

Building Project Update

By Fr. Kevin Anderson, Pastor

Good news! The land for the new church was officially purchased on Friday, June 29, 2018, for \$600,000.00 from parishioners Al and Teeny Emmerich. Huge thanks to them for their generous selling price. The 110 acres is located at 11604 293rd Ave., Princeton (on County Road 9, one mile east of Highway 169). The breakdown of the cost is \$300,000.00 for 105 acres and \$300,000.00 for 5 acres which includes a large shed and a wonderful house, which will become the rectory for the parish. We officially take possession of the property and house on August 27, 2018. I plan to move into the house in September.



Photo by Dave Weddel

We continue to wait for an official offer for the North campus. The congregation that is interested in this purchase has completed the first phase of their discernment. They hope to make an offer once their finances are in order, which may occur as soon as this fall.

Let us keep trusting the Holy Spirit to guide us as we continue to live out our mission statement, to **“Love God. Live the Eucharist.”**

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



CHALK FEST: Share your artistic talents, or invite friends and family to view all the artwork, **Thursday, July 5**, anytime 2:00–7:00 PM, near COL-North and *Pizza Hut*. All artwork must be done with soft pastels. A set of 48 soft pastels and sponge will be sold on site for only \$20.00. Enjoy live music, food, and refreshments.

FREE SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE for Mass will run from Princeton to Zimmerman on **Saturday, July 7**, for the 5:00 PM Mass. Location and pick-up times are as follows:



- 4:00 PM—Crystal Court Apartments
- 4:10 PM—Caley House
- 4:15 PM—Oaks Apartments
- 4:20 PM—Princeton Apartments
- 4:30 PM—Christ Our Light—North
- 4:35 PM—Sterling Pointe

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: *Lifetouch Church Directories* will be taking photos at both parish locations during the week and on Saturdays, **July 30–August 25** for a new parish directory. A sign up to schedule your family will be made available online through the parish website and in the main entrances following Masses.

CONNECT WITH CHRIST OUR LIGHT ONLINE!

Please visit the parish website at:
www.christourlightmn.org
 for contact information for parish staff,
 Pastoral Council, and our parish prayer line.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Color/Italics - North | Black/Regular - South

Sunday, July 1—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Big Cash Raffle Ticket sales after Mass this weekend
 Fair Trade sales after Masses this weekend*

8:30 AM Mass: † Steve Hamilton
10:30 AM Mass: Faith Communities of Christ Our Light & St. Mary's of Red Lake

Monday, July 2

9:00 AM Our Lady Quilters & Crafters

Tuesday, July 3

No Mass/No Communion Service (funeral)
7:30 PM AA Meeting (CR)

Wednesday, July 4—Independence Day

Parish Offices Closed
 No Mass/No Communion Service (Independence Day)

Thursday, July 5

Parish Offices Closed
8:30 AM Mass: † Dorothy Voss
2:00 PM Chalk Fest, until 7:00 PM
7:00 PM AA Meeting (Rm. 11)

Friday, July 6

8:30 AM † Rita Duda

Saturday, July 7

5:00 PM Mass: Faith Communities of Christ Our Light & St. Mary's of Red Lake

Sunday, July 8—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Great River Family Promise Church of the Week Begins
8:30 AM Mass: † Robert Jochim
10:30 AM Mass: † David Veranth

PRESIDERS' SCHEDULE

June 30/July 1	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
COL-North	Fr. Kevin Anderson*	Fr. Kevin*	Fr. Kevin*
July 7/8	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
COL-South	Fr. Kevin Anderson	Fr. Kevin	Fr. Kevin

*Deacon Mark Barder preaching

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

SUN	Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43
MON	Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 [22a]/Mt 8:18-22
TUES	Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 20:24-29
WED	Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17 [23b]/Mt 8:28-34
THURS	Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10cd]/Mt 9:1-8
FRI	Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131 [Mt 4:4]/Mt 9:9-13
SAT	Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 9:14-17
Nxt SUN	Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a © LPI



COMMUNITY NEWS

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTERS are private weekends for married couples to grow in love. For information on this program, including upcoming retreats, please visit northmnnwme.org or contact Alan or Missy at 888-455-3496.

SAVE THE DATE for **September 13, 2018**, to join Bishop Donald Kettler for a Mass to honor police, fire and emergency medical service personnel who serve in the Diocese of Saint Cloud. Family, friends and community members are also invited to attend the third annual *Diocesan Blue Mass* at 7:00 PM at the Cathedral of Saint Mary, St. Cloud. For more information, please contact the Office of Worship at 320-255-9068.