

TRI~PARISH CATHOLIC CHURCH

APRIL 7, 2024 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER , DIVINE MERCY

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Mass Schedule & Intentions			
Mon., April 8	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Tues., April 9	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Wed., April 10	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration starts	9:00 pm	STC
Thurs., April 11	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration ends	10:00 pm	STC
Friday, April	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sat., April 13	Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
	†John Bartell Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sun. April 14 <i>3rd Sunday of Easter</i>	Mass	8:00 am	STC
	†Leo & †Elaine Wach Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
	†Thomas Draz Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

Weekly Mass Times Starting: April 16, 2024

(Rosary 30 minutes Before Masses)

Tuesday Evening Mass	6:00 PM	STC
Wednesday Morning Mass	8:30 AM	OLMC
Thursday Morning Mass	8:30 AM	STJB
Friday Morning Mass	8:30 AM	STC

Tri-Parish Staff

Pastoral Administrator Fr. Kurt Farrell
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Administration

OLMC.....Sue Cory
STC.....Ilda Reyerson
BookkeeperRod Kollman
STJB.....Rhonda Drager

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OLMC.....Chris Schultz
STC.....Lisa Bute

STC School

PrincipalJohn Hengel
Office Manager.....Teresa Chirpich
Bookkeeper.....Rod Kollman

Cemetery

OLMC.....Don Linder
STC.....Tom Schindler
STJB.....Bob Drager

Tri-Parish Office Hours:

St. Casimir Rectory office hours

Monday 8:00 am to 2:00 pm

Tuesday 9:00 to 2:00 pm

Wednesday 8:00 to 2:00 pm

Thursday 8:00 to 2:00 pm

Friday Closed

OLMC.....Hours Varied

STJB.....Hours Varied

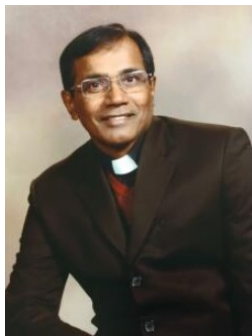
Fr. Kurt Farrell

Traditionally the second Sunday of Easter is known as “Divine Mercy Sunday”. The reason for this is because it concludes the octave of Easter, in which we have celebrated for eight days the victory the Lord has won for us over sin, by his suffering, death and resurrection.

In the Gospel this Sunday, when Jesus appears to the apostles for the first time, the apostle Thomas is not there. When the other Apostles tell Thomas that they have seen the Lord, he does not believe them. It is not until Jesus appears to Thomas and allows Thomas to put his hand in his wounds, does Thomas finally gets on his knees and says my Lord and my God.

For some people it takes more than others to come to believe, and place there life in the hands of Jesus. The story of Thomas helps us realize that it does not matter so much, how long it takes us to get there, but that we get there. Jesus is very patient with us, but sooner or later, if we want to receive the mercy of God, we are going to have to get down on our knees and say my Lord and my God. ~ Fr. Kurt

New priest coming In April *Tri-Parish Giving-Liturgical Ministers*



Our new priest that will be coming to Wells, **April 15th**. His name is Father Pratap R Salibindla and he is currently serving the Tri-Parish of Sacred Heart Church in Heron lake, Sacred Heart Church in Brewster and St. Francis Xavier in Windom.

Weekly Contributions as of March 31, 2024			
	OLMC	STC	STJB
Weekly Needed	\$2,500.00	\$5,519.00	\$1,925.00
Needed to Date	\$100,000.00	\$209,376.00	\$78,925.00
Given to Date	\$122,612.84	\$199,159.00	\$79,039.50
2024 CMA Goals			
	OLMC	STC	STJB
CMA Goal	\$10,683.00	\$21,089.00	\$7,965.00
Amount Rec'd	\$4,165.00	\$9,868.00	\$7,473.00

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

Let us always remember the sick and all those in need of prayer, especially Sue Sonnek, Teresa Berry, Dave Smith, Craig Sonnek, Jeremy Kolars, Charlie Kalis, Koltun Kunz, Betty Thisius, Jan Stenzel, Nancy Dylla, Jerome Leesch, Gary Bach, Dawn “Russ” Cory, Dale and Marg Sonnek, Triston Father, Sheila Runquist, Chuck Evan, Zach Fendrich, John Volz, Jeanne Miller, Don Yokiell, Ken Tibodeau, Tiffany Sonnek, Dave Sonnek, Jan Willette, Mark Obermeyer, Greg Sonnek, Ron Laitenberger, Pam Klocek, Jan Elmer, Mike Redig, Steve Nowak, Dennis Thisius, Donald Klocek, Melissa Haugh, Don Becker, Steve Stenzel, **and for all our service men & women of the armed forces.** please call us and we will begin our prayer lines for any need. OLMC-Sue Cory 787-2598, STJB-Rhonda Drager at 462-3627 or STJB Parish Office at 462-3636, STC-Barb Stenzel 553-3805

St. Casimir Liturgical Ministers

April 14th, 2024

Sacristan—Lea Nowak

Lector— Bernard Steinhauer

Eucharistic Ministers—Bev Klein & Arnie Stenzel

Ushers— John Tibodeou, Chris Bushlack & Rick Herman

Servers—Abby Chirpich & Nicholas Scheid

Rosary Readers—Tim Klein

Money counters— 2

Shepherds Inn— Linda Esner

<p>Scripture Reading for April 14, 2024</p> <p>First reading: Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19</p> <p>Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a</p> <p>Gospel: Luke 24:35-48</p>

<p>In Our Prayers:</p> <p>Recently departed: James L. Bute</p> <p>Soldiers Overseas: <i>Bernard D. Steinhauer, Connor Grunzke & Troy Haugh</i></p>

St. John The Baptist Easter Flowers Donations

Given By:	In Memory:
Katie Woitas	John Woitas, Nancy Robling, Courtney Pogoness
Mary Stevermer	Dan Stevermer
Darrell & Denise Radtke	family
Carol Supalla	Harlan and Bob Leesch
Dennis & Donna Weckwerth	Family
RoseMary Leesch	Harlan & Bob Leesch
Janice Evenson	Deceased Family Members
Bob & Rhonda Drager	Virginia Drager & Reta Stencil
Quentin Staloch	Connie and Kelli Staloch

Tri-Parish Announcements

Stew Supper

April 13th 6:00 p.m.

St. John the Baptist

Funds to help expand
Catholic radio to the area



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SECOND SUNDAY SOCIAL

HOSTED BY ST. CASIMIR'S
HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

SUNDAY : APRIL 14TH

PLEASE JOIN US FOR COFFEE, ROLLS, AND
FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING
THE 8 A.M. MASS
IN THE ST. CASIMIR CHURCH HALL.
**FREE WILL DONATION*
ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE
STUDENTS OF ST. CASIMIR'S SCHOOL.







“God dwells in our midst, in the Blessed Sacrament of the altar.” “He remains among us until the end of the world. He dwells on so many altars, though so often offended and profaned.” Pope St. Pius X

St. Casimir Easter Flowers Donations

Given By:	In Memory of:
Kathy Schultz	Marvin Schultz
Barb Stenzel & Family	Richard Stenzel
	Alex & Amelia Stenzel, Walt and Maurine Wacholz
Evelyn Neubauer & Family	Ron Neubauer
Sandy Anderson Family	Joe & Bea Neubauer, Dick Ronningen
George & Deb Widman and Family	Wilbur & Neva Widman & Family
	Donald & Marlene Staloch, Leo & Elaine Wach, Herman & Leola Wach, & Joesph & Mary Staloch
Steve & Angie Bushlack and Family	Darlene & Mark Delgado and Ben Bushlack
Linda Sonnek	Norbert P. Sonnek and Matthew Sonnek
Gen Besser and Family	James & Douglas Besser Lawrence Minkel & Family Ervin Besser & Family
Leona Yokiell	George Yokiell
Pat Bias	Tony and Mark Bias Judson and Marie Manwarren and Richard Manwarren
Kris and Neil Keefer, Jo Giese	Doc & Lil Jenson, Myles Brooks
Jan Ignaszewski	Jerome Ignaszewski
Rosie Seipp	Lloyd Seipp
Ray & Marti Yokiell	Deceased Members of Rossing and Yokiell Families
Warmka Family	James and Marian Warmka

School News

Choosing a school is one of the most important decisions a family will make. As a nonpublic parochial school, St. Casimir's School has a strong history of academic excellence. In the most recent NWEA standardized testing session, our average student test scores were at nearly 70% for both reading and math—meaning that our students tested at or above approximately 70% of our nation's students taking this standardized test. Also, as a Christ-centered faith community where we pray, learn and celebrate together, the school strives to build an atmosphere that fosters an appreciation and respect for all God's creation while upholding the values that parents instill within the home.

St. Casimir's School is now accepting applications for enrollment for students in preschool through sixth grade for the 2024-2025 school year. If you would like an application or more information, please contact the school at 50-553-5822 or send an email to casimir@bevcomm.net.