

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

APRIL 6, 2014

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

ST. PATRICK

Monday	Apr. 7	8:30 AM (SP)	St. Patrick Men's Club
Tuesday	Apr. 8	8:30 AM (SP)	Priest Personal Intention
Wednesday	Apr. 9		NO MASS
Thursday	Apr. 10	8:30 AM (SC)	+Andrea Giles
Friday	Apr. 11	8:30 AM (SP)	St. Patrick C.C.W.
Saturday	Apr. 12	5:00 PM (SP)	+Silverius Becker
Sunday	Apr. 13	8:30 AM (SC)	For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
		10:30 AM (SP)	+Helen Novak

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:
 *Ralph & Brenda DeGross, Dan Debra Cervenka, Terrence & Maureen Connelly, Dan & Vickie Cross, Benjamin & Lori Davis, Jim & Kelley DeGross, Kevin & Lisa DeGross, Johnathan & Angela Deutsch, Dean & Kari Dolezal, Michael Dudley.
 Altar Linens: Laura Ryan.

WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY? Apr. 7: Fr. Orlando Tatel, Apr. 8: Fr. Michael Tegeder, Apr. 9: Fr. Eugene Theisen, Apr. 10: Fr. Xavier Thelakkatt, Apr. 11: Fr. Dennis Thompson, Apr. 12: Fr. George Thoomkuzhy, Apr. 13: Fr. Leo Tibesar.

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.

FESTIVAL BAKE DAY: Saturday, July 12. Baking at 8:00 AM and packaging at 3:00 PM. If you have lard you're not using, please contact Agnes DeGross.

TOYS NEEDED: Now is the time to get toys for the Festival Children's Games. 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 2014*. Or call Tish Scheffler @ 461-2837 or Diana Schoenbauer @ 461-2817 for pick-up or drop-off information. Thank you!!
 Diana & Tish

MUSIC PRACTICE: Anyone interested in helping lead the music for Holy Week and Easter is invited to attend rehearsal on Thursday evening, April 10th at 7:00 PM at St. Patrick. Vocalists and instrumentalists welcome!

ST. PATRICK MEN'S CLUB EUCHRE TOURNAMENT: Friday, April 11th in the social hall. 6:30 PM registration, 7:30 PM start. Cash prizes awarded to top 4 teams. Food & beverages available. Cost \$20.00/team.

ST. PATRICK CEMETERY BOARD MEETING: Monday, April 14th at 7:00 PM in the social hall. Any questions, call Mike Sticha @ 758-2022.

ST. PATRICK C.C.W. MEETING: Monday, April 14th at 7:00 PM in the upstairs of the social hall. All women of the parish are invited!

THANK YOU: We would like to THANK everyone that helped with the C.C.W. Spring Bake Sale & Boutique this past weekend, from helping with making the rolls and setting up the hall on Friday night and baking and frosting on Saturday morning, and all the wonderful baked goodies donated for the sale. Without everyone's help and support we could never have done it. Your presence contributed to a very successful fundraising event for the St. Patrick C.C.W.

LuVerne Verhoeven, Agnes DeGross, Vickie Cross

I will put
 my spirit in you
 that you may
 live



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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR APRIL 12 & 13, 2014

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	4/12	Ron & Rosie Ryan, Rita Ryan
	4/13	Dan Cross, Amy Holden, Leo & Gloria Jacques
Lectors	4/12	Lynne Hoffman, Mike Puncochar
	4/13	Tim Sonnek, Chad Sandey
Acolytes	4/12	Bradley & Bryce Simon, Mason DeGross
	4/13	Megan & Rachel Theis, Bella Schulte
Ushers	4/12	Roman Stepka, Matt Sirek
	4/13	Leo Jacques, Don Pesta
Greeters	4/13	Henry & Dee Kober

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	4/13	Ken & Kathy Ceola, Pat Schroeder, Vera Taylor
Lector	4/13	Deanna Vochoska, Tom Fredrickson
Acolytes	4/13	Addey & Karley Vochoska, Bryce Horejsi
Ushers	4/13	Tim Saarela, Joel Vochoska
Greeters	4/13	Frank & Cathy Simons

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 13, 2014 PALM SUNDAY



First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7
 Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
 Gospel Reading: Matthew 26:14—27:66

ST. PATRICK PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: Monday, April 21st at 7:00 PM in the social hall.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
Sunday Collection March 30, 2014

Received this week.....\$ 1,816.00
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,867.00
 Received year to date.....\$66,899.18
 Budgeted year to date.....\$72,825.09
 (fiscal year ending June 30, 2014)



ST. CATHERINE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

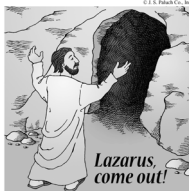
David & Rosie Nelson, Timothy & Laura Saarela,
 Jeff & Pat Schroeder.

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 March 30, 2014

Received this week.....\$ 1,705.86
 Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 1,070.00



PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR

PARISHES: Erin Kreuser, Lorraine Robeson, Ronald Greger (Diane Williamson's brother), Mike Lehmkuhler, Clarice Gergen Wayne Efta, Bev Grossman, Braden Flicek, Cynthia Troendle, Pat Scharf, Beatrice Mushitz, Francis Suilmann, Pam 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), Larry Gross, Grace Bittner, Laura Stepka, Benoite Stepka, Lisa Baker, Jennifer Lonergan, John Thomas Byer.

ATTENTION ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

COMMITTEE CHAIRS: Budget time is fast approaching. Please submit your budget requests for the 2014/15 fiscal year to the parish office by April 15th so we have them before the Finance Committee Meeting. The committees we need budgets from are: Parish Council, Maintenance, Welcome, Faith Formation, Liturgy & Music, and Religious Education.

ALTAR SERVERS TO TWINS GAME: The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring taking the altar servers to the Twins Game. **When:** Sunday, May 18th. **Time:** 11:00 AM—meet for hotdog lunch. **Where:** K.C. Hall in New Prague. **Bus Leaves:** 11:30 AM. **What:** 1:10 Ballgame at Target Field. **Who:** Any Altar Server can go. **Cost:** FREE for server, \$15 for adult. Contact Mike Bartusek @ 952-454-0544 with any questions or to sign-up. Deadline to sign-up is April 21st.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Friday, April 11th at 7:00 PM at St. Catherine Church.

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend, April 5 & 6, we will have a second collection for Easter Flowers.

THANK YOU: Dear Fr. Orlando Tatel, We are grateful for the generosity and support from St. Catherine and St. Patrick parish communities for checks I received for Retired Religious. Many retired women and men religious depend on this collection to meet their basic day to day needs. There are more than 34,000 religious over the age of 70 in the U.S. It is so affirming for them to know that we as a Catholic community continue to care for them as they have cared for others over the years. Wishing you and your parish many blessings, *Sister Midge Breiter, SSND*
RFFR Archdiocesan Coordinator

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wed. Apr. 9 6:45-8:00 PM Classes for grades 1-9.
 Confirmation-Feed My Starving Children.
 Sun. Apr. 13 10:30 AM Last Sunday School Class.
 Wed. Apr. 16 NO CLASS—Holy Week.
 Thur. Apr. 17 7:00 PM Holy Thursday Mass.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Friday, April 11	S.P.	Euchre Tournament
Saturday, July 12	S.P.	Festival Bake Day
Sunday, July 20	S.P.	Parish Festival
Tuesday, October 14	S.C.	Autumn Dinner

COMMUNITY EVENTS

K.C. Fish Fry, Fri. Apr. 11, 4:30-7:30 PM at the K.C. Hall in New Prague. \$11.00/adult, \$5.00/student, under 4/free.

Fish Dinner, Fri. Apr. 11, 5:00-7:30 PM at the K.C. Hall in Shakopee. \$11.00/adult, \$6.00/child, 4 & under/free.

Women's Retreat, Apr. 11-13, Apr. 22-24, & Apr. 25-27 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, 952-447-2182.

Women's Silent Retreat, Apr. 11-13 at King's House in Buffalo. For more info, 763-682-1394 or www.kingshouse.com.

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 third Tuesday of each month in the parish office building of St. Wenceslaus Church, 215 East Main St. in New Prague. Our next meeting is Tuesday, April 15th at 7:00 PM. 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.

Men's Holy Week Retreat, Apr. 16-19 at King's House in Buffalo. For more info, 763-682-1394 or www.kingshouse.com.

Men's Holy Week Retreat, Apr. 17-19 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, 952-447-2182.

Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women Silent Auction & Dinner Fundraiser, Fri. Apr. 25 at Mystic Lake Casino Grand Ballroom. Ticket are \$50.00/person. For tickets or to donate an item for the auction, call 952-873-4214.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends, For more information, call 763-434-4332 or check out the website www.wwe.org. The next weekends are May 2-4 & July 18-20 in Buffalo. Early registration is highly recommended.