

Weekends:
Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:15 a.m.

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30-3:50 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Friday: 6:30-7:15 p.m.

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Mass Intentions: Mass intentions may be for the living and/or the departed, with a † designating in the bulletin a deceased person. There is a \$10 suggested donation per Mass intention. Permission from the sick person or his/her family must be granted before a name's inclusion in these prayers. To schedule a Mass intention, call Jean in the Parish Office.

Baptism: Sacramental preparation is required for all parents. Godparents and Grandparents are also encouraged to attend. Baptismal prep sessions are given every other month and Baptism Masses are held once a month. Call Jean in the Parish Office to schedule a child for Baptism and the parents for baptismal prep.

Penance: 7:30 a.m. Wednesdays and Sundays at Guardian Angels 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays at Guardian Angels or by appointment.

Matrimony: Pre-registration required at least one year in advance; marriage preparation course is required. Initial contact: 952-227-4000, or e-mail: info@GAchaska.org.

Anointing: If you wish to receive an anointing please call the Parish Office: (952) 227-4000.

Communion for the Homebound: When we come together to pray at our Eucharistic liturgy, we do not forget the members of our community who are unable to be with us because of ill health. We remember them in our prayers, and we wish to include them in our Holy Communion. Members of our community bring the Blessed Sacrament to them to comfort them and to unite us in the Eucharist. We are not always aware of those who have this need. Please call the Parish Office to let us know if you or a member of your family would like to have Holy Communion brought to them. That way we can schedule a time for our ministers to visit and bring the Sacrament.

Hospital, Nursing Home, Homebound Visits: Churches are no longer notified by hospitals or nursing homes when a parishioner is admitted unless the family has requested it. If you or a family member are homebound, hospitalized or in a nursing home and would like a visit from a member of the ministry staff, please call Jean in the Parish Office.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Abraham bargains with God to spare the city (Genesis 18:20-32).

Psalm — Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me (Psalm 138).

Second Reading — You were buried with Christ in baptism, in which you were also raised with Christ (Colossians 2:12-14).

Gospel — Everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds (Luke 11:1-13).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23 or

Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-11;

Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Mt 13:44-46 Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8, 11;

Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37;

Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-

12

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;

Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Baseball and the Divine

You probably have heard about Tyler Skaggs, a young California Angels pitcher just 27 years old, who died unexpectedly on July



1. The team, the city, and throughout the country, people were mourning the tragic end of a life cut far too short for our comfort.

What you may not have heard are the remarkable details surrounding the tribute game that was played for him on July 12th, which happened to be the first Angles home game after his death.

Many noted the that the game just happened to be on July 12th, the eve of Tyler's 28th birthday. The Angels won with the score turning out to be 13 to 0 over the Seattle Mariners. "Thirteen" is the date of Tyler's birthday. The first homerun of the day sailed a sweet 454 feet -Tyler's number was 45. And the game turned out to be a no hitter. Two pitchers, Taylor Cole, and Felix Pena, combined their efforts for this achievement. That's a rarity for sure, but the amazing thing is the fact that the last time that a combined no hitter was pitched in California was on Tyler's actual birthdate of July 13, 1991. Got goose bumps yet? Add to this how impressed everyone was by his mother's opening pitch of a strike right down the center of the plate. And all the team wore "45" and afterwards the players placed their "45" jerseys in a circle around the pitching mound in a beautiful tribute to

With so many people saddened by his death, especially his family, one can't help but to think that something divine and very special was occurring with all of this. Coincidences? Nah! With just a small amount of faith, it isn't hard to see the mysterious hand of God letting his family know that all is well. God is always there for us, always caring for us even in the midst of great difficulty, sadness, and loss. May God rest his soul and comfort his family.

Play Ball, Fr. Deziel

GA Pave the Way Debt Update (July 1)

Owed to Catholic Finance Corp \$443,680.61

Owed to Archdiocese \$58,111.46

Total Debt \$501,792.07

Decrease from June 1 \$20,000.00

Guardian Angels Parish Calendar

Monday, July 29

Parish Office Hours: 8:30a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 30

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - Noon

5:30 p.m. Mass † Blanche Bessel

Wednesday, July 31

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

8 a.m. Mass † Paul & Judy Kerber

Thursday, August 1

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - Noon

8 a.m. Mass † Charlie & Phyllis Stacken

8:30 a.m. Adoration, Church 6:45 p.m. Mass in Spanish

7:15 p.m. Spanish Prayer Group, Church

Friday, Aug 2

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

9:30 a.m. Mass (at Auburn Manor) † Marcia Tholen

Saturday, Aug 3

4 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Confessions, Chapel

5:30 p.m. Mass † Pat Notermann

Sunday, Aug 4

8 a.m. Mass † Andy Jacques

10:30 a.m. Mass † Paul & Judy Kerber

12 p.m. Mass in Spanish

St. Nicholas Parish Calendar

Monday, July 29

Tuesday, July 30

Parish Office Hours: 12:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, July 31

Thursday, August 1

Parish Office Hours: 12:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. Prayer Group, Church

Friday, Aug 2

6 p.m. Mass

Saturday, Aug 3

4 p.m. Mass † Clarence & Caroline Lenzmeier

Sunday, Aug 4

Parish Office Hours: 9 a.m. - Noon

9:15 a.m. Mass

Can Recycler Needed for GA

Jim Worm has been retired for 20 years but is still working at GA recycling cans! He is ready to retire from that as well and spend more time visiting grandchildren out of state. Are you interested in taking over? It requires heavy lifting to empty the barrels and a bit of a mechanical mind to keep the crusher operational. Jim is happy to train you in! Please call the Parish Office for more information.

Friendly Reminder - No Cell Phone Use While Driving

As of August 1, 2019, the new law goes into effect.

What can I do under the new law?

The new law allows a driver to use their cell phone to make calls, text, listen to music or podcasts and get directions, but only by voice commands or single-touch activation without holding the phone.

Remember, hands-free is not necessarily distraction-free.

What can't I do with my phone under the new law?

You may not hold your phone in your hand. Also, a driver may not use their phone at any time for video calling, video live-streaming, Snapchat, gaming, looking at video or photos stored on the phone, using non-navigation apps, reading texts and scrolling or typing on the phone.

Can I ever hold my phone?

Yes. Hand-held phone use is allowed to obtain emergency assistance, if there is an immediate threat to life and safety, or when in an authorized emergency vehicle while performing official duties.

Can I use a GPS navigation device?

Yes. GPS and other systems that can only be used for navigation are exempt from the Hands-Free law. In-car screens and systems are also exempt. In both cases, most of these systems lock when the vehicle is moving.



GOSPEL CORNER

JULY 28, 2019

Luke 11:1-13

In Sunday's Gospel, Jesus teaches us the Lord's Prayer and goes on to explain that God gives us every good thing that we need to be happy. Sometimes, it can seem as if God is not giving us what we want. We need to trust that he is

all-good and has something better for us.

In Church: Focus on the words during the Lord's Prayer and imagine that Jesus has just taught you this prayer. Think about what each line means and pray it sincerely.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Which line in the Lord's Prayer is a challenge for you?

FAMILY PRAYER: Jesus, help us to remember that God is our Father and that he is the Father of those we might not like or get along with. Amen.

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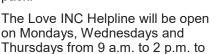


Liturgical Minister Schedule Aug. 3/4

If you are interested in being a Liturgical Minister for either parish, please call Jean Rief at (952) 227-4000	Saturday Aug 3 4:00 p.m SN	Saturday Aug 3 5:30 p.m GA	Sunday Aug 4 8:00 a.m GA	Sunday Aug 4 9:15 a.m SN	Sunday Aug 4 10:30 a.m GA
Eucharistic Ministers	James Hammers	Cathy Barnett	Bill Boecker	Amy Roble	Dennis Hively
	Chuck Mahowald	Stephen Brown	Maria Boecker	Steve Roble	Dan Lawrence
	Cathy Pass	Carol Gestach	Sue Johnson		Karen Lawrence
		Jackie Weber	Susan Keough		Louis Vannett
		Molly Weber	Mary Kingsbury		Sophia Vannett
Sacristan	Volunteer Needed	Richard Dolski	Steve Kingsbury	Volunteer Needed	Tom Altman
Lector	Cathy Pass	Becky Stacken	Debbie Boe	Candis Wickenhauser	Gary Klingelhutz
Server-Candle	Cole Svoboda	Emma Stacken	Rose Smyth	Sarah Roble	Meg Santini
Server-Candle	Volunteer Needed	Emily Schrupp	Volunteer Needed	Lizzie Roble	Sally Ablerle
Server-Cross/Incense Server-Cross/Incense		Alex Schrupp	Kalie Dahl		Maria Aberle
		Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed		Matt Santini
Ushers/Greeters:	Sara Meyer	Virgil Gestach	Tom Dahl	Skip Low	Patricia Lemm
	Sue Meyer	Courtney Kongevick	Don Jorissen	Jim Poppler	Ted Lubansky
		Mike Kongvick	Jerry Welter		Nancy Nelson
		Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed		Rich Van Sloun
Homebound			Carol Gestach Volunteer Needed		

SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR THOSE IN NEED

Love INC, Chaska, is giving away backpacks and supplies to those in need. Here is how you can register to get on the list for a FREE backpack:





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register students. There is no online sign up to register students. Families must call in to register in advance.

Helpline Phone Number 952-448-3261.

Students in need who attend private and parochial schools in Chaska, Chanhassen, Carver and Victoria are also eligible to receive backpacks.

Award Nominations Now Open: St. John Paul II Champions for Life Award

Do you know of someone who devotes his or her time helping the poor, elderly, disabled, pregnant, or is committed to praying for Respect Life issues? He or she may be our next Champion for Life! The Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis is looking to honor those who respect life at our annual St. John Paul II Champions for Life Awards. Submit a nomination at archspm.org/C4L. Deadline for nominations is August 2, <a href="mailto:2019.0]. Questions? Please contact Nancy Schulte Palacheck at 651-291-4489 or schulten@archspm.org.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

August 2-4, 2019

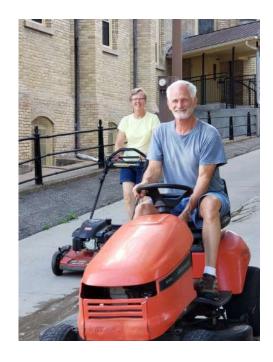
I Called to the Lord in My Distress and He Answered Me. If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child to abortion, come and experience the healing mercy of Jesus Christ on our weekend retreat. The next Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities' retreat is August 2-4, 2019. For more information contact Nancy at rachels@rvineyardmn.org, call 763-250-9313, or see www.rvineyardmn.org.





Volunteer Mowers are Amazing!

A BIG thank you to the volunteer mowers at St. Nicholas Church Campus and Cemeteries, Guardian Angels Church Campus, and Guardian Angels Cemetery. Not pictured: Chuck Mahowald, Skip Low, Jean Rief, Bill Van Hecke, Cheryl and John McCoy. Pictured: Steve Gestach, Steve Kingsbury, Virgil Gestach, Maria Boecker,, Harold Brose, and Sharon and Jim Schleicher. My apologies to anyone I missed!



Calling all Guardian Angels School Alumni

Did you attend Guardian Angels School? We are updating our Alumni List so that we can keep you in the loop! If you are an alumni, please go to this link on your computer and add your current information!

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