June 23 – Solemníty of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Chríst



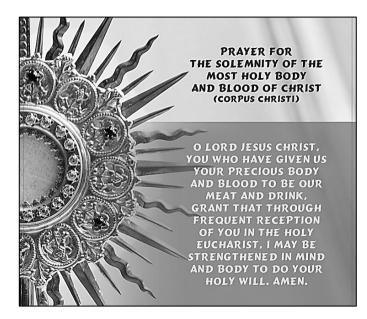
"THEY ALL ATE AND WERE SATISFIED."

Christ, you come to us and because we are broken, you are broken, you bless us (and our brokenness) beyond all telling.

You do not leave us.

You stay, and you sustain us as vital food. Grace becomes like loaves and fishes. You lavish love prodigally on us each time you come to us. You make us one, since you are our very food and drink. Let us give your love to each other.

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PRAYER SERVICES

Wed., June 26	7:45 AM	NO Morning Prayer
Fri., June 28	7:45 AM	NO Morning Prayer

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., June 22	4 PM	Harriet Kunz
Sun., June 23	10 AM	Cathy Witkemper
Sat., June 29	4 PM	Walter & Annabelle Busch
Sun., June 30	10 AM	Ruth Gehl

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

<u>Saturday</u> – June 29 at 4:00 PM

- Greeters: Steve and Katy Schmidt Mark and Rosie Lunsford Servers: Cloey Simon, Sam Simon
- Cantor: Scott Simon
- Lectors: Elizabeth Hermesch, Cathy Wagner

Euch. Ministers: Terry Harmeyer, Gene Moorman Jane Pictor, Beth Simon

Sunday – June 30 at 10:00 AM

Greeters: Mike and Katie Spreckelson Matt and Leslie Hicks

- Servers: Shaylee Volz, Luke Simon
- Cantors: Wayne and Susan Schutte
- Lectors: Blake Simon, Paige Simon

Euch. Ministers: Dana Newhart, John Muckerheide Rita Kress, Joyce Muckerheide

PARISH SUPPORT

Adult Envelopes	\$4060.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 2.30
Loose Collection	<u>\$ 372.00</u>
Total Regular Collection	\$4434.30

\$3,335.00 needed weekly to meet budget.

Special Collections

- \$2094.00
- + Capital Improvement \$500.00
- + Education of Future Priests \$1594.00

God Bless You!

"Contemplating the crucified One with the eyes of faith, we can understand in depth what sin is, how tragic is its gravity, and at the same time, how immense is the Lord's power of forgiveness and mercy....He whom we have pierced with our faults never tires of pouring out upon the world an inexhaustible torrent of merciful love." ~ Pope Benedict XVI **STEWARDSHIP** – In today's Gospel, the disciples suggest that Jesus disperse the crowd so that they might *individually* seek food and lodging. The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus' powerful reminder that when we *share* our gifts in His name there is always more than enough!

<u>SANCTUARY LIGHT</u> – The sanctuary light will burn June 23 through 30 for Cherry Lamping.

<u>CONGRATULATIONS</u> – We congratulate **Ralph** and **Sue Kuntz** on their **60 years** of married life! God bless you today and as you continue to live your marriage vows!

<u>YOUNG ADULT GATHERING</u> – Looking forward to seeing you this Sunday evening at 6:00 PM!

<u>WELCOME</u> – We are delighted to welcome Craig and Emily Simon and their children, Maximus and Duke, to our parish! May you experience Christ's presence among us!

<u>**REST IN PEACE**</u> – St. Maurice parishioners extend sympathy to Kelli Cobler and her family upon the death of her father, Jim Meyer. May he rest in Eternal Peace!

<u>SEMINARIAN COLLECTION</u> – Thank you for your gift of **\$1,594.00** toward the education of our seminarians and our future priests. Consider including them in your daily prayers.

FAITH FORMATION – The Faith Formation Committee will meet Thursday, June 27, 4:00 PM.

<u>MEALS</u> – Anyone who would like to make a meal for the Joyce Muckerheide Family, please sign up at https:/mealtrain.com/64dn88. If you have any questions, call Barb Wittich at 513-720-5563.

<u>PETER'S PENCE</u> – Next weekend, you are asked to help support the Peter's Pence Collection. This helps our Holy Father provide emergency assistance to those in need because of natural disaster, war, and disease. Envelopes are in your box.

<u>GREETERS</u> – The Archdiocese has asked us to do MASS COUNTS each weekend in May and June. <u>CEMETERY CONCERNS</u> – If you notice anything in our cemetery that needs attention, please call Sister Shirley, who will then discuss it with Dennis Wagner. Dennis has taken care of St. Maurice Cemetery after his dad, Bill, could no longer do so.

We are aware of the following concerns: Some tombstones have moved slightly on their foundation; one of the ornamental trees near the small altar has died; the wall at the cemetery needs some attention. Dennis and I have discussed all these concerns and will address them in due time.

We continue to be grateful to Dennis for his care of the cemetery.

<u>**CHURCH SIGNS**</u> – The three church signs on Highway 229 and 421 need to be repainted. Scott Simon has agreed to handle this task. We are looking into possibly having a different picture of the church which also includes a portion of the parish center.

<u>MISSING</u> – We are missing an insert pan and lid from one of our new roasters in the Hall kitchen. If anyone has it or knows where it is, please contact Arlene or Susan.

<u>THE LORD'S LAUGHTER</u> – There are two kinds of people: those who climb mountains and those who sit in the shadow of the mountains and critique the climbers. (Richard Paul Evans, *Miles to Go*)

SUNDAY REFLECTION

According to the historian Josephus Flavius, there were about 200 Jewish villages in all of Galilee at the time of Jesus. Researchers have estimated that there were about 200,000 people in the entire region of Galilee. Today's Gospel describes the feeding of 5,000 men. With women and children, the hungry could have totaled about 15,000, roughly ten times the population of Capernaum -- an unprecedented percentage of Galileans.

As we file up in the Communion line in our gathering of faithful followers at Mass this weekend, God comes to each of us one to one. Closing our eyes in prayer, we are part of the continuing miracle of faith. (Deacon Dick Folger)