

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 26, 2009

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	Apr. 27	NO MASS
Tuesday	Apr. 28	8:30 AM (SP) Priest's Personal Intention
Wednesday	Apr. 29	6:45 PM (SP) Religious Education Students & Parents
Thursday	Apr. 30	8:30 PM (SC) +Sophie Greger
Friday	May 1	8:30 PM (SP) For our parishioners, guest, & visitors
Saturday	May 2	5:00 PM (SP) +RoseAnn & Randy Sticha
Sunday	May 3	8:30 AM (SC) For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
		10:30 AM (SP) +Nellie Carson

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MAY 2 & 3, 2009

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	5/2	Kelley DeGross, Rita Ryan, Evelyn Scheffler
	5/3	Dan Cervenka, Dan Cross, Agnes DeGross, Amy Holden
Lectors	5/2	Jim DeGross
	5/3	Gerald Sandey
Acolytes	5/2	Rachel & Dan DeGross, Hayden DeGross
	5/3	Gabrielle Ryan, Nolan Sandey, Kiersten & Zac Schoenbauer
Ushers	5/2	Melvin Gregory, Matt Sirek
	5/3	Dean Bisek, Leo Jacques
Greeters	5/3	Dan & Deb Cervenka

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	5/3	Steve & Jude, Boeser, Ken & Kathy Ceola
Lector	5/3	Tom Fredrickson
Acolytes	5/3	Kendra & Helen Korbel, Georgia Muelken
Ushers	5/3	Dennis Maciej, Dave Nelson
Greeters	5/3	Bev Grossman, Lee Hesse

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 MAY 3, 2009
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12
Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2
Gospel Reading: John 10:11-18

ST. PATRICK

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MAY:

*Paul & Diana Schoenbauer, Daniel & Kyra Schmidt, Terrie Schoenbauer, Samuel & Kerri Schoenbauer, Michael & Kristi Schulte, Chris & Shelley Shepherd, Anthony & Mary Simek, James Simek, Mark Simek, Cyril & Natalie Simon.
Altar Linens: Agnes DeGross.

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: We have some fish left over, which we are selling for cost: \$29.00/5 lbs., \$58.00/10 lbs. Contact Doug or Jan St. Aubin @ 952-758-8097 or the parish office @ 952-492-6276.

SPRING CLEAN-UP OF THE ST. PATRICK CHURCH GROUNDS: Saturday, May 2nd at 9:00 AM. Please bring a rake and shovel. For more info, call Leo Jacques @ 492-2080.

THANK YOU: We appreciate your contribution of 74 lbs. of food and \$525.00 to the Peace Center. Your thoughtfulness will provide hope to someone in need. *Peace Center Staff*

THANK YOU: Thank you for all the prayers and support during our dad's illness and death. *Larry Ryan family*

ST. PATRICK PARISH FESTIVAL: Sunday, July 19, 2009.

Help beat our ticket sales from last year! Sell your tickets to your friends and relatives. Bring them to work, offer them at social gatherings, you'd be surprised how many you sell!! The Festival Raffle is our biggest revenue generator.

Festival sign-up sheets are out. Please sign up early. If you are interested in trying something new or a second shift at a different area, please sign up twice. The gift of your time for our festival is what makes our festival a success! Let's make festival 2009 the best ever!

Have you been to a fund raising event and seen a fun activity that we should try at the festival? We are always seeking new, fun ideas to raise money at the festival. If you have an idea to share, call Chad Sandey @ 612-799-5868.

There will be NO quilt auction this year, instead, there will be quilt raffles. If you have any hand crafted items that you would like to donate for the raffles or silent auction, please call LuVerne Verhoeven @ 758-3546 or Emily Sandey @ 492-5775.

If you would like to donate toys for the festival, please call Cathy Theis @ 461-2636.

We are looking for someone to take on the petting zoo for the festival each year. For details call Chad Sandey or Diana Schoenbauer. Thank you to Dave & Laurie Theis and family for all their years of doing the great petting zoo!

St. Patrick Trustees: Ron McBroom & Mel Gregory

St. Patrick Parish Pastoral Council: Tim Verhoeven, Barb Lewis, Amy Holden Ev Nelson, Geri Mages, Al Zender.

*If committee chairs could be present during the Parish Pastoral Council Meetings (3rd Monday of the month) it would be helpful.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection April 19, 2009

Received this week.....\$1,899.00
Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,598.00
Catholic Services Appeal.....\$ 4,345.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....\$ 6,325.00



ST. CATHERINE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MAY:

George & Cheyann Doheny, Brad & Jennifer Eller, Jody & Jane Timm, Dan & Leah Wermerskirchen.

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 C.C.W. MEETING: Sunday, May 3 after mass. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

ST. CATHERINE ANNUAL CEMETERY MEETING:

Sunday, May 17 after mass.

SPRING CLEAN-UP OF THE ST. CATHERINE CHURCH

GROUNDS: Please call Kathy Ceola @ 952-440-6740 and we will set a date.

ST. CATHERINE CHURCH DRIVEWAY/PARKING LOT:

The driveway and parking lot at St. Catherine both need to be repaved. Please drop your donation into the box in the back of church; there are envelopes in the back of church. Thank you for your commitment to keeping our beautiful church and grounds in good repair!

ST. CATHERINE AUTUMN DINNER: It's time to start planning for Autumn Dinner 2009 and we're looking for chairs and co-chairs. Please let Pat Schroeder @ 952-226-6293 know if you can help plan this year's event.

St. Catherine Trustees: Steve Boeser & Joe Williamson

St. Catherine Parish Pastoral Council: Pat Schroeder, Barbara Lerschen, Frank Simons, Ken Jilk, Deanna Vochoska, Tom Fredrickson.

*If committee chairs could be present during the Parish Pastoral Council Meetings (4th Monday of the month) it would be helpful.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection April 19, 2009

Received this week.....\$ 812.00
Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,070.00
Catholic Services Appeal.....\$ 3,660.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....\$ 4,930.00



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wed. Apr. 29 6:45-8:00 PM Family Day Mass followed by refreshments.

Tue. May 26 7:00 PM Confirmation at Basilica of St. Mary

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), Karen McClellan (sister of Dan Cross), Rita Stepka, Larry Stepka, Dorothy Snyder, Steve Nelson (brother of Ev), Lee Croatt.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL: Of the 29 counties in the geographically sprawling Diocese of Salt Lake City, only 16 have a resident pastor. These mission dioceses need funding for ministerial training, seminaries, and religious education in order to nurture the faith and administer basic pastoral care in the rural areas of the state. Please give generously in today's Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Sunday, July 19 S.P. Festival
Tuesday, Oct. 13 S.C. Autumn Dinner

COMMUNITY EVENTS

"Night in Italy" Scholarship Dinner, Sat. May 2, 5:00-7:00 PM at St. John's Lewis Hall in Jordan.

The 62nd annual **May Day Family Rosary Processions** will take place simultaneously in St. Paul & Mpls. on Sun. May 3. The St. Paul gathering time is 1:30 PM at the State Capitol. Archbishop John Nienstedt will preside. Mpls. gathering time is 1:30 PM in the Dunwoody parking lot, and it will be announced who will preside at the Basilica in Mpls. For more information, contact Diane Williamson @ 952-447-6404.

Women's Retreat, May 12-14 & June 16-18 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, call 952-447-2182.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Chimbote, Peru Benefit Dinner, Fri. May 15 at St. Michael in Prior Lake. 5:00 PM mass, 6:00 PM social time, 7:00 PM dinner. For info, 952-447-7716.

Serenity AA & Al-Alon Retreat, May 15-17 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, call 952-447-2182.

People with Disabilities Retreat, May 22-24 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, call 952-447-2182.

Marriage Day Celebration, Sat. June 13, 10:00 AM at the St. Paul Cathedral. Celebrant Archbishop Nienstedt. 651-291-4488.

Divine Mercy and Evangelization Conference, Sat. June 27, Mass 8:00 AM, Conference 9:30 AM-4:30 PM at College of St. Catherine. Inspiring talks presented by leading speakers from the National Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA. Go to www.thedivinemercy.org/news/events.php or call Margaret @ 651-778-1941 for more information. Pre-registration \$25 (before June 20).