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Sacramental Life

Eucharist

St. Alphonsus- Sundays at 8:30am
Saturday Vigil at 5:00pm
Holy Days- 7:00 pm
St. John- Sundays at 10:30am
Holy Days- (Vigil) 7:00pm

Reconciliation

St. Alphonsus- Saturdays from 4:15-4:45
Anytime by appointment
St. John- Anytime by appointment

Baptism

St. Alphonsus- Third Saturday of the month following parent preparation class. Contact the office 2 months prior.
St. John- Third Sunday of the month following parent preparation class. Contact the office 2 months prior.

Matrimony

St. Alphonsus & St. John- Contact the parish office 6 months before the wedding.

Funeral & Other Emergency

St. Alphonsus & St. John- Contact the parish office 24 hours a day

May 17, 2015

MASS INTENTIONS 

“Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature.”

Just as Jesus had proclaimed the Gospel to the Apostles, so then must we proclaim to all the world the marvelous deeds that the Lord has done for us. Today we hear from the Acts of the Apostles how Jesus returned to His Father in heaven. He ascended before them and they stood astounded. Indeed they needed to be shook into action by the words of an angel. We sometimes sit in awe and wonder and await the work of God to be done for us. But just as the Apostles were called to proclaim the Gospel so too are we. We do so in every act we make. When we choose to serve rather than be served, when we choose to give of ourselves rather than to take, when we witness the glorious works that God has done for us by the gratitude of our lives, then are we proclaiming the Gospel. Let us not shirk our responsibility but do as we have been commanded, proclaiming with our very lives all the good that God has done for us.

J. Bell

 **Pastoral Council** 

Pastoral Council meeting will be held
Tuesday, May 19 @ 7:00 pm

MEMORIAL DAY MASS

Monday, May 25 we will celebrate mass at St. Denis Cemetery - Shipman. We will honor all those who served our nations freedom and have died. Please come and join us at 10:00 am. Bring a chair so that you can be comfortable for the mass. If rain causes us to leave the cemetery, mass will be held at St. Alphonsus. Again, please come and join us to honor our fallen heroes.

Whoever believes and is baptized
will be saved.
Mark 16:16

May 18 Monday	NO MASS
May 19 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: Jerry Ferguson BY: Tom and Mary Korte
May 20 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: All Souls BY: Fred and Diane Albrecht
May 21 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: All Souls BY: Ruth Wayman
May 22 Friday	NO MASS
May 23 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: Reta Yoakum BY: Tim Wolff family
May 24 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Ed Mueth BY: Jeff and Susie Matsche



Dale Rimbey, Richard Alward, Lynn Phelps, Mike Beer, Mike Reno, Mary Ann Vieregge, Lyn Miller, Kathy Risley, Mark Price, Nancy Quirk Stinnet, Delmar Sandage, Nancy Scharfenberg (sister of Kim Vinyard), Brayden Granda, Brooke Patton, Steven Ahrens, Lawrence and Adele Albert, Kathryn Weiner, Michele Bryant, Lynn Turner, Rhonda Pruitt, Mitch Bryant, Patty Carpunky (cousin of Jan Rimbey), Mike Gibbons (son in law of Cal Vonnahmen), Harold Becker (brother of Pat Pohlman), Tammy Rosentreter, Don Keil, Dolly Grube, Edna Plogger, Forrest Randolph, Ella Curry, Lisa Mosby, Bob Lahr, Robert Logan, Freda Rae Maher, Shirley Vinyard, Bob Plogger, Trista Golike, Theresa Beaver, Denise Horton, Dave Drasnin, Phyllis Plogger, Georgie Riddle, Gene Wayman, Jewel Wayman, John Wolff. We pray that God may grant them strength and courage.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Alphonsus

	May 23 Saturday 5:00 pm	May 24 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	Sarah Goforth Luke Wolff	Emily Berry Ashlyn Darr
Lector	Graduates	Glenda Walden
E. Min.	T. Wolff D. Mizerski L. Miller L. Beilsmith	C. Huebener F. Huebener M. Masterson S. Allen
Gift Bearers	Graduates	K. Walden family
Ushers	L. Goss T. Wolff	M. Allen K. Walden

Offering

Regular	\$1,424.00
Loose	\$224.00
Total collected	\$1,648.00
Schnucks E-Scrip	\$14.82
Total budgeted for week of 04/27-05/03	\$2,834.32
Budget deficit	-\$1,171.50

St. Alphonsus income/expenses for
the month of April

Actual revenue	\$11,314.82
Actual expenses	\$5,669.64
	+\$5,645.18

Altar Society

St. Theresa Altar Society will enjoy their "Spring Fling" Monday, May 18, 6:00 pm at Three Margaritas restaurant.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Thad and Vicki Robertson on the birth of their first grandbaby, Madalyn Elizabeth Jones.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	May 24 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	M. Longmeyer
E. Min.	J. Alward D. Longmeyer D. Longmeyer
Gift Bearers	The Longmeyer family
Ushers	D. Longmeyer D. Longmeyer

Mass Intentions

May 24 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: Kraig and Kris Reno and all departed souls BY: Kay and Kelly
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God's Plan For TITHING Church Support

Regular	\$557.00
Loose	\$30.00
Total collected	\$587.00
Total budgeted for week of 04/27-05/03	\$1,322.77
Budget deficit	-\$735.77

St. Johns income/expenses for
the month of April

Actual revenue	\$4,166.00
Actual expenses	\$3,398.79
	+\$767.21

OPTIONS NOW ANNUAL BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Mother's Day through Father's Day
Simply take a baby bottle home, fill with change, cash and/or checks, and return your full bottle to the church by Father's Day. Please make checks payable to "Options Now"