

The LITURGY

The Seven deadly sins and contrasting Virtues

Pride: The inordinate love of self — a super-confidence and high esteem in your own abilities also known as vanity. Pride fools you into thinking that you're the source of your own greatness. Liking yourself isn't sinful. In fact, it's healthy and necessary, but when the self-perception no longer conforms to reality, and you begin to think that you're more important than you actually are, the sin of pride is rearing its ugly head.

Humility is the best remedy for pride. Catholicism regards humility as recognizing that talent is really a gift from God.

REMEMBER: Pride is the key to all other sins, because after you believe that you're more important than you actually are, you compensate for it when others don't agree with your judgment. You rationalize your behavior and make excuses for lying, cheating, stealing, insulting, ignoring, and such, because no one understands you like you do. In your mind, you're underestimated by the world.

Envy: Resenting another person's good fortune or joy. Catholicism distinguishes between two kinds of envy:

- **Material envy** is when you resent others who have more money, talent, strength, beauty, friends, and so on, than you do.
- **Spiritual envy** is resenting others who progress in holiness, preferring that they stay at or below your level instead of being joyful and happy that they're doing what they're supposed to be doing. Spiritual envy is far worse and more evil than material envy.

The Church maintains that meekness or kindness can counter envy.

Lust: Looking at, imagining, and treating others in inappropriate ways to serve your own physical

pleasures, rather than as individuals made in the image and likeness of God.

Chastity, the virtue that moderates sexual desire, is the best remedy for lust. Chastity falls under temperance and can help to keep physical pleasure in moderation.

REMEMBER: The Catholic Church believes that it's normal and healthy to be attracted to and to appreciate the opposite sex. That's not lust, and it's not considered a sin.

Anger: The sudden outburst of emotion — namely hostility — and thoughts about the desire for revenge. You have no control over what angers you, but you do have control over what you do after you become angry. Even if someone does you wrong — robs you, for example — to avoid the sin of anger, you don't go after the thief yourself, you desire for the police to catch the thief and for a court to sentence the individual to a fair punishment.

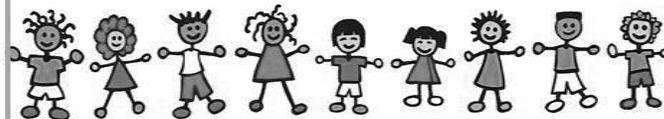
Patience, the virtue that allows you to adapt and endure evil without harboring any destructive feelings, is the best countermeasure for anger.

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Last Sunday we had our "Religious Education Teachers" meeting.

All leaders, teachers and helpers are working under the Pastor's guidance. Further, all teachers must follow and teach according to the teachings of the Catholic Church, regardless of each individual's beliefs and practices of Catholicism. All assignments will be confirmed after Diocesan background check. Nate Grattery will be the Religious Education Director and Scott Lucas will continue his position as Youth Minister. We thank all teachers who participated the session. If anyone who missed it or wish to join the group in any capacity, please contact Fr. Roger.





Monday, March 1
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Tuesday, March 2
 Parish office open
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Wednesday, March 3
 Parish office open
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Thursday, March 4
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Friday, March 5
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 Adoration & Confession soon after Mass
 10:00 a.m. Benediction
6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross
 Followed by Soup Supper

Saturday, March 6
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 4:15– 4:45 p.m. Confessions
 5:00 p.m. Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday, March 7
 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass
****** Fr. Roger is available for confessions soon after daily Mass.**



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Due to Covid-19, we will not be having Eucharistic Ministers distributing the Holy Communion until further notice. Altar Servers - Wearing Mask while serving is parents responsibility.

Saturday, March 6
 Altar Server - Joe Neumayer
 Eucharistic min. - Sherrie Cossairt
 Lectors - Joe Neumayer
 Ushers - Terry Betscher, Wally Cossairt

Sunday, March 7
 Altar Server - Bristol Hill, Seth & Shane Rice
 Eucharistic min. - Teresa Solum
 Lectors - Carol Davis
 Ushers - Larry Suscher, Wade Rice

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
 Follow the **PASSION** of **CHRIST**
 in meditation and prayer...



Fridays at 6:00 p.m.
 All are invited to participate.
 After the Stations, Soup Supper will be served.



Following parishioners and friends are in need of your kind prayers. Let's pray for:
 Veronika Ward, Megan Gradwohl, Tom & Meghan Haaroctick, Renee Rohe, Gwinevere Wright, Michael Youngwirth, Mason Shull, Joe Hill, Jeff Devoak, Jim Nystrom, Shirley Schave, Marciavee Cossette, Joel Minor, Nathan, Osa Orison, Keith Huber, Cathy Dow, Klukwali Holmes, Mathew Antrim, Steve Hill, Loren Mason, Kelly Jenkins, Joel Minor.
 Forward your prayer request names to parish e-mail, stannbonnersferry@gmail.com. Names will be listed for 4 weeks; you are welcome to relist if needed.

MESSAGE FROM Catholic Health Association
 We are not out of the woods yet. As of today, sadly, 500,000+ Covid-19 deaths in USA
LoveThyNeighbor small act fact:

- Masks can slow the spread of the virus from those who may have it but don't know it, and also protect the wearer.
- Masks provide an extra layer to help prevent respiratory droplets from traveling in the air and infecting other people.
- Because COVID-19 spreads mainly among people who are in close contact — within about 6 feet — for a prolonged period, keeping that distance reduces the chance for spreading the virus.

Right now LOVE THY NEIGHBOR looks like;

- Wearing a Mask
- Washing and sanitizing hands
- Social distancing
- Getting vaccinated

SMALL act of love, a BIG IMPACT