

ST. PATRICK



ST. CATHERINE

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Father Orlando G. Tatel – Pastor
 Colleen Friendshuh – Secretary/Bookkeeper
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 Terrie Schoenbauer – Rel. Ed. Co-coordinator
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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, result is forever.

St. Patrick Church

Robert Goggins 952-758-3598
 Ronald McBroom 952-758-2408

Trustees

St. Catherine Church 952-447-2180

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

Parish Pastoral Council

Jack Puncochar 952-461-3547 Kevin Mahowald 952-447-3970

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 Sunday 7:45 – 8:15 AM or by appointment

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

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	Apr. 3	NO MASS
Tuesday	Apr. 4	NO MASS
Wednesday	Apr. 5	NO MASS
Thursday	Apr. 6	8:30 AM (SC) +Dennis Sharkey
Friday	Apr. 7	8:30 AM (SP) +Romeo Lacuna
Saturday	Apr. 8	5:00 PM (SP) +Richard Beuch
Sunday	Apr. 9	8:30 AM (SC) +Lawrence, Marion, & John Jacques
		10:30 AM (SP) For Our People, especially George & Rosie Pexa

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR APRIL 8 & 9

St. Patrick

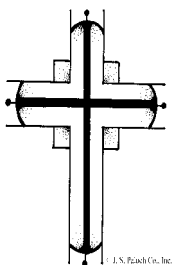
Extraordinary Ministers	4/8	Jim DeGross, Kristi Schulte
	4/9	Jan St. Aubin, volunteers
Lectors	4/8	Diana Schoenbauer
	4/9	Shelly Shepherd
Acolytes	4/8	Amanda Stebbins, Dan Hoffman
	4/9	Alex & Kayla Shepherd, Jed Kreuser
Ushers	4/8	Dick Chodek, Roman Stepka
	4/9	Norm Sticha, Rob Sticha
Greeters	4/9	Silverius & Cecilia Becker

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	4/9	Dave & Rosie Nelson, Dan & Deb Norman
Lector	4/9	Pat Schroeder, Tom Fredrickson
Acolytes	4/9	Jason Erickson, Stacy Erickson, Cassie Timm
Ushers	4/9	Dennis Maciej, Jeff Schroeder
Greeters	4/9	Lloyd & Deloris Friske

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 APRIL 9, 2006
PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**



First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7
 Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
 Gospel Reading: Mark 14:1-15:47

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Tue. Apr. 4	7:30 PM	Chrism Mass at Cathedral.
Wed. Apr. 5	6:45 PM	Religious Education, grades 1-8. 1st Communion Learning Centers.
Wed. Apr. 12		NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—Holy Week.

ATTENTION PARENTS: It is urgent that I receive your green Parent Verification Form regarding VIRTUS-Protecting God's Children by **April 2nd**. If it is not received, I will have to call each of you. Please drop it in the collection basket or send it to the church office. Your help in this is greatly appreciated. Thank you. *Deb Norman, Religious Education Director*

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CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

*Lynn Sticha, Kenneth & Marge Sticha, Michael & Janice Sticha, Norman & Denie Sticha, Rob & Theresa Sticha, Craig & Mary Ann Svoboda, Dan & Cathy Theis, Dave & Laurie Theis. 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.

FESTIVAL & MISSION QUILTING: Every Saturday morning at 9:00 AM at Della Schmitt's. If you would like to quilt at any other time, please call Della @ 492-2250.

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

ATTENTION ALL COMMITTEE CHAIRS: The St. Patrick Finance Committee will be working on the 2006/2007 budget at the April 17th meeting. This is the last night to get any budget requests for the next fiscal year. If you would like to attend this meeting, you are welcome to come.

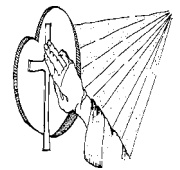
ST. PATRICK C.C.W. MEETING: Monday, April 10 at 7:00 PM in the social hall. Please come and bring a friend.

ST. PATRICK CHOIR PRACTICE: Anyone interested in helping with music for Holy Week and Easter, please plan to attend rehearsal on these dates: Monday, April 3, Thursday, April 6, and Tuesday, April 11 from 7:00-9:00 PM at the St. Patrick Church.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
Sunday Collection March 26, 2006

Received this week.....	\$ 1,352.69
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,758.00
Capital Campaign.....	\$ 150,500.00 goal
Capital Campaign.....	\$ 103,301.00 pledged to date
Capital Campaign.....	\$ 102,131.00 collected to date
Money collected for Symbols.....	\$ 7,795.00 (part of Capital Campaign)
Annual Catholic Appeal.....	\$ 5,055.00 pledged to date
Annual Catholic Appeal.....	\$ 6,826.00 goal



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CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

*Lloyd & Deloris Friske, Jeff & Pat Schroeder, Frank & Sandy Grazzini, Billy & Teri Theis.

ST. CATHERINE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: We are looking for two people to run for the Parish Council. Please contact the parish office if you are interested.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection March 26, 2006



Received this week.....\$ 820.00
Annual Catholic Appeal.....\$ 4,522.00 pledged to date
Annual Catholic Appeal\$ 4,820.00 goal

PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR

PARISHES: Tom Shea (son of Rosetta Shea), Linn Blocker, Peter Nytes, Jeff Paul, MaryAnn Radnich (cousin of Vickie Cross), Benoite Stepka, Jack Keenan, Tammy Dudley, George & Clara Kavan, Irene Moravec, Mary Jirik, Fr. Leo Huber.

FAITH FORMATION CHAIR NEEDED: We are looking for a Faith Formation Chair. Interested parties should inquire with Fr. Orlando.

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend, April 1 & 2, we will have a second collection for Easter Flowers.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: If you have not responded yes or no to the Annual Catholic Appeal, please do so today. You may give a gift of cash or a check, make a pledge to be paid later, or answer that you are not able to give at this time but will pray for the success of the Annual Catholic Appeal.

GREAT ADVENTURE BIBLE TIMELINE: The final meeting will take place this Thursday, April 6 at 7:00 PM.

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

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Bingo, every Tuesday at 7:15 at the K.C. Hall in New Prague.

Presentation on Veterans Benefits, Thur. Apr. 6, 10:00 AM at Philipp Square Apartments in New Prague. 226-6670 for info.

SHIP (State Health Insurance Counseling Program) & EAP (Energy Assistance Program), Thur. Apr. 6, 11:00 AM at Schule Haus Apartments in Jordan. 226-6670 for info.

Fish Fry, Fri. Apr. 7, 5:00-8:00 PM at the K.C. Hall in Shakopee. \$8.50/adult, \$4.00/child.

Fish Fry, Fri. Apr. 7, 4:30-7:30 PM at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Lexington. \$8.00/adult, \$4.00/child.

Married Couples Retreat, Apr. 7-9 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more information, call 952-447-2182.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, April 7-9 at Yankee Square Inn in Eagan. For more info, call 651-426-4710.

Men's Retreat, Apr. 13-15 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more information, call 952-447-2182.

Women's Retreat, Apr. 18-20 & Apr. 21-23 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, call 952-447-2182.

Free! Rosary Making Lessons, Start for the Rosary month of May. A hobby for world wide to pray on their own free rosary. Apr. 22, 1:00-3:00 PM at St. Mathias Church in Hampton. Call Mary Lou @ 651-437-9654 for information and to register.

Intercambio is a short-term student exchange program that is in need of host families for boys and girls ages 11-17, coming from Mexico this summer. Students arrive June 17, 2006 or July 1, 2006 for a six or eight week stay. Host families provide room, board, love, and a boy or girl of the same age. If you would like a rewarding and educational experience for your family this summer, please call for more information @ 1-800-437-4170.

March 25, 2006 Message from Our Lady of Medjugorje:

"Courage, little children! I decided to lead you on the way of holiness. Renounce sin and set out on the way of salvation, the way which my Son has chosen. Through each of your tribulations and sufferings God will find the way of joy for you. Therefore, little children, pray. We are close to you with our love. Thank you for having responded to my call."

PROFILES IN STEWARDSHIP USING OUR TALENTS

In Akron, Ohio there was a medical doctor, Charles Casto, who embodied his faith. Dr. Casto began manifesting his faith in life through pro bono work in Bolivia. Taking two of his children with him, he participated in medical missionary work with other medical personnel among the indigenous Bolivians.

What is particularly remarkable is the fact that Dr. Casto himself was severely handicapped through two major physical problems; first, when a young boy, he played in a pick-up sandlot softball game and during the game injured his hip. He received medical attention for the injury, but the cure was worse than the affliction. His hip never properly healed, and by the time proper medical attention was given to it, the damage was irreparable.

Secondly, when on a hunting expedition in Canada with a group of other physicians, Dr. Casto was caught unaware in his hunting blind by a cow moose who trampled him and damaged his good leg. He had the good fortune of being among doctors—the only thing that saved his life—but he then was crippled in his other leg.

Recently, with his hips and knees replaced by plastic and steel, Dr. Casto undertook medical mission work in Central America. The site was a two hour walk up a mountain trail, a trip he couldn't undertake on foot, and even mule-back travel was impossible because he couldn't sit on the animal. The villagers fashioned a sedan chair from an old wooden dining room chair and two-by-fours wrapped with padding and carried him to the work site. Even with that accommodation, Dr. Casto was drenched with sweat and pain. Still, he spent the next week from dawn to dusk dealing with medical situations brought on by neglect and lack of available health care.

Why did he expose himself to this pain and labor? In his words, "I'm a Christian and I can't imagine not using my skills in the service of others."