PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS



Sat., May 26, 5:30 p.m. St. Mark's († Clarence & Rosemarie Cote)

Sun., May 27, 9:00 a.m. St. Andrew's

(†Parishioners)

Sun., May 27, 11:00 a.m. St. Mark's (†Aime Vandal)

Tues., May 29, 12 p.m. St. Mark's († Duane Sebelius)

Wed., May 30, 7:30 a.m. († Trevor & Viola Beyer)

Thurs., May 31, 9:00 a.m. St. Andrew's

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(† Shawna Deschamp)

Fri., June 1, 8:00 a.m. St. Mark's

(† Deceased Family of Leonard Vandal)) Sat., June 2 5:30 p.m. St. Mark's

(† Louis Volk)

Sun., June 3, 9:00 a.m.

(† Parishioners)

Sun., June 3, 11:00 a.m.

Any St. Mark parishioners desiring Holy

Trebas (228-2339) by Monday evening

to be put on the list. To add or remove a

Communion at home, call Claudia

(† Duane Sebelius)

Home Communion

parish office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Andrew's

May 26 - Graduation at Newburg May 27 - Graduation at Westhope

St. Mark's

May 26 - OPENING MASS AT THE LAKE CHAPEL 8:00p.m.

May 27 - Graduation at Bottineau, Senior recognition 11:00a.m. Mass

SINCE NOT EVERYONE GOT THE CHANCE TO FILL OUT TIME & TALENT SHEETS, if you would like to volunteer for something, EITHER PARISH, call the office 228-3164.

Note The Time and Talent lists and the Ministry schedules for both parishes are on the website now on the Ministry page. The website is: www.stmark-standrew.org

WANTED: Anyone interested in being part of a Religious Ed board for either/or both parishes. Does not mean you are the Religious Ed director, just concerned and willing to brainstorm. If interested call the office - 228-3164.

Notice: the Parish office will be closed on Monday, May 28, in observance of Memorial Day.

Send us a picture of your St. Isadore cross in action!

St. Mark's Rummage Sale

June 7: Set-up - 8:00 a.m. to completion June 8: 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. June 9: 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Call Kathy to volunteer 228-2735

Stewardship Moment: "The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children then heirs, heirs of god and joint heirs with Christ..." - Romans 8:16-17

If we are heirs to the kingdom of God, shouldn't we work to build up His kingdom? Shouldn't we be good stewards of our inheritance, using our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasures to care for the Church that God has left to us? Our Church is a treasured heirloom from God. Do we treat it that way?

MASS INTENTION REQUEST

A Mass intention is requested for :

From_

Suggested offering \$10.00 per Mass intention.

PARISHIONERS, FAMILY AND PrayerLine

FRIENDS: **MILITARY PERSONNEL & THEIR**

FAMILIES:

Doris Hart, Shirley Bullinger, Marie Vargo, Tony Wells, Mary Holen, Margaret Sebelius, Francis Kritzberger, Bud Woeste, Harvey Soland, Jodee Blaze, Todd Pigeon, Duane Indridson, Carol Carbonneau, David Schultz, Jerry Volk, Cindy Haman, Charles Carbonneau, Janet Kraft, Noah Singalness, Joe Schmaltz, Frank King Family, Paul Amsbaugh, Erika Hamilton, Crystal Grenier, Sandv Hanretty, Russ & Jan Picard, Gary Wall Family, and any special private intentions.

name, please contact Deb Wyman at 245-6538 or the

St. Andrew's Health Center: Marion Honer, Barney

Good Sam: Regan Benning, Maria Barballa, Pete Anderson, Ronnie Houle, Ernie Houle, Jane Kuntz.

Edgewood Vista: Eileen Lahr

The Wellington: Ray and Donna Sharkey

Rosary @ St Mark's: 5 pm, Sat., 10:30 am, Sundays in May



Report for May 19-20

St. Andrew's:		<u>St Mark's</u>	
Adult env.	\$ 816.00	Adult env.\$	2944.00
Plate	\$ 48.00	Plate \$	121.50
Children	\$ 14.00	Children \$	24.00

Building Improvement Fund:



St. Mark's Bottineau & St. Andrew's Westhope

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In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

PARISH STAFF

Fr Michael Hickin, Pastor Vickie Gangl, Secretary Cathy Miller, Custodian Patty Graber, Custodian

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Valerie Heth, DRE at St. Andrew's Parish

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:30 pm, Bottineau Saturday 8:00 pm, Lake Chapel Sunday 9:00 am, Westhope And 11:00 am, Bottineau

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 4:30 pm, Bottineau Sunday, 8:30 am, Westhope Or by Appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5:00pm

May 26-27, Most Holy Trinity

From the Pastor's Pen



A HISTORY OF LOVE. The Trinity is like gravity in a way. We can attempt to defy it but we end up falling and getting hurt. We do get up, learn lessons, and improve our way of life. Every new mode of travel is not a case against gravity, but new ways of working with a system that simply is. Every new sport is just another exercise in finding the law of gravity relevant and fun to work with.

This Mystery of the Most Holy Trinity both escapes our minds and inhabits our hearts. It is simultaneously beyond and imbedded in our very being.

Originally God was encountered as the Father of peoples and Creator of the world. The Prophets distinguished Israel's Lord from the gods of the neighboring nations. "I am the first and I am the last; there is no God but me" (Is 44:6).

In the New Testament period occurred an unexpected event: the coming of a man who claimed to be the Son of God. Jesus Christ, a living paradox, is, on the one hand, the Son who spoke to God as *an Other*, addressing Him as Father. On the other hand he is "Emmanuel" (Godwith-us), God visiting His people.

There quickly followed a third experience, the presence of God in the disciples. "I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Advocate to be with you always.... On that day you will realize that I am in my Father and you in me and I in you" (Jn 14:16. 20). This began on Pentecost.

Such is how Christians began to deal with God as One in Three. Such dealings were at the root of the Church's eventual Creeds. The Nicene Creed that we profess every Sunday is made up of texts drafted at the Ecumenical Councils of Nicea (A.D. 325) and Constantinople (A.D. 381). The form of this Creed, you'll notice, is Trinitarian.



We have come to know God's identity, like our own, over the course of time. Because God is Love, the history of coming to know Him is identical with the history of Love. His Love, we believe, triumphs.

We work together as parish families in search of new ways of mirroring the wonders of what it means to live in the image of God, Triune and True. All it takes is being open to old and new ways of loving one another.

MEMORIAL DAY. February 3, 1943, 4 U.S. Army Chaplains gave up their life jackets and prayed together when their transport ship was torpeded south of Green-



land. Bottineau is honored to have the Chaplain's courage on display at the Four Chaplain's Memorial. Already this year I've chatted with 2 different out of town visitors photographing the monument Msgr Andrieux erected in 1956. One was a family from Alberta, Canada on their way to New Orleans!

As usual, Bottineau's Memorial Day Parade begins at this site as our local community honors the men and women who have died while serving in the military.

"The custom of honoring ancestors by cleaning cemeteries and decorating graves is an ancient and worldwide tradition, but the specific origin of Memorial Day, or Decoration Day as it was first known, are unclear.

"In early rural America, this duty was usually performed in late summer and was an occasion for family reunions and picnics. After the Civil War, America's need for a secular, patriotic ceremony to honor its military dead became prominent, as monuments to fallen soldiers were erected and dedicated, and ceremonies centering on the decoration of soldiers' graves were held in towns and cities throughout the nation.

"After World War I, the day expanded to honor those who have died in all American wars.

"No less than 25 places have been named in connection with the origin of Memorial Day, and states observed the holiday on different dates. In 1971, Memorial Day became a national holiday by an act of Congress" (The Farmer's Almanac, 2018).

TRINITY YOUTH CAMP, SEE PARISH BULLETIN BOARDS, ALSO BROCHURES in the Parish Office or you can check it out online at trinityyouth-campnd.com or call Annette at (701)477-5270. Please let the Parish Office know if your child is interested in going to camp. We have money for scholarships from the St. Mark's Altar Society and the KC's to help toward the cost of the camp.



Pancake Breakfasz

Paul Amsbaugh Medical Benefit on Sunday, June 3, 2018 from 7a.m.to 1p.m. at the Bottineau High School Multipurpose Room. Free will Pancake Breakfast and Silent Auction

Planning for the Future. On May 16th, Jerry Migler led a group at St. Mark's to work through 47 ideas/suggestions generated by the Climate Survey and last year's Steering Committee. We put the ideas in 3 separate categories then prioritized them. If you would like to see what we did, check out the south-

west corner of the Social Hall. It was a lively discussion and fun working through all the ideas. If you have any questions, call the office - 228-3164. Next meeting.



May 30, 6:30p.m. All are welcome. Come voice your opinions.

Congratulations to the Bottineau High School graduating class of 2018! St. Mark's Seniors are: McKinley Agnes, Jazmin Barbot, Kaitlyn Christenson, Riley Gallagher, Connor Haman, Ryland Haman, Delani Jahner, Devon Main, Evan Pomarleau, Ty Rude, Tayler Troska. Go make a difference!



GriefShare is a weekly seminar to help people rebuild their lives after losing a loved one. Our group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help others through difficult days.

Sundays thru June 3, 6-8 p.m. Bottineau Veterans Center Free, no registration required. More information call Warren at 701-220-5042.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th Tuesday of every month, at 11:30 A.M. at St. Andrew's Health Center Chapel

Communion Services will be offered to Catholic Patients, Catholics living in the SMP apartments, Catholic employees of the SAHC, and anyone visiting SAHC.

Please note that we will continue to celebrate Catholic Mass at 2 P.M. on the 3rd Tuesday of every month.

Summer Kick-off Retreat at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Belcourt on June 15-16 or a Teen A.C.T.S. retreat on July 26-29. Open to all incoming 9th graders to graduating 12th graders. Meals, housing and supervision all provided. For more info or to sign up call, Brenda Trottier at 477-6288 or Amanda Eastbrook at 413-364-4099.



FARM FRESH EGGS FOR SALE! \$3.00/DOZEN. CALL OR TEXT TERESA POKIVA AT 701-871-0460.

WANTED: VOLUNTEERS TO HELP CLEAN UP THE COURTYARD. IT IS DESPARATELY IN NEED OF TLC. IF SOMEONE WOULD LIKE TO TAKE IT ON AS A PERSONAL PROJECT, CALL THE OFFICE 228-3164.

Our Condolences to the Families of Anna McNight whose funeral was Friday afternoon and Mickie Gibson whose funeral was Saturday morning. May God's love give you comfort in the loss of your loved one.

GOD IN THE WILDERNESS! Jun 25-30, Fr Michael will be chaplain for a Youth Retreat (entering grades 9-12, or just graduated seniors) in **the Badlands and Black Hills** of SD. The leader, Jen Messing will lead discussions on Theology of the Body fueled by the young people's questions and God's promptings through the beautiful natural surroundings. 5-10 miles of hiking each day. We'll swim in Sylvan Lake, exploring Wind or Jewel Cave, and enjoy campfires.

Get outside and get to know yourself & other people your age, God, and what you believe.



Apostles would like to thank all who came to their pancake & sausage breakfast for their support! A very special thank you to Leroy Mattern of Mattern Family Meats for donat-

ing all the delicious sausage!!! Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

You may or may not have noticed that we are minus a tree out in front of the church. The City of Bottineau removed it because it was mostly dead.

Congratulations to Alison Williams on the baptism of your son, Liam Michael last Sunday. God bless you and welcome to St. Mark's family!

ANYONE WILLING TO DRIVE PEOPLE TO MINOT FOR DOCTOR'S APPOINTMENTS, PLEASE call the Parish office at 228-3164. This kindness is urgently needed.

Cemetery Memorial

Please remember our cemeteries in your Memorial Day giving.
Thank You.

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St. Andrew's Ministries for June 3rd

DATE	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS	COUNTERS
Sun.	Trudy & Roberta	Bella Radzwell	Thompson Family	Karen & Kimberly	Don & Crystal Zane	Rose & Tom

St. Mark's Ministries for June 2nd-3rd

DATE	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS	COUNTERS
Sat.	Bread: Vickie Gangl Susan Haberman/Bobbi Aus	Susan Haber- man	Northern Lights Apostles	Dennis Lagasse Bruce Miller	Ann Swanson/ Joyce Bursinger	Emma Haber- man	
Sun.	Bread: Vicki Boehnke Bev Jensen/Priscilla Sturde- vant	Vicki Boehnke	Steve & Diane Lorenz	Mike Nero/ Bryan Schweit- zer	Bill & Cool Bau- mann	Gabe Nero Jonas Parisien	Addie Berg/Karen Sollin