

TRIPARISH CATHOLIC CHURCHES



Our Lady of Mt Carmel (OLMC)

27 Main Street

Easton, MN 56025

Saint Casimir (STC)

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Wells, MN 56097

Saint John the Baptist (STJB)

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Minnesota Lake, MN 56068

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Sunday May 1, 2022

3rd Sunday of Easter

*Monday,	May 2	
No Mass		STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Tuesday,	May 3	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Wednesday,	May 4	
Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Thursday,	May 5	
Mass	8:30 am	STJB
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Friday,	May 6	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
*Saturday,	May 7	
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,	May 8	
<i>4th Sunday of Easter</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.



We celebrate with and congratulate Brenna Huper, Josette Schimek, and Julia Herman who will receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time. The First Holy Communion Mass will be at St. Casimir at 8:00 a.m. Sunday.

From Fr. Havel...

In the Hebrew language, there is no way of expressing comparatives and superlatives. In English, we add 'er' or 'est'. In this way, we say big, bigger, or biggest. Hebrew in order to make a comparative the word or phrase is simply repeated. In this understanding, the superlative is found in the repeated phrase being 3 times.

The fullness of God is formed in the Trinity; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The angels in heaven sing, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of Hosts. The fullness of Holiness is found in God. Peter denied knowing Jesus three times at the Passion of the Lord. He really denied the Lord. Today we hear in the Gospel how after the resurrection of Jesus, Peter professes his love for Jesus three times. Jesus asked Peter, "Do you love me? And Peter three times answers, "Yes Lord, you know I love you" Peter makes a complete act of faith in his love for Jesus and that faith and God's grace would guide his life. May we make a complete act of faith and be guided always by the grace of the Holy Spirit through the joys and sorrows of life. ~Fr. Greg



In the weeks to come, we will be bringing back to our Eucharistic celebrations parts of our congregational ministries. This will be done at all 3 parishes. I encourage everyone to prayerfully reflect on how you can live lives of service to God by actively participating in service to others at Mass. It takes many people's involvement to offer the Eucharist. There is a need for lectors to read the Word of God, and Eucharistic Ministers to bring the Lord to God's people in Holy Communion, ushers, servers, musicians, and singers. There is also a need for people who are willing to share their time and talents in the adornment of the Churches. Life is good and it is time to move forward with the Lord.

Recently departed: Donna Hollund

Baptisms:
Evelyn Reed Herman
Rinley Rae Kuhns

In Our Prayers-Soldiers Overseas:
Jacob Cory, Troy Haugh,

School update...

Greetings from Kindergarten!! The countdown to the end of the school year is here already!! The students have learned so much this year but there is still so much to do! If only time could slow down just a wee bit!

In Math the students have been learning about two dimensional shapes and the attributes that describe them. Two math vocabulary words that the kids have been introduced to and are working very hard at using correctly are "vertex" and "vertices". The shapes that have been discussed are square, rectangle, triangle, circle, and hexagon. Some of the skills that are being introduced are creating and continuing a pattern as well as making new shapes such as a rectangle out of squares.

In Science we celebrated Earth Day and talked about the three R's: reduce, reuse, and recycle. The students learned about the importance of reducing waste, reusing items for other purposes and what items can and should be recycled to make new things.

Social Studies has taught the importance of differentiating between wants and needs. The students know that we need shelter, food, water and clothing to keep us healthy and safe. They also know that items such as teddy bears, puppies, televisions and bicycles are wants as they are not necessary in order to live, be healthy and safe.

Blessings!
Beth Emerson

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Mon	5/2	No Mass		
Tues	5/3	STC	† Mary & † Sean Stenzel	8:30 a.m.
Wed	5/4	OLMC	† Tom Sonnek	8:30 a.m.
Thurs	5/5	STJB	† Burton & † Donna Schroeder	8:30 a.m.
Fri	5/6	STC	† Living and deceased Ria Bushlack Family	8:30 a.m.
Sat	5/7	STJB	† Adeline James	5:00 p.m.
Sun	5/8	STC	† Living & deceased members of the Rosary Society	8:00 a.m.
Sun	5/8	OLMC	† Margaret Stevermer	10:00 a.m.

Tri-Parish Announcements

Gertens Plant Pick Up: Thank you to all who supported the St. Casimir's School Gertens Fundraiser by ordering plants and flowers! As a reminder, your order will be ready for pick up following the **Sunday, May 1st**, Mass. Please come to the gymnasium entrance directly off the parking lot, and someone will be available to help you with your order. Thanks once again!

There were a few missed Easter memorials, my sincere apology

STC Easter Memorials

Given by...	In Memory of ...
Evelyn Neubauer	Ron Neubauer
Sandy Anderson	Bea & Joe Neubauer, Family
	Dick Ronningen

OLMC: MCCW will hold their next meeting on **Tuesday, May 10, 2022 at 7:00 pm in Madonna Hall. All are welcome to attend.**

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

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

Andrew Knewton, Mildred Stencel, Dave Braun, Joel Sonnek, Lee Beran, Kolton Kunz, Joe Mazurkiewicz Family, Pat Dallman, Helen Skov, Theresa Berry, Reta Stencel, Mary McCallum, Bruce Woitas, Cassandra Walser, Jerome Goette, Zach Fendrich, Triston Father, Mike Redig, Mark Haler, Janet Yokiel, Dale Sonnek, Butch Becker, Jim Bute, Marge Bute, **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.

Job Posting at St. Casimir's School is committed to hiring excellent teacher staff for our K-6 School. We are currently accepting applications for a full-time licensed 3rd/4th grade combination classroom teacher. We also have part-time openings in the areas of Art, Music, PE, and Religion. Come join our staff and enjoy small class sizes, a supportive and caring environment and staff who are dedicated to our students. The teaching staff plays a critical role in fulfilling the mission, upholding the values and implementing the philosophy of St. Casimir's School. We are looking for staff who are filled with faith, joy, and dedication to our school, our faith. Application Instructions/Comments Please apply by submitting a cover letter, resume, and references to: **Diane Edwards Principal 330 Second Avenue Wells, MN 56097**

d.edwards@stcasimirsschool.net Positions will remain open until filled.

Diocese of Winona-Rochester - Child Sexual Abuse Policy Information

The Diocese of Winona-Rochester will provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employees, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 507-454-2270, Extension 255. A caller will be asked to provide his or her name and telephone number. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is committed to protecting children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. The diocesan policy is available on the diocesan web site at www.dowr.org under the Safe Environment Program. If you have any questions about the Diocese of Winona's implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Mary Hamann, at 507-858-1244, or mhamann@dowr.org.

Weekly Contributions
as of April 15

OLMC

Amount needed weekly\$2,452.00
Amount needed to date\$105,436.00
Amount given to date\$147,693.52

STC

Amount needed weekly\$5,127.00
Amount needed to date\$206,250.00
Amount given to date\$210,674.64

STJB

Amount needed weekly\$1,700.00
Amount needed to date\$73,100.00
Amount given to date\$63,493.88

Online giving is available at the website: olmcstcstjb.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.

Catholic Ministry Appeal

OLMC Goal \$9,600.00

Amount received/pledged- \$5,500.00

% Given- 46.88%

donors- 20

STC Goal—\$20,385.00

Amount received/pledged- \$9,759.00

% Given-45.20%

donors-42

STJB Goal \$7,658.00

Amount received/pledged- \$3,425.00

% Given- 44.72%

donors-14

Scripture Reading for Next Week: (STC)

3rd Sunday of Easter

First reading: Acts of the Apostles, 5:27-32

Second readings: Revelation 5:11-14

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Lector: Lea Nowak

Greeters :Brands

Rosary: Ray & Marti

Money Counters: team 4

Shepherd's Inn: Linda Esner

*Monthly Minister schedule is now on our
Tri-Parish website STC only*

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

St. Casimir School will be selling Scrip again after 8:00 am
mass in Wells. We will still offer Scrip during the week at the
parish office from 8:00-2:00 Thank you for your support. St.
Casimir School. No scrip sold on Holidays