



Sacred Heart

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Formed in His Heart, Serving with His Heart, Giving From His Heart

Saturday—Lord's Day Vigil

4:00 PM Mass of Anticipation

Sunday— The Lord's Day

8:00 AM Mass - In Church

10:00 AM Mass - In Church

11:40 AM Latin Mass - In Church

Daily Mass Times

Monday:

8:00 AM Communion Service
followed by Lauds/Morning Prayer

Tuesday — Saturday:

8:00 AM Mass
followed by Lauds/Morning Prayer

Holy Day Mass Times

Consult the bulletin

Penance and Reconciliation

Tuesday — Saturday Morning:

7:40 — 7:55 AM

Saturday Afternoon:

3:00 — 3:45 PM

Or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

The Sacred Heart Chapel will be open for personal prayer and adoration before the monstrance on Thursdays from 9AM-8:30PM

Parish Office Hours

Monday 8:30 AM — 2:30 PM

Tues.-Thurs. 8:30 AM-4:30 PM

Friday 8:30 AM-4:30 PM

Parish Web Site

www.shrmn.org

Parish Phone: 763-537-4561

Sacred Heart Catholic School

Pre-K through 8th grade

4050 Hubbard Avenue North

Robbinsdale, MN 55422

School Web Site

sacredheartschoolrobbinsdale.org

School Phone: 763-537-1329

February 12, 2023



6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors,
Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all
that you vow.” - Mt 5:33

Parish Directory

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Priest Staff: Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen

Deacon: Dr. James Ramsey

Pastor's Page | Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen

Sacred Heart Parish Mission Statement

"Sacred Heart Catholic Parish exists to foster a community of disciples in response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ through Worship, Fellowship, Catholic Education and Service"

The Synod Evangelization Team

Last Tuesday, February 7th, the Synod Evangelization Team of the Church of the Sacred Heart, a Team Archbishop Hebda asked every Pastor to build after the model of Jesus and his twelve to help realize goals adopted by the 2022 Archdiocesan Synod, met for the first time in a seven week "School of Discipleship."

The members of the Synod Evangelization Team of the Church of the Sacred Heart, a group of Twelve include: Monica and Steve Thibault, Maureen and Tom Stanoch, Aaron and Jessica Fimon, Matt and Lizzie Chalberg, Morgan Leisgang (director of Elementary Faith Formation, and Middle School Religion Teacher), Matt Kruc (director of Youth and Young Adult ministry), Karen Bursey (School Principal) and Deacon James Ramsey.

Jeff Cavins, of the Archbishop Harry J. Flynn Catechetical Institute, led Synod Evangelization Teams meeting at 15 different locations in a simulcast. As our parish is close to Our Lady of Grace in Edina, our team is fortunate to attend the place where Jeff Cavins is presenting live and leading this effort. The focus of week 1 is to Follow Jesus which means:

- Moving from actively and passionately studying the Faith to living the Faith allows us to put sound knowledge into practice in a way that is consistent with God's will for our life.
 - Challenge for the week: Throughout the day, with each conversation and each encounter, ask yourself, "what would Jesus say, or do?" Then, just do it.

The formation that our Synod Evangelization Team is now experiencing has been likened to "Tilling the Soil." As this process unfold the SET will help implement of the first pastoral priority Archbishop Hebda has identified which is establishing "Small Groups" based upon the Synod Proposition #19 from the 2022 Archdiocesan Synod Assembly which reads:

Create or grow a small group ministry at every parish that fosters personal relationships, builds community and provides formation to help parishioners grow as joyful missionary disciples of Christ.

- Types: Bible study, faith sharing, prayer, sacramental preparation, evangelization
- Variety of formats and common interest groups: couples, women, men, single, mixed age, similar stage of life
- Parishes may collaborate with other parishes on this ministry, as desired.

As our SET goes through the School of Discipleship, I ask for your prayers for me and all the Team members so that we may encounter our Lord Jesus Christ, the sower of the Seed, and allow the life of his Spirit to be renewed in us.

Holy Spirit, renew your wonders in our time, as though in a new Pentecost, and grant that this Archdiocese, united in prayer around Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and guided by St. Peter, may spread the Kingdom of the divine Savior, a Kingdom of truth, of justice, of love, and of peace. Amen.

Saint Paul, our great missionary patron, pray for us!

Yours in Christ.

Yours in the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen
Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen
Pastor

Appointed Sunday Readings

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time-2/12/2023

First Reading: No one does he command to act unjustly, to none does he give license to sin. (Sir 15:20)

Psalms: Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord! (Ps 119)

Second Reading: Rather, we speak of God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory. (1 Cor 2:7)

Gospel: "I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven." (Mt 5:20)

Latin Mass Sunday Readings

Sexagesima Sunday

Epistle: Brethren: You gladly suffer the foolish: whereas yourselves are wise. For you suffer if a man bring you into bondage, if a man devour you, if a man take from you...(11 Cor 11:19-33;12:1-9)

Gradual: Let the Gentiles know that God is Thy Name: Thou alone art the Most High over all the earth. (Psalm 82:19, 14)

Gospel: At that time, when a very great multitude was gathered together and hastened out of the cities unto Jesus, He spoke by a similitude...(Luke 8:4-15)

Appointed Daily Readings

Monday, Feb. 13—Saturday, Feb. 18

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21/Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10/Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Gn 9:1-13/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Mk 8:34—9:1

Saturday: Heb 11:1-7/Ps 145: 2-3, 4-5, 10-11/Mk 9:2-13

Prayers of the Faithful

Please remember in your prayers:

Those Who Are Ill: Rosemary Kaisershot, Ryan Mash

With Chronic Health Concerns:

Tom Ambrose, Brady Swenson, Mary Jo Faustgen, Andrea DeOtis, Medard Keisershot, Cody Binstock, Carol Borman, Delia Roca, David LaSota

Those Serving In Our Armed Forces: Sam Dahlgren-Castilla, Justin Rathbun, Liam Gregory, Jordan Reese, Andrew Gladitsch, Cathal & Cormac O'Connor, Lisette Knaeble, Zachary Wilhelmi, Lily Wilson, Joseph Eckman

Administration

Stewardship-Your Commitment is Vital !

Collections for Jan 28-29, 2023 (week 31)	Dollars	# Donors
Sunday Envelope Collections	\$4,544.00	70
Electronic Donations	\$ 296.31	9
Plate (non envelope) Collections	\$1,023.90	
Total Collections for week 31	\$5,864.21	79

Year-to-date Sunday Collections

	This Year	Last Year	(Behind)
Actual versus last year January 29, 2023 (week 31)	\$373,307	\$374,431	(\$1,124)
	This Year	Budget	(Behind)
Actual versus Budget January 29, 2023 (week 31)	\$373,307	\$380,868	(\$7,561)

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Sacred Heart will be offering The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd method of faith formation for the three to six-year-old children of our parish beginning in the fall of 2023. The catechists who work with the children will participate in nearly 100 hours of formation and will prepare a special environment for the children, which is called the Atrium (pictured to the right).



Please join us in praying for those who are called to this ministry. In addition, we could use your help with the materials for the atrium! Please consider donating some of the following items. You can bring them to Sacred Heart for the attention of Morgan

Leisgang.

2-3 Houseplants	2 medium glass bowls	Sacred art images
1 Wood spoon	4-5 Floor lamps	1 Heat lamp
Sheets of parchment	3 small pots for dirt	1 Water can1 Funnel
1 Child sized broom	1 Small basin	1 Child sized dustpan and hand brush

If you are a **woodworker, seamstress, calligrapher**, or anyone that would like to be involved with setting up our atrium or creating some of our materials, please contact Morgan Leisgang at mleisgang@shrmn.org or 763-285-6246.

Sunday Morning Volunteers For Reception Desk

Volunteers are needed to help at the Reception Desk on Sunday Mornings from 8:30—11:30PM.

If you are interested, please call Mary Daugherty in the Parish Office at 763-537-4561



Sacred Heart Catholic School

A BIG Thank you to our gala sponsors. We appreciate your support of Sacred Heart Catholic School.

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Schedule a Tour, PreK-8th grade

As you consider your educational options for the 2023-2024 school year, we invite you to schedule a personalized tour of Sacred Heart Catholic School for Pre K -8th grade. We have many options for Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten, including half and full days. Discover our school and the activities that enhance each child's educational experience. Come see how integrated faith lessons combined with our C-STEM program enrich our classrooms each day. We are preparing our students for 21st Century skills called the 4 C's: Creativity, Critical Thinking, Collaboration, and Communication. Call the school office to schedule a tour, 763.537.1329

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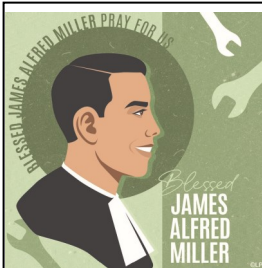
Youth Ministry

BUY COFFEE-SUPPORT OUR YOUTH

WE HAVE A NEW SHIPMENT OF COFFEE FOR SALE FROM OUR YOUTH GROUP. MEDIUM ROAST-WHOLE BEAN, OR GROUND BAGS OF COFFEE ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE IN THE PARISH OFFICE. \$13.00 A BAG. THANK YOU.



Saint of the Week



In 2023, we will be highlighting holy men and women from the Americas who are canonized or in the process of canonization. We hope their stories inspire your faith!

Bl. James Alfred Miller

Blessed James Miller, the second ever U.S.-born martyr, served as a missionary and educator to the poorest of the poor in Nicaragua and Guatemala. Shot to death in front of his students in 1982, his legacy of love lives on today through the many schools he started.

To Join Sacred Heart Parish

If you are new to our community, or have been attending Mass here but have not yet joined Sacred Heart call 763-537-4561 or stop in the parish office to register.

Sacrament of Initiation — RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

To join the Catholic Church call Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism for Infants and Children (RCIC)

Baptism for Infants and young Children is celebrated on the first & third Sundays of the month at 1 PM. Pre-Baptism Class meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 PM. To make arrangements call Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Confirmation

If you are in High School or an Adult who has yet to receive Confirmation contact Matt Kruc or Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Sacrament of Holy Communion

If you or your child have not yet made your First Holy Communion contact Bunny Brouillard. If you are shut in and would like to receive Holy Communion contact Deacon Ramsey to make arrangements

Sacrament of Penance

See the schedule for confessions or contact Fr. Pedersen to make an appointment. To receive instruction on making a first confession contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Anointing

To make arrangements to receive the Sacrament of the Sick or Last Rites contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Registered Parishioners should call Father Pedersen or Deacon Ramsey at least 8 months in advance of the wedding date to make arrangements.

Sacrament of Holy Orders

Catholic Men contact Fr. Pedersen or Deacon Ramsey for more information on joining the Diaconate or Priesthood.

Sunday School

Open to children ages 3 years through Kindergarten. Meets during the 10 AM Mass October through April. Please call Morgan Leisgang in the Parish Office.

Religious Education

For students grades 1—10. Meets Wed. evening 6:30pm—7:45pm, Oct. through April. Please call Morgan Leisgang or Matt Kruc in the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions

****This Schedule is subject to change****

February

Sun. 12	8:00 AM	Margaret M. Zawacki +
	10:00 AM	Parishioners
Latin	11:40 AM	David Sanders
Mon. 13	8:00 AM	Communion Service
Tues. 14	8:00 AM	Bruce Lindquist +
Wed. 15	8:00 AM	Lois O'Neill +
Thu. 16	8:00 AM	Mary "Kay" Crandall +
Fri. 17	8:00 AM	Jim Daugherty +
Sat. 18	8:00 AM	Bruce Lindquist +
	4:00 PM	Laverne & Don Herlofsky +
Sun. 19	8:00 AM	Wendell Ryan
	10:00 AM	Parishioners
Latin	11:40 AM	Patricia Mitchell +

Chapel Open for Prayer:

- Monday: 8:30am-2:30pm
- Tues.-Wed.: 8:30am-4:30pm
- Friday: 8:30am-4:30pm

Confessions

Daily Tuesday-Saturday 7:40-7:55a.m.
Saturdays 3:00-3:45pm

Thursday Eucharistic Adoration

9:00am-8:30pm

Parish Prayer Line

To be placed on the prayer line call the Parish Office 763-537-4561. You can also send in your request via e-mail: cshadmin@shrmn.org



Faith Formation



**The Bible Timeline:
The Story of Salvation
Developed by Jeff Cavins**

Session 7: Egypt & Exodus-Part 2

Egypt & Exodus-Part 2 As you read through the rest of Exodus, notice that God does not free Israel from slavery and then send them off as individuals to make their way to Canaan as best as they can. He forms them into a people, gives them laws to guide their behavior and worship, and provides them with a leadership structure. They are to march forth together, not under their own power but with the power of God. That is why we have the Church. We are all in this together. In the second half of Exodus, God's people become a nation and are given the Law, the Tabernacle, and the Levitical priesthood.

Session 7 on Tuesday February 21 1:00pm or 7:00pm Sessions.
Questions call Bunny: Direct Line: 763-285-6247 contact@shrmn.org

February Pre-Baptism Cancelled

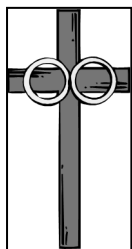


PRE-BAPTISM CLASSES

Pre-Baptism Classes are offered at Sacred Heart on the Second Tuesday of the month. All parents are required to attend a pre-baptism class before the Baptism of their first child or if it has been over three years since they last attended a pre-baptism class.

Our next scheduled session is **Tuesday March 14 at 7pm** in the Activities Building. If you plan to attend this session, please call the Parish Office 763-537-4561.

"Survived 25 Club"



SURVIVED 25 CLUB

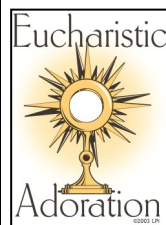
Upcoming event: **FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH CELEBRATION**

St. Joseph is the patron saint of our anniversary group. All Survived 25 Club marriages will be honored the weekend of

March 18-19

with a special remembrance that will be placed on the St. Joseph Altar and published in the bulletin. If you would like your marriage of 25 years or more recognized and included on the St. Joseph Altar please call: Laurel Murry 763-535-4101 or Anne Hedlund 763-535-4275.

Eucharistic Adoration



Spend one hour with the Lord!!

The start of a New Year is here and maybe you still have not decided on the New Years Resolution. How about spending a little more time in prayer with the Lord. Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament is available to us every Thursday beginning after the 8am Mass and ending with Benediction at 8:30pm. If you would like to be part of this ministry, please call Bunny in the Parish Office, 763-537-4561

Need 2 Committed Adorers to cover the 5-6 pm Time slot.

Respect Life Ministry



40 Days for Life Twin Cities Lent 2023 February 22 @ 3:00 pm - April 2 @ 4:00 pm

Pro-Life Action Ministries invites all to join us at one of the Midwest's largest abortion facilities, in this international movement of **prayer and fasting**, peaceful vigil and community outreach to end abortion.

***Opening Prayer Vigil – Wednesday, February 22 at 3:00 p.m.**

Sacred Heart has adopted Friday, March 17 to pray 6am to 6pm. Fr. Bryan Pedersen will lead prayer at 3pm.

***Closing Prayer Vigil – Sunday, April 2 at 3:00 p.m. (This is also the last day of the Jericho March.)**

Planned Parenthood, 671 Vandalia St, St. Paul, MN 55114

United for Life

February 28 @ 10:00 am - 2:30 pm

Make Your Voice Heard for LIFE

United for Life is a pro-life advocacy day at the Minnesota State Capitol on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, bringing together pro-life Minnesotans and pro-life organizations and church bodies from across the state. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/united-for-life-minnesotas-pro-life-advocacy-day-tickets-478597727687>



Council of Catholic Women

Sacred Heart Council of Catholic Women

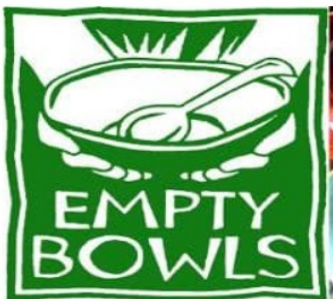
Saturday, Feb. 18, 2023, 9:00am to 10:30am

Marian Rooms

Optional: Attend 8am Mass and Morning Liturgy of the Hours

All women ages 18 and older are invited!

You are automatically members of SHCCW!



2023 Empty Bowls Event at Cooper High School -

Community meal and fundraiser to benefit PRISM & NEAR Food Shelves. Please join us for a free bowl, soup, bread, and local entertainment, *free-will offering appreciated!*

Use the link provided herein for event details.

<https://ced.rdale.org/community/empty-bowls>

Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 12–6th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Sexagesima Sunday, Trad.

7:30 AM Rosary Prayed
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
10:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
11:40 AM Latin Mass: Fr. Pedersen

Monday, February 13–St. Catherine De Ricci 1589, Hist.

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
8:00 AM Communion Service
Morning Prayer

Tuesday, February 14–Sts. Cyril & Methodius 885; St. Valentine 269, Trad.

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
7:40 AM Confessions till 7:55 AM
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
Morning Prayer to follow Mass

Wednesday, February 15– St. Claude de la Colombiere 1682; Sts. Faustinus & Jovita 121, Trad.

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
7:40 AM Confessions till 7:55 AM
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
Morning Prayer to follow Mass
6:30 PM Faith Formation

Thursday, February 16–St. Onesimus 95, Hist.; St. Juliana 305, Hist.

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
7:40 AM Confessions till 7:55 AM
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
Morning Prayer to follow Mass
Adoration following Mass till 8:30 PM

Friday, February 17– Seven Holy Founders of the Order of Servites 1233

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
7:40 AM Confessions till 7:55 AM
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
Morning Prayer to follow Mass

Saturday, February 18–St. Simeon 107, Trad.; St. Bernadette Soubirous 1879, Trad.

7:35 AM Rosary Prayed
7:40 AM Confessions till 7:55 AM
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
Morning Prayer to follow Mass
3:00 PM Confessions till 3:45 PM
4:00 PM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
5:15 PM Vespers

Sunday, February 19–7th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Quinquagesima Sunday, Trad.

7:30 AM Rosary Prayed
8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
10:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen
11:40 AM Latin Mass: Fr. Pedersen

Like and Follow the Church of the Sacred Heart on Facebook

*"Since Christ Himself has said, 'This is My Body'
who shall dare to doubt that It is His Body?"*

-St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Youth Ministry Activities

Extreme Faith Camp

Extreme Faith Camp 2023 is coming! Any and all 6th-8th graders are invited to join us this June 26th-30th for Extreme Faith Camp! EFC is our annual Catholic summer camp focused on having kids grow in their personal relationship with Christ. This year we'll be heading to Camp Victory just outside Rochester for awesome games, amazing talks, ropes courses, 9 square, archery tag, laser tag, river tubing, Wacky Olympics, Mass, Confession, Adoration, and so much more! It's the best week all summer! Registrations are due May 5th. Contact Matt Kruc at mkruc@shrmn.org for more info and to sign up!

Heggies Pizza Fundraiser

Sacred Heart Youth Ministry is selling Heggies Pizzas now through February 12th to raise money to raise money for Extreme Faith Camp scholarships. You can find the order form on the parish website or the Information Kiosk by the Reception Desk. Thanks for all your support!

News From Other Sources

Benilde-St. Margaret's Open House Thursday, Feb. 16

You're invited to a special open house event at Benilde-St. Margaret's School on Thursday, Feb. 16. Beginning at 8:30 a.m., prospective families can tour our suburban campus, meet current students and families, and get to know our administration and teachers with informal Q&A.

Make an investment in your child's future by visiting <https://www.bsmschool.org/openhouse-feb16> to join this event. There's a place for your family in our BSM community.

"IC Music Presents: The Roaring Twenties" dinner and variety show - Saturday, February 18 - Immaculate Conception Church, 4030 Jackson St NE, Columbia Heights:

Join us for fine cuisine, beverages, and hit songs from the Roaring Twenties. Doors open - 6:00 | Dinner - 6:30 | Show - 7:45. Reserved seat tickets are required (\$40.00 - cash or check only) and are on sale in the IC parish office during the week. (Buy a table of 8 in one transaction you'll get 1 seat free.) For information call 763-788-9062 or visit IC-COnline.org

No Appointment Annulment Consultations on Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday, February 22, 7 a.m.-5:15 p.m.,
Cathedral of Saint Paul, Saint Paul

The Tribunal will be staffing tables at the Cathedral of Saint Paul for walk-in meetings with Tribunal Staff to talk about the annulment process and to assist people in initiating the process. No appointments needed.

Let's Have Our BEST LENT EVER

What would happen if you spent the next 40 days creating as many Holy Moments as possible? *Join Sacred Heart this Lent to find out!*

We are excited to announce that **Sacred Heart will be participating in BEST LENT EVER**, a powerful program from Dynamic Catholic. It's incredibly simple and completely free. If you are already on Flocknote, you will receive an e-mail invitation this coming week to sign-up for the Best Lent Ever. This is an invitation program, so it is completely your choice to sign up for the Best Lent Ever.

If you are not a member of Flocknote, simply go to our website and click on the "Flocknote" button in the upper righthand corner of the main page and you will be added to Flocknote. You can also call the parish office and provide us with your name and e-mail address and we will add you to Flocknote directly.

Why Do We Do That?

Vestment Colors

Question:

What do the colors of the priest's and deacon's vestments mean?

Answer:

In the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church, the colors of the vestments evolved over the course of several centuries and there was wide variation both in the colors used, and in the feasts and seasons associated with particular colors. It was Pope Innocent III (d. 1216) who gave us the basic outline that was later prescribed by Pope Saint Pius V in 1570. The various colors remind us of the dominant themes of a particular season or celebration.

- **White:** Used for the seasons of Christmas and Easter and in celebrations of the Lord, of Mary, the angels, and saints who were not martyrs. This color is also used in Masses for the dead, at baptisms, weddings and other festive celebrations.
- **Red:** As the color of both blood and fire, red is used on Palm Sunday and Good Friday, as well as Pentecost and special celebrations of the Holy Spirit. Moreover, red is used on the feasts and memorials of the Apostles and those saints who died as martyrs.
- **Violet:** The color for Advent and Lent. Violet may also be used in Masses for the dead and on All Souls Day (November 2).
- **Green:** A color of life and hope, green is used throughout Ordinary Time.

Other colors: Rose may be used on the Third Sunday of Advent and the Fourth Sunday of Lent, black may be used in Masses of the dead and on All Souls Day, gold or silver may be used on solemn occasions in place of white, red, or green.

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