

June 15, 2025



Daily Readings
11th Week in Ordinary Time

Monday – 6/16

2 Corinthians 6:1-10
Matthew 5:38-42

Tuesday – 6/17

2 Corinthians 8:1-9
Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday – 6/18

2 Corinthians 9:6-11
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday – 6/19

2 Corinthians 11:1-11
Matthew 5:20-26; 7:1-5

Friday – 6/20

2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30
Matthew 6:19-23

Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Saturday – 6/21

2 Corinthians 12:1-10
Matthew 6:24-34

The Solemnity of the Most Holy
Body and Blood of Christ
Sunday – June 15

Genesis 14:18-20
Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Sequence: Lauda Sion
John 6:51

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings>

Saints of the Week

June 16: St. John Francis Regis
June 17: St. Emily de Vialar
June 18: St. Gregory Barbarigo
June 19: St. Romuald
June 20: St. Vincent Kaun
June 21: St. Aloysius Gonzaga
June 22: St. Thomas More
Learn about their stories at:
<https://www.org/saints/sofd.php>

HELP REPAVE THE PARKING LOT ON SHC/CHANCERY GROUNDS. Ongoing support for SHC & Chancery paving lot project **has reached \$185,195** of \$253,500 for SHC share (73% of goal) as of 6/13/25. **June 9th is the project start date** – please pay attention to traffic signs. A map of the order of the areas being worked on can be found on the bulletin board in the vestibule or on their website.
<https://sacredheartak.org/giving>

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From the desk of Fr. Ross Tozzi to St. Mark Parish:

“Thank you for your king donation of \$639 (June 8th for the summer paving project). Your donations helped us continue as a thriving community of faith that continues to serve as a beacon of hope for so many people. Gratefully ~ *Fr. Ross Tozzi, Pastor*”

Catholic Student Association

The Catholic Student Association (CSA) is a community of faith and caring; interested in growing and practicing our Catholic faith.

Our mission is to provide support for students on campus who are practicing Catholics and those wanting to learn more about the Catholic Faith. We support continuing instruction and provide the opportunity to practice their faith with support from St Mark University Catholic Parish. CSA will assist in community service activities within UAF campus, the Diocese of Fairbanks, and Fairbanks community when time allows.

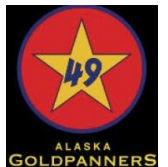
St. Mark's Catholic Student Association meets during the school year (September – May) with a weekly mass and meeting. Sunday masses are held at Sacred Heart Cathedral at 5:30 pm on Sunday. If you are on campus this summer and need a ride to our 5:30pm Sunday mass, contact Mary Pat Boger in advance at stmark@cbna.org or 907-379-9544.

Someone you know coming to UAF interested in: Becoming a Catholic? Completing Sacraments? Learning more about the Catholic Faith? Contact Fr. Ross Tozzi at rtozzi@cbna.org or call (907) 347-3005 to get a head start to on returning to school this Fall.

YOUNG ADULT SUMMER ACTIVITIES OF INTEREST:

On Saturday, June 21st at 5pm you can join us as a group to attend a Goldpanners baseball game at Growden Park in Fairbanks, followed by a visit to the Midnight Sun Festival. **The deadline for registering has been extended to Thursday, June 19th.** Must be 18-35 years old to participate. Registration can be found at <https://dioceseoffairbanks.org/young-adult-summer-outings>.

If you have any questions, email Michael Olsta at olsta@cbna.org. Contact him to see if there are still free tickets! Be a part of the Golden Days FUN!!



2025 UAF Free Events of Interest this week:

- **Fairbanks Tall Timbers** (Mon at 7 PM) June 16 – Robert Hannon interviews **Margo Klaus**. Talks are in person, webcast, and recorded to be posted within 2 weeks of the event. (June 23 – **Mary Ann Borchert**)
- **Healthy Living** (Tue at 7PM) June 17– **Advances in Minimally Invasive Surgery: Faster Recovery and Better Outcomes** - Presented by **Abe Tsigonis, MD** (June 24 – **Dr. Stephen Heffington, MD Chief Medical Director and Kari Burrell Chief Strategy Officer FHP's Blueprint for Services.**)
- **Discover Alaska** (Wed at 7PM) June 18 – **Indigenous Studies and the Center for One Health Research** w/**Jordan P. Lewis PhD, MSW**, Director of Research for College of Indigenous Studies and the Center for One Health Research (June 25 – **Michelle Demmert, JD Asst. Prof of Tribal Governance**)
- **Music in the UAF Georgeson Garden – 2 bands for you.** (Thu at 6PM/7:30PM) June 19 – **Mount Pleasant Baptist Church Choir and Praise Dancers / Clarence Pete Project** featuring Willie Blackburn.

For the complete summer schedules of these events held this summer, go to <https://www.uaf.edu/summer/events/upcoming.php>



A “[Virtual Father's Day Retreat](#)” for fathers and children to celebrate their relationship. Celebrate with your father, together or from afar, besides the normal card or gift that is given. Do it in memory of a father who has passed. Read the article, find a comfortable place, and settle in to spend a moment in prayer and reflection.

“God of all fathers, in your wisdom and love you have made all things. As we honor our fathers this Father's Day, help us to live a father's example. May our minds and hearts become stronger in the wisdom and love that we share. Help us to promote truth, value necessary instruction, and foster mutual understanding as we go through life. And may a spirit of greater respect strengthen us all. Amen.” [Bustedhalo.com](https://bustedhalo.com)

Neighboring Parish Mass Times

Sacred Heart Cathedral

(907) 474-9032

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM

Sunday 8:00 & 11:00 AM

Spanish Mass at 1:00 PM

St. Mark Mass at SHC 5:30 PM

*Weekday: Mon-Fri: 7:30 AM

Saturday 9:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday from 3:00 to 4:00 PM

Immaculate Conception

(907) 452-3533

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Latin Rite Mass 6 PM – TBA

Sunday: 7:30 AM, & 10:00 AM

*Weekday: Mon – 8:30 AM

T, Th, Fri: 12:10 PM

Wed 5:30 PM, First Friday 5:30 PM

1st Saturday 7:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tu, Th: 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM

Sat: 3:00 – 4:00 PM

Saint Raphael

(907) 457-6603

Saturday Vigil: 6:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM

*Weekday: Tue, Th: 9:30 AM,

Wed 5:30 PM/Fri: 6:00 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat: 5:00 – 5:30 PM

Saint Nicholas, North Pole

(907) 488-2595

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 & 12:00 PM

*Weekdays: Mon, T, Th, Fri: 9:00 AM

Wed 7 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wed: 6:00 PM & Sat: 4:00 PM

Ft. Wainwright Southern Lights Chapel

Sunday: 9:00 AM *Weekday – Wed 7 PM

Eielson Air Force Base Chapel

Sunday 10:30 AM

Adoration

Sacred Heart Cathedral

Thursday 8:00 AM – 12 Noon

Saturday 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Immaculate Conception Church

Tuesday 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Wednesday 6:00- 7:00 PM

Friday 7:00 PM – Saturday 7:00 AM

Saturday 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

St. Raphael Catholic Church

Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM

Wednesday 4:30 AM-5:30 PM

Friday 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM

St. Nicholas Catholic Church

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri – 8:00 AM- 9:00 AM

Good Shepherd – Ft. Wainwright

Every First Friday after 11:45 AM Mass



RELIGIOUS FREEDOM WEEK

Witnesses to Hope

Religious freedom allows the Church, and all religious communities, to live out their faith in public and to serve the good of all. Beginning June 22, the feast of Sts. Thomas More and John Fisher, the USCCB invites Catholics to **pray**, **reflect**, and **act** to promote religious freedom.

- **June 22: Political Polarization.** **Pray** that Catholics will have the courage to put the truth of the gospel and fidelity to the Church above partisan politics.
- **June 23: IVF Mandates.** **Pray** for couples who suffer fertility challenges, and that political leaders would promote therapies that respect the dignity of all human persons.
- **June 24: Catholic Healthcare.** **Pray** that governments will respect the consciences of all people who care for the sick and vulnerable.
- **June 25: Nicaragua.** **Pray** for Christians in Nicaragua, where the Catholic Church faces brutal government persecution.
- **June 26: Parental Choice in Education.** **Pray** that governments would strengthen the ability for parents to direct the education of their children.
- **June 27: Immigration Services.** **Pray** that the Lord would protect vulnerable migrants and refugees, and that the Church enjoy the freedom to carry out the ministries that Christ has handed to her.
- **June 28: Freedom to Serve the Common Good.** **Pray** that government leaders would recognize the contributions that religious charities make to the common good.
- **June 29: Nigeria.** **Pray** for our brothers and sisters in Nigeria who are suffering violent religious conflict. <https://www.usccb.org/committees/religious-liberty/religious-freedom-week>



Two Schools, One Mission

Immaculate Conception

Grade School

Pres 6

Monroe Catholic Jr./Sr.

High School

7-12

Friday, June 20th
Monroe Catholic
Alumni 2nd Annual Scholarship
Fundraiser

[GOLF SCRAMBLE](#)

Coming July 11 & 12 – SUPER GARAGE SALE
Accepting Donations now at the Monroe Offices.

The Year of Hope



Trinity Sunday

The Trinity is the root of our hope. In ancient times, myths depicted divine beings as sources of conflict, who cared little for men. Instead, Revelation teaches us that all of existence finds its source in a relationship, in the total, eternal, loving self-gift of the Father to the Son which finds its manifestation in the Holy Spirit. This same relationship of persons willed to make us capable of sharing in their Divine Life. Through the Incarnation of the Son, we were taught just how much God loves us and reaches out to us. The humiliation of the Cross becomes the lesson for our own lives, that we must live in service to others, even at the ultimate price. This Son reveals to us the Father and gives us the Holy Spirit so that we might be able to call him Father in turn. How happy are we who have this great hope!



For more information on the Year of Hope scan the QR code or go to the Diocese website at <https://diocesofairbanks.org/the-year-of-hope>

"I WILL NOT ENTER PARADISE UNTIL THE LAST OF MY SPIRITUAL CHILDREN HAS ARRIVED." - PADRE PIO

VOLUNTEER THIS SUMMER WHERE HELP IS NEEDED!

Soup Kitchen at Immaculate Conception Church – serves Sat & Sun from 1-3 PM. Contact ICC at 907-452-3533 ext. 1003, or iccsoupkitchen@cbna.org regarding their needs – both food and clothing items.

Sacred Heart Cathedral Food Box – Help distribute on Fri from 12-1 PM. Contact the parish office on 907 474-9032 for more information.

St. Mark Parish – Annual Deborah property clean-up this month. Contact parish office at stmark@cbna.org to sign up. Date to be determined.

THE QUESTION
OF THE DAY
REMAINS.



YES, IT
DOES.



WILL THE PASTOR BE ABLE
TO EXPLAIN THE TRINITY
WITHOUT COMMITTING
HERESY?



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