

## EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	8/8	NO MASS		
Tuesday	8/9	8:30 AM	SP	+Julie Toner
Wednesday	8/10	NO MASS		
Thursday	8/11	8:30 AM	SC	+Laurian, Donald & Lauralee Williamson
Friday	8/12	NO MASS		
Saturday	8/13	5:00 PM	SP	Lillian Jeanette Sticha
Sunday	8/14	8:30 AM	SC	+Jeff Schroeder
		10:30 AM	SP	For Our Parishioners & Guests

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR August 13 & 14, 2022

### St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	8/13	Bill Weiers
	8/14	Kristi Schulte
Lector	8/13	Kerri Sticha
	8/14	Chad Sandey
Altar Servers	8/13	Jack Sticha
	8/14	Cole, Ella & Ethan Flicek
Ushers	8/13	Mark Rezac
	8/14	Don Pesta

### St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	8/14	Deanna Vochoska
Lector	8/14	Kathy Conway
Altar Servers	8/14	Volunteer
Ushers	8/14	Dennis Maciej, Frank Simons
Greeters	8/14	Joe & Diane Williamson

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!

### PRAY FOR A PRIEST:

8/7	Fr. Stanley Mader	<b>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.</b>
8/8	Fr. Kevin Magner	
8/9	Fr. Sean Magnuson	
8/10	Fr. Richard Mahoney	
8/11	Fr. Matthew Malek	
8/12	Fr. Aaron Malnick	
8/13	Fr. John Malone	



## FROM THE PASTOR

### Sound Doctrine

With the summertime there hopefully comes more time for leisure. And with that leisure it is good to remember the importance of reading as a way of increasing our knowledge of the faith. We live in the best of times regarding the quick and easy availability of good material from the past and the present. We also live in the worst of times because bad material is equally abundant and easily accessible. How do we tell the difference?

The first step is to know that there is a difference. Not all books and authors are equally good. The same applies to publishing companies, periodicals, and web-sites. The prevailing notion that everyone is entitled to his opinion and that all of these various opinions are equal in value is simply not true. The value of any book or article is based on its relationship to reality, i.e., how does it reflect the truth, or how does it shed light or bring insight to revelation and the questions of life? This even applies to fiction and non-religious subjects. Various professions have their own standards for judging the assertions of authors that help to prevent wild claims from becoming a part of mainstream thought. But this is much more difficult when it comes to opinions on religion and politics as well. This is nothing new. St. Paul speaks of this frequently, and he has no delusions about how dangerous false teaching can be: "But wicked people and charlatans will go from bad to worse, deceivers and deceived. For the time will come when people will not tolerate sound doctrine but, following their own desires and insatiable curiosity, will accumulate teachers, and will stop listening to the truth and will be diverted to myths" (2 Timothy 3:13; 4:3-4). "There are some who are disturbing you and wish to pervert the gospel of Christ" (Galatians 1:7).

So how do we tell the difference? This is the beauty of the Catholic faith. Jesus knew that this would happen so He gave us an instrument to distinguish what is true from what is not regarding faith and morals: the Magisterium, the living teaching office of the Church, which we find in the Pope and the bishops in communion with him.

*(to be continued)*

~Fr. Michael J. Miller



## ST. PATRICK

**CHURCH CLEANING FOR AUGUST:** James Ryan, John & Kathy Ryan, Philip & Elissa Ryan, \*Ronald & Rose Ryan, Chad & Christi Ryburn, John & Toni Sacco, Chad & Emily Sandey, Mitchell & Breanna Sandey, John & Tish Scheffler  
Altar Linens: Linda Kreuser

**ELECTRONIC GIVING:** Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account. Our electronic giving program offers convenience for you and needed donation consistency for our congregation. Authorization forms are available in the back of church. Authorization is also accessible through our website, [www.stpandc.mn.org](http://www.stpandc.mn.org)

**ATTENTION FESTIVAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS:** Please turn in your receipts from the festival to the parish office as soon as possible. We would like them by August 12th. Thank you.

**ST. PATRICK PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING:** Monday, August 15 at 7:00pm in the Social Hall.

### Stewardship of Treasure

*"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"*

Weekly Budget Requirement:	\$ 2,644.00
7/31/22 Collection:	\$ 2,259.33



## ST. CATHERINE

**CHURCH CLEANING FOR AUGUST:** Kevin & Mary Kay Mahowald, Janet Ryan

**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.

**AUTUMN DINNER TICKET SALES:** Tickets for the Autumn Dinner will be on sale at St. Catherine after the 8:30am Mass from August 21-October 2 and at St. Patrick after the 5pm and 10:30am Masses on September 10/11 and September 24/25. The Autumn Dinner is Tuesday, October 11.

**ITEMS NEEDED:** If you have any items that you wish to donate for the Silent Auction/Door Prizes for the Autumn Dinner, please contact Deanna Vochoska at 651-303-8778. The deadline to donate is October 2.

### Stewardship of Treasure

*"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"*

Weekly Budget Requirement:	\$ 1,234.00
7/31/22 Collection:	\$ 1295.11



## PARISHIONERS CORNER

**MONEY COUNTERS:** We are in need of money counters. If interested, please call the parish office at 952-492-6276.

**HOMEBOUND:** If you or anyone you know would like to receive communion at home, please contact the parish office at 952-492-6276.

## 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.

### A message to the World from Our Lady of Medjugorje:

"Dear children! I am with you to lead you on the way of conversion, because, little children, with your lives you can draw many souls closer to my Son. You be joyful witnesses of God's word and love, and with hope in the heart which conquers every evil. Forgive those who inflict evil on you, and go on the way of holiness. I am leading you to my Son, for Him to be the way, the truth and the life for you. Thank you for having responded to my call."

**AUGUST ROSARY RALLY:** All are invited to pray the Rosary on Saturday, August 13 at noon. We will be praying at St. Catherine Church with Father Marvin Deutsch leading a Scripture Rosary. We will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and end with Benediction. Bring a sack lunch and join us for fellowship afterward. Contact Kathy Conway with any questions at 612-723-3398.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**VOLUNTEER NEEDED:** We are needing an assistant in the Confirmation classroom. If interested, please email Kerri Sticha at [kerrispandcre@gmail.com](mailto:kerrispandcre@gmail.com).



**VOLUNTEER KICK-OFF MEETING:** Calling all of our volunteers for the 2022-2023 Religious Education Program for a kick-off meeting on Sunday, August 21 at 6:00pm in the Social Hall.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH FESTIVAL:** Saturday, August 13 and Sunday, August 14. August 13 there will be a polka Mass at 5pm along with food and an outdoor concert from 6-10pm. Sunday polka Masses are at 8:30am and 10:30am followed by food trucks, music, kids games, raffle and more.

**55th ANNUAL HO-DOWN:** Most Holy Trinity Church in Veseli is having their Ho-Down on Sunday, August 21 with a Polka Mass starting at 11:00am, grilled pork and dumpling dinner (11am-sold out) and continuous music/fun until 6:15pm.

**BENEFIT BANQUET FOR RELEVANT RADIO 1330 AM AND CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:** All are cordially invited to join Relevant Radio Executive Director Father Francis Hoffman ("Father Rocky") and radio show hosts Father Richard Simon, Timmerie Geagea, Glen Lewerenz, Drew Mariani and Paul Sadek, as we honor Our Lady at the 11th Annual Christ Brings Hope Benefit Banquet. This festive evening will take place at the JW Marriott - Bloomington, on Thursday, September 15, 2022. Gifts made to Relevant Radio that evening will be matched to assist with tuition funds of participating Catholic schools. For details, visit the Events tab at [www.relevantradio.com](http://www.relevantradio.com).