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Don't worry...
I already
taste-tested
the pie for the
Kiel Community
Picnic.
You're welcome!

**PIE
STAND**

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➤ **AUGUST 6TH - 9TH** ◀

GOOD FOOD • GREAT COMPANY • STRONGER IN FAITH | *All are welcome!*

*Come hungry...
just don't beat
the pig to the pie!*

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND

Saturday

4:00 pm SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday

8:00 am St. Ann

10:00 am Holy Rosary

CONFESSION

Saturday

3:30 pm SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday

7:30 am St. Ann

9:30 am Holy Rosary

or by appointment

WEEKDAY

Tuesday

8:30am SS. Peter & Paul, Kiel

Wednesday

8:30am Holy Rosary, New Holstein

Thursday

8:30am St. Ann, St. Anna

First Friday

8:30am SS. Peter & Paul, Kiel

Other Fridays [2nd, 3rd, 4th]

8:30am Holy Rosary, New Holstein

AUGUST 2, 2026

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Father Alvan Amadi, Pastor

SS. Peter & Paul

413 Fremont St, Kiel

920-894-3553

St. Ann

N188 School Street, New Holstein

920-898-4884

Holy Rosary

1724 Madison St, New Holstein

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WELCOME!



(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS THE MIRACLES WE DON'T SEE

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

"Why aren't there miracles anymore?"

I've heard people say this more than once. Usually, it is someone who is a believer in Christ but not a Catholic, because Catholics understand that miracles happen at every Mass, to say nothing of the other miracles the Church recognizes. But even some Catholics often find themselves wondering why it's been so long since God gave us a good show. A good sun-dance in the sky. A good, flashy reason to believe.

I don't know what it looked like when the loaves and the fishes were multiplied. I believe it happened, and I have envisioned it often, but I just can't picture it. Did everyone blink and there was a giant pile of food? Did they just keep finding more? Was it all the same kind of bread, or did Jesus mix it up?

I think the Gospel is deliberately vague on this to test the patience of pathologically nosy people like myself. It's not important what it looked like. If those details mattered, they would be spelled out in Scripture.

How often we find ourselves unsatisfied with the answers God has for us.

I wonder if that's what Christ was thinking when he savored those last few minutes of solitude on the boat, where he had gone to be alone after hearing the crushing news of his cousin's execution. Was he imagining the crowds gathering on shore? Was he contemplating their enormous expectations for God — for him! — and anticipating their disappointment when every wish could not be granted?

Maybe. But that's not what the Scripture says.

"His heart was moved with pity," we are told. I think of him looking at them all, so weary and uncertain and hungry. Pity — this is what he felt. Not resentment, exhaustion or frustration. Pity. And his precious heart was moved.

What a miracle. No details, no explanation. No dancing sun. But what a miracle.

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MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4

+John Klauck
SS. Peter & Paul

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

+ Marcella Lefebver
Holy Rosary

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6

+Lou Ausloos
St. Ann

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7

+Andrew Dhein Family
SS. Peter & Paul

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8

+David Schnur and the
Schnur Family
SS. Peter & Paul (4 pm)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

+Julie Ruffing
St. Ann (8 am)
+ Tom Schwartz
Holy Rosary (10 am)



MINISTRY SCHEDULES

AUGUST 8 & 9, 2026

	SS. Peter & Paul 4 pm Mass	St. Ann 8 am Mass	Holy Rosary 10 am Mass
Greeters	J DeTroye	Volunteers Needed	N Brian/Megan Giebel W Florence Knier S Bill Atkinson
Lector	Volunteer Needed	Julie S	Zarahya Villalobos
Eucharist	G Vondrachek M May	Renee K	Al Anhalt
Servers	Volunteers Needed	Lisa G	Matthew Villalobos (Volunteer Needed)
Ushers	H Brost M Raquet	Volunteers Needed	N Brian Giebel W Marlyn Knier S Bill Atkinson



SANCUTUARY CANDLE

WEEK OF AUGUST 2-8, 2026

Holy Rosary
Christopher Wagner
SS. Peter & Paul
Martin, Sukowaty & Adleman Families



STEWARDSHIP

WEEK ENDING JULY 26, 2026

Holy Rosary	Actual	Budget	Funds Rcd	Outstanding
Stewardship	5,813	207,000	16,303	190,697
Loose Offertory	265	19,000	826	18,174

St. Ann	Actual	Budget	Funds Rcd	Outstanding
Stewardship	545	68,200	3,183	65,017
Loose Offertory	238	8,574	820	7,754

PRAYERLINE CONTACTS

St. Ann
Donna Schmitz 920-948-9106
Valeria Kempf 920-894-2370
Holy Rosary
Barb Weber 920-898-5614
SS. Peter & Paul
Fran Pitz 920-894-3017
Rita Nigrelli 920-286-0551

SS. Peter & Paul	Actual	Budget	Funds Rcd	Outstanding
Stewardship	7,545	285,000	18,380	266,620
Loose Offertory	99	12,000	629	11,371

HOLY ROSARY

In Sympathy

Our deepest condolences to the family of Lisa (Edmonds) Steindl whose funeral Mass was celebrated this weekend at Holy Rosary. May you feel the strength of God's love and presence in your lives as you go through this difficult time. Let us also pray for Donna Barryman-Huyge, sister of Fr. Harry Barryman, who passed away on July 17th. Please keep the Barryman and Huyge families in your prayers.

Additional Mass Intentions Available

Starting Friday, August 14th, Holy Rosary will celebrate additional Masses on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Friday of each month. Mass intentions honoring loved ones are available for a \$20 offering. Contact the parish office to request yours.

A Special Thank You

Dear Holy Rosary Parish Members, Thank you for your beautiful card with a wonderful message. My time and ministry at the Three Parishes was an honor and a blessing. Holy Rosary Parish is especially dear to me and the financial gift is a real blessing. Thank you! God's Blessing – Deacon Dennis Bennin

Helping Hands Food Pantry

Every third Friday through October, the Helping Hands Food Pantry will have a special table available for fresh garden produce. If you have extra fruits, vegetables, or herbs from your garden, this is a wonderful opportunity to share them with neighbors in need. Together, we can make sure nothing goes to waste and everyone has access to healthy, fresh food. The Helping Hands Food Pantry is also in need of more of the following items: ketchup, mustard, kleenex, grape jelly, strawberry jam, and boxed cereals.

Fall Festival

With the Fall Festival approaching we are still in need of Cool Whip containers (8oz only) and sour cream containers (16oz only). Thank you to those who have already donated containers.

2026/2027 Stewardship Envelopes

There are still 28 families who have not picked up their stewardship envelopes for the new fiscal year that just began on July 1st. Please stop by after Mass to pick them up (church is open Monday – Thursday 8-4, and Friday 8-noon). Your faithful giving helps us continue our mission of worship, service, and community outreach. Thank you for being a vital part of our parish family!

Sanctuary Candle Spots Available in 2026

There are still a few spots available in 2026 for the sanctuary candle. These are the dates: August 30, November 1 & 15. The cost is \$20/date. Please contact the parish office.

ST. ANN

Congratulations!

Our congratulations to Grace DeBruin and Joshua Davila who celebrated their wedding at St. Ann on Saturday, July 25. May God bless your sacred covenant of holy matrimony with an abundance of grace, enduring love, and lifelong joy as you reflect Christ's love for the Church.

Scrip

Traveling this summer? To ball games, concerts, fairs, and vacations? Stop at the scrip box and pick up some gas cards to get you where you're going. And support your parish at the same time. Scrip is available in the back of church after mass.

Pantry Collections

St. Ann collects non-perishable food items for the Helping Hands Food Pantry. Drop items in the bin at any mass and we'll make sure they get to the pantry. Why not grab a few items to put in the bin when you're shopping for your family?

Church Flowers

If you have any flowers you would like to donate for decorating the church, bring them to the north entrance of church by 8:00 am on Saturday mornings. If you are interested in helping arranging the flowers, you are most welcome to join us. Vases are available at church.

Mass Intentions

Each year you may offer Mass Intentions for deceased loved ones, living family members, or celebrations such as anniversaries or birthdays. It's a beautiful way to honor a special person or date. The following Thursdays are open: August 13 and October 8. Please email Kim at secretary@sspeternpaul.org, call her at 894-3553, or stop in the SS. Peter & Paul office to schedule your intentions.

SS. PETER & PAUL

Pie Stand

Thank you to everyone who donated towards our list of supplies for the pie stand. We've got everything covered except for the ice cream, which will be about \$600. Watch for a postcard in the mail listing pie/torte drop off times. Sign up sheets are in the narthex for you to help at the stand, during set up and take down and cutting and packaging the desserts.

This is a GIGANTIC UNDERTAKING by our parish, and we need all the help we can get! Students are invited to volunteer, but must be at least 13. Sign up by yourself, with a friend, your spouse, your children, your mom & dad, or even bring your boss. Make it a family affair and get your whole family involved. Everyone can help! It takes many hands!

Rest in Peace

Prayers and sympathy are offered for the family of Diann Keller who was called home to the Lord. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace and glory.

It All Helps!

\$scrip is sold in the office weekly during office hours. You can call or email Kim your order if you want and she'll have it ready for you, no waiting if you're in a hurry. It is also sold after weekend Mass in Voland Hall. Give it a try. . . maybe just get your gas this month using scrip.

Pastoral Council Openings

There are two openings for parish pastoral council that began July 1. Terms are for three years and you get to work with a team of people to help set the vision for the parish within those years. Those interested can visit with current members, see Kim in the parish office or be in touch with Father Amadi.

Senior Birthdays

Nine of our 'senior parishioners' age 70 and up celebrated their birthdays during the month of July. They include: Barb Richter (2), Mary Vogel (5), Dorothy Muhs (7), Carol Joas (11), Glenroy Ausloos (16), Lucille Cadotte (18), Diane Gibula (19), Ramona Foerster (23) and David Bunge (27). May God bless you on your birthday and the entire year!

Painting Campaign: Help Us Reach our Goal!

Current Progress: \$25,000 Raised of Our \$40,000 Goal
Thank you for your incredible generosity! We have raised \$25,000 toward our vital building updates. Please prayerfully consider making a tax-deductible gift and invest in the future of our parish. You can drop a marked envelope in the collection during weekend Mass, send your contribution in the mail to the parish office, or bring your gift directly to the office.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Monday, August 3

Adoration 4—5 pm / SS. Peter & Paul
Pietra Fitness 4:15 pm
SS. Peter & Paul Parish Center

Tuesday, August 4

Mass 8:30 AM / SS. Peter & Paul
Pietra Fitness 9:30 am
SS. Peter & Paul Parish Center
Staff Meeting 1 pm / SS. Peter & Paul

Wednesday, August 5

Mass 8:30 am / Holy Rosary
Adoration 4—5 pm / Holy Rosary

Thursday, August 6

Mass 8:30 am / St. Ann
SS. Peter & Paul Pie Stand 6 - 8 pm

Friday, August 7

Adoration 4—5 pm / St. Ann
SS. Peter & Paul Pie Stand 6 - 9 pm

Saturday, August 8

SS. Peter & Paul Pie Stand 1 - 9 pm
Confession 3:30 pm / SS. Peter & Paul
Mass 4 pm / SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday, August 9

Confession 7:30 am / St. Ann
Mass 8 am / St. Ann
Confession 9:30 am / Holy Rosary
Mass 10 am / Holy Rosary
SS. Peter & Paul Pie Stand 1 - 3 pm
Rosary 6 pm / SS. Peter & Paul



Fresh look, same great community! Because our previous bulletin software is being retired, we've partnered with the Diocese to create a brand-new design. Please bear with us over the next few issues as we fine-tune the layout to make it work best for our communities. We appreciate your patience!

RAISING VOCATIONS

Our Young People Are Counting on You: A spiritual family needs priests and sisters. That is why the Raising Vocations Collection is so important. By now, you most likely received a letter from Bishop Ricken requesting your help in supporting young men and women on their faith journey. Please return your generous contribution to this collection, using the pledge card and return envelope you received in the mail. A gift of \$25, \$100, \$250, or more will make a huge difference now and for the future of our Church. Thank you for helping them today, so they may say "yes" to the Lord! Every gift makes a difference. Friends and followers of Jesus support one another!

To make your gift today, visit www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give or call Tammy Danz at 920-272-8123.

SHARED CARE & HOMEBOUND OUTREACH

As of right now, no one has expressed interest in taking Deacon Dennis' job as pastoral associate. One of his roles was weekly visits to the homebound using a staggered schedule. Because of that, SS, Peter & Paul, Holy Rosary, and St. Ann parishes would like to launch a collaborative outreach ministry to support our valued community members. We want to ensure that our parishioners who are homebound, in assisted living, or residing in nursing homes know they remain a vital part of our faith family.

There are currently 20-30 parishioners across our three communities who are in care facilities or unable to leave their homes. We are hoping to form a team to bring them the warmth of our parish communities through simple visits. And communion.

How You Can Help

Flexible Commitment: Choose just a few locations, Or visit more. The time frame is flexible and at your convenience.

Simple Presence: Bring a bulletin, share a prayer, Or simply offer a friendly conversation. And bring communion if you are comfortable doing that.

Shared Joy: Bring comfort to a lonely parishioner and remind them that they are loved.

Sign Up or Learn More. Please consider answering this call to serve our senior and homebound neighbors. Contact Kim in the SSPP office.

BULLETIN SPONSORS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our bulletin sponsors for providing our weekly bulletin to our parish. Their sponsorship partially covers the cost of the lease of the color copier, the paper and staples. We are grateful for their continued support. Whenever you are in the market for goods and services, please utilize the businesses listed at the back of the bulletin and tell them that you saw their ad in our bulletin and thank them for their support.

To fill the gap from the sponsors that have left, we've created a new weekly personal spot that that can be "in Memory of [a loved one] or in honor of someone's birthday or anniversary and it may include a small picture and short message. If you are interested in placing a personal ad on our bulletin for \$20/week, please contact Kim in the SSPP office [920-894-3553] or email her at secretary@sspeterpaul.org for more information. It will be on a first come basis.

Friday Masses

Starting Friday, August 14th, we're excited to announce additional Masses at Holy Rosary! These will be held on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Friday of every month. We look forward to seeing you there.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage

If anyone may be interested in making a pilgrimage to Medjugorje (where Mary the mother of Jesus has been appearing daily for almost 45 years) Deacon Pat will be leading a group to go there from October 17th to the 25th. Cost is \$3,368. Flyers can be found in each of our three linked parishes, or you can contact him for more information.

Substitute Teachers Needed

Divine Savior School is looking for people to add to their substitute teacher roll for the 2026-2027 school year. Do you have a teaching license or a bachelor's degree? Do you enjoy working with students at Divine Savior? Please call the school office at 920-894-3533 or email Mr. Shircel at principal@divinesaviorschool.org if interested. Thank you.

Pietra Fitness Exercise Class

Come Join Us!!

Pietra Fitness is a stretching and strengthening exercise program that integrates Christian prayer in the Catholic tradition into each workout. Our goal is to develop strength of body, mind, and soul. Classes are held at SS Peter & Paul Parish Center, lower level, on Mondays from 4:15-5:15 pm and Tuesdays from 9:30-10:30 am. Classes are ongoing so join anytime! Cost for the classes are \$35/5 classes and \$65/10 classes. FIRST class is FREE so come and try it out!

For more information and to sign up contact Sherry at 920-286-1062 or dashwink2@gmail.com.

Blood Drive

ST THOMAS THE APOSTLE
CHURCH FELLOWSHIP HALL
8100 BRUNNER RD, NEWTON
Saturday, August 15 from 7:30 am - 12:00 pm
Book Appointments By Calling 877.232.4376
or by visiting Versiti.org/WI

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Thus says the LORD:
All you who are thirsty,
come to the water! (Is 55:1)

Psalm:

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs. (Ps 145)

Second Reading:

For I am convinced that neither death, nor life,
nor angels, nor principalities,
nor present things, nor future things,
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,
nor any other creature will be able to separate us
from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Rom 8:38-39)

Gospel:

Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven,
he said the blessing, broke the loaves,
and gave them to the disciples,
who in turn gave them to the crowds. (Mt 14:19)

SUBHEAD

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

When Jesus multiplied the loaves and fishes, he didn't create only what was needed — there were leftovers that could be saved and shared again. God is lavish in bestowing His grace upon us. He always gives enough to share.

Observances for the week of August 2, 2026

Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Tuesday: St. John Vianney, Priest
Wednesday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
Thursday: The Transfiguration of the Lord
Friday: St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajetan, Priest
Saturday: St. Dominic, Priest
Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Virtues, *Explained!*

Respect, wrote the theologian Fr. Romano Guardini, is the “everyday form of reverence.” It is an admiration of the sacredness of a thing, and so respect for those made in God's image flows naturally from our primary respect for God Himself.

Blessing of God's Provision

Dear God,
Thank You for the ways You have always provided in the past, and be with us in these days as well. Bless our community — every family, every home, every person entrusted to our parish's care. Provide for our needs — bodily, emotional, financial, mental, and spiritual — in Your holy and sacred name.
Amen.

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Baptism Congratulations on the birth of your child!
Contact the office at least one month before desired date of Baptism to arrange for preparation.

Marriage Congratulations on your engagement!
Contact the office at least six months before your intended date to meet with Father Amadi and to make arrangements for the marriage preparation process.

Bequests Please remember our parishes when making out your will. Thank you.

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