



Church of Saint Cecilia

Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm; Sunday 9:30 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45 pm

www.StCeciliaSPM.org

June 27/28 and July 4/5, 2026



Summer Office Hours

For summer, the **Parish Office** will be open **Tues, Weds, and Thurs 10 am to 2 pm**. We will evaluate this late summer to determine if this should become a permanent change.

Summer Bulletins

Bulletins will be produced every two weeks, with deadlines on the 1st and 15th.
Submissions: bulletin@stceciliaspn.org.



Do you love to sing? Join our St. Cecilia's choir for just one day!

SUMMER 2026 PICK-UP CHOIR

Sunday, July 19

9:30 am Mass (arrive at 9 am)

Saturday, August 15

4:30 pm Mass (arrive at 4 pm)

Open to all! Details in weekly email.

Questions? Email Betsy.

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UPCOMING

Tuesday, June 30

7:00 pm Sing-Along in the Backyard

Thursday, July 2

11:00 am Rita Mowdy funeral;
visitation 10 am

Saturday, July 4

3:45 pm Reconciliation
4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, July 5

9:30 am Mass

Monday, July 6

6:30 pm Craft Night

Wednesday, July 8

6:30 pm Deck Night at the Zwacks

Saturday, July 11

Food Drive

3:45 pm Reconciliation
4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, July 12

Food Drive

9:30 am Mass

Monday, July 13

6:30 pm Deck Night at the Zwacks

We're Hiring! Catechetical Ministry Coordinator

The Catechetical Ministry Coordinator is a salaried member of the parish staff who coordinates and organizes parish religious education programs. The complete Job Posting is on the Staff page of the St. Cecilia website, www.StCeciliaSPM.org. Please share the posting with folks in your network who may be a good fit for the position!

June 27/28: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



"A Pastoral Visit" Richard Norris Brooke
Whoever welcomes you, welcomes me

MUSIC

Entrance:	#777 <i>Here I Am, Lord</i>
Gloria:	#319
Psalm 89:	<i>Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.</i>
Gospel Acclamation:	#231
Preparation:	#744 <i>As a Fire Is Meant for Burning</i>
Eucharistic Acclamations:	#370, 373, 374, 391
Communion:	#783 <i>Unless a Grain of Wheat</i>
Closing:	#635 <i>Let All Things Now Living</i>

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READINGS

2 Kings 4: 8-11, 14-16. *A couple provides food and lodging for the prophet Elisha; he in turn promises them a son, even though they had been married a long time and remained childless.*

Psalm 89: *Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.*

Romans 6: 3-4, 8-11. *Through Baptism we were buried into the death of Jesus, and so we will share in his resurrection and be alive for God in Christ Jesus.*

Matthew 10: 37-42. *A combination of various statements of Jesus which include taking up one's cross to follow Jesus and welcoming missionaries as one would welcome Christ himself.*

PARISH EVENTS

Sing-Along in the Backyard at St. Cecilia's Tuesday, June 30, 7 pm

We'll sing some Beatles, some 70's pop tunes, and maybe even a few Irish songs. Bring bug spray! Bring friends and family! Bring snacks to share, if you would like!

SAP July 4 Parade Gather at SAP Lutheran, 10:30 am

Join the St. Anthony Park Faith Communities to march in the St. Anthony Park 4th of July Parade. We will gather at SAP Lutheran Church at 10:30 on July 4 for the parade down Como to Langford Park. This year we are raising funds to help those who have been affected by ICE. Check the poster in the entryway and in the Link for more information.

Deck Night at the Zwacks July 8, 13, 22, Aug 18, Sept 3, 6:30 pm 4417 Arthur St. NE, Columbia Hts

Enjoy evenings of conversation, treats, and relaxation. Popcorn, M&Ms, and lemonade provided. BYOB. Rain or shine! See flyer in the Link.

Craft Nights 6:30 pm Every Other Week (July 6, 20, August 3, 17)

Do you knit, crochet, embroider, or enjoy any kind of crafting? Bring your current projects and join us for a craft night filled with creativity, conversation, and community. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced maker, all are welcome to relax, share ideas, and work alongside fellow crafters.

Rita Mowdy Funeral

The funeral for Rita Mowdy will be Thursday, July 2 at 11 am; vistration at 10 am at St. Cecilia's. Lunch will follow. Memorials to Second Harvest Heartland. Condolences to Colleen, Dave, Leo, and Norah Smith and family.

July 4/5: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I WILL EXTOL YOU, MY GOD, O KING;
AND I WILL BLESS YOUR NAME FOREVER AND EVER.
EVERY DAY I WILL BLESS YOU,
AND I WILL PRAISE YOUR NAME FOREVER AND EVER.

PSALM 145:1-2



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!



John Hall received his Masters' Degree in Robotics Engineering from Worcester Polytechnic Institute on May 14. He'll be working for Aurora Flight Sciences in the Boston area.

Nora Sabo graduated from Roseville Area High School on June 7, 2026. She plans to attend the University of Denver in the fall to study Psychology and Entrepreneurship.

Jacob Reid, graduated from Concordia College (Moorhead, MN) with majors in Food, Nutrition, and Dietetics & Psychology. He will be working at the Emily Program as a Diet Technician.

Charlie Springman graduated from St. Anthony Village High School and heading to the University of Iowa.

Ian J. Maas, Magna Cum Laude, Ronald Reagan High School, San Antonio, Public Schools, 850 graduates.

Delaney O'Toole graduated from Mounds View High School. She plans to attend The University of Nebraska this fall with a major in Nutrition, Health & Wellness.

Olivia Otte graduated from St. Anthony Village High School June 5, 2026. She will be attending college and studying business.

Mac Tebbe graduated Mounds View High School and will be attending Saint Olaf to study one of the natural sciences.

Elliot Andrew Lindsley graduated from Cretin-Derham Hall and will be attending St. John's University.

MUSIC

Entrance:	#871, vs 1, 2, 3 <i>We Shall Rise Again</i>
Gloria:	#319
Psalm 69:	<i>I will praise your name forever, my king and my God</i>
Gospel Acclamation:	#231
Preparation:	#714 <i>In the Arms of God</i>
Eucharistic Acclamations:	#370, 373, 374, 391
Communion:	#728 <i>Eye Has Not Seen</i>
Closing:	#984 <i>America the Beautiful</i>

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READINGS

Zechariah 9: 9-10. *Your king comes, a just savior, to proclaim peace to all nations.*

Psalm 145. *I will praise your name forever, my king and my God.*

Romans 8: 9, 11-13. *The Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in us to bring our mortal bodies to new life.*

Matthew 11: 25-30. *Jesus offers thanksgiving, praising the Father for what has been revealed to merest children but hidden from the learned and clever. If we take Jesus' burden upon us, we will find rest.*

Mission Trip departs July 19

Join the St. Cecilia community in prayer:
*Dear Saint Christopher, protect me today,
in all my travels along the road's way.
Give your warning sign if danger is near;
so that I may stop while the path is clear.
Be at my window and direct me through,
when the vision blurs from out of the blue.
Carry me safely to my destined place,
like you carried Christ in your close embrace. Amen.*

Have a plan for the ones you leave behind.

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