

ST. PATRICK



ST. CATHERINE

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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
 Ronald McBroom 952-758-2408

Trustees

Parish Pastoral Council

James Trecker 952-758-2334

St. Catherine Church 952-447-2180

Frank Grazzini 952-447-5029
 Steve Boeser 952-461-4763

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 Nellie Carson @ 952-758-3830 or Mary Jirik @ 952-758-3791.

A Community Caring for Life: Diane Williamson @ 952-447-6404 or Mary Kay Mahowald @ 952-447-3970.

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	Mar. 12	8:30 AM (SP)	Mitchell Dunham
Tuesday	Mar. 13	8:30 AM (SP)	Priest Personal Intention
Wednesday	Mar. 14		NO MASS
Thursday	Mar. 15	8:30 AM (SC)	+Eulalia Verceles
Friday	Mar. 16	8:30 AM (SP)	+Helen Ziegler
Saturday	Mar. 17	5:00 PM (SP)	+Lill Chodek
Sunday	Mar. 18	8:30 AM (SC) 10:30 AM (SP)	+Peter & Elizabeth Volk For Our People

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MARCH 17 & 18, 2007

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	3/17	Kelley DeGross, Evelyn Scheffler, Volunteer
	3/18	Leo & Gloria Jacques, Dan Cervenka, Barb Lewis
Lectors	3/17	Jim DeGross
	3/18	Rena Bjerke
Acolytes	3/17	Andy Roach, Dan Hoffman, Rachel DeGross
	3/18	Mike & Tony Verhoeven, Amanda Stebbins
Ushers	3/17	Roman Stepka, Leonard Sticha
	3/18	Gerald Sandey, Rob Sticha
Greeters	3/18	Don & Elaine Pesta

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	3/18	Pat Schroeder, Rosetta Shea, Margaret Sharkey, Deanna Vochoska
Lector	3/18	Rosemary Hatcher
Acolytes	3/18	Helen Korbel, Volunteer
Cross Bearer	3/18	Volunteer
Ushers	3/18	Joe Williamson, Bruce Brumm
Greeters	3/18	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 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 MARCH 18, 2007
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**



First Reading: Joshua 5:9a, 10-12
 Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:17-21
 Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

MARCH 11, 2007

Wed. Mar. 14	6:45 PM	Religious Education, grades 1-10.
Sun. Mar. 18	10:30 AM	Sunday School, pre & K.
Wed. Mar. 21	6:45 PM	Religious Education, grades 1-10. 1st Communion Learning Centers.
Sun. Mar. 25	10:30 AM	Sunday School, pre & K. Spring Program.
Wed. Mar. 28		NO RELIGION. Spring Break.

FIRST COMMUNION LEARNING CENTERS: Second grade First Communion Learning Centers are changed to March 21st (not April 11th). Parents are required to attend with their child. Learning Centers will be in the Social Hall Basement 6:45-8:00 PM.

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CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

*Daniel & Kyra Schmidt, Nick & Terrie Schoenbauer, Paul & Diana Schoenbauer, Michael & Kristi Schulte, Chris & Shelley Shepherd, Anthony & Mary Simek, Cyril & Natalie Simon, Patrick & Vonnie Simon, Ted & Lorraine Simon.
 Altar Linens: Laura Ryan.

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.

GROUP II FISH FRY: Friday, March 23, 2007, 5:00-8:00 PM in the social hall. We still need 2 co-chairs for this Fish Fry. Contact Carol Timmons @ 758-5960 to volunteer. Sign-up sheets are in the back of church for Group II members. Group II members are asked to bring 3 dozen cookies or bars. They can be dropped off at the social hall Thursday before 8:00 PM or anytime Friday. There are flyers in the back of church, please take some and distribute them around town and your workplace.

ST. PATRICK C.C.W. SPRING OFFICE ELECTIONS: We will be looking for someone to fill the position of vice president and secretary/treasurer. Start thinking about nominees and consider yourself. Geri Mages will be taking over as President in June. Form more information, call Carol Timmons @ 758-5960.

ST. PATRICK SPRING CRAFT & BAKE SALE: Check out the goodies available after the masses this weekend! Thanks to all who have contributed baked goods and crafts for the sale. This fundraiser is sponsored by the St. Patrick C.C.W.

MASS HELPERS: Mass Helper Schedules for mid-April through July are in the process of being prepared. Please call Lynne @ 952-461-2084 if you know of a weekend you are not available. Thank you.

SOCIAL HALL BATHROOM REMODEL: This project will be on hold until the social hall roof can be repaired or replaced due to the leaks in the roof.

ST. PATRICK PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING: Monday, March 19th at 7:00 PM in the social hall.

ST. PATRICK FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: Monday, March 19th at 7:00 PM in the social hall.

FESTIVAL TOYS NEEDED: If you have toys to donate for Children's Games, please contact Cathy Theis @ 461-2636.

MINNESOTA FOOD SHARE: March is Minnesota Food Shelf Month. We will be collecting food for the Peace Center in New Prague. Food and money collected during March are counted and matched pound for pound and dollar for dollar by the St. Paul Food Bank. We will be collecting non-perishable goods such as: Cans; fruits, vegetables, tuna, soups, stews, etc. Boxes; Jello-O, potatoes, pancake mix, crackers, meal in a box, cookies. Soaps; hand, dish, laundry, toilet tissue, Kleenex, etc. Items may be brought and put in the back of church. We do buy the basic food items such as sugar, flour, oatmeal, etc. with the cash that is donated. Questions? Evelyn Scheffler @ 758-4102.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection March 4, 2007

Received this week.....	\$ 2,317.37
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,758.00
Fuel Collection.....	\$ 694.20
C.C.W. Collection.....	\$ 162.00



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CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF

MARCH: Jody & Jane Timm, Gary & Ann Korbel, Gary & Cindy Grolla, Mike & Renee Orton.

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.

ST. CATHERINE C.C.W. SPRING LUNCHEON: Saturday, March 17, 2007, 11:00 AM at St. Catherine's Church Basement. Passionate Gardener Kathy Ceola will help us find our hidden talents of gardening and decorating our homes. For tickets, contact Rosie Nelson @ 952-492-3402 or Margaret Sharkey @ 952-461-2214. Tickets can also be purchased at the door.

ST. CATHERINE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

MEETING: Monday, March 26th at 7:00 PM.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection March 4, 2007

Received this week.....	\$ 1,507.45
Fuel Collection.....	\$ 651.00
C.C.W. Collection.....	\$ 91.00



PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR

PARISHES: Tom Shea (son of Rosetta Shea), Linn Blocker, Peter Nytes, Benoite Stepka, Tammy Dudley, George & Clara Kavan, Fr. Leo Huber, Debbie Pfannes (daughter of Joe & Nellie Carson), Dick Chodek, Molly Jacques (daughter of Margaret Sharkey), Ronald Greger (brother of Diane Williamson), Sister Zaccheus Ryan, Ken Grossman (brother of Ron Grossman), Donna Muckenheimer (friend of Bonnie Buresh).

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Friday, March 16 at 7:00 PM at St. Catherine Church.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: Thank you to those who have returned their pledge slips. If you have not yet returned yours, please take the time to prayerfully respond. Your response is needed and greatly appreciated!

BIBLE TIMELINE STUDY GROUP will meet Thursday evening at 7:00 PM in the St. Patrick Social Hall. Questions? Call Rosemary Hatcher @ 440-4524.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS: Elections are held the third weekend of March. Persons eligible for elections must be registered parish members and must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Names can be submitted to Jim Trecker (St. Patrick) or Pat Schroeder (St. Catherine), Parish Pastoral Council Chairs.

2007/2008 BUDGETS: The Finance Committees will be working on the 2007/2008 budgets soon. Committee chairs please turn in your budget requests to the parish office by April 4th. If you have questions, please contact the parish office @ 492-6276.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The hands on the front of the pictorial directory are those of Joe Scheffler and his granddaughter Amy.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Pancake & Sausage Breakfast, Sun. Mar. 11, 8:00 AM-noon at Most Holy Trinity Church Basement in Veseli. \$6.00/adult, \$3.00/child, under 5 are free.

The **Hymnus Choir** of New Prague will perform in concert with the Cannon Valley Regional Orchestra on Sun. Mar. 11 at 7:00 PM at Bethel Lutheran Church, 1321 North Ave. Northfield. They will be singing the "Mass of Children" by John Rutter. Admission is \$5.00, children and students free.

St. Wenceslaus School Open House, Tue. Apr. 13, 6:00-7:30 PM. Hear alumni share their experience.

Natural Family Planning Classes, Tue. Mar. 13 at St. John's in Jordan. For more information, call 952-934-0382.

Fish Fry, Fri. Mar. 16, 4:30-7:30 PM at St. Wenceslaus School in New Prague. \$6.00/person, children under 3 eat free.

Fish Fry, Fri. Mar. 16, 5:00-8:00 PM at the K.C. Hall in Shakopee. \$9.00/adult, \$4.00/child, 4 and under are free.

Lenten Movie Night, the movie Padre Pio; Miracle Man will be shown Fri. Mar. 16 after 7:00 PM stations of the cross & Sat. Mar. 17 after 5:30 PM mass at St. John's in Jordan.

Feb. 25, 2007 Message from Our Lady of Medjugorje:
"Dear Children! Open your heart to God's mercy in this Lenten time. The Heavenly Father desires to deliver each of you from the slavery of sin. Therefore, little children, make good use of this time and through meeting with God in confession, leave sin and decide for holiness. Do this out of love for Jesus, who redeemed you all with His blood, that you may be happy and in peace. Do not forget, little children: your freedom is your weakness, therefore follow my messages with seriousness. Thank you for having responded to my call."