

## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 1, 2015

### EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	Mar. 2	8:30 AM (SP)	+David Goda
Tuesday	Mar. 3	8:30 AM (SP)	+Consepcion P. Arcilla
Wednesday	Mar. 4		NO MASS
Thursday	Mar. 5	8:30 AM (SP)	+Eduardo Arcilla
Friday	Mar. 6	8:30 AM (SP)	+Richard & Kevin Schoenecker
Saturday	Mar. 7	5:00 PM (SP)	+Rose Ann & Randy Sticha
Sunday	Mar. 8	8:30 AM (SC)	For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
		10:30 AM (SP)	+John Jacques

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MARCH 7 & 8, 2015

#### St. Patrick

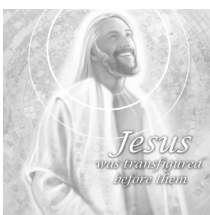
Extraordinary Ministers	3/7	Tony Jirik, Jim & Kelley DeGross
	3/8	Ron & Kathy McBroom, Everett & Joan Nelson
Lectors	3/7	Brianne Jirik
	3/8	Julie Volk
Acolytes	3/7	Hayden & Mason DeGross, Dan DeGross
	3/8	Alyssa Volk, Hannah Langeberg, Elias DeGeest
Ushers	3/7	Roman Stepka, Matt Sirik
	3/8	Darryl Volk, Norm Sticha
Greeters	3/8	Dan & Deb Cervenka

#### St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	3/8	Barb Lerschen, Dave Nelson
Lector	3/8	Rachel Friske
Acolytes	3/8	Cassie & Molly O'Hern, Karley Vochoska
Ushers	3/8	Dave Nelson, Shawn O'Hern
Greeters	3/8	Ken & Kathy Ceola

*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 people 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 MARCH 8, 2015 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17  
 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25  
 Gospel Reading: John 2:13-25

### ST. PATRICK

#### CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

\*Leander & Brandi Weckman, Paul Tuma & Susan Jacobs, Tim & Lisa Velishek, Anthony Verhoeven, John Verhoeven, Michael Verhoeven, Tim & LuVerne Verhoeven, Darryl & Lisa Volk, Martin & Karin Wagner, Joseph & June Wallerius, Bill & Anne Weiers.

#### WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

Mar. 2: Fr. Orlando Tatel, Mar. 3: Fr. Thomas McCabe, Mar. 4: Fr. Charles McCarthy OFM CAP, Mar. 5: Fr. David McCauley, Mar. 5: Fr. James McConville, Mar. 6: Fr. Patrick McCorkell SJ, Mar. 7: Fr. Kevin McDonough.

*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.

**GROUP II FISH FRY:** Friday, March 20th. We are in need of a chair for the Group II Fish Fry. Please contact the parish office or Jan St. Aubin @ 952-758-8097.

**DISH TOWELS ARE NOW AVAILABLE** in the box in the back of church for embroidering for our church festival to be sold in the Country Store. Please sign the notebook and how many you are taking. Thank you.

**ST. PATRICK BAKE SALE & BOUTIQUE:** Saturday, March 28th, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the St. Patrick Social Hall. The sales will feature fresh-baked cinnamon and caramel rolls as well as home-baked items contributed by parishioners. In additions, home-party representatives and other vendors will make up the boutique portion of the event. All parishioners are asked to contribute baked good for this events. Donated items can be dropped off Friday, March 27th from 5:00-7:00 PM in the social hall and before 9:00 AM on March 28. If you are able to help with the bake sale portion of the event, a sign-up sheet is posted in the church entry. Please help make this fundraiser a success with your participation and by promoting this event in the community! Thank you.

**ST. PATRICK C.C.W.:** Southwest Deanery Council of Catholic Women 2015 Spiritual Day is March 14th from 8 AM-1 PM. Hosted by Divine Mercy Catholic Church in Faribault, MN. Reservation needed by March 7th. See flyer and reservation form on the table in the back of church or contact Vickie Cross at 952-461-3036. CCW will pay your \$8.00.

**TOYS NEEDED:** Now is the time to get toys for the Festival Children's Games. A lot of the stores (especially Target) are marking their toys way down. We need approximately 2000 toys to make the Children's Games successful each year. We need all sizes and types of toys. Any and all help from you would greatly be appreciated. Please leave toys in back of church labeled *Children's Games 2015*. Thank you!!

**ST. PATRICK C.C.W. MEETING:** Monday, March 9th at 7:00 PM in the social hall. Please help us plan our craft and bake sale and a special up and coming event. Please contact Vickie Cross @ 952-461-3036 with all agenda items soon.

**Stewardship of Treasure**

*“Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts”*  
**Sunday Collection February 15, 2015**

Received this week.....\$ 1,936.00  
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,867.00  
 Parking Lot Paving (to date).....\$ 2,320.00



**ST. CATHERINE**

**CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:**

Gary & Ann Korbel, Joshua & Elizabeth Jerney, Jeremy & Teresa Pannkuk

**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.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Sunday, September 13, 2015 St. Catherine will celebrate their 150th Anniversary!

**Stewardship of Treasure**

*“Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts”*  
**Sunday Collection February 15, 2015**

Received this week.....\$ 520.75  
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,113.00



**PARISHIONERS CORNER**

**PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR**

**PARISHES:** Jerry Cavanaugh (Jodie Puncochar & Jim Cavanaugh’s dad), Alex Schlink, Ev Nelson, Nancy Gregor (Diane Williamson’s sister-in-law), Brie Theis, Mary Jane Keep, Gary Hastings, Lorraine Robeson, Dale Bukovsky (Diane Williamson’s brother-in-law), Braden Flicek, Cynthia Troendle, Pat Scharf, Beatrice Mushitz, Pam Zender, Mike Zender, Jack & Jane Eiseman (parents of Jacque Bittner), Shannon Quinn, 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, 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.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Friday, Mar. 6th at 7:00 PM at St. Patrick Church

**C.C.W. SPIRITUAL DAY:** Saturday, March 14th, hosted by Divine Mercy in Faribault. We will start the day by joining them for their 8:30 AM Mass. This event is where we have our Bake Sale, it is our Pro-Life fundraising.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL:** The 2015 CSA is underway. Many of our parishioners have already received a mailing from the newly established CSA Foundation requesting your support of the CSA. Please respond generously. The Appeal funds services that no one parish or individual can support alone. These services must go on despite these troubled

times in our archdiocese. It is important to know that contributions to the CSA are being used for the benefit of designated ministries of the Appeal. Please visit the new CSA Foundation website at [csafspm.org](http://csafspm.org) for more information.

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

Friday, March 20	S.P.	Group II Fish Fry
Saturday, March 28	S.P.	C.C.W. Bake Sale & Boutique
Friday, April 10	S.P.	Men’s Club Euchre Tournament
Sunday, July 19	S.P.	Parish Festival



Sun. Mar. 1	10:30 AM	Sunday School.
Wed. Mar. 4	6:45 PM	Class for grades 1-9.
Sun. Mar. 8	10:30 AM	Sunday School.
Wed. Mar. 11	6:45 PM	Class for grades 1-9
Sun. Mar. 15	10:30 AM	Sunday School
Wed. Mar. 18	6:45 PM	2nd Grade Learning Center
Sun. Mar. 22	10:30 AM	Last Class— Certificates at Church. Juice and donuts to follow in social hall.

**COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends,** For more information, call 612-756-7820 or check out the website [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org). The next weekends are: Mar. 20-22 in Baxter, Mar. 27-29 in Minot, April 17-19 in Frontenac, May 1-3 & July 17-19 in Buffalo, & Sept. 11-13 in Irene, SD. Early registration is highly recommended.

**Fish Fry,** Fri. Mar. 6th, 5:00-7:30 PM at the Shakopee Knights Event Center in Shakopee. \$12/adult, \$6/children ages 5 to 10, FREE/children 4 and under. All you can eat. Open to the public.

**Veseli Men’s Club “Made from Scratch” Annual Pancake and Sausage Breakfast.** Sunday March 15th from 8:30 AM-12 PM in the Veseli church basement. Adults: \$8.00, Children 5-12: \$4.00 & Children under 5: FREE.

**Feb. 2, 2015 Message from Our Lady of Medjugorje:**  
 “Dear Children! I am here, I am among you. I am looking at you, am smiling at you and I love you in the way that only a mother can. Through the Holy Spirit who comes through my purity, I see your hearts and I offer them to my Son. Already for a long time I have been asking of you to be my apostles, to pray for those who have not come to know God’s love. I am asking for prayer said out of love, prayer which carries out works and sacrifices. Do not waste time thinking about whether you are worthy to be my apostles. The Heavenly Father will judge everyone; and you, love Him and listen to Him. I know that all of this confuses you, even my very stay among you, but accept it with joy and pray that you may comprehend that you are worthy to work for Heaven. My love is upon you. Pray that my love may win in all hearts, because that is the love which forgives, gives and never stops. Thank you.