

**18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**AUGUST 2, 2015**

**EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS**

Monday	Aug. 3	NO MASS
Tuesday	Aug. 4	8:30 AM (SP) For Priests
Wednesday	Aug. 5	8:30 AM (SP) +Harold & Della Schmitt
Thursday	Aug. 6	8:30 AM (SC) +Sherri Harndon
Friday	Aug. 7	NO MASS
Saturday	Aug. 8	5:00 PM (SP) +Erin Kreuser
Sunday	Aug. 9	8:30 AM (SC) +Bev Grossman
		10:30 AM (SP) For our parishioners, guests, & visitors

**ST. PATRICK**

**CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST:**

\*Dean & Kari Dolezal, Michael Dudley, Elltra Dureza, Duane & Kellie Dworshak, Anthony Efta, David & Ag-Rita Efta, Craig & Kristin Flicek, Jim & Annette Frawley.  
Altar Linens: Jeanette Sticha.

**WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?**

Aug. 3: Fr. Rolf Tollefson, Aug. 4: Fr. Hilary Nhuan Tran, Aug. 5: Fr. Jon Bennet Tran, Aug. 6: Fr. Paul Treacy, Aug. 7: Fr. John Ubel, Aug. 8: Fr. Stephen Ulrick, Aug. 9: Fr. Mark Underdahl.

*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.*

**THANK YOU:** St. Patrick's Church Rocks! Thank you to our parish. With God's Blessings we had another very successful festival. Thank you to everyone for your hard work and your talent and treasure. Our festival could not be possible without our entire parish community teaming up for this annual event. Thank you, thank you, thank you!

*Paul & Diana Schoenbauer, Chad & Emily Sandey*

**ATTENTION FESTIVAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS:** Please turn in your receipts from the festival to the parish office as soon as possible after the festival. We need them to send in the final report to the Gambling Control Board. Thank you.

**ST. PATRICK C.C.W. MEETING:** All women of the parish are invited to attend the C.C.W. Meeting on Monday, August 10, 2015. The meeting will begin at 7:00 PM in the St. Patrick Social Hall. Come and check out the C.C.W. and find out more of what we do. Please contact Vickie Cross with agenda items, 952-461-3036.

The S.W. Deanery has taken on the project of **CAPS OF LOVE**. Please help by seeing the poster in the entryway for the acceptable and unacceptable caps. Please sort and clean them. Put into separate bags and place them in the recycling can in the entryway. Thank you. *St. Patrick C.C.W.*

**Stewardship of Treasure**

*"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"*  
Sunday Collection July 26, 2015

Received this week.....	\$ 1,430.00
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,867.00
Parking Lot Paving (to date).....	\$ 2,420.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....	\$ 6,463.00
Catholic Services Appeal pledges.....	\$ 4,075.00

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR AUGUST 8 & 9, 2015**

**St. Patrick**

Extraordinary Ministers	8/8	Agnes DeGross, Barb Lewis, Bill Weiers
	8/9	Everett & Joan Nelson, Don Pesta, Gerald Sandey
Lectors	8/8	Mike Puncochar
	8/9	John Cassady
Acolytes	8/8	Joe Weiers, Dan DeGross, Mason DeGross
	8/9	Karlie & Lindsey Bjerke, Alycia Klegstad
Ushers	8/8	Matt Sirek, Melvin Gregory
	8/9	Gerald Sandey, Norm Sticha
Greeters	8/9	Don & Elaine Pesta

**St. Catherine**

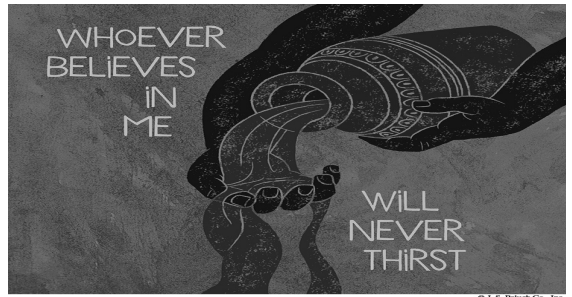
Extraordinary Ministers	8/9	Joel & Deanna Vochoska, Steve & Jude Boeser
Lector	8/9	Tim Saarela
Acolytes	8/9	Addey & Karley Vochoska, Bryce Horejsi
Ushers	8/9	Dave Nelson, Greg Horejsi
Greeters	8/9	Bonnie Theis, Vera Taylor

*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!*

**READINGS FOR AUGUST 9, 2015  
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



First Reading: Exodus 1 Kings 19:4-8  
Second Reading: Ephesians 4:30—5:2  
Gospel Reading: John 6:41-51



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## ST. CATHERINE

### CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST:

Paul & Linda Torgesen, Steven & Maureen Rief, John & Ann Timmerman.

**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.

**150th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION:** St. Catherine is celebrating their 150th year of the founding of the parish! Please join us on Sunday, September 13 for Mass at 3:00 PM, a history presentation, fellowship, and a meal. The meal will be served from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. All are welcome!

### **ST. CATHERINE 30TH ANNUAL AUTUMN DINNER:**

Mark your calendars, Tuesday, October 13th at the V.F.W. in Prior Lake. More details to come.

**THANK YOU:** We want to thank Frank Simons for the St. Catherine of the Wheel Memorial he built. We appreciate all the skills and effort it took to get that done. Thanks Frank!

### **Stewardship of Treasure**

*"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"*  
Sunday Collection July 26, 2015

Received this week.....	\$ 994.85
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,022.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....	\$ 4,013.00
Catholic Services Appeal pledges.....	\$ 1,460.00



## PARISHIONERS CORNER

### **PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR**

**PARISHES:** Evelyn Scheffler, Francis Stepka, Celeste Wilson, John Chruscinsky, Bill Ronayne, Robert Richardson, Dave Hover, Debbie Bell (Cathy Theis' cousin), Jerry Cavanaugh (Jodie Puncochar & Jim Cavanaugh's dad), Alex Schlink, Ev Nelson, Brie Theis, Mary Jane Keep, Paul Lambrecht, Gary Hastings, Braden Flicek, Cynthia Troendle, Pat Scharf, Beatrice Mushitz, Mike Zender, Jack & Jane Eiseman (parents of Jacque Bittner), Shannon Quinn, Rosetta Shea, Gerry Jensen (cousin of Jan St. Aubin), Therese Ryan, Florian Bauman (Bryan Bittner's uncle), Anikah Schmidt (great granddaughter of Bonnie Theis), Grace Bittner, Laura Stepka, Joe Scheffler, Benoite Stepka, Jennifer Lonergan, John Thomas Byer.

\*If anyone in the parish is homebound, and would like a visit from Fr. Miller, please contact the parish office.

**INSTALLATION:** Fr. Chris Schoppner will be doing Fr. Michael Miller's formal installation at St. Patrick & St. Catherine at each Mass on Sunday, August 23rd.

## UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Sunday, September 13	S.C.	150th Anniversary
Tuesday, October 13	S.C.	Autumn Dinner
Sunday, November 1	S.C.	Turkey Bingo

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**Parish Festival**, Sun. Aug. 2 at Immaculate Conception in Lonsdale. 10:00 AM Polka Mass. Baked Chicken & Hot Ham Dinner 10:30 AM-2:00 PM. \$12.00/adult, \$6.00/child.

**Parish Festival**, Sat. & Sun. Aug. 8 & 9 at St. Wenceslaus in New Prague. Polka Mass 5:00 PM Sat, 8:30 & 10:30 AM on Sun. Grilled Chicken Dinner 11:00 AM-2:00 PM on Sun.

48th Annual **Ho-Down**, Sun. Aug. 16 at Most Holy Trinity Parish in Veseli. Polka Mass at 11:00 AM. Chicken Cookout starting at 11:30 AM until sold out. Continuous music noon to 6:15 PM. Bingo and other games, Country Store, home-baked goods, food and refreshments, prizes and cash drawings.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends**, For more information, call 612-756-7820 or check out the website [www.wvme.org](http://www.wvme.org). The next weekends are: Sept. 11-13 in Irene, SD & International Falls, Oct. 9-11 in Buffalo, Nov. 20-22 in Medora, ND, Rapid City, SD, Windom, MN, & Prior Lake. Early registration is highly recommended.

**Foster Care Homes** are needed in Scott County. For more information, call Julie Malecha @ 952-496-8728.

**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 3rd Tue. of each month in the parish office bldg. of St. Wenceslaus Church. 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.

**Parkinson's Support Group**, 4th Tue. of every month, 1:00-2:30 PM at the New Prague Public Library Meeting Room. For more information, contact Betty @ 952-758-3924.

**Educational/Support Group for Separated or Divorced**, 1st Tue. evenings, 7:00-8:30 PM at St. Wenceslaus Church Basement in New Prague. Please call Mary @ 952-873-6781 or Deacon Bob Wagner @ 952-758-3225 for more information.

Are you being physically or emotionally hurt? Contact **Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women** @ 952-873-4214.

**Are you hurting in your marriage?** Do you have trouble communicating, frequent arguments or fights, seeing distance between you? Retrouvaille is a relationship-building ministry sponsored by the Catholic Church. Retrouvaille is a three-month program consisting of a weekend and 6 four hour follow-up presentations. The Twin Cities Retrouvaille has weekends scheduled several times a year. Please call 651-464-5855, or visit [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com).

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