

TRIPARISH CATHOLIC CHURCHES



Our Lady of Mt Carmel (OLMC)

27 Main Street

Easton, MN 56025

Saint Casimir (STC)

320 2nd Ave SW

Wells, MN 56097

Saint John the Baptist (STJB)

100 Park Street N.

Minnesota Lake, MN 56068

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Sunday February, 13 2022

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Monday,	February 14	
No Mass		
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Tuesday,	February 15	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Wednesday,	February 16	
Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Thursday,	February 17	
Mass	8:30 am	STJB
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Friday,	February 18	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Saturday,	February 19	
Reconciliation	8:30 am	STC
Reconciliation	9:30 am	OLMC
Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Sunday,	February 20	
<i>7th Sunday In Ordinary Time</i>		
Mass	8:00 am	STC
Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

Adoration Eucharistic Adoration for the Tri-parish will resume weekly at St. Casimir Church

Wednesday at 9:00 pm through **Thursday** 10:00 pm.

From Fr. Havel...

God is good! Life is good! Time to move forward. As of Sunday, Feb. 13, there are 16 days before Ash Wednesday. It is time to begin planning for our Lenten journeys. We can begin by asking ourselves, how is God calling me to grow closer to Him in this holy season? Jesus tells us in the Gospels that prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are ways to grow closer to God the Father.

Some thoughts:

- 1) Prayer- Celebrate Mass on Ash Wednesday and all Sundays during Lent. Try to celebrate a weekday mass each week. Pray the rosary each day as you go for a walk (good for the soul and body).
- 2) Fasting- Fast (2 smaller meals and 1 regular meal each day with no snacks). Fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Abstinence (no meat) should be followed on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during Lent. Fast (give up) some TV or computer time and share it with your family. (Maybe rediscover board games with your kids or neighbors).
- 3) Almsgiving- Try to be generous in your support of our parish or other charities. Be always mindful of the poor. Almsgiving isn't only about money. Look for ways to share your time with others through visits, cards, phone calls. Give generously of ourselves to others.

These are some other options:

- 1) Daily reflection books are available for you at each parish (help yourself)
- 2) Rice bowls
- 3) Stations of the Cross books can be used at home.
- 4) Take advantage of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

~Fr. Greg

Lenten Schedules:

Ash Wednesday Masses:

8:30 am STC (with school kids)

5:00 pm STJB

7:00 pm OLMC

Stations of the Cross; (father will lead them on Fridays. People of the parishes can lead them other days if you wish.)

Friday 3/4 STC 5:30 pm

Friday 3/11 OLMC 5:30 pm

Friday 3/18 STJB 5:30 pm

Friday 3/25 STC 5:30 pm

Friday 4/1 OLMC 5:30 pm

Friday 4/8 STJB 5:30 pm

Our 2022 Magnificat Lenten Companion books are in. We will have them at the 2 entrances; the Handicap and the front entrance. There is a limit amount.

Recently departed: Lynda Wright

**In Our Prayers-Soldiers Overseas:
Troy Haugh, Nick Father**

Dear Tri-parish Parishioners:

The kick off for the 2022 Annual Appeal is scheduled for Feb. 26/27. However the mailing will be sent out Feb. 15. For this reason I will be talking about the Appeal on the weekend of Feb. 19 & 20th. It is much the same as in previous years. I want to thank you for your support of the Appeal in previous years and ask for your support as we begin the 2022 Appeal.

There is a diocesan collection to support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. If you would like to donate just mark your envelope for a special donation. There will not be a second collection during mass times. Thank you!

Mass Schedule & Intentions				
Mon	2/14	STC	No Mass	
Tues	2/15	STC	† Marian Warmka	8:30 a.m.
Wed	2/16	OLMC	† Tom Stevermer	8:30 a.m.
Thurs	2/17	STJB	† Frank Sonnek	8:30 a.m.
Fri	2/18	STC	† Norbert Sonnek	8:30 a.m.
Sat	2/19	STJB	† Merikay Stokman	5:00 p.m.
Sun	2/20	STC	† Pam Schultz	8:00 a.m.
Sun	2/20	OLMC	† Tom Sonnek	10:00 a.m.

Tri-Parish Announcements

Minnesota Lake Ambulance Service

Soup & Pie Supper Fundraiser

4:00-7:00 p.m. Sunday February 20, 2022

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Minnesota Lake. Unable to attend? Checks may be written to MLVARA & dropped off at the Lembke Building or mailed to Minnesota Lake Volunteer Ambulance Relief Association. P.O. Box 112, Minnesota Lake, MN 56068

The Shoemaker's Appeal: You did it! With a goal of raising \$30,000.00 through the school's annual Shoemaker's Appeal, we were overjoyed to see the donation total climb higher and higher to where it now stands at \$34,158.05! The students and staff of St. Casimir's School are so grateful for the generosity of our tri-parish and alumni members in their support of the school's mission to enrich the souls of the students as well as their minds. This blessing will last a lifetime...and beyond! Thank you!

Parish Council Meetings:

Feb 15: OLMC 7:00 pm

Feb 22: STC 7:00 pm

I want to take this opportunity to say thank you to Rosemary Brand for her years of generous service and guidance in the decorating of our Church. Rosemary wishes to cut-back on some of the work she does and so we are in need of people to volunteer their talents and ideas in making St. Casimir a welcoming place throughout the different liturgical seasons of the year. To inquirers or volunteers to assist please call Fr. Havel at 553-5391. Thank You.

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

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

Julie Theis, Helen Skov, Theresa Berry, Dave Villarreal, Reta Stencel, Mary McCallum, Bruce Woitas, Cassandra Walser, Jerome Goette, Jean Stenzel, Zach Fendrich, Triston Father, Mike Redig, Mark Haler, Janet Yokiel, Dale Sonnek, Butch Becker, Jay Johnson, Jim Bute, Marge Bute, David Stadheim, Dick Esser, Ardean Schultz, Leshaine Sonnek ***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. Janet Schimek 854-3638 STJB- Rhonda Drager at 462-3627 or STJB Parish Office at 462-3636, STC- Barb Stenzel at 553-3805.

KC Exemplification The Holy Family Knights of Columbus will be holding an exemplification for three new members at St. Casimir on **Tuesday, February 15th**. We will begin with the Family Rosary at 7:30 p.m. with the exemplification beginning after the rosary. We encourage current members to attend and help us welcome our new members. The exemplification will take approximately 45 minutes. There will be a reception with refreshments following the ceremony. Call Grand Knight, Tom Schindler for more information or questions at 553-3062

Employment opportunity

The Tri-Parish of St. Joseph, St. Matthew and St. Teresa is seeking a full time Tri-Parish Administrator, in Mapleton, MN. This position is the primary contact for the office and performs a full range of administrative, managerial, and clerical functions for the tri-parish. The Administrator collaborates with the pastor, bookkeeper, the tri-parish staff, and enables all parish ministries to function effectively. Minimum qualifications: Practicing Roman Catholic, High School Diploma or GED, proficient in Apple Office or MS Office. Benefits are offered for full time staff. Please send your letter of application, resume, and references, to sjsmst@gmail.com You can also find a detailed job description on our website www.sjsmst.org under "employment".

Weekly Contributions as of February 4

OLMC--Amount needed weekly.....\$2,452.00

Amount needed to date.....\$78,464.00

Amount given to date..... \$113,346.90

STC— Amount needed weekly.....\$5,127.00

Amount needed to date.....\$143,556.00

Amount given to date.....\$180,661.76

Does not reflect current amounts, update soon

STJB—Amount needed weekly.....\$1,700.00

Amount needed to date.....\$54,400.00

Amount given to date.....\$50,847.88

Online giving is available at the website: olmctstjb.org or triparishsouth.com. Click on the Online Giving logo on the main page under the calendar for the parish you'd like to donate to. It can be one-time or recurring.

Scrip is available! Please call 553-5391 Email: scasimir@bevcomm.net. Or stop into the Church Office.

Scripture Reading for Next Week: (STC)

7th Sunday of In Ordinary Time (2-20-22)

First reading: 1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Second readings: 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Gospel: Luke 6:27-38

Lector: Lea Nowak

Greeters : Meyer

Sanitizing: Meyer

Rosary: Carol Linder

Money Counters: Team 1

Shepard's Inn: Linda Enser

Monthly Minister, lector and rosary schedule is now on our Tri-Parish website

TriParish Directory

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Cemetery.....Don Linder

Faith Formation.....Chris Schultz

Music.....Mary Kayser

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Bookkeeper.....BreAnne Scheid

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St. John the Baptist

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St. Casimir's School

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Office Hours Vary

If you would like Holy Communion brought to you , please call the Church office 553-5391.