

**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS,
MARY, AND JOSEPH**

DECEMBER 28, 2014

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	Dec. 29	8:30 AM (SP)	+Vic Mushitz
Tuesday	Dec. 30	8:30 AM (SP)	NO MASS
Wednesday	Dec. 31	5:00 PM (SP)	+Silverius Becker
Thursday	Jan. 1	8:30 AM (SC)	+Lawrence, Marion, & John Jacques
		10:30 AM (SP)	For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
Friday	Jan. 2	8:30 AM (SP)	+Fred Yearneau
Saturday	Jan. 3	5:00 PM (SP)	+RoseAnn & Randy Sticha
Sunday	Jan. 4	8:30 AM (SC)	For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
		10:30 AM (SP)	+John Jacques

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR
JANUARY 1, 3, & 4, 2015**

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	1/1	Dan Cross, Leo & Gloria Jacques
	1/3	Bill Weiers, Dave Roach, Rita Ryan
	1/4	Don Pesta, Jan St. Aubin, Tim Sonnek, Heidi Michaelson
Lectors	1/1	Juli Volk
	1/3	Anne Marie Weiers
	1/4	Greg Michaelson
Acolytes	1/1	Alyssa Volk, Hannah Langeberg, Elias DeGeest
	1/3	Sam Lambrecht, Ian DeGross, Joe Weiers
	1/4	Greta & Claire Michaelson, Juliana Michels
Ushers	1/1	Steve Kreuser, Darryl Volk
	1/3	Roman Stepka, Melvin Gregory
	1/4	Leo Jacques, Don Pesta
Greeters	1/4	Don & Elaine Pesta

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 JANUARY 4, 2015
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**



First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6
 Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
 Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:1-12

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	1/1	Ken & Kathy Ceola, Deloris Friske, Barbara Lerschen
	1/4	Kevin Mahowald, Dave Nelson, Dan & Deb Norman
Lectors	1/1	Kevin Mahowald
	1/4	Mary Kay Mahowald
Acolytes	1/1	Molly O'Hern, Jenna Kavouras, Kendra Korbel
	1/4	Abbie & Jenna Kavouras, Bryce Horejsi
Ushers	1/1	Shawn O'Hern, Jeff Schroeder
	1/4	Frank Simons, Rick Sirek
Greeters	1/1	Bonnie Theis, Lee Hesse
	1/4	Joe & Diane Williamson

ST. PATRICK

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY:

*Tim & Barb Sonnek, Warren & Beth Simon, Mathias & Diane Sirek, Luke & Paula Siskoff, Troy & Barb Skluzacek, Doug & Jan St. Aubin, Jeff & Kerri Sticha, Ken & Marge Sticha.
 Altar Linens: Rosie Ryan.

WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY? Dec. 29: Fr. William Kenney, Dec. 30: Fr. Kevin Kenney, Dec. 31: Abp. John Nienstedt, Jan. 1: Pope Francis, Jan. 2: Fr. Orlando Tatel, Jan. 3: Fr. Cornelius Kilroy, Jan. 4: Fr. Ignatius Nguyen Kin.

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

COPIES OF TODAY'S SERMON for those of us that are hearing impaired, distracted, can't or don't hear the sermon. Father has provided that copies of the sermon are available to us as we leave at the rear of the church so we can all share the message.

CHRISTMAS TAKE DOWN: Sunday, January 11 after the 10:30 AM Mass. All are welcome! Confirmation students are welcome to help for service hours.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
 Sunday Collection December 14, 2014

Received this week.....	\$ 2,238.00
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,867.00
Parking Lot Paving (to date).....	\$ 2,320.00
Immaculate Conception.....	\$ 146.00
Christmas Flower Collection.....	\$ 364.86



ST. CATHERINE



CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY:

Tom & Mary Kay Fredrickson, Joseph & Erica Kroiss.

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.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
Sunday Collection December 14, 2014

Received this week.....	\$ 827.50
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,113.00
Immaculate Conception.....	\$ 80.00
Christmas Flower Collection.....	\$ 266.00



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Wed. Dec. 31	6:45 PM	NO Class.
Sun. Jan. 4	10:30 AM	NO Sunday School.
Wed. Jan. 7	6:45 PM	Class for grades 1-9. Confirmation class at St. Michael's Sunday School.
Sun. Jan. 11	10:30 AM	Class for grades 1-9. Confirmation class at St. Michael's Sunday School.
Wed. Jan. 14	6:45 PM	Confirmation Net Retreat.
Sun. Jan. 18	10:30 AM	

PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR

PARISHES: Avery Morris, Jerry Cavanaugh (Jodie Puncocar & Jim Cavanaugh's dad), Alex Schlink, Ev Nelson, Nancy Gregor (Diane Williamson's sister-in-law), London Erlandson, Brie Theis, Mary Jane Keep, Paul Lambrecht, Gary Hastings, Lorraine Robeson, Dale Bukovsky (Diane Williamson's brother-in-law), Bev Grossman, Braden Flicek, Cynthia Troendle, Pat Scharf, Beatrice Mushitz, Pam Zender, Mike Zender, Jack & Jane Eiseman (parents of Jacque Bittner), Shannon Quinn, Lorraine Gable, Rosetta Shea, Gerry Jensen (cousin of Jan St. Aubin), Therese Ryan, Florian Bauman (Bryan Bittner's uncle), Anikah Schmidt (great granddaughter of Bonnie Theis), Grace Bittner, Laura Stepka, Joe Scheffler, Benoite Stepka, Lisa Baker, Jennifer Lonergan, John Thomas Byer.

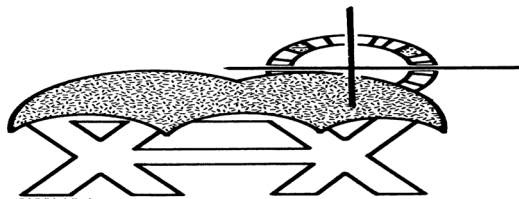
MASS CHANGE: The Thursday 8:30 AM Mass will be at St. Patrick instead of St. Catherine continuing through March 26th.

WEDDING BANNIS III: Nicholas Hansen & Geraldine Rosario (getting married at Santuario de San Antonio, Makati City, Philippines—January 3, 2014.)

YEAR-END CONTRIBUTIONS: St. Patrick/St. Catherine Parish Office will be closed Thursday, January 1, 2015. If you will be out of town, and wish to bring your contribution envelope to the Parish Office before the end of the year, the last day to do so will be on Wednesday, December 31st. Your contributions at Mass on December 27th & 28th and any contributions dropped off in the office will be recorded in the tax year 2014. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Friday, Feb. 13, 2015	S.P.	Group I Fish Fry
Friday, March 20, 2015	S.P.	Group II Fish Fry
Sunday, July 19, 2015	S.P.	Parish Festival



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Bingo, every Tue. night Oct.—April at the K.C. Hall in New Prague. Games start at 7:00 PM. 16 regular games. 758-3924.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends, For more information, call 612-756-7820 or check out the website www.wvme.org. The next weekends are: Jan. 9-11 in Bismarck, ND, Feb. 6-8 in Buffalo, & Feb. 13-15 in Windom, Mar. 20-22 in Baxter. Early registration is highly recommended.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat, If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child or children to abortion, come and experience the healing love of Jesus Christ. Jan. 9-11. For more info, rachels@vineyardmn.org or call 763-250-9313.

Christmas Holiday Dinner/Dance for Catholic Singles, Sat. Jan. 10, 5:30 PM at Richfield American Legion. Dinner & Dance \$25. For reservations, call Carl @ 651-603-1412 or Greg @ 651-636-3508.

Life Line Screening, Tue. Jan 20 at St. Patrick Social Hall. This is a community-based preventive health screening. Five screenings will be offered for potential health problems. All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-64411 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners

Prayer Service for Life, Thur. Jan 22 with Bishop Lee Piche at the St. Paul Cathedral, 10:30 AM. MCCL Rally to follow at the Capitol. This prayer service commemorates the millions of lives lost to abortion and the many women and men wounded by abortion's aftermath. For more info, 651-291-4488.

Area Regional Bereavement Support Group, If you are experiencing the death of someone significant in your life, you are invited to an open, non-denominational grief support group that meets the 3rd Tue. of each month in the parish office bldg. of St. Wenceslaus Church. All are welcome to get the support that is needed at this time in their lives. For more information, call Deacon Bob Wagner at 952-758-0463.



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