

# 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 July 2nd, 2023

### 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions			
Mon., July 3	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Tues., July 4	Mass	8:30 am	STC
<i>STC rectory closed</i>	†Sue Quickstad		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Wed., July 5	Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
	†Mike Bauer		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration-starts	9:00 pm	STC
Thurs., July 6	Mass	8:30 am	STJB
	†Gladys Walser		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration Ends	10:00 pm	STC
Friday, July 7	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	†Marvin Schultz		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sat., July 8	Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
<i>Morning Funeral</i>	Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
	†LaRue Staloch		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sun., July 9	Mass	8:00 am	STC
<i>14th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	†Norbert Sonnek & †Matt Sonnek		
	Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
	†Bob Doyle		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

## Tri-Parish Staff Contact Information

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## Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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 Cemetery..... Don Linder  
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## St. John the Baptist

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## St. Casimir's School

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 Principal.....  
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From Fr. Greg Havel...

St. Paul writes, "Brothers and sisters: Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life." St. Paul is reminding us that in baptism we truly die with Christ that we might rise with him to newness of life. We die to our humanity that we can live in our divinity as children of God. In baptism, we have become a new people united to our God and dwelling places of the Holy Spirit.

This week we celebrate Independence Day. It is a day to give thanks to God for our country. It is more than a day off work. May we take time to celebrate the freedoms that we enjoy as citizens and give thanks for the men and women who continue to guard the freedoms that we enjoy.

~ Fr. Greg

**In Our Prayers:**

**Recently Departed:** *Mildred Stencel, and Victor Stenzel*

**Soldiers Overseas:**

*Bernard D. Steinhauer, & Troy Haugh*

**Sacraments of the Church**

**Baptism:** Expectant parents who wish to present their child for Baptism must participate in Baptism Preparation Class. Contact the Tri-Parish office at 507-553-5391.

**Marriage:** All Catholics need to meet with a Priest at least six months before being married (even if the wedding is in a non-Catholic church). Contact the Tri-Parish office at least one year before your scheduled wedding date.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):** If you or someone you know would like more information on becoming Catholic please contact the Tri-Parish office.

**Christian Burials:** For all burials at any of the Tri-Parish cemeteries, please contact Tom Schindler for St. Casimir 553-5391; Don Linder for Our Lady of Mount Carmel 787-2303; Bob Drager for St. John the Baptist 462-3636.

**Daily Rosary:** Evenings at St. Casimir beginning at 7:30 p.m.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday's at St. Casimir, 8:30 am, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, 9:30 am. and St. John the Baptist, 4:00 pm.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Starts 9:00pm. Wednesday evening until - Thursdays 10:00 pm. at St. Casimir.



**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Baptisms**

We welcome into the Catholic faith on Saturday, July 1, 2023. Emilio Andres Hernandez, infant son of Gustavo Hernandez Garcia and Maritza Ortiz Hernandez.

On Sunday, July 2, 2023 we welcome Aurora Rose Lippert, infant daughter of Elijah and Anne Lippert. Congratulations to Emilio and Aurora and their families! May God be your constant guide and strength. May God Bless you in your journey through life.

**Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish**

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

Robert Nowak, Helen Chirpich, Tiffany Sonnek, Laurie Radke-Maidl, Dave Sonnek, Jan Willette, Jean Stenzel, Denise (Thisius) Besser, 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 Knewtson, 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](mailto: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](#)**

## *Follow Jesus*

In today's Gospel reading. Jesus asks some people to leave everything behind and follow Him. God is actually asking all of us to follow Him! Does that mean that we have to start wandering from town to town preaching? No! It means that we should try to become holy like Jesus.

God calls everyone to be holy. Some people become holy as priest or religious sisters or brothers, but those are not the only ways to become holy. Kids, married people and single people can live out God's plan for holiness by doing His will every day.

You might think at first that being holy sounds boring, but it's not! Holiness means being like God. It means using the gifts God gave you to do good things. It means doing the right thing at the right time, and sometimes that means being a hero.

That's definitely not boring!



## Tri-Parish News & Events...

### OLMC Friendship Day.

**OLMC Friendship Day was a huge success! Many thanks to our generous donors and supporters of our fundraiser. Without you, this would not be possible. Thank you to all who attended the Windsor Chop dinner and purchased raffle tickets! We raised \$23,000! God is good and He has deeply blessed us. Proceeds from this event go toward new sidewalks and landscaping on the south side of the church. Thank you one and all!**

### **Institute of Lay Formation Diocese of Winona-Rochester**

During the 2023-2024 academic year, in support of our U.S. Church's National Eucharistic Revival, the diocesan Institute of Lay Formation will provide a one-year formation process of intensive study of, and reflection on, the Church's teaching on the Eucharist. With the theme, "Eucharistic Formation for Missionary Discipleship." the aim of this year is to form lay leaders as missionary disciples "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'." ([www.eucharisticrevival.org/](http://www.eucharisticrevival.org/)) Program and registration information are available online at the Institute web page (<https://www.dowr.org/offices/lay-formation/institute.html>). This will be a special one year program of the Institute, and it is open to all interested by lay women and men in the diocese.

Thank you our Tri-parish members who shared their experience at the Eucharistic Rival.

### **Weekly Contributions as of June 25th**

	OLMC	STC	STJB
Weekly Needed	\$2,692.00	\$5,671.00	\$1,750.00
Needed to Date	\$139,984.00	\$272,258.83	\$87,500.00
Given to Date	\$153,323.74	\$250,200.00	\$88,897.65
<b>2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal</b>			
CMA Goal	\$10,683.00	\$21,089.00	\$7,658.00
Amount Rec'd	\$9,582.00	\$12,155.00	\$6,300.00

STC Liturgical Ministers	July 9, 2023
Lector	Blaine Bias
Eucharistic Ministers	Larry Brand Adam Henning
Ushers	Mark Herman Don Chirpich Mark Schmitz
Servers	Lennox Feist Abby Chirpich
Rosary Readers	Larry Brand
Money counters	3
Shepherds Inn	Linda Enser

### **Scripture Reading for July 9, 2023**

First reading:  
**Zechariah 9:9-10**  
Second readings:  
**Romans 8-9, 11-13**  
Gospel:  
**Matthew 11:25-30**

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

<http://www.olmcstcstjb.org>



Have a great weekend!

The rectory will be closed on  
Tuesday July 4th.

## ***OLMC Friendship Day Raffle Fundraiser 2023***

		<b><u>WINNER</u></b>
<b>FIVE 7TH PRIZES</b>	<b>\$200</b>	Brent & Chrissie Ankeny
	<b>\$200</b>	H.M. Goldman Trucking
	<b>\$200</b>	Brett Stevermer
	<b>\$200</b>	Lou Becker
	<b>\$200</b>	Kim Buntjer
<b>FIVE 6TH PRIZES</b>	<b>\$500</b>	Lori Stevermer
	<b>\$500</b>	Chelsea Sonnek
	<b>\$500</b>	Stephen Rath
	<b>\$500</b>	Pat Schimek
	<b>\$500</b>	Nenita Bauer
<b>TWO 5TH PRIZES</b>	<b>\$750</b>	Donald Bruckhoff
	<b>\$750</b>	Beth Zabel
<b>TWO 4TH PRIZES</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	Simon Warmkagathje
	<b>\$1,000</b>	Megan Linder
<b>3RD PRIZE</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>	Mary Kayser
<b>2ND PRIZE</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>	Charles Klocek
<b>GRAND PRIZE</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>	Jack Schimek
<b>Friendship Day Quilt</b>		Kim Buntjer
<b>Nasinec Funeral Home-Gift Card to Margaret's Pub</b>		Dean Schimek
<b>Nasinec Funeral Home-Gift Card to Margaret's Pub</b>		Cassandra Rauenhorst