



# St. Boniface Parish Bulletin

## May 4, 2025

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Fr. Peter Hughes

### Saturday, May 3

3:00PM Confession

4:00PM Mass (*Rudy Netz†*)

### Sunday, May 4 - May Crowning

11:00AM Mass (*Patricia Thurkt*)

### Monday, May 5

Parish Office Closed

7:00PM Young Adults

### Tuesday, May 6

Office Hours 11am-5pm

11:30AM Forever Young

5:30PM Adoration

6:00PM Confession

6:00PM Rosary

6:30PM Mass (*Ray & Rita Puckett†*)

### Wednesday, May 7

7:30AM Confession

8:00AM Mass (*Pat Maloney†*)

8:30AM Faith Sharing

6:15PM FF @ ICC

### Thursday, May 8

7:00PM Confirmation @ St. Mary's Basilica

### Friday, May 9

3:00pm-6:00PM FF Flower Basket Pick Up

### Saturday, May 10

9:00AM-Noon FF Flower Basket Pick Up

3:00PM Confession

4:00PM Mass (*Patricia Sundbyt*)

### Sunday, May 11 - Mother's Day

11:00AM Mass (*Rudy & Vernice Borowicz†*)

## 3rd Sunday of Easter



The love between Jesus and his own is both fruitful and costly. It is not a love that encloses the lovers in an exclusive bubble of bliss. It is a love that bears fruit, extending itself outward in mission, feeding the hungers of those who are most vulnerable. It asks disciples to take a stance of arms outstretched - extended in prayer, in embrace of the Beloved and all his friends, in service to those in need, and finally, in cruciformity - as the outstretched arms of Christ draw all to himself.

- Living Liturgy

May is the Month of Mary. For centuries, the Catholic Church has set aside the entire month of May to honor Mary, Mother of God. Not just a day in May, but the entire month.

In medieval times, similar customs abounded, all centering around the practice of expelling winter, as May 1st was considered the start of new growth. During the medieval times, the tradition of *Tricesimum*, or "Thirty-Day Devotion to Mary," came into being. Also called, "Lady Month," the event was held from August 15-September 14 and is still observed in some areas.

The month of May is a special time for Catholics to pay homage to our Blessed Mother Mary. We pay *homage* to her. Contrary to misconceptions, we do not *worship* her. As Catholics, we *honor* Mary.

*Do you love me?.... Feed my sheep.*

*John 21:17*



*All children ages 3-13  
are invited to join in our  
May Crowning  
Procession at the  
beginning of the 11am  
Mass on Sunday,  
May 4th. Wear your  
Sunday best and meet  
in Fellowship Hall ten  
minutes before Mass.*



Questions? Contact Laura: [ljanas@saintboni.org](mailto:ljanas@saintboni.org)

## ROSARY IN MAY

JOIN THE ST. BONIFACE  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
FOR THE ROSARY EACH  
TUESDAY IN MAY  
STARTING AT 6:00PM  
BEFORE MASS





### Prayer Request

MaryAnn Thurk, Bert Heitz, Abby Turek, Mariah Davis-Viritto, Donn Thurk, Donna Schuler, Krystle Dietz, Scott Lunger, Michelle Luskey, Shawn Davis, Mark Broeckert, Vickie Weinzierl, Linda Anderson, John Bruner, Maynard Geyen, Greg Walsh, Aurora Segner, Chris Willadsen, Tony Anderson, Mary Sandquist

Contact the Office to request 952-446-1054 or office@saintboni.org

Please Remember Our Parish Men and Women Serving in the United States Armed Forces In Your Prayers



- Dylan Schesso
- Keagan O'Brien
- Andrius Alisauskas
- Keana Ragas Ryan
- Katelynn Ryan
- Sarah Wells
- John Widmer

### Happy Birthday, Father Peter!

As you celebrate your birthday, may you feel deeply how much you are appreciated and loved.

You lead with grace, serve with humility, and love with a heart firmly rooted in Christ. Whether in joyful celebrations or times of sorrow, you've stood beside us, guiding us closer to God.

With grateful hearts, we thank God for the gift of your life and your devoted service to our Parish. Your faith, compassion, and leadership continue to inspire us. May the Lord bless you abundantly on your birthday and always!



## EXTREME FAITH CAMP

CURRENT GRADES 6-8

JUNE 9 - 13, 2025  
TRINITY WOODS  
TREGO, WI

EST. COST: \$550

### ACTIVITIES:

- Prayer
- Music
- Adoration
- Zip Line
- Laser Tag
- Rock Wall
- Water Activities and More!

### REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Fundraising/Scholarships available  
Questions? Contact Laura

HIGH SCHOOLERS (GR. 9 & UP):  
JOIN PRAYER TEAM OR EXTREME TEAM!



### Forever Young - May 6, 11:30am



Forever Young will be having Taco Tuesday on May 6<sup>th</sup>, 11:30. The best part will be homegrown beef for the tacos, compliments of Diane and Henry Vanderlinde. Hope to see you there. All persons 55+ are welcome!



### Prayer for the Conclave

O Mary, Mother of the Church, intercede for the cardinals entrusted with the election of the next pope. Obtain for us a Holy Father who will be a light in darkness, a voice of truth in confusion, and a shepherd who lays down his life for the sheep. Through thy maternal heart, may the Church once again shine with the splendor of holiness, truth, and charity. Amen.

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles, pray for us.

St. Joseph, Protector of the Church, pray for us.

All the holy popes and confessors, pray for us.



**Online Giving!** Scan the QR Code to give to St. Boniface Catholic Church. You can donate one time or set up a recurring gift. Thank you!



## St. Boniface Stewardship Information

March 2025 Collections	March 2025 Actual	March 2025 Budget	Difference	Fiscal Year to Date Actual	Fiscal Year to Date Budget	Difference
Envelopes	\$ 26,258	\$ 17,329	\$ 8,929	\$ 195,627	\$ 167,132	\$ 28,495
Electronic Giving	\$ 5,425	\$ 4,429	\$ 996	\$ 40,840	\$ 40,432	\$ 408
Plate	\$ 3,219	\$ 1,750	\$ 1,469	\$ 20,367	\$ 17,750	\$ 2,617
Total	\$ 34,902	\$ 23,508	\$ 11,394	\$ 256,833	\$ 225,314	\$ 31,519

We are striving to become a stewardship parish, where your generosity and sacrifice allows us to minister to the needs of our parish community. We have budgeted our collections based on the needs to continue the ministries that we provide. Thank you for your support of our parish operations!

### Readings May 11

Acts 13:14, 43-52

Psalm 100: 1-2, 3, 5

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

John 10:27-30





# Upcoming

- May 6 Forever Young 11:30am
- May 9-10 Pick up FF Spring Baskets
- May 15 Confirmation at St. Mary's Basilica, Mpls
- May 17-18 Usher Training
- May 18 Baccalaureate during 11am Mass  
Fellowship Sunday  
Blessing of the Bikes @ ICC
- May 30-31 Life in the Spirit Retreat @ ICC
- Jun 1 Feast of St. Boniface Picnic
- Jun 6-7 33 Hours of Adoration
- June 9-13 Extreme Faith Camp
- Jun 11-14 Rummage Sale Collection
- Jun 19-21 Rummage Sale

**Adorers Needed!** St. Boniface is in need of additional parishioners to donate one hour per month in the **Presence of the Lord** filling one-hour time slots for **Adoration** each **First Friday** of the **Month**. Time slots begin 7am until 5pm with closing and Benediction. Please contact the Parish Office if interested.



## Faith Formation & Happenings

### 5TH ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLESSING OF THE BIKES & CLASSIC CAR SHOW

BEST BEARD  
CONTEST @  
12:00



REGISTER FOR  
BIKE/CAR SHOW  
11:00-12:00

#### LIVE MUSIC: JUST US

RAIN OR SHINE SUNDAY MAY 18TH 2025  
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH 109 ANGEL AVE NW WATERTOWN MN  
BIKER MASS @ 9:00 / EVENT 11:00 - 3:00  
PAT LYNCH MEMORIAL RIDE LEAVES @ 10:30 BACK BY 12:00  
BLESSINGS @ 1:00 BY FATHER PETER & PASTOR DAVE

FREE / FUN / FAMILY EVENT

#### BEER GARDEN BY WATERTOWN LIONS T-SHIRTS / FOOD / BEVERAGES

FREE WILL DONATIONS BENEFITING; S.W. OPTIONS FOR WOMEN / WATERTOWN  
MIGHTY RAPIDS SPECIAL OLYMPICS / HOMETOWN HEROS



### COOL KINGDOM PARTY Mary Leads Me Closer To Jesus

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2025!

**WHEN:** SESSION 1  
July 7 - 11, 2025  
9am - Noon

SESSION 2  
August 11 - 15, 2025  
9am - Noon

**WHERE:** Saint Boniface 4025 Main St.  
St. Bonifacius Immaculate Conception  
109 Angel Ave NW  
Watertown

**REGISTER BY:** June 15 July 20

To Jesus Through Mary

**AGES:** 3 - 12 years old  
\*Must be fully potty trained

**COST:** \$40 per child; \$100 family maximum

**Questions?** Laura Janas  
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DISCOUNT 10%  
on Bottle Sales!  
Mention Code  
**STBONI**

*"Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the Universe, Who creates the fruit of the vine."*



**Want to Place an Ad Here?**

Call Tanya at the Office at 952-446-1054 Ad  
Rates are per Year and Renew Each July 1st

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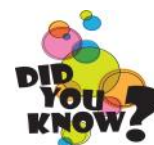
**Help Children Pray and Follow  
Sunday Mass!**

Check out MagnifiKid! These weekly booklets  
can be found on the table in the Fellowship  
Hall. MagnifiKid is for children between the  
ages of 6-12.

**MagnifiKid!**

*Did you know that you can listen  
to the Sunday homilies online?*

1. Go to [www.saintboni.org](http://www.saintboni.org)
2. Click "Grow in Faith"
3. Click "Homilies"
4. Choose which homily you wish to listen.
5. Press the Play > button!



If you are a visitor for the day, we  
pray God's speed on your  
journey. If you are looking for a  
parish community, we would  
welcome you into our family. We have forms  
available in the Fellowship Hall and on our  
website that can be printed off, or you can  
contact the Parish Office:  
[office@saintboni.org](mailto:office@saintboni.org) or 952-446-1054.



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