



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT COMMUNITY

Celebrating the Traditional Latin Mass

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Fr. Robideau - What will he say next? I can't wait!

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Mission Statement

We have a nice blank spot in the bulletin to put such a thing... if we had one.

Hint, hint pastoral council

It is Church teaching that the parents are the first teacher of their children. That means it is your responsibility to teach them the Faith, morals, and all the practical stuff of life and living with people. It is not the right of the State to do this. We do, however choose to have a public education system to help us fulfill our duties to teach these things to our children. This is fine, so long as they do not try to indoctrinate our children into something less than we would have for them. And there lies the rub. They ARE using the education system to pervert and corrupt our children, to turn them away from God and toward a socialist mentality or worse.

Critical Race Theory (CRT) is part of this corruption. It creates division where there need not be one and worse, it teaches white children to hate themselves and their ancestors and all the good that white people have contributed to this world. Shameful! All races, colors, genders, ect... have contributed to good things in this world and evil things too. We all have our mixed baggage. In that sense, we can say that mankind (regardless of any delineation) have all sinned.

Shame on anyone who uses the tactics of Hitler or the KKK to cut from the heard any segment of the population and say they are the problem. We have all contributed to the problem, but the good news is we can all contribute to the solution. This will not happen though if anyone is selected to be demonized. That group will be forced to defend their honor; they will be justifiably angered and will have a deep resentment for the ill treatment and characterization. They will not want to cooperate with a system that is rigged against them and using them as a scapegoat. In fact, they will throw wrenches in the works.

The best thing we can do is to just forgive each other and to move forward from here with respect for each other. This does not mean that we will not each still be judged as individuals. We are to be judged by our character and our own personal actions. Not those of others, especially those of the past. Each person must take responsibility for themselves, for their life, their food, their health, their home, their children, their possessions, their income, Their safety, their security... Everything! Scripture is clear that people do have this responsibility to not be a burden on others or on society.

By burden, it is meant that they may not put off on others what they

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This Weeks Schedule

- Sun: 9th Sunday after Pentecost
Open 7:15 am - 12 noon
Mass 8 am Reparation to the Twin Hearts
10 am Parish
- Mon: St. Ann Mother of the BVM
Open 11 am - 1 pm
Mass 12:10 pm - Norman & Margaret Platte
- Tue: Feria
Open 5 pm - 7 pm
Mass 6:30 pm - Eileen & Ed Onofray
- Wed: SS Nazarius, Celsus, Victor & Innocent I
Open 7:30 am - 11 am
Mass 8 am - Restaurant workers
- Thur: St. Martha
Open 5 pm - 7 pm
Mass 6:30 pm - Alice Schreider Family
- Fri: Feria
Open 7:30 am - 11 am
Mass 8 am - Reparation to the twin hearts
- Sat: St. Ignatius of Loyola
Open 8:30 am - 11 am
Mass 9 am - Christine Martin
- Sun: 10th Sunday after Pentecost
Open 7:15 am - 12 noon
Mass 8 am Kiah & Gabriella Hester
10 am Parish

Confessions

Confessions are available Monday - Saturday during open hours outside of Mass times.

You may also call to make an appointment outside of these times.

Weddings

Please call me as soon as you can after the engagement so we can get things started.

Do not schedule a date or rent a hall until church matters are cleared first (That will take 1-2 months)

The marriage prep process can take 9 or more months of prep.

Please pray for:



**Oh Lord,
hear our
prayers for
our family
and friends
in need.**

Tim Copernoll
Amy Sobie
Rachelle Koenigsknecht
Ed Reichstetter
Melissa Dorbeck
JoAnn Brock
Chuck Campanella
Hal Schneider
Timothy McLin
Dean Lind
Rhoda Greenhoe
David Makara
Sharon Etzel
Bob Wilson

Money Counters

WE ARE READY

Money counter training will take place next Sunday after the 10 am Mass.

Other individual times can be arranged

Last Sunday's Collection

# Of Contributions	23 + Cash
Sunday Total	\$ 4346.30
Capital Campaign	\$ 250

Thank you for your generosity

Meetings

Pastoral Council	– July 13
Security Council	–
Men's Group	– July 15
Woman's Group	– August 7

can do for themselves. There are those who have physical and mental conditions that lessen their duty and for some completely mitigates it. It is these less fortunate that we are called to help if we can. How that can or should happen is for another discussion.

Back to the main point, parents are the first teachers of their children, not the state and not the teachers union. It is also true that I am not the first teacher of your children. With this in mind, the church does offer Religious education classes to HELP you teach your children. And we are no different here at St. Gregory the Great. We have a small, modest program, yet very faithful to the true and authentic teachings of the Church.

We are here for you and we would love to assist you in your children's spiritual development. With this in mind, we are looking toward this fall to begin our next class.

Please read the letters below from our Religious Ed teachers. I hope you find them worthy of your trust.

We will have a formal Religious Ed sign up in a few weeks. More to follow.

God Bless, Fr. Robideau

From Barbara Hawkins, High School Religious Ed, RCIA & Confirmation Prep

The High School Religious Ed Class (grades 8 – 12) will be studying Apologetics this year. Apologetics is “the science which proves the reasonableness of the Catholic Faith. It is from the Greek word *apologia*, which means “to defend”. St. Peter says, “Be ready always to satisfy everyone that asketh you a reason of that hope which is in you.” (1 Peter 3:15)

Apologetics answers three questions:

1. *Why must we worship God.*
2. *Why must we be Christians?*
3. *Why must we be Catholic?*

We must be ready to defend our faith to

MONEY COUNTERS

Training today after the 10 am Mass.

If you are not able to make it today, please contact me so we can set up another time for training.

Atheists, Pantheists, Materialists, Jews, Deists (Rationalists), Indifferentists and heretics of various kinds who deny one or more articles of the Christian Faith.

The class will work on memorizing traditional prayers with a focus on those used for preparation for Communion and post Communion. Also, we will continue to concentrate on the Prayers for the Month: Ex: January – The month of the Holy Name, February – The month of the Holy Family, March – The month of St. Joseph, etc. The Saints will be studied including St. Joseph Cafasso, The North American Martyrs, and Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The textbook “Catholic Apologetics” by Fr. John Laux, M.A. will be used. Also used in class will be the Douay Rheims bible and the Imitation of Christ.

From Emma George, 2nd Grade Sacramental Prep

Beginning in September, St. Gregory the Great will be offering a basic class for students to prepare for First Reconciliation and First Communion. In our class, we begin with the essentials of our holy Faith, Who God is, and why He created us. With this starting point, we then dive into His great love and mercy for mankind, as demonstrated through the sacrament of Reconciliation, the death and resurrection of His Son, and culminating in the great

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gift of the Eucharist, the most important sacrament, where we are physically united with Christ. We have lots of discussion and questions, similes and examples, prayers and stories, to help students thoroughly grasp these foundational truths. I invite your second grader to join our First Communion class every Sunday at 9:00 to better prepare for the sacraments. I look forward to meeting you!

Please contact Ms. Emma George at EmmaTAG1126@gmail.com with any questions.

Contributions and Donations are greatly appreciated

As a parishioner or visitor, you may contribute in the following ways:

- You may use the donation box in the back of church if you want to use cash or check.
- You may contribute electronically with a credit card by going to:
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