

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	6/20	6:30 PM	SP	Herbert & Armilla Schroeder
Tuesday	6/21	NO MASS		
Wednesday	6/22	NO MASS		
Thursday	6/23	8:30 AM	SC	+Brandon Bruzek
Friday	6/24	8:30 AM	SP	Noah Stehlik
Saturday	6/25	5:00 PM	SP	For Our Parishioners & Guests
Sunday	6/26	8:30 AM	SC	+Lawrence Jacques
		10:30 AM	SP	Amelia Eischens

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR June 25 & 26, 2022

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	6/25	Rita Ryan
	6/26	Volunteer
Lector	6/25	Shelley Shepherd
	6/26	Chad Sandey
Altar Servers	6/25	Max & Weston Streefland
	6/26	Cole, Ella and Ethan Flicek
Ushers	6/25	Steve Kreuser
	6/26	Don Pesta

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	6/26	Dave Nelson
Lector	6/26	Tom Fredrickson
Altar Servers	6/26	Volunteer
Ushers	6/26	Frank Simons, Petro Tsarehradsky
Greeters	6/26	Lloyd & Deloris Friske

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday at noon. (notices can be mailed, emailed or put in the black box on the side of the rectory). Save the money counters time: write your name & amount of donation on your Sunday envelope. Thank you!

WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

June 19: Fr. Jerome Keiser, June 20: Fr. Jonathan Kelly, June 21: Fr. Patrick Kennedy, June 22: Fr. William Kenney (ord. 1994), June 23: Fr. William Kenney (ord. 1956), June 24: Fr. James Kent, June 25: Fr. Hak Kim.

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.

— H A P P Y —
Father's Day

FROM THE PASTOR

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine

In the last two years we have made a very important change in each of our churches. At St. Patrick's we moved the Blessed Sacrament to the center of the sanctuary. Just as Christ should be at the center of our lives so too, He should be in the center of our churches. A generous parishioner donated the new tabernacle, and my family donated the stone for its base in memory of my late father, Carlton. Dan Cervenka masterfully matched the beautiful stone alters that he had constructed in 2005. It has beautifully completed the sanctuary and it looks like it always has been there.

At Saint Catherine's we have just completed a new communion rail thanks to the donation of Jane Lorsung who passed away last year. The communion rails were never ordered to be removed from our churches and they are a more traditional way to receive Holy Communion. I did not experience the rail until I was 21 and I went to a church that still used it. I found kneeling and waiting for the priest to come to me gave me a chance to prepare more fully to receive our Lord. After I was able to distribute Communion on the other side, I noticed that it was more efficient. So, each person gets to spend more time in the act of receiving Communion whereas the whole process goes faster.

Every Catholic who is properly disposed may receive Communion kneeling or standing, on the tongue or in the hand. I will come to each communicant and give him or her Communion as they so desire. I will also give a benediction to children or anyone who is not disposed to receive Communion. Simply cross your hands on your shoulders. At St. Patrick's I have a kneeler for each line so that one may kneel to receive there too.

The same man, Doug Henning, who designed our beautiful altar at Saint Catherine's also designed and built the new communion rail. In my research I discovered that the rail is an extension of the altar where the faithful may receive communion. That is why it is designed to match the altar, where the Death and Resurrection of our Lord is presented to us again at each Holy Mass and where the bread and wine are consecrated into the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus. It also represents the reality that we are still on this side of heaven, but at the Holy Mass heaven and earth are joined and we bring our prayers to the altar of God and He reaches over from heaven to feed us with His real presence and strengthen us on our pilgrimage through this vale of tears to the happiness of heaven.

Both of these changes are focused on the most Holy Eucharist: of its centrality in our lives, and the beautiful reverence that it deserves. I hope that these changes will draw each of us closer to our Lord in the most Holy Eucharist, and that we may sing with greater faith each day, "O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine, all praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine."

~ Fr. Michael J. Miller



ST. PATRICK

CHURCH CLEANING FOR JUNE: *Brandon & Gina O'Connell, Pete & Terri Nazy, Adam & Emily Nesbitt, Joe & Monica O'Brien, Steve & Ester Olson, Steven & Jennifer Olson, Jake & Emily Palmstein, Robert & Donna Patton, Kyle & Melissa Plekkenpol
Altar Linens: Lin Kreuzer

PRAY THE ROSARY: Join us to pray the Rosary every Saturday evening at 4:40 PM before the 5:00 PM Mass or Sunday morning at 10:10 AM before the 10:30 AM Mass.

RAFFLE TICKETS: Your festival raffle tickets are now available in the back of church to be picked up. Please grab your friends or neighbors if you see them.

ST. PATRICK PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: Monday, June 20 at 7:00 PM in the social hall.

FESTIVAL 2022: There are festival sign up sheets in the back of church. You can also sign up online at www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C44AEA62AA4FDC25-festival

FESTIVAL CHAIRPERSON MEETING: There will be a meeting on Monday, June 27 at 7 PM in the social hall for all festival chairs.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Weekly Budget Requirement:	\$ 2,400.00
6/12/22 Collection:	\$ 2,161.36
6/12/22 Capital Improvement Collection:	\$ 10.00



ST. CATHERINE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR JUNE: Lloyd & Deloris Friske, Karl & Rachel Eicher.

PRAY THE ROSARY: The Blessed Mother has stated the Rosary is the most powerful weapon we have against evil. Please join us every Sunday at 7:55 AM before Mass to pray the Rosary together.

CELEBRATION: Please join us on Sunday, June 19th after mass for a reception to celebrate the re-opening of our beautiful church. We will also be celebrating our Confirmation Student: Drake Nelson, Graduates: Ryan Binion, Paige Lorusung and Jessica Sadusky and introducing our new parishioners: the Birkholz family.

SAVE THE DATES: St. Catherine's Autumn Dinner is Tuesday, October 11th and the CCW Turkey Bingo is Sunday, November 6th.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Weekly Budget Requirement:	\$ 1,160.00
6/12/22 Collection:	\$ 949.00
6/12/22 Capital Improvement Collection:	\$ 25.00



PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR PARISHES: Ethel Pieper (Emily Sandey's mom), Baby Rosemary, Brandon Witt, Shelby Perry, Janice Lane, Tom O'Callaghan, James Hesse, Baby Isabel Guidarelli, Sparky Mahowald, Laura Lano, Martha Carr, Brooklyn Prochaska, Bonnie Theis, Maxley Ferguson, Diane Sirek, JoAnn Kenne, Karen Zweber, Andrew Buckman, Daryl Sternitzke, Margo Mauser (sister of Kathy Prochaska), Carol Prochaska, Nicole Wood, Celeste Wilson, Alex Schlink, Pat Scharf, Anikah Schmidt (great granddaughter of Bonnie Theis), Laura Stepka, Evelyn Scheffler, Jennifer Lonergan, John Thomas Byer.

TOTUS TUUS IS STARTING SOON: We are partnering with St. Wenceslaus Parish for the 2022 Totus Tuus (Totally Yours) on June 20-24 for the Kid's Program and June 19-23 for the Teen's Program. Register for a faith filled fun week!
Registration is at: npcatholic.org/totus-tuus.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

ST. NICHOLAS CATHOLIC CHURCH CHICKEN COOKOUT: Sunday, June 19 from 10:30am-3pm. Dinners-Adult \$15 Kids \$8. Raffle drawing at 3pm.

RURAL LIFE SUNDAY: Sunday, June 26, 1:30 p.m. Mass, Hosted by Jack and Debby Lorenz Family Farm. Join Archbishop Bernard Hebda at this celebration of rural life. Mass will be followed by lunch, music, children's activities, games and the chance to see the farm animals. 12670 270th St. E. Cannon Falls, MN 55009. All are welcome.

MEN'S SUMMER ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: The weekend of July 7-10, St. John the Baptist Church, Savage. On this weekend you will learn about our faith and how to encounter Jesus in a close and personal way. You will need a friend to sponsor you on the weekend. If you do not know a member of Cursillo to talk to, please email pre-cursillo@tc-cursillo.org for more information. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$50.

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL-CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE: St. Wenceslaus Church is a Catechetical Institute Satellite Site for the two-year Pillars Program beginning this fall -the Class of St. Michael the Archangel. Students will meet on Monday evenings from 7-9pm at the parish, participate in the small group dynamic, and gather together to watch the lectures via live stream. Taught by the best instructors in the Twin Cities as the program follows the four pillars of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, and will make sense of all things Catholic, deepen your faith, and lay out the roadmap to heaven. The classes are divided into four eleven-week modules with two Saturday morning formative sessions per module. Applications for the Class of St. Michael the Archangel are being accepted through August 1, 2022. For more information and an application visit www.CIstudent.com or call 651-962-5072.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD TWIN CITIES: If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child to abortion, come and experience the healing mercy of Jesus Christ on our confidential weekend retreat. The next Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities retreat is August 5-7, 2022. For more information contact Nancy at rachels@vineyardmn.org, call 763-250-9313 or see vineyardmn.org