Dear Friend,

Summer is here! We share with you this Summer 2023 edition of *Bread Broken & Shared*. If you desire, we will send the issues out to you digitally if your email address is on our list. If you prefer to receive ONLY the digital electronic copy and not the printed newsletter in the mail, send us an email at breadbrokenandshared1856@gmail.com to request this.

In this issue of our Newsletter, *Bread Broken & Shared*, we introduce you to some of our international religious who will be sharing in our eucharistic mission in the USA. We are most grateful to them for their willingness and generosity to work alongside us. We alert you to some special upcoming events: The Eymard Pilgrimage to France (*November 2024*), the Eucharistic Congress (*August 4-6, 2023*), the upcoming Saint Ann Triduum (*July 24-26, 2023*), and our new SSS Website which is NOW alive! Our provincial superior, Father John Thomas Lane SSS, reflects on some of our upcoming events. Take time to view and explore our new revised website – www.blessedsacrament.com.

Friend, your generosity in the past has been instrumental in assisting many of our aging religious and continuing the eucharistic ministries of the Congregation. You support our religious through your donations to provide a cook, a nurse, maintenance building needs, and all that supports them in their continued eucharistic ministries in their prime years. Your contributions will continue the good works and ministries of the Congregation. Please include any special prayer requests you want us to remember on the enclosed reply form. These intentions are prayed for by all the priests and brothers each day. It's our simple way of saying "THANKS" to you, who have been so good to us!

We hope that you find the time to read this entire issue and learn more about the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament and its ministry and mission – in this way, you can walk with us in the footsteps of our holy Founder, Saint Peter Julian Eymard. Also, consider joining me on the Eymard Pilgrimage to France next November! We hope to have a good group of Associates and Friends of the Congregation and Saint Peter Julian Eymard devotees.

The Blessed Sacrament Community supports you in prayer in the presence of the Eucharist and at daily Mass. Our Blessed Sacrament religious in Bethany and Regina Health Center in Richfield pray for each of you daily. Please let us know of any special intentions you want us to remember. Please submit prayer requests to (<a href="www.st-ann-shrine.org">www.st-ann-shrine.org</a>). Your loved ones can be remembered during Mass at Saint Ann Shrine. Call 440-449-2700 for details.

May Easter joy fill your hearts and your lives! We are all united in our faith in the Eucharist!

In Christ our Eucharist!

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Very Reverend John Thomas Lane SSS

**Provincial Superior** 

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