

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 May 7th, 2023

5th Sunday of Easter

Mass Schedule & Intentions			
Mon., May 8	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Tues., May 9	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	†Mark Kubu Family		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Wed., May 10	Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
	†Gerry Ziegler		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration-starts	9:00 pm	STC
Thurs., May 11	Mass	8:30 am	STJB
	†LaRue Staloch		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration Ends	10:00 pm	STC
Friday, May 12	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	† Clem Stencil		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sat., May 13	Reconciliation	8:30 am	STC
	Reconciliation	9:30 am	OLMC
	Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
	Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
	†Adeline James		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sun., May 14	Mass	8:00 am	STC
<i>6th Sunday of Easter</i>	†Norbert Sonnek		
	Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
	†Karen and †Doug Nave		
	Rosary	7:30 am	STC

The Courier is available in all entrances.

Pick one up on your way out!

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Fr. Greg Havel...

We hear in our first reading this weekend that the Church continued to grow. The Acts of the Apostles tells us about life in the early Church. The Church grew because people gave witness in their daily lives to the presence of God. Others, we are told, recognized in them something different and it was the power of God's love lived out that attracted others to the early Church. May God strengthen all of us to live our faith as we give witness to God's loving presence in our lives and world. ~ Fr. Greg



Tootsie Roll Drive this weekend.



On Saturday, May 27, at 10:00 am at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus Kostka in Winona, Brian Klein will be ordained a deacon for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. The ordination Mass is open to everyone who wants to attend. Brian will be the deacon at the 8:00 am Sunday Mass, May 28th at St. Casimir and a light reception will follow in the parish hall. Please keep Brian and the other deacon candidates in your prayers.

In Our Prayers:

Corrections in the last bulletin. The baptism for the child of Ryan and Andrea Herman the child baptized was their son Oliver George Herman.

Recently departed: Mary Ann O'Rourke

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

School activities For May.

May 9th- Home & School Meeting & Family Barbecue- SCS Gym & Fr. Mikolai Hall.

May 12- Gertens Flowers will be ready for pick up at the school gym from 6-7 pm.

May 14- The school will be having coffee and rolls after mass at St. Casimir.

Eucharist Congress

We are looking for one or two people from each parish to carry the banners for our Churches at the Eucharist Congress in Mankato on June 10th. If you would like to represent your Church that would be great! For more details please call St. Casimir Rectory at 507-553-5391 or contact Sue Cory, Rhonda Drager or Arnie Stencil. If you are willing to volunteer your cost for the admission will be reimbursed.

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

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

Bill Borris, Orland Drager, Steve Heilmann, Mark Obermeyer, Jim Bute, Greg Sonnek, Ron Laitenberger, Doug Redman, "Baby VanOterloo", Pam Klocek, Jan Elmer, Mike Redig, Steve Nowak, Dennis Thisius, Donald Klocek, Melissa Haugh, Butch Becker, Don Becker, Alice Roecker, Steve Stenzel, Larry Woitas, Andrew Knewton, Mildred Stencil, 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. OLMC- Sue Cory 787-2598, STJB—Rhonda Drager 462-3627 or STJB Parish office at 462-3636, STC— Barb Stenzel 553-3805



SCS Principal Position: St. Casimir's School is looking for a principal for the 2023-2024 school year. The successful candidate must be a practicing Catholic, hold a minimum of a master's degree or be willing to work toward this degree and preferably a MN licensure in educational administration or a related field. Qualified applicants are invited to send a resume' cover letter and list of references to Fr. Gregory Havel, St Casimir Parish, 320 2nd Ave. SW, Wells, MN 56097.

Elementary Teacher Positions: St Casimir's School in Wells, MN is seeking a full-time kindergarten and a full-time third/fourth grade teachers for the 2023-2024 school year. The candidates will uphold the Catholic values and philosophy of the school while enjoying small class sizes, a supportive teaching environment and staff who are dedicated to their students. Please submit a cover letter, resume', references and a copy of current MN teaching license to casimir@bevcomm.net or by mail to St. Casimir's School, 330 2nd Ave. SW, Wells, MN 56097.

School Donations

If you are looking for items to donate to St. Casimir's School for classrooms, please take a look at our wish list on Amazon. Order using Amazon Smile and Raise Right to add extra earnings for our school.

[SCS Amazon wish list](#)

This is My Body: Diocesan Eucharistic Congress, June 10 2023: You are invited to represent your parish and join thousands of your fellow Catholics in a day dedicated to education, inspiration, and joy in the Eucharistic Lord! We will have national speakers, musicians, service projects, children's activities, and it will be available in four languages. Then we will conclude the Congress with Mass and a Eucharistic Procession. Go to www.eucharist.dowr.org to learn more and register. Register before May 15 for an early registration discount just for our diocese!

What is a Eucharistic Congress? They are historic calls to convene God's people far and wide and rejoice in the Eucharistic Lord. We learn, we make friends, we rejoice, we worship together! They are occasions of grace and revival, and who doesn't need that?

Why is the Diocese of Winona-Rochester having a Congress? Bp. Robert Barron called for a Eucharistic Congress as one of his first acts as bishop of our diocese. As he has said, we are at a point in our history where we should be humble and welcome the graces of the Holy Spirit that flow through Eucharistic Congresses throughout our nation's history. We need renewal after an extraordinarily difficult few years, and he expects this Congress to launch a new age of mission in our diocese.

What does this have to do with you? Each and every one of you are invited to represent our parish and join thousands of our fellow Catholics in a day dedicated to education, inspiration, and joy in the Eucharistic Lord! Bp. Barron will open the day, and we will have national speakers telling their own stories and teaching us. We will have musicians, and we will pack 10,000 emergency food kits for those in need. We will have children's activities available, and the Congress will be available in four languages. Then we will conclude the Congress with a Diocesan Mass for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, and a Eucharistic Procession through downtown Mankato.

What do you do now? Go to www.eucharist.dowr.org to learn more and register. Register *before May 15 for an early registration discount just for our diocese!*

Tri-Parish News & Events...

It's Tootsie Roll time

"The Holy Family Knights of Columbus will be giving out Tootsie rolls on **May 6th and 7th**, **after the Masses** that weekend.

The money collected will help support local agencies helping the Mentally Challenged in our area. Please take a tootsie roll and drop what you can in the cans to help our neighbors. The Council Thanks You!"

OLMC Mother's Day-Rose Bouquets

Mother's Day Rose Bouquets-Rose bouquets will be available on Mother's Day, May 13 at OLMC before and after Mass. A donation of \$7 for a single rose, or three roses for \$20. Proceeds go to MCCL. This is the only fundraiser in Faribault County for MCCL. Any questions, call Monica Linder at 787-2258

St. Casimir Cemetery Clean up

We will have our cemetery cleanup day on Saturday May 6, Beginning at 9 am. Please bring work gloves and rakes. If you have any decorations at the cemetery on the ground or that violate other decorating rules, please remove them before that date. Thank You!

STJB is looking for volunteers to help with Church, Parish Center and Cemetery yard Clean up. Please call Rhonda at 507-380-8591 and then a date will be set when weather permits.

STC Spring Cleaning!

Workers needed Saturday, May 20th 9 am. Workers needed to deep clean Kitchen & Dining Hall counters, floors, tables & chairs (no waxing) Please contact Carol Goeden by May 13 if you are able to help. Thank you

Weekly Contributions as of April 30

	OLMC	STC	STJB
Weekly Needed	\$2,692.00	\$5,671.00	\$1,750.00
Needed to Date	\$118,448.00	\$209,950.00	\$73,500.00
Given to Date	\$138,132.64	\$240,115.01	\$81,837.63
2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal			
CMA Goal	\$10,683.00	\$21,089.00	\$7,658.00
Amount Rec'd	\$7,132.00	\$9,465.00	\$2,300.00

STC Liturgical Ministers	May 14, 2023
Lector	Blane Bias
Eucharistic Ministers	Mark & Lea Nowak
Ushers	Tom & Marilyn Staloch Matt Zebro
Servers	Juliana Dulas Lennox Feist
Rosary Readers	Mike & Elaine Hernandez
Money counters	1
Shepherds Inn	Lea Nowak

Scripture Reading for

May 14, 2023

First reading:

Acts 8:5-8

Second readings:

1 Peter 3:15-18

Gospel:

John 14:15-21

Save the date.

St. Casimir Church Baccalaureate Mass will be Sunday May 21st , we have 7 seniors this year. There will not be one at OLMC or STJB.

Stop by and visit the
Scrip Table
on Sunday, May 7th
How to start using Scrip

<https://youtu.be/c-v65F0xr2c>

Scrip Cards are always available in
the Parish office

weekdays from 8:00 to 2:00 pm

