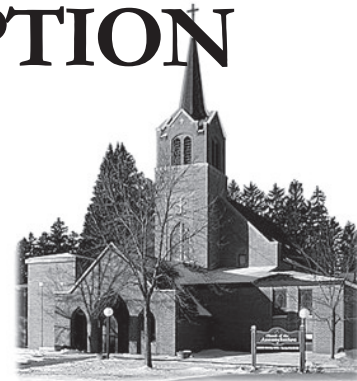


Churches of the  
**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**  
&  
**ANNUNCIATION**



August 1, 2010 •  
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rice

Mayhew Lake

**Pastor: Rev. Tim Wenzel**  
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#### Secretary/Bookkeeper

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#### Religious Ed Coordinator

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### Mass Times July-December

Sat 7pm & Sun 10:30am

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### Mass Times July-December

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#### Reconciliation

Saturdays at 8pm at Mayhew Lake  
and 4pm at Rice

#### Baptisms, Marriages & New Members

Please contact Fr. Tim  
at the Church Offices

#### St. Cloud Diocese Website

www.stclouddiocese.org



## PASTORAL REFLECTIONS

by *Father Tim*

Again I want to encourage your children's attendance at our Vacation Bible School which is coming soon, August 8-12 (See Page 4B for details). It is a wonderful opportunity for your child to learn about the Bible in an enjoyable and exciting way. If you have any questions, you may call the parish offices.



Every three years, in our parishes, our Diocesan Mission Office schedules a speaker who speaks about a particular Mission and invites our financial support for this mission. On August 28th and 29th Fr. Tom Garvey will be talking about his work with Carmen Pampa Fund, a St. Paul based organization that generates resources to support the Unidad Académica Campesina - Carmen Pampa (UAC-CP). The UAC-CP is a Catholic college in rural Bolivia that generates social and economic change through community-centered education. Recognized by the United Nations as an award-winning model for the eradication of poverty, the College educates students in subjects chosen for their relevance in creating self-sustaining communities. For more details of this outreach program see the website [www.carmenpampafun.org](http://www.carmenpampafun.org). Your generous support will be greatly appreciated.

I hope you have a good week.

#### World Missions Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you told your apostles to proclaim the good news and to make followers of all nations. They gave their lives to you, and for you, to spread the Gospel throughout the world. Today, the faithful still strive to bring your name to those who need it most. Give your strength to missionaries around the world who give their lives every day in lands far from home. Help those charged with bringing your word to be an example of you for those who cannot read your word for themselves. Help those who do their work in your name to inspire others to seek you as their Savior. We ask this through you, Christ, our Lord, Savior of the world. Amen.

# Immaculate Conception News

## Vacation Bible School



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## VBS Donation Requests



Please save empty paper towel cardboard rolls, to be used for VBS craft projects. Also needed for craft items made during that week is batting or pillow stuffing. If you have some that you are willing to donate please bring it in before

August 8th. Bring these items to the collection containers in the Gathering Space. We greatly appreciate your help.

## Quilting during VBS

Once again this year volunteers will be working on mission quilts during the evenings of Vacation Bible School. All parents or other interested adults are encouraged to help. We will work on them each evening from 6pm-8:30pm. Come & join the fun!!



## Stewardship Blessings

Adult Sunday .....	\$2,015.00
Loose Plate .....	\$171.00
Electronic Giving.....	\$1,480.00
Other Income .....	\$50.42
Total Received for Debt Retirement.....	\$660.00
ATV Raffle Sales .....	\$300.00
Summerfest Receipts .....	\$298.00
Diocese Interest .....	\$664.47
Total Income Last week .....	\$5,638.89
Year to Date Income .....	\$40,205.97
Year to Date Expenses.....	\$23,057.94
Loan Balance (as of 07-01-10) .....	\$236,177.35

*Jesus urges us to be rich in what matters to God. The psalmist warns us against hardening our hearts. Are our hearts open to what really matters?*

## Weekly Events

Thu 1:30pm Liturgy Committee Retreat Meeting

## Future Events

August 8-12 6:30-8:30pm Vacation Bible School

August 22 Annunciation Parish Picnic

September 26 Parish 125th Anniversary Celebration



Please welcome **Mariah Ann Jennings**, daughter of Mark & Melissa. She was received into our parish family through the sacrament of Baptism on July 24.

Congratulations to **Paul & Stephanie Schlangen** who were united in marriage on July 24. May you continue to place your trust in God and always look to His guidance and love.



## Liturgy Committee

The Annual Retreat Meeting is this Thursday from 1:30 to 4:30pm at Pat Spence's home. We will discuss the last section of "Sing to the Lord." Also, please bring your "Sourcebooks."

## 2010 Polaris 4-Wheeler Raffle



We are now selling tickets for the raffle for a 2010 4-wheeler. Proceeds from this raffle will go towards retiring our parish debt. Ticket donations are \$10.00 each with **only 2000** tickets sold. In addition to the grand prize there will also be 7 cash prizes given away this year. The drawing for prizes will take place at our 125th Anniversary celebration, September 26. Please consider taking a few tickets to sell to your friends, family & coworkers. Contact Joan Donovan at 393-3131, Sandy Saldana at 393-4530 or Patti at the parish office if you are willing to help sell tickets. If you wish to buy a ticket they will also be available at the Scrip table each weekend.

## Youth Contest

There are only a few days left for youth of the parish to submit a drawing for the 125th Anniversary of the parish! It should be colored and submitted on a 8 1/2" x 11" piece of paper. Deadline to submit your drawing is August 4. Good Luck!!

## Summerfest Results

Results of Summerfest are being finalized and profit is slightly lower than last year. The storms on Saturday evening stopped the evening's events about 7pm, which explains the lower results. Some of Sunday's events posted higher profits than previous years which eased the loss of Saturday evening. Final results will be posted on an insert in the bulletin in the coming weeks. Once again **Thank You** to all who helped make Summerfest 2010 another success!

# Annunciation News

## Wedding Banns

We are happy to announce that there is a promise of marriage between:

III Carol Janson & Michael Posch



## Prsaih Piccin- August 22<sup>nd</sup>!



We are switching it up this year! Mass & music in the Ball Park starts at 10:00 am Sunday, August 22. Parade

with horses, tractors, young kids in young cars, old kids in old cars, including decorated floats. Prizes for the top 5 entries! Potluck at 12:00 with fish fry, brats & dogs on the grill. Don't forget the bake sale. Lunch is a free will offering. Silent Auction Baskets and Games (BINGO-\$5/ card, mom & daughter sack races, batting competition, dunk tank maybe) for all ages throughout the day- Be Surprised! Mark your calendars. Everyone is welcome.

## Thank you!

Thank you to all who made improvements to the baseball park, especially Dennis Brand for delivering gravel for under the swing sets.

I would like to express my deepest and dearest thanks to all who remembered me in thoughts and prayers in my recent illness. A special thank you to Fr. Tim for his blessings and having the patience to drive through the traffic to St.

Joseph's Hospital. It's going to be a long recovery, but everyday I feel the gift of healing God has given me. God has carried me through my journey and has shown me many people who love and care for me: my family, neighbors, and friends. I can never give back as much as I received. Always keep in your heart the power of love and healing God has for us. Thank you everyone and may God bless you all. I am at home now.

Maxine Pekarek



## Weekly Events

Thurs., Aug. 5 7:00pm Capital Improvements meeting in church basement

## Future Events

August 8-13 Vacation Bible School in Rice  
 Mon., Aug. 16 6:30pm Youth Choir Practice  
 August 22 Annunciation Parish Picnic  
 Sun., Aug. 22 10:00am Youth & Adult Choir sing for Mass at Parish Picnic

## Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School dates are set for Aug. 8-12 at Immaculate Conception Church in Rice. Register either online at the Immaculate Conception Parish web site or pick up a form in the back of church.

## Silent Auction

Please let the creativity flow! Create a basket of goodies for the silent auction at the Parish Picnic. They must be finished and in the church basement by Thursday, August 19th with a starting bid placed on the basket. Any question, call Shirley.

## Teacher Needed

The Religious Education program is need of a ninth grade teacher. If you can help, please call Shirley at 259-0727 or 259-4941.

## Parish Picnic Needs:

\*\*Meat Donations for BINGO as part of the Parish Picnic August 22. Contact Jackie Popp at 320-393-4237. Thank you!"

\*\*Volunteers to help with August Parish Picnic GAMES/RACES/COMPETITION all ages. Contact Jackie Popp at 320-393-4237. Thank you!

## Congratulations!

Congratulations to Ryan Symanietz who placed in the top 10 in the DECA Business Operations Research Event at DECA's 2010 International Career Development Conference held in Louisville, KY.

## Mass Intentions

If you would like to have a Mass Intention for a deceased loved one, for the health of someone, for thanksgiving for something, or anything else, please contact the office. Mass stipends are \$5.00 per Mass.

## Happy Birthday!

Marie Czech, Rosemary Voigt, Johnathon Bzdok, Barbara Freberg, Katie Dietman, Randy Leabch, Anna Scapanski, Dalton Forge, Maria Gans, Nancy Gerads, Brooke Thell, Jordyn Bzdok, Joanie Krueger, Melissa Scapanski, Henry Zimmer, Dorothy Nelson, Margaret Peterson & Katelyn Scapanski

## Stewardship Blessings

Adult Sunday .....	\$3,747.00
Loose Plate .....	\$101.16
Wadena Tornado Relief .....	\$20.00
Youth .....	\$42.51
Funeral Lunch .....	\$10.00
Parish Directory .....	\$10.00
Total Income Last week .....	\$3,930.67

## Rice Mass Schedule

Wed 8:00 am †Phyllis Frerich-Lorenzo Janski  
Fri 8:00 am †Mary Ellen Sufka-Steve & Robin Wollak  
Sat 5:00 pm †Gene Long-Jane Long  
Sun 8:30 am †Roger Sufka-Jim Voigt

## Ministry Schedule

### Week of August 2-8

**Daily Mass Lector:** Pat Kollodge

### Cantor

Sat 5:00 pm Rebecca Trana  
Sun 8:30 am Janice Martin, Beth Trutwin

### Lector

Sat 5:00 pm Sara Kruger, Joe Katzner  
Sun 8:30 am Jim Moeller, Kathy Thene

### Servers

Sat 5:00 pm Jesse & Nick Popp  
Sun 8:30 am Jacob & Bobby Deters

### Greeters

Sat 5:00 pm Mardelle Pintok  
Sun 8:30 am Dan & Sandy Durant

### Ushers

Sat 5:00 pm Doug & Brett Gansen,  
Francis Januschka, Scott Voigt  
Sun 8:30 am Jerry & Theresa Eisenschenk,  
Roger Schlichting, Ray Thompson

### Host Count

Sat 5:00 pm Courtney Meehl  
Sun 8:30 am Joan Donovan

### Body of Christ

Sat 5:00 pm Bill Rauch  
Sun 8:30 am Brittany Friedrich

### Blood of Christ

Sat 5:00 pm Mardelle Pintok, Jeannie Meehl,  
Darren Meehl, Pat Rauch  
Sun 8:30 am Peggy Kerestes, Alex Langer,  
Roseann Moeller, Roxanne Saldana

### Communion at Home:

Please call LuAnn Trutwin 248-7768

## Mayhew Lake Mass Schedule

Tues 8:30 am +Frank Esselman  
Thurs 8:30 am +John Scapanski  
Sat 7:00 pm People of the Parishes  
Sun 10:30 am +Bob Esselman

## Mayhew Lake Ministry Schedule

### Lectors:

Sat. Brianna Rajkowski & Kayley Lain  
Sun. Shirley Scapanski & Charlotte Roeber

### Eucharist:

Sat. Duane Wentland(h), Rita Knott©, & Melissa Kahl©  
Sun. Sue Rajkowski(h) & Jason Zwilling(hc)

### Ushers:

Sat. Tom(S), Barb, Eric & Jeremy Brand  
Sun. Lawrence(S) & Jane Thell, Duane Walz & Chuck Wocken

### Servers:

Sat. Matthew & Brian Kahl  
Sun. Anna & Morgan Zeleny

### Greeters:

Sun. Brent & Joshua Ackerman

## News for Both Parishes

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"But God said to him, 'You fool, this night your life will be demanded of you; and the things you have prepared, to whom will they belong?' Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves but are not rich in what matters to God." - Lk 12:20-21

### Readings for the Week of August 1, 2010

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Jer 28:1-17/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

Saturday: Hb 1:12--2:4/Mt 17:14-20

Next Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

## Question of the Week

*What is a time that I made a difficult decision and acted in faith, not in fear?*