

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	June 4		NO MASS
Tuesday	June 5	8:30 AM (SP)	+Robert Zweber
Wednesday	June 6	8:30 AM (SP)	For World Peace
Thursday	June 7	8:30 AM (SC)	+Brandon Bruzek
Friday	June 8		NO MASS
Saturday	June 9	5:00 PM (SP)	+Erin Kreuser
Sunday	June 10	8:30 AM (SC)	For our parishioners
		10:30 AM (SP)	+John Jacques

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JUNE 9 & 10, 2018

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	6/9	Barbara Lewis, Dave Roach, Bill Weiers
	6/10	Leo & Gloria Jacques, Rob Puncochar
Lectors	6/9	Shelley Shepherd
	6/10	Chad Sandey
Altar Servers	6/9	Bryce Deutsch, Mason Deutsch, Joe Weiers
	6/10	Karlle Bjerke, Sara Bjerke, Elias DeGeest
Ushers	6/9	Mark Rezac, Matt Sirek
	6/10	Pat Puncochar, Norm Sticha

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	6/10	Joan Bruzek, Dave Nelson, Kathy Ceola, Barbara Lerschen
Lector	6/10	Linda Torgesen
Altar Servers	6/10	Monica Muelken, Addey Vochoska
Ushers	6/10	Bryce Horejsi, Greg Horejsi
Greeters	6/10	Margaret Sharkey, Bonnie Theis

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 people 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!

WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

June 4: Fr. Dennis Dease, June 5: Fr. James DeBruycker, June 6: Fr. James Deegan, June 7: Fr. Donald DeGroot, June 8: Fr. Dennis Dempsey, June 9: Fr. Ronald DesRosiers, June 10: Fr. James Devorak.



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.

FROM THE PASTOR

Corpus Christi

This week we celebrate the reality that makes the exchange of God's love possible: the Body and Blood of Christ. God's plan from the beginning was for us to share His life. When that gift was rejected through sin, God's plan of reconciliation was put in motion. It culminated in the sacrifice of the Body and Blood of Jesus on the cross, and His resurrection after this sacrifice. Jesus gave us this gift as a new and everlasting covenant in the Most Holy Eucharist, which "contains the Church's entire spiritual wealth: Christ Himself, our passover and living bread. Through His own flesh, now made living and life-giving by the Holy Spirit, He offers life to men. Consequently the gaze of the Church is constantly turned to her Lord, present on the Sacrament of the Altar, in which she discovers the full manifestation of His boundless love" (John Paul II, Ecclesia de Eucharistia, 1) When we keep all these things in mind, and delve more deeply into these mysteries, we will discover with growing wonder and awe that God is good, beautiful, and true. He is Love. And when we look upon the Holy Eucharist and receive it we can truly say, along with St. Thomas, "My Lord, and my God" (John 20:28).

Fr. Michael J. Miller



ST. PATRICK

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE:

*Adam & Julie Hertaus, Mike & Lynne Hoffman, Tod & Lisa Hutchinson, Leo & Gloria Jacques, Mike & Melissa Janovsky, Jeff & Toni Jeurissen, Tony & Brianne Jirik, Steven & Susan Johnson, Jennifer Jones. Altar Linens: Agnes DeGross.

POP CAN TABS: All three New Prague Elementary Schools are collecting pop can tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. Please collect your tabs and bring them to St. Patrick Church. Lisa Luskey will get them to the schools. Thank you.

BOXTOPS: Please save boxtops for Catholic Education. Each one you clip is worth money that goes back to education. There is a box in the back of church for you to place them in.

MASS HELPERS: If your e-mail address has changed, please contact Shelley Shepherd at seleped@frontiernet.net

FESTIVAL GAMES: We are in need of larger toys for the festival. We need 5-10 or more of the same toy that is larger for the prize tree. Generally, we pay \$5-20 for each. We need 300+ large toys for boys and girls. If you have any questions, please contact Tish at 612-799-6496.

FESTIVAL SILENT AUCTION: Hello Parish Members, It's getting to be that time of year again where we are looking for items for the Church Festival Silent Auction. We are accepting new items, we always love basket items. Let your creative minds work their magic. Without your help our Silent Auction wouldn't be such a success. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to one of us. Thank you.

Cathy Theis (952-215-9526), Jacque Bittner (952-270-2024)

FESTIVAL COUNTRY STORE: The Festival Country Store will be looking for crafts, baked goods, garden produce, plants, and new merchandise. Also cookbooks and children's books.

FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS: 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.

CONGRATULATIONS! Meagan Lambrecht & Christopher Howard who were married at St. Patrick Church on June 2, 2018.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection May 27, 2018

Received this week.....\$ 2,345.25
Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 2,006.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....\$ 6,463.00
Catholic Services Appeal collected.....\$ 5,250.00



ST. CATHERINE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE:

Lloyd & Deloris Friske, Karl & Rachel Eicher, Robert Grams & Sue Kempf.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES: St. Catherine Church is collecting NEW school supplies, even backpacks, for the Scott County children through the CAP Agency. Items of high need include: handwipes, tissues, and deodorant. We will be collecting now-early summer. Questions? Contact Barb Perry @ 952-461-2296.

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS: Our beautiful 110 year old stained glass windows are in need of repair. Under the direction of Joe Williamson, we have already taken steps to repair three of the windows. One of these required structural repairs. The more significant step is replacing all of the storm windows as a protective barrier from the elements. This work will be completed this summer.

After a rigorous bidding process, Gaytee-Palmer out of Minneapolis has been selected to perform the repairs at a total cost of \$23,115. As many of you already know, our budget is extremely tight year after year. So, to fund the repairs, we are initiating a capital campaign. We have some savings to draw from and the CCW has graciously offered to contribute. The Parish Council has proposed a capital campaign goal of \$16,000 to cover the balance.

Because of the significance of this capital campaign, all donors will be recognized with their names engraved on a plaque that will hang in the church.

To make a contribution, please place your donation in the collection basket over the next several weeks and mark the envelope accordingly (your name and labeled "Window Fund"). We will publish in the bulletin a running total of contributions weekly until our goal is met. If you have questions, you can contact me (Tim Saarela), other Parish Council members, or the trustees (Pat Schroeder and Joe Williamson).

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"

Sunday Collection May 27, 2018

Received this week.....\$ 622.05
Weekly budget requirement.....\$ 944.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....\$4,013.00
Catholic Services Appeal pledged.....\$1,990.00
Window Repair Campaign.....\$10,550.00



PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR PARISHES:

Denise Despenas (sister of Bonnie Theis) Art Schumann, JoAnn Kenne, Virginia Beuch, Karen Zweber, Richard Arens, Andrew Buckman, Fred Winker, Marsha Simon, Mary Lee Andrioli, Michael Zender, Daryl Sternitzke, Fr. Francis Roach, Gerry Sandey, Amanda (Polson) Tinebra, Margo Mauser (sister of Kathy Prochaska) Annie Kelnhofer, Albert Braith, Douglas Van Moorlehem (brother of Jan St. Aubin), Carol Prochaska, Sharon Mastain (Carol Timmon's sister) Rosie Pexa, Ann Pint, Nicole Wood, Celeste Wilson, Alex Schlink, Ev Nelson, Paul Lambrecht, Cynthia Troendle, Pat Scharf, Jack Eiseman (father of Jacque Bittner), Gerry Jensen (Jan St. Aubin's cousin), Florian Bauman (Bryan Bittner's uncle), Anikah Schmidt (great granddaughter of Bonnie Theis), Grace Bittner, Laura Stepka, Joe & Evelyn Scheffler, Jennifer Lonergan, John Thomas Byer.

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend, June 2 & 3, we will have a second collection for the Catholic Spirit.

MONEY COUNTERS: We are in need of more money counters on Monday mornings at 8:30 AM. If you are interested, please contact the parish office.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Sun. July 22 S.P. Parish Festival
Sat. July 28 S.C. C.C.W. Garden Tour & Lunch