

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FORMATION

CCD: Catholic Christian Discipleship

WE NEED YOU! The **GILMAN Religious Education** program **needs teachers** this Fall for grades : K-2, 6-10. Please consider serving our cluster of parishes in this important role and give Georgi Whelan a call for more information.

### The MOST SACRED HEART of JESUS

The Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is celebrated on the Friday following the Second Sunday after Pentecost. We call Jesus' heart *sacred* because this word means *holy* or *belonging to God*. On the feast of the Sacred Heart, we thank Jesus for his



love for us. The heart of Jesus is a sign of his great love. When you place your hand over your heart, you can feel it pumping the blood through your body. This keeps you alive. Your heart is the center of your life and your feelings. In the same way, Jesus is the center of our lives as Christians.

The heart is a symbol of Jesus because it is his love that keeps our souls alive. Jesus' love helps us to live lives filled with goodness. Sometimes the Sacred Heart symbol is shown surrounded by fire. This means that Jesus' love is like a fire that catches and spreads quickly among his people. The heart and the fire remind us that we are to love others and spread Jesus' love to everyone we meet. Going to Mass and receiving Holy Communion on the first Friday of every month, or making a holy hour of prayer in honor of Jesus' Sacred Heart are ways to show our love for Jesus and to ask pardon for those people who don't accept his love.

*Jesus, your Sacred Heart is a sign of the love you have for us. Help us to love one another as you love us. Let your love overcome all the hatred and violence in our world. Make our hearts like yours, Jesus. We want to spread your peace and joy everywhere. Amen.*



**SARAH HART in Concert at St. James** the Greater Catholic Church: 2502 11<sup>th</sup> St, Eau Claire - Monday, July 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. She will also be hosting a Workshop for musicians on Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. The workshop and lunch is \$20. Please see the flyer in the entrance to church. Register by using the scan code or email [sherrylynnmac@gmail.com](mailto:sherrylynnmac@gmail.com)

Sarah Hart is one of the leading figures in contemporary Catholic Music today. Her songs of faith, spirit of joy and love for teaching and leading workshops have touched many lives.

## OUR WEEKLY GIVING

	<u>COLLECTED</u>	<u>*NEEDED*</u>
<b>June 10-11</b>		
<b>Ss. Peter &amp; Paul</b>		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 855.00	970.00
Loose	\$ 673.00	77.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,528.00</b>	<b>*1,047.00*</b>
Month of June		
Building Fund =	\$ 1,435.00	*1,667.00/mo*
<b>St. Stanislaus</b>		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 370.00	500.00
Loose	\$ 25.00	77.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 395.00</b>	<b>*577.00*</b>
Month of June		
Building Fund =	\$ 465.00	*500.00/mo*
<b>St. John</b>		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 740.00	827.00
Loose	\$ 121.00	120.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 861.00</b>	<b>*947.00*</b>
Month of June		
Building Fund =	\$ 313.00	*667.00/mo*
<b>St. Michael</b>		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 515.00	250.00
Loose	\$ 133.00	29.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 648.00</b>	<b>*279.00*</b>
Month of June		
Building Fund =	\$ 115.00	*84.00/mo*

*\*The weekly Envelope & monthly Building Fund totals needed are based on the 2022-2023 budget set by each Parish Council.*

### Centered in the Eucharist

#### Catholic Services Appeal 2022-2023

	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Payments &amp; Pledges</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>
Ss. Peter & Paul	\$ 10,860.00	\$ 7,110.00	\$ 3,750.00
St. John	\$ 9,049.00	\$ 9,049.00	Paid in Full
St. Stanislaus	\$ 5,759.00	\$ 4,825.00	\$ 934.00
St. Michael	\$ 3,018.00	\$ 3,018.00	Paid in Full

#### OUR SPONSOR THIS WEEK

**CORNER STORE**  
**GROCERIES-LIQUOR-BEER-MOVIES**  
**OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK**  
**6:00 A.M. - 10:00 P.M.**  
**SHELDON, WI (715) 452-5745**