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1919 Church Calendar 1919

April	May	June
1 T Hugh, B., Ingenuana	1 T Philip and James, Ap.	1 S Enoc, Ab., Novella
2 W Gordian, Theodosia	2 F Athanas, Dr., China	2 M Erasmus, B., Blandina
3 T Nicetas, Burgundofora	3 S Alexander, P., Viola	3 T Kevin, Ab., Clotilde
4 F Isidore, B. Dr., Plato	4 S Godard, P., Monsta	4 W Quirinus, B., Eucenia
5 S Beno, M., Irene, M.	5 M Angelus, Waldrada	5 T Boniface, Marcia
6 S Celsus, Continenta	6 T Eadbert, Benedicta	6 F Norbert, B., Candida
7 M Chlothar, Ursulina	7 W Stanislaus, B., Glavia	7 S Robert, Ab., Donata
8 T Perpetuus, Concessa	8 T Dionysius, Waltheildis	8 S Pentecost Medarus
9 W Gundecar, Waltrude	9 F Beatus, C., Eumitosa	9 M Richard, B., Pelagia
10 T Ibasius, C., Cuana	10 S Antiquus, B., Beatrice	10 T Maurinus, Margaret
11 F Leo, P. Dr., Godeberta	11 S Majolus, Ab., Victoria	11 W Ember Barnabas
12 S Alferius, Simplicia	12 M Germanus, Gemma	12 T Eschilus, M., Antonina
13 S Hermenegild, Carita	13 T Servatius, Dominica	13 F Ember Aquila
14 M Justin, M., Edmunda	14 W Victor, M., Corona	14 S Ember Basil, Dr.
15 T Rodan, Donatella	15 T Hilbert, B., Dionysia	15 S HOLY TRINITY Conald
16 W Harvey, C., Basilia	16 F Brendan, Ab., Marima	16 M Benno, B., Eulgaris
17 T Donan, Abbot, Isidora	17 S Pascal, C., Restituta	17 T Rainerius, C., Egrasia
18 F Good Friday, Ceard	18 S Felix, B., Claudia	18 W Amandus, B., Marina
19 S Ursmar, B., Emma	19 M Alcuin, Eudemia	19 T Corpus Christi Juliana
20 S Easter Sunday	20 T Ethelbert, K., Basilia	20 F Silverius, P., Florentia
21 M Anselm, B. Dr., Bruno	21 W Secundus, M., Mirella	21 S Aloisius, Demetria
22 T Wolphelm, Opportuna	22 S Alban, M., Consortia	22 M Jeltz, M., Ediltrude
23 W George, Adalbert, C.	23 F Desiderius, B., Nonna	23 T John Bapt., Columba
24 T Fidelis, Theodesta	24 S Gerald, M., Susanna	24 W William, Ab., Febronia
25 F Mark, Eoang., Alice	25 S Hildebrand, Eutropia	25 T Saleius, Perseveranda
26 S Trudbert, M., Alida	26 M Rogation Augustine	26 F Sacred Heart Ladisl.
27 S Raymond, Abbot, Rita	27 T Rogation Wade, Dr.	27 S Jrenaeus, Dr. Marcella
28 M Cronan, Valeria	28 W Rogation Germain	28 S Peter and Paul, Ap.
29 T Robert, Wilfrid	29 T Ascension	29 M Matial, Erentudis
30 W Ecomnald, Sophia	30 F Joan of Arc, V.	30 S Roland, C., Angela

FEASTS OF OBLIGATION
New Year, Wednesday, 1. Jan.
Epiphany, Monday, 6. Jan.
Ascension, Thursday, 29. May
All Saints, Saturday, 1. Nov.
Immaculate Conception, Mon. 8. Dec.
Christmas, Thursday, 25. Dec.

OTHER FEASTS
Septuagesima, Sunday, 16. Feb.
Ash Wednesday, 5. March
Good Friday, 18. April
Easter Sunday, 20. April
Pentecost Sunday, 8. June
Corpus Christi, Thursday, 19. June
Sacred Heart, Friday, 27. June
All Souls, Sunday, 2. November
First Sunday of Advent, 30. Nov.

FASTS OF OBLIGATION
Ember Days, 12, 14, 15. March
11, 13, 14. June
17, 19, 20. Sept.
17, 19, 20. Dec.

Lent, 5. March to 19. April
Vigils, 7. June, 16. August,
31. Oct., 24. Dec.

FIRST DAY OF EACH MONTH
1. Jan. Wednesday 1. July Tuesday
1. Feb. Saturday 1. Aug. Friday
1. March Saturday 1. Sept. Monday
1. Apr. Tuesday 1. Oct. Wednesday
1. May Thursday 1. Nov. Saturday
1. June Sunday 1. Dec. Monday

ECLIPSES
of the sun, 28. May, 22. Nov.
of the moon, 7. Nov.

Religious News

This week, being Ember Week, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday will be obligatory days of fast and abstinence.

Trinity Sunday (June 15) is the last day within the Paschal time, during which all Catholics are obliged under pain of mortal sin to receive the Sacraments worthily.

The diocese of Prince Albert being dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, it will be well to remember that on Sunday June 29, the day on which the feast of the Sacred Heart is solemnly celebrated should be a day of special prayer and devotion to the Divine Heart of Jesus throughout the entire diocese. The regulations of the diocese governing this day are that, wherever possible, the Blessed Sacrament should be exposed from Saturday evening to Sunday evening. If this is not possible the Blessed Sacrament should be exposed on Sunday for a certain number of hours, or at least during the Mass and Vespers. The faithful should be earnestly exhorted to be present in great numbers, during the hours of this public adoration, to pay their homage to the most adorable Sacrament of the altar and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

KITCHENER, Ont.—400 children and adults were confirmed at St. Mary's Church by Rt. Rev. Bishop McDonald on Sunday morning, June 1st. The ceremony lasted nearly two hours. In the afternoon the Bishop administered confirmation to about 150 persons at Waterloo.

Rev. A. L. Fisher, C.R., is at present at Lebanon, Kentucky. His health is improving and he is assisting in parochial work in that city.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Archbishop Austin Dowling of St. Paul was invested with the sacred pallium, the insignia of an archbishop's dignity at the cathedral on May 27th. Archbishop J.J. Keane of Dubuque officiated and Archbishop G.W. Mundelein of Chicago was in attendance. Several hundred priests and numerous Bishops and dignitaries witnessed the ceremony.

The new chapel of St. Thomas College, St. Paul, was dedicated by Archbishop Dowling on May 29.

DYERSVILLE, Ia.—Rev. Leo Gerken of Dyersville was ordained to the priesthood at the Cathedral of the Assumption, Baltimore, Md., on May 22nd. On June 3rd the newly ordained priest celebrated his first solemn Mass at St. Francis Church, Dyersville, Ia.

DUBUQUE, Ia.—Mother Mary Gertrude, former Superior-General of the Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and an assoc-

iate of Mother Mary Francis Clarke the venerated foundress of this Congregation of religious teachers passed to her eternal reward on June 2nd at Mt. Carmel, Dubuque. Mother Gertrude was in her ninety-third year and had spent nearly 75 years in the Sisterhood. When she entered the community, it had but one school with scarcely 100 pupils. At her death, there are 1,500 living members, and the Congregation conducts 82 schools which are attended by 31,470 pupils. The funeral was held from Mt. Carmel Chapel on June 4th.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Col. Bartlett, U.S.A., a thirty-third degree Mason, is a convert. He made his first Holy Communion at the Dominican College, Catholic University. He belongs to the U.S. Medical corps and is surgeon in charge of the Walter Reid Hospital, Washington, D.C.

The Papal Delegate to the United States is returning to Italy for two or three months to visit his relatives and enjoy a short vacation. The many appointments necessary to the life of the Church in the Union have all been made and the Papal Delegate was able to assist at the investiture of the Archbishops of New York and Philadelphia.

PROVIDENCE, R.I.—On May 25th, the Bishop of Providence celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood. On that day was also dedicated Providence College, founded by the Bishop. Among the buildings is a Memorial Hall erected in honor of the jubilarian.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—A campaign to raise \$1,000,000 for St. Ignatius College, San Francisco has been inaugurated. The college buildings were destroyed in the earthquake and fire in 1906 and since that time the institution has been occupying temporary quarters.

PARIS.—It is pleasing to read the tributes paid in leading Catholic organs of France to the German Benedictine who has occupied so far the difficult position of Bishop of Metz. These eulogiums come from French Catholics, well informed and unprejudiced, who, recognizing that the extreme difficulty of his position entails Mgr. Benzler's resignation from the see of Metz, desire to testify to the consideration that he has always shown to the French element in his flock. Yet this Bishop of Metz is a thorough German by birth, a native of the Diocese of Paderborn; he is now 64 years of age and was Abbot of the Benedictine Monastery of Maria-Laach, when, in 1901, Leo XIII. appointed him to the See of Metz.

ROME.—Pope Benedict has recognized the Republic of Esthonia, which was formerly a province of Russia. Diplomatic relations with the new republic will be established by the Holy See when things have settled somewhat and peace signed. In a letter to M. Virgo, the republic's representative, who was received in private audience by the Holy Father, Cardinal Gasparri wrote: "He (Pope Benedict) wishes me to assure you that he has the greatest sympathy for the people there, who have been tried so terribly during the war and are looking to a happier future with their independence. The Holy See is ready to recognize provisionally the National Council of Esthonia as an independent organization until the Peace Conference shall have pronounced on the definite settlement of the country."

Pope Benedict has appointed Cardinal Gasquet protector of the Sisters of Charity of San Antonio, Texas. The cardinal is a member of the Benedictine Order.

Be always displeased at what thou art if thou desire to attain to what thou art not; for where thou hast pleased thyself, there thou abidest.

St. Peter's Colony

WATSON.—The date set for this year's summer fair at Watson is August the 15th. Quill Lake will have its fair on August 14th.

ST. GREGOR.—The new Merchants' Bank which promises to be a handsome building is nearing completion. Its dimensions are 22 x 43 feet. The lot adjoining the poolroom, on the west side, has been secured as a location for the bank. Mr. Mich. Brunn is erecting the building. The lumber and building material was purchased from the Empire Lumber Co. who has also furnished the lumber for the new Merchants' Bank building at Lenora, Lake. The manager of the St. Gregor branch states that he is doing a very satisfactory business.

The St. Gregor Rural Telephone Co. which has 5 circuits and expects to add a sixth one in the near future, is about ready to be put in operation. The Sec. Treas., Mr. T. Coghan, has ordered and supplied the people with the necessary cards, that contain the names and rings of the various subscribers.

Father Prior Peter and Fr. Matthew, of Münster, were in town last week and made purchases in Mr. Ries' store.

ANNAHEIM.—Mr. Mich. Sterner who was residing in Ontario for a number of years arrived in Anaheim, last week, and intends to help his brother John on the farm.

LOST black mare, weight about 1400, branded on right hip, right side. Math. Stuckl, Lenora Lake.

MÜNSTER.—On June 3rd the Rt. Rev. Abbot Bruno and Father Schmid, of Humboldt, went to Saskatoon, where together with Father Jan, O. M. I., and P. Nicolet, of Viscount, they convened for the diocesan council. They returned home the next day.

On June 5th the Rev. Fathers Mathias of Leofeld, M. Collins of Wakaw, and Mr. Frank Wunderlich, of Cudworth, were welcome visitors at the Abbey.

The Rt. Rev. Abbot went on June 7th to Saskatoon in order to administer the sacrament of Confirmation to more than one hundred children and adults on Whitsunday. During the distribution of Holy Communion, however, at the nine o'clock Mass which he celebrated, he took seriously sick, so that he was scarcely able to finish his Mass. After Mass he had to be carried into the parish house.

Dr. De Rosiers was called and diagnosed the illness as being an affection of the heart. It was with the utmost difficulty that the Abbot was able to confirm the converts and a few children living far away from church, in all about twenty five persons, towards evening on that day. On Monday he had gathered enough strength to risk the trip to Humboldt, where immediately on his arrival he was conveyed to the hospital. In the opinion of the doctors Abbot Bruno will recover shortly and will be permitted to attend again to his manifold duties after a week's rest and medical treatment. Father Jan, O. M. I., of Saskatoon, was delegated to bless the churches at Colonsay, Viscount and St. John instead of Abbot Bruno.

The superfluous supply of potatoes which the Monastery had advertised for sale, last week, is exhausted. Buyers came immediately, as soon as the paper had been mailed, in such numbers that within one day all the available quantity was sold.

The weather of the past week was fair and warm. The dry spell is continuing. The crops, indeed, look well, but rain is needed badly. The supply of water for men and animals on many farms is giving way. The slight rain that fell on Friday evening of last week could

only be compared to a heavy ordinary dew. Another slight rain fell on Tuesday of this week. High winds prevailed on several days.

Acknowledgement is hereby given for the following gifts: \$10.00 for the orphans from a reader at Dana; \$5.00 for the same purpose from a reader at Münster; \$5.00 for the missions and \$5.00 for the orphans from a kind gentleman residing at Willmont; 50 Cents from a lady living at Carroll, Iowa, and an unnamed party at Annaheim sent in \$3.00 for the orphans, \$1.00 for Father Egenolf and \$1.00 for Father Brabender. May God's blessing descend upon all these kind benefactors!

The artist Mr. B. Imhoff expects to complete the decoration of the sanctuary in St. Peter's Abbey Church this week. The scaffolding which had greatly obstructed the view was removed last Saturday, and the paintings in all their splendor and beauty were exposed to everybody's admiration on Pentecost Sunday. All that have seen the work done by Mr. Imhoff are unanimously conceding and professing that it is really a great work of art. The artist will, towards the end of this week, return home to St. Walburg, in order to make the necessary preparations for decorating the entire church, a work which he intends to commence on his return to Münster, and which will probably occupy him for the greater part of this summer. His stay at St. Walburg will, therefore, not be long.

FOR SALE 2 fresh milk cows with calves. J. Bruning, Münster.

The following gentlemen accompanied Father Chrysostom, the pastor of St. Peter's parish, on a trip around the parish for the purpose of soliciting contributions towards the painting of the interior of St. Peter's church: On Monday Frank Pape and Albert Nenzel sr.; Tuesday Jos. Hinz jr. and Fr. Kenkel; Wed. Quirin Loehr and Jos. Kopp sr.; Thurs. John Mamer and Bern. Korte, \$2375.00 were collected on this trip. There are still about a dozen parishioners to be visited. \$225.00 were contributed during the subsequent days. \$50.00 were mailed at Bruno by some generous soul; thus bringing the total sum up to \$2650.00.

FOR SALE cheap a second hand 6 bottom breaker and stubble tractor plow. Hy. Bruning, Münster.

This week the parishioners have begun work on the beautifying of the cemetery.

A FULL BLOOD BERKSHIRE Boar is for sale by the Monastery. Three years old. Must be sold to avoid in-breeding. Splendid animal.

BURR.—At the meeting of the Councilors of the R. M. of Wolv-rine held June 2nd among others the following resolutions were passed: That the council purchase the engine and caboose from Mr. Morrison for the sum of \$2100.00; that the Stockland Grader put on test be purchased at the price and terms stated in contract form; that the council pay cash for the Stockland grader \$1650.00 less 5%—1567.50 net—subject to the terms and warranties stated on contract form; that the council pay \$1100.00 on account of engine and caboose and give a note for balance; that the hail withdrawals so far received be approved and forwarded to the commissions, at once, after the extended date, (June 15) for withdrawal has passed; that a grant of \$50.00 be given to the Pilot Grove G. G. A. in support of the work of their annual stock show.

HUMBOLDT.—The work on the construction of the Humboldt-Melfort railroad line is being commenced, a large outfit of men, teams and equipment being now on the ground here making ready to start grading. The camp is located just half a mile east of town, where tents and shanties are being set up

to accommodate the outfit. Mr. Macdonald, of Netherhill, Sask., has the sub-contract for the construction of about thirty miles north of Humboldt.

The Sask. Grain Growers' Association has decided to call conventions of supporters of the farmers political platform in every federal constituency in Saskatchewan. The date for the convention at Humboldt has been fixed for June 19th.

The following Humboldt soldiers have recently returned from overseas: Major Wm. Driver who entered upon his military duties in 1916, Sergt. E. A. Jones who saw active service for a period of three years in France, and Ptes. G. R. Virley and Langeford.

The marriage took place at North Battleford on Saturday, May 10th, of Judge A. D. Macintosh, formerly of Humboldt, to Miss Viola MacManus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. MacManus, of that city.

Mr. Jas. Patterson, manager of the McNab Flour Mills, Ltd., has taken out a building permit for the erection of a new two storey modern residence on Milton street.

Miss McLaughlin, Judge of the provincial juvenile court, was here on June 3rd and disposed of two juvenile court cases.

Mr. A. J. Borschowa recently arrived from Saskatoon to accept a position as engineer at the power house.

On Tuesday, June 10th, Father Benedict celebrated Mass in St. Scholastica's Mission and joined in the holy bonds of matrimony Clemens Ruschkowsky, of Gull Lake, Sask., and Mary Mirkowsky, of St. Scholastica.

BRUNO.—Over one hundred children are now frequenting the parochial school at Bruno. It may be necessary to equip a fourth classroom by next fall.

The Ven. Mother Antonia, the new superior of the Ursuline Nuns, made a trip to Cudworth last week, in the interests of their new motherhouse.

LEOFELD.—The Rev. Father Matthew Collins, of Wakaw, paid a visit to Father Mathias on Ascension Day, May 29th.

On June 5th, the feast of St. Boniface, the patron-Saint of our parish, the Rev. Father Mathias celebrated a High Mass.

CUDWORTH, June 4th, 1919

Dear St. Peter's Bote:—

At last, after long vain hopes, a good shower passed over Cudworth. Everything looks now at least twice as fresh as before. Some fields already began to get yellow.

Tuesday, Mr. John Duerr with his son Ben, and daughter with husband, left here to be present at St. Benedict's Academy, St. Joseph, Minn.; where his two daughters Dora and Martha are going to receive the habit of the Order of St. Benedict. Mr. Jacob Eall with his whole family also went along for the same purpose, and also to visit their many friends in Minnesota. In about two weeks all intend to return to Cudworth.

Our village school has now two teachers. Miss Jean Cameron, a very able instructress, came from Boston, Mass., to take care of the lower grades.

Mr. Jos. Schmidt is building a new residence. A new store also is being erected on Main St., making now nine stores for Cudworth. Our "city" is growing some! Cor.

King Ludwig in Switzerland

The Swiss Government announces that it has given permission for former King Ludwig of Bavaria to reside at Zizers, in the Canton of Grisons, in a home for aged Catholic priests which forms a wing of the ancient Castle of Salis. The King has been living at Liechtenstein. Permission has also been granted to several former Austrian Archdukes to come to Switzerland on condition that they undertake to refrain from political activity and propaganda.