

# ST. PATRICK



# ST. CATHERINE

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*Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM*

### MISSION STATEMENT

THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ST. PATRICK OF CEDAR LAKE TOWNSHIP AND ST. CATHERINE OF SPRING LAKE TOWNSHIP ARE COMMUNITIES OF LOVING AND CARING PEOPLE CENTERED IN JESUS CHRIST.

Thus we:

- \* Celebrate our faith through partaking in the Eucharist and the Sacraments;
- \* Share in teaching the Word of God through preaching, education, and service;
- \* Work together to provide spiritual care, direction and fellowship, and to promote charity and justice for all;
- \* Share our time, talents, and treasures with our families, parish, and surrounding communities;

WE DO THIS BECAUSE CHRIST SAID "LOVE ONE ANOTHER...,"  
 THROUGH LOVE, WE WILL GROW IN UNION WITH GOD AND PEOPLE.

### VISION STATEMENT

Working together, results are forever.

#### St. Patrick Church

Melvin Gregory 952-492-6105  
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#### St. Catherine Church 952-447-2180

Joe Williamson 952-447-6404  
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#### Parish Pastoral Council

Robert Sticha 952-758-2287 Pat Schroeder 952-226-6293

### MASSES

*Saturday 5:00 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM Sunday 8:30 AM*

*Weekdays – Please refer to mass schedule.*

### CONFESSIONS

*Saturday 4:00 – 4:45 PM or by appointment By appointment—contact the parish office*

### BAPTISM

*Please contact the parish office for pre-baptism class and registration.*

### MARRIAGE

*Please contact the parish office at least six (6) months before the proposed wedding date.*

### SICK & HOMEBOUND

*Please contact the parish office for the sacraments and visits.*

**Prayer Line:** For prayer requests please contact Mary Jirik @ 952-758-3791 or Laura Ryan @ 758-2413.

**A Community Caring for Life:** Alpha Pregnancy Resource Center @ 952-447-5683.

*Welcome!* We are glad you attended Mass here. How may we serve you?

- I am interested in parish membership
- Please note my change of address
- I would like a visit by the pastor
- I don't have envelopes and would like to receive them

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please remove and send to parish office at address listed

**EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS**

Monday	Nov. 3	8:30 AM (SP)	+Raymond Kreuser
Tuesday	Nov. 4	8:30 AM (SP)	Priest Personal Intention
Wednesday	Nov. 5		NO MASS
Thursday	Nov. 6	8:30 AM (SC)	+Bev Holmstrom
Friday	Nov. 7	8:30 AM (SP)	Thoele family
Saturday	Nov. 8	5:00 PM (SP)	+Richard Beuch
Sunday	Nov. 9	8:30 AM (SC) 10:30 AM (SP)	Joe & Diane Williamson For our parishioners, guests, & visitors

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 8 & 9, 2008**

**St. Patrick**

Extraordinary Ministers	11/8	Ron & Rosie Ryan, Dave Roach
	11/9	Leo & Gloria Jacques, Barb Lewis, Don Pesta
Lectors	11/8	Kelsey Killeen
	11/9	Terrie Schoenbauer
Acolytes	11/8	Adam, Joshua, & Jacob Jeurissen
	11/9	Kiersten & Zac Schoenbauer, Jeff Paul
Ushers	11/8	Leonard Sticha, Melvin Gregory
	11/9	Gerald Sandey, Norm Sticha
Greeters	11/9	Don & Elaine Pesta

**St. Catherine**

Extraordinary Ministers	11/9	Gordy & Julie Giles, Kathy Ceola, Rosemary Hatcher
Lector	11/9	Cindy Grolla
Acolytes	11/9	Matt Novak, Abbie & Jenna Kavouras
Ushers	11/9	Ken Ceola, Dennis Maciej
Greeters	11/9	Jim & Barbara Lerschen

*Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday at noon. (notices can be mailed, faxed to 952-492-6290, or put in the black box on the side of the rectory) Save the counting ladies time: write your name & amount of donation on your Sunday envelope. Thank you! Going out of town? Won't be at mass next weekend? Call the parish office in advance and ask for a parish bulletin to be mailed to you. Keep up on parish events!*

**READINGS FOR NOVEMBER 9, 2008  
DEDICATION OF THE ST. JOHN LATERAN  
BASILICA IN ROME**



First Reading: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12  
 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17  
 Gospel Reading: John 2:13-22

**ST. PATRICK**

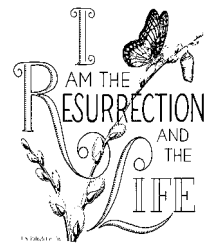
**CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF**

**NOVEMBER:** \*Del & Karen Farago, Anthony Efta, David & Ag-Rita Efta, Craig & Kristin Flicek, Jim & Annette Frawley, Melvin & Kathy Gregory, Gus & McKenzie Groslic, Walter & Lynn Hedblum, Steven & Aimee Henry.  
 Altar Linens: Evelyn Scheffler.

**SAVE YOUR USED POSTAGE STAMPS:** The C.C.W. is collecting used postage stamps. Proceeds will help to broadcast the word of God in South America. Stamps need to be trimmed leaving a 1/4 inch border of the envelope or they will not be able to peel them off properly. A box marked "Used Postage Stamps" will be left in the back of church or you may drop them off at the parish office during regular office hours.

**Stewardship of Treasure**  
*"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"*  
**Sunday Collection October 26, 2008**

Received this week.....\$ 1,450.92  
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,598.00



**ST. CATHERINE**

**CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF**

**NOVEMBER:** Scott & Lynn Lombardi, Wayne & Joy Leibhard, Bruce Brumm, David Mayer.

**A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL:** If you are a visitor you are invited to sign the welcome book in the entry way and come and worship with us again.

**NEW MARKET FOOD SHELF NEEDS OUR HELP:** The Church of St. Nicholas in New Market Food Shelf has an urgent need for our help. The C.C.W. has set a basket in the back of church to collect non-perishable foods and personal & baby care items. A suggested list of items is posted by the basket.

**ST. CATHERINE TURKEY BINGO:** Sunday, November 2nd at 2:00 PM. \$5.00 per card for the afternoon; \$1.00 for each of the two coveralls. Families with last names beginning L-Z are asked to bring one dozen (double) sandwiches and are asked to help set up after mass on November 2nd. Families with last names beginning A-K are asked to bring a pan of bars and to stay to help clean up after the Turkey Bingo. We need **everyone** to bring the food for the event. Without help we will not have enough to serve all the people. The C.C.W. also is looking for door prize donations and assistance working in the kitchen. If you are able to help out, please call Ann Korbel @ 447-1454.

**FEAST OF ST. CATHERINE:** The St. Catherine C.C.W. is hosting a pot luck brunch in honor of the Feast of St. Catherine. It will be held after mass on Sunday, November 23rd. Everyone is invited to attend!

**Stewardship of Treasure**  
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**Sunday Collection October 26, 2008**

Received this week.....\$ 709.10  
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,070.00



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wed. Nov. 5	6:45-8:00 PM	Religious Education, grades 1-9.
Sun. Nov. 9	10:30 AM (S.P.)	Sunday School Classes, pre-school & kindergarten.
Wed. Nov. 12	6:45-8:00 PM	Religious Education, grades 1-9.
Sat. Nov. 15	5:00 PM (S.P.)	Entrada Mass, all confirmation students.
Sun. Nov. 16	10:30 AM (S.P.)	Sunday School Classes, pre-school & kindergarten.

## UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Sunday, Nov. 2	S.C. Turkey Bingo
Friday, Nov. 14	S.P. Euchre Tournament
Saturday & Sunday, Dec. 6 & 7	S.P. C.C.W. Bake Sale
Friday, Feb. 20	S.P. Group I Fish Fry
Friday, Mar. 27	S.P. Group II Fish Fry
Friday, Apr. 17	S.P. Euchre Tournament
Sunday, July 19	S.P. Festival

## PARISHIONERS CORNER

### PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR

**PARISHES:** Tom Shea (son of Rosetta Shea), Benoit Stepka, Debbie Pfannes, Dick Chodek, Joe Scheffler, Darlene Delaney (aunt of Dan Cross), Lisa Baker (cousin of Dan Cross), Robert Lonergan (father of Vickie Cross), Christine Gregori (sister of Vickie Cross) Jennifer Lonergan (sister of Vickie Cross), Dan Gable (brother-in law of Dan Cross), Gloria Wagner, Rita Stepka, Walter Beuch, Larry Stepka, Dorothy Snyder.

**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN:** We are looking for about 40 volunteers on Tuesday, November 11, 7:45-9:30 PM. Children third grade and older are welcome to help. There are sign-up sheets in the back of church. For more information, contact Ev Nelson @ 952-758-3843, Bill Belkengren @ 952-758-3526, Doug St. Aubin @ 952-758-8097, or Diane Williamson @ 447-6404.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** The St. Patrick Men's Club Euchre Tournament will be Friday, November 14th in the St. Patrick Social Hall.

**PRAY FOR OUR NATION:** Please join in praying for our nation, our current and future leaders, and for God's will to be done in the upcoming elections as we gather and recite a patriotic rosary and litany for politicians on Sunday, November 2nd after 8:30 AM mass at St. Catherine Church.

Come and offer sincere prayers and petitions to the Blessed Virgin Mary and her Son for our beloved country and those who govern her.

**SERVER PRACTICE:** Saturday, December 6th at 10:00 AM at St. Patrick. This is for both St. Patrick & St. Catherine servers.

**THANK YOU:** The family of David Thoele would like to express their appreciation for all your love and kindness at this time. It has touched us deeply and we know we aren't alone. Your kindness will be in our hearts forever.

*Dianne Thoele & family*

**RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE:** We will be serving again at the Ronald McDonald House, across from the U. of M. in Minneapolis. We serve about 100 people, children who are receiving cancer treatments or transplants, and family members of these children from all over the country. They stay at Ronald McDonald House from one month to many months. This is a way for us to share home cooking, other than hospital food eaten each day.

If you would like to join in grocery shopping, preparing, and/or serving this meal, please call Margaret Sharkey @ 461-2214. The C.C.W. at St. Catherine sponsors this meal, but we always appreciate any donations to assist. We also request any assistance from "couples" or men with strong arms as the roasters become heavy when filled with our delicious, homemade soup. We'd love any help. It's truly a way for us to share compassion to these children and their families during this thanksgiving and giving time of year.

**ALPHA PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER:** Baby bottles are being distributed again this year to be filled with change, check, or cash. Please contact Judie Cervenka to obtain a baby bottle @ 952-758-6210.

### **Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) November 2**

Life involves continuous growth and change, death, and rebirth. From the moment we are reborn in the waters of salvation to our final surrender in death, life is a constant dying and rising. Yet when we face pain and death, we are left with unanswered questions. Why do we have to suffer and die? Is it our human lot that life should be filled with meaningless affliction? Is death the final absurdity? Those who trust in God will understand truth, because grace and mercy are on God's faithful ones, the elect of God.

Paul says that the love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. Still, we are conscious of our sinfulness and cry: "Lord have mercy." The mercy and love of God are stronger than our transgressions. God's love was proved in that while we were still sinners Jesus died for us. He did not wait for us to be perfect, so we should not expect ourselves or others to be perfect either.

Though our human minds cannot fathom the mystery, we know in faith that death is not the end. Because Christ has died, we live! It is the will of God that all who believe may have eternal life. The souls of the just are in the hands of God, and no torment will ever touch them. With the faithful departed, we shall dwell in the eternal home of the Lord.

**For Reflection:** Have I considered my own death? Does it fill me with hope or dread?

### October 25, 2008 Message from Our Lady of Medjugorje:

"Dear Children! In a special way I call you all to pray for my intentions so that, through your prayers, you may stop satan's plan over this world, which is further from God every day, and which puts itself in the place of God and is destroying everything that is beautiful and good in the souls of each of you. Therefore, little children, arm yourselves with prayer and fasting so that you may be conscious of how much God loves you and may carry out God's will. Thank you for having responded to my call."