

Tri-Parish Catholic Church

Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Easton, St. Casimir Church in Wells and St. John the Baptist in Minnesota Lake

Sunday January 22nd , 2023 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tri-Parish Staff Contact Information

Pastor Fr. Greg Havel
E-mail triparish.priest@gmail.com
Phone 507-553-5391
Deacon Gene Paul 507-854-3676

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

320 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097
Phone: 507-787-2303

Email.....olmc@bevcomm.net
Office Hours varied
Administrative Assistant..... Sue Cory
Cemetery..... Don Linder
Faith Formation..... Chris Schultz
Music Mary Kayser

St. Casimir

320 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097
Phone: 507-553-5391 Fax: 507-553-5391

Email..... scasimir@bevcomm.net
Office Hours M-F 8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.
Administrative Assistant..... Ilda Reyerson
Bookkeeper BreAnne Scheid
Cemetery..... Tom Schindler
Faith Formation..... Lisa Bute
Liturgical Music Coordinator Connie Stenzel
Maintenance..... Bruce Roberts

St. John the Baptist

PO Box 158, Minnesota Lake, MN

Phone: 507-462-3636 Fax: 507-553-5391

Email..... stjeb@bevcomm.net
Office Hours varied
Administrative Assistant..... Rhonda Drager
Cemetery..... Bob Drager

St. Casimir's School

330 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097

Phone: 507-553-5822 Fax: 507-553-5391

Email..... casimir@bevcomm.net
Office Hours M-F 8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
Principal..... Diane Edwards
Secretary Teresa Chirpich
Website stcasimirsschool.net

Mass Schedule & Intentions

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Mon., Jan. 23 | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| <i>No school</i> | | | |
| Tues., Jan. 24 | Mass | 8:30 am | STC |
| <i>No School</i> | | | |
| | †Bernard Robert Family | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| Wed., Jan. 25 | Mass | 8:30 am | OLMC |
| | Trio and Sonnek Families | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| | Adoration-starts | 9:00 pm | STC |
| Thurs., Jan. 26 | Mass | 8:30 am | STJB |
| | †Bill Stokman | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| | Adoration-ends | 10:00 pm | STC |
| Friday, Jan. 27 | Mass | 8:30 am | STC |
| | †Herman & †Leola Wach | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| Sat., Jan. 28 | Reconciliation | 8:30 am | STC |
| | Reconciliation | 9:30 am | OLMC |
| | Reconciliation | 4:00 pm | STJB |
| | Mass | 5:00 pm | STJB |
| | †Dominic & † Gladys | | |
| | Sonnek | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |
| Sun., Jan. 29 | Mass | 8:00 am | STC |
| <i>4th Sunday In Ordinary Time</i> | | | |
| | † Dale Schultz Family | | |
| | Mass | 10:00 am | OLMC |
| | †Troy Kalis | | |
| | Rosary | 7:30 pm | STC |

From... Fr. Greg Havel

Our Scripture readings bring a message of healing, hope, and peace from our God. In a world that seems out of control and so far from God we hear, "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shown." It is important that we always remember that God did not promise a life free from struggles and temptations from the devil but God did promise to walk with us and strengthen us on the journey. God has not abandoned us and we are courageous for there is nothing stronger than God's love. May the Lord light our way through the darkness of life and bring the gifts of faith and hope to the lives of his people. ~ Fr. Greg

Good News!!!

St. John the Baptist support envelopes have arrived! St. Casimir envelopes will be arriving soon also. As soon as they are here we will put them out. Its been a long frustrating wait. Thank you for your patience!

Eucharistic Adoration

(St. Casimir Church)

"Jesus waits for us in the Sacrament of Love." ~Pope Saint John Paul II

"My joy, My pleasure, My delight is to be with you." ~Proverbs 8:31

Receive the graces of being in the Eucharistic Presence of the One who loves you. You are invited to come and pray anytime each Wednesday evening from 9:00 pm through Thursday evening at 10:00 pm at **St. Casimir Church.**

There are opportunities to sign up for a regular weekly Holy Hour or come as a visitor. Stay for 10 minutes... stay for an hour. Consider regular Divine visits with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Sign up sheets can be found in the entrances in all three parishes.

Scam alert! The Tri-parish community is receiving emails and text messages asking for money for the Church. Fr. Havel or any personnel would never send out request for money. Scammers are tricky, as they will send emails that appear to be from the Church or include a link from a legitimate bank account. The link then takes you to a site that may look real, but is actually fake. Be aware of email and phone calls.

You can always call the rectory for questions if you receive any.
507-553-5391

In Our Prayers:

Recently Departed: *Vern Schultz*
Who recently passed away in Colorado.
He was Vicky Sonneks' brother and
Brother in-law to Ardean and Marilyn Schultz

Soldiers Overseas: *Bernard D. Steinhauer,*
& Troy Haugh

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

Let us always remember the sick and all those in need of prayer, especially:

Brian Redig, Greg Sonnek, Ron Laitenberger, Doug Redman, "Baby VanOterloo", Pam Klocek, Jan Elmer, Darrell Radtke, Mike Redig, Steve Nowak, Dennis Thisius, Michael Ankeny, Donald Klocek, Melissa Haugh, Butch Becker, 7Don Becker, Alice Roecker, Steve Stenzel, Larry Woitas, Andrew Knewtson, Mildred Stencel, Pat Dallman, Helen Skov, Theresa Berry, Mary McCallum, Cassandra Walser, Jerome Goette, Zach Fendrich, Triston Father, **and for all our service men & women of the armed forces.** Whenever any of our parish members or families are in need of special prayers, please call and we will begin our prayer lines for any need— give only the details you wish. Linda Swehla 340-5529, Peggy Linder 787-2575, STJB— Rhonda Drager 462-3627 or STJB Parish office at 462-3636, STC— Barb Stenzel 553-3805



THIS IS MY BODY

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2023

Why now?

This stark reality inspired the Bishops of the United States to action. More than an event or a program, they envisioned a true Revival to rediscover the source and summit of our Faith through a deep commitment of prayer, pilgrimage, and worship on the part of the entire Church in the United States.

Over three years, every Catholic diocese, parish, school, apostolate, and family is invited to be a part of renewing the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

Mission

To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

Vision

To inspire a movement of Catholics across the United States who are healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and who are then sent out on mission “for the life of the world.”

The Three Phases of the National Eucharistic Revival

Phase 1
The Diocesan Year

Phase 2
The Parish Year

Phase 3
The National Year

Eucharistic Congress 2023

This is my Body

On Saturday, June 10, the people of the southern Minnesota Diocese of Winona-Rochester will gather for a day-long celebration of Christ made present to us in the Eucharist. Join us for this one-in-a-lifetime event. I will be posting more information weekly to encourage parishioner to get involved in this historic event. There will be many speakers and musicians from all over the country. More information is on our Diocese of Winona/Rochester website.

Plan your Congress Experience!

If you need help registering please call the rectory at 553-5391

Early Registration

Diocese of Winona-Rochester only.

Closes March 31.

Tickets Pricing

Adults: \$35

Youth (ages 8-17): \$15

Children: (ages 0-7): Free

Ordained and religious*: Free

Volunteers: Use code to register

*Includes priests, deacons, deacon's wives, religious and consecrated, and seminarians of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester.

Lunch Options

Bring your own

Eat offsite at local food trucks and restaurants

Pre-order a boxed lunch and bottled water when you register. *If you have a special dietary needs, we suggest bringing your own lunch or eating offsite.*

Boxed Lunch pricing

Teen/Adult

Turkey, ham, or roast beef and cheese sandwiches, chips, cookie, and bottle water. There is a vegetarian sandwich option. \$15

Tri-Parish News & Events...

A Church service will be at St. Casimir in Wells on Sunday January 22nd

50th Wedding Anniversary Open House



Jerry & Marilyn Dulas
Sunday Jan. 22nd 1-3 pm
Nasinec Event Center
Hosted by their children
and their families.

No gifts please

The Holy Family Knights of Columbus will be hosting a **Beef Stew supper** on Saturday, January 21 after the 5 P.M. Mass at St. John the Baptist in Saint Ann's hall. A free will donation will be received to help place a memorial stone to the unborn in St. John's Cemetery.

Menu will be a hearty beef stew with buns and a dessert. All are welcome to attend. Come enjoy the hot stew and the warmth of friends and family.

St. Casimir Parishioners

Contribution Statement will be mailed out by **Jan. 31st**.

If you have a change of address Please notify the Parish office or call 507-553-5391, email scamir@bevcomm.net
Thank You!

OLMC 2023 Contribution envelopes are ready and are in the back of church by the south confessional. Please pick up. Those who are Online Giving Donors will not receive boxed sets of envelopes.

Weekly Contributions as of January 8

| | OLMC | STC | STJB |
|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
| Weekly Needed | \$2,692.00 | \$5,671.00 | \$1,750.00 |
| Needed to Date | \$ 78,068.00 | \$ | \$47,250.00 |
| Given to Date | \$ 92,776.19 | \$ | \$53,997.84 |

2023 Catholic Ministry Appeal is still to be determined

| STC Liturgical Ministers | Jan. 29th 2023 |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Lector | Lea Nowak |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Mark Nowak & Larry Brand |
| Ushers | Haugh |
| Servers | Brooke Huper & Kylee Koziolk |
| Trainee | Clara Bushlack |
| Rosary Readers | Mike & Elaine Hernandez |
| Money counters | Team 2 |
| Shepherds Inn | Lea Nowak |

Scripture Reading for

Jan. 29th

First reading:

Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-13

Second readings:

1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Gospel: **Matthew 5:12a**

Monthly Minister schedule is now on our Tri-Parish website St. Casimir only.



The Knights of Columbus Trivia Night is returning this year on **Saturday, February 11**, at 7 pm. Get your teams together!