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- † Fr. Joseph Johnson, Pastor
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**SCHEDULES**

**Masses:**

Saturday 5:00 PM  
Sunday 9:00 AM

**Confession:**

Sunday 8:00AM-8:45AM

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

Friday 7:00PM-8:00PM

**Religious Education:**

Sunday 10:30AM-12:00PM

**1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Month:**

- Mass at 8:30AM
- Altar & Rosary Society  
Meeting

*Weekly Bulletin*

October 13 through October 20, 2007

**Welcome Archbishop Nienstedt**

It is a great privilege for our parish to receive a visit from our new Coadjutor Archbishop John Nienstedt during his first months in our archdiocese! Bishops are direct successors of the apostles and thus they ensure that the Gospel of Jesus Christ is faithfully handed down to another generation of believers.

Archbishop Nienstedt's Mass of Reception in late June was during the HANCA conference so many of our parishioners were not able to meet him at that time—though he did speak briefly in Hmong during his homily. (Don't blame him for the pronunciation... Fr. Erickson and I coached him so he had limited help!) We are grateful that he has now made time to come to see us!

To pray with one's bishop is the most perfect expression of the Church's liturgy—just like the apostles around Jesus at the Last Supper. We are grateful to God and Coadjutor Archbishop Nienstedt for this special blessing on our little community!

*Fr. Joseph*

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday 10/13**

*5:00 PM Lay Missionaries of Charity*

**Sunday 10/14**

*9:00 AM People of the Parish*

**Saturday 10/20**

*5:00 PM Sr. Maria Moryl-  
Missionary Sister of St. Peter  
Claver*

**Sunday 10/21**

*9:00 AM People of the Parish*

**GOSPEL READING AT MASS**

**Saturday 10/13(Vigil)**

Luke 17: 11-19

**Sunday 10/14**

Luke 17: 11-19

**Monday 10/15**

Luke 11: 29-32

**Tuesday 10/16**

Luke 11: 37-41

**Wednesday 10/17**

Luke 11: 42-46

**Thursday 10/18**

Luke 10: 1-9

**Friday 10/19**

Luke 12: 1-7

**Saturday 10/20(AM)**

Luke 12: 8-12

**Saturday Confession**

Saturday Confession will be at the **Cathedral of Saint Paul** from 3:30PM-5:00PM

**Lus ceeb toom**

Vim tsis muaj tus teb xov tooj  
hav peb lub Tsev teev Ntuj  
lawm, mas yog nej hu tuaj, tus  
yuav teb xov tooj yog tus khiav  
haj lwm nyob pem lub niam  
Tsev teev Ntuj (Cathedral). Tso  
nej npe thiab xov tooj, Txiv Plig  
mam li hu rov rau nej.

**Congratulations to the Lay Missionaries of Charity!**

We have been blessed for the past three years with the presence of Mother Teresa’s Missionaries of Charity. The sisters’ help in teaching our students of religious education, and their prayers for our parish have been invaluable. A number of lay people work with the sisters—some also teaching our children or helping with the summer camp. Some have decided that they wish to live by the same spirit as the Missionaries of Charity within the context of their everyday lives. They have prepared for almost three years by studying the spirit of Mother Teresa of Calcutta and beginning to practice this form of spiritual life in their families and jobs. They are making their promises to do so this weekend and receiving Coadjutor Archbishop Nienstedt’s blessing. We wish to congratulate them, offer them our heartfelt gratitude and assure them of our prayers!

**Appointment of New Finance Council, Men’s Leadership Council  
and Women’s Leadership Council**

Last Sunday at our parish meeting, new members were named to the three councils which advise the pastor on parish matters. The full list will be printed soon but we are grateful that the timing of Coadjutor Archbishop Nienstedt’s visit gives us the opportunity to ask his blessing on the members of these councils.

**Thursday Morning Meetings**

Every Thursday morning at 7 AM an “open forum” meeting is held in Wellisch Hall. All parishioners who would like to listen in or share concerns are invited to attend these meetings as the day-to-day operations of the parish are discussed. The parish office will be open from 8:30 AM until Noon on Thursdays.

**Financial Information**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, PRAY FOR US!**