

Church of Saint Matthew – July 26, 2020

SAINT MATTHEW WELCOMES ALL TO OUR PARISH

New to the area, joining us for the first time or coming home again? Please contact Linda Rivera at lriviera@st-matts.org to register as a member of our parish family, we will be happy to get you signed up or welcome you back.

THE POWER OF PRAYER



You can request prayers for yourself, family and friends by calling St. Matthew's Prayer Line 651.457.0228. You can request prayers for healing, family unhappiness, help to find a job, addiction to name a few. All requests are confidential.

SHOPPING AND MAKING MONEY FOR ST. MATT'S

Are you finding yourself like so many others, doing more online shopping? You can purchase just about anything you want or need online. And who has more online than Amazon? Before you make your next online purchase, please consider using the app below and support St. Matts at no extra cost when you shop at smile.amazon.com. Thank you!!

Use this link to choose St. Matts as your charity and when you complete an order we receive 0.5 percent of purchase.

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/41-0707559>

You will see several "St. Matthews" below is our St. Matthew option you are searching for.

Your Account > Change Your Charity > Search Results

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FRESH PRODUCE DISTRIBUTION

Pick up FREE fresh fruit, vegetables, and bread for your family by driving up in your car or walking up to our Wellstone Center Food Market, 179 Robie St. E, St. Paul. Pickup Hours: 1 – 2:30 p.m. 2nd & 4th Wednesdays.

August 12 & 26, September 9 & 23 and October 14.

THINGS TO KNOW:

- Open to St. Paul residents and Neighborhood House participants.
- You can walk up or drive to the distribution.
- We will require everyone to stay at least 6 feet away from other people during the event to ensure safety. Please wear a mask.
- Bring your own carts or bags if you are walking. If you are driving stay in your car – produce/goods will be brought to you.
- You can come to each event. No requirements are necessary to attend.



For further information visit: www.neighb.org/program/freshproducedistribution or www.facebook.com/neighborhoodhouseMN or call 651.789.3630

ARCHBISHOP FLYNN CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE

Applications Now Available for the Class of St. Anthony of Padua

Feeling lost right now? Find yourself in God's plan of sheer goodness!

This fall, the Catechetical Institute will offer the two-year Pillars Program in two different locations. Classes will be held at The Saint Paul Seminary on Monday evenings, and at the Church of St. Andrew in Elk River on Tuesday evenings.

Module I will be Livestreamed. **Students can decide late August if they would like to take Module I in person or online.**

PRAYERS AND SUPPORT FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS

Health care workers: Catholic faithful throughout the archdiocese are dedicated to praying for you!

Visit archspm.org/covid19prayers to submit a prayer request. On this page, you may also sign up for a weekly email, watch encouraging videos, and find resources for support.

Want to join in praying for health care workers? Commit to daily prayer for health care workers by texting archspm-healthcare to 55321 or signing up at eva.us/archspm-healthcare. You will receive a weekly message with a link to names of health care workers to keep in your prayers.

BETHANY HOUSE

Apply now for September 2020 – May 2021

Bethany House applications are now being accepted for September 2020 to May 2021. Bethany House is a home for women who live in community, pray together, take meals together and discern whether they are called to consecrated life. Bethany House is sponsored by the Office of Vocations and is located in Northeast Minneapolis. We are currently taking applications for women interested in Bethany House. Qualities of a good candidate for Bethany House include single women, ages 20 – 27, who are interested in dedicating a year to intentionally discerning a vocation to religious life. Please visit www.10000vocations.org for more information. If this describes you, we invite you to contact us by completing the interest form [here](#).

ST. PAUL OUTREACH - OPPORTUNITY FOR COLLEGE FRESHMEN

Will you be a college freshman? Meet new friends before you even arrive on campus. As you prepare to move on to your next phase of life, don't leave your faith behind. Your college campus experience may look a bit different this fall. SPO would like to help you prepare for your first year by offering a next working opportunity with other Catholic students on your campus. By filling out an online form we'll be able to place you into a group of other young men or women who also are looking for college to be everything it's meant to be. Go to info@spo.org or visit spo.org for more info.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO USE YOUR STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES

If you receive quarterly stewardship envelopes, you are encouraged to please use them. By doing so you will be given a tax receipt at the beginning of each New Year.

And thank you to all of you who do use your envelopes each week!

If you do not receive envelopes and would like to, please contact Linda Rivera at the lrivera@st-matts.org or leave a message on the parish voicemail 651.224.9793.

Also, if you typically give a cash donation, without an envelope the office has no way of knowing who cash comes from.

****If you regularly attend Mass and have not "officially" register at the parish office we have no way of knowing you consider yourself a member. Please come register or contact Linda, she will gladly help you register.*

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

Please remember in your prayer our parish family members who are ill. Pray for their recovery and for their family members who are with them and caring for them;

Bill Brengman, Anna Maria Moseng and Mercedes Alvarez.

If you have a loved one you would like to add to this list, please call the Parish office, provide us with your name and the name of your loved one.

We are strong as a community praying together.

