

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 30th, 2023

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions			
Mon., July 31	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Tues., Aug. 1	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	†Pete & †Lisa LaFrance		
Wed., Aug. 2	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
	†Mitch Perrizo Jr.		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Thurs., Aug. 3	Adoration-starts	9:00 pm	STC
	Mass	8:30 am	STJB
	†Frank Sonnek		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Friday, Aug. 4	Adoration Ends	10:00 pm	STC
	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	†Madeline Buesing		
Sat., Aug. 5	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Reconciliation	8:30 am	STC
Sun., Aug. 6	Reconciliation	9:30 am	OLMC
	Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
	Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
	†LaRue Staloch		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Mass	8:00 am	STC
<i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i>	†Rita Neubauer		
	Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
	†Clara Madzo		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

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From Fr. Greg Havel...

God was pleased with Solomon for the request he had made from God. We read as Solomon asks for wisdom and knowledge of right from wrong. "So God said to him; Because you have asked for this-not for a long life for yourself, nor for riches, nor for the lives of your enemies, but for understanding so that you may know what is right- I do as you requested."

When we come before the Lord in prayer, what do we ask for? Many times people ask for worldly things. Solomon asks for wisdom that he could faithfully do the will of God. May God bless us and guide us that our words and actions may give glory to God.

This weekend we welcome Fr. John Lasuba to our parishes. Fr. John is here for our annual mission co-op weekend. May the grace of God bless all missionaries. ~ Fr. Greg

In Our Prayers:
Soldiers Overseas:
Bernard D. Steinhauer

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

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

Katie Ascherman, Bill Minks, Larry Stenzel, Arnie Stenzel, Robert Nowak, Don Yokiell, Ken Tibodeau, 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, 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, Helen Skov **and for all our service men & women of the armed forces.**

Tri-Parish Calendar

Feast of the Assumption
August 14th Vigil Mass
Our Lady of Mt Carmel - 6:30 pm
August 15th
St. John the Baptist 8:30 am
St. Casimir 6:30 pm

The Marriage Anniversary Mass

Sept 9, 2023. It will be at STJB at 10 am.
Bishop Barron will preside!

"The Love of Husband and Wife is the force that welds society together."

A light reception will be follow Mass.
All couples, regardless of their anniversary milestone, are invited to attend!

Register at www.dowr.org

Confirmation

Mapleton Tri-Parish
November 12, 2023
2:00 pm.



Eucharistic Adoration

St. Casimir 's 9:00pm Wed-
10:00pm Thurs.

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you the rest." Mt 11:28 "Our hearts are restless until they rest in you." -St. Augustine

The Kid's Bulletin

The Kingdom of Heaven is Like...



In today's Gospel reading, Jesus tells the disciples what the Kingdom of Heaven is like. He says it is like a buried treasure, that when a man finds it, he sells everything he has and buys the field where it is hidden. He also says it is like a pearl of great price, that when a merchant finds it he sells all he has and buys it.

These parables tell us how precious the Kingdom of Heaven is. Jesus is explaining that it is more important than anything else in our lives. The men in the parables sold Everything they had to get the treasures.

But what is the Kingdom of Heaven? Is it a country with a king and subjects? Well it is, sort of, but you can't see it. Jesus is the King and His people are the people who choose Him as their King. The laws of the kingdom are God's laws, and the enemy is the devil who is trying to take all the souls. Always remember that belonging to God's Kingdom is more important than everything else in your life!



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From the desk of **Emily Smithley...**

Administrative Assistant

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Diocese of Winona-Rochester

Starting **August 20**, as part of our diocesan emphasis on healing as a form of evangelization, we are offering Trauma Reboot again after an enormously successful pilot last Fall.

There is hope after trauma and **TRAUMA REBOOT**, a 12-week, faith based, peer-led course, can help you break free from the pain of the past and find renewed purpose and strength. Since 2011, REBOOT has helped thousands of people overcome the trials, tragedies, and traumas of their past. From **August 20th** through **November 12th** (excluding Labor Day), a Trauma Reboot course will be offered at the Religious Ed Center next to Holy Redeemer Church in Eyota (18 East 2nd Street, Eyota, MN - brick building next to the Church). If you are interested in learning more and/or registering, please contact Marilyn Baker at mkbak7@gmail.com. More information can also be found at www.rebootrecovery.com/trauma.

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.

Tri-Parish News & Events...

High-Schooler Chant Camp

The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse, invites High Schoolers (14-18) to a week-long, traditional chant course August 14-18. No experience needed. Register online at GuadalupeShrine.org/sacred-music or contact Scott Turkington sturkington@guadalupeshrine.org

Relay for life

The Russ and Ruth Sonnek Family will be participating in the Faribault County American Cancer Society's Relay for Life event on August 11th in Blue Earth. Anyone interested in making a cash donation or donating \$10 for a luminary in honor of or in memory of someone may mail your donation to 19406 460th Ave, Easton, MN 56025 or contact our family at 787-2220. All donations go to the American Cancer Society for research and cancer patient and family support. Prayers for a successful event are welcome.

OLMC MCCW MEMBERS: We are in the process of updating the MCCW booklets that will be out in September. Anyone who wishes to be on the inactive list, please contact Angie Doyle, MCCW President at [507-525-3686](tel:507-525-3686). We are also looking for someone to volunteer as Vice President of MCCW. Contact Angie Doyle if you are interested in filling this important role.

Weekly Contributions as of July 30th

	OLMC	STC	STJB
Weekly Needed	\$2,500.00	\$5,492.00	\$1,925.00
Needed to Date	\$10,000.00	\$21,968.00	\$7,700.00
Given to Date	\$7,294.55	\$18,449.00	\$10,734.00
2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal			
CMA Goal	\$10,683.00	\$21,968.00	\$7,658.00
Amount Rec'd	\$9,632.00	\$12,325.00	\$6,300.00

STC Liturgical Ministers	August 6, 2023
Lector	Bernard Steinhauer
Eucharistic Ministers	Bev Klein Ike Dulas
Ushers	Jon Feist Randy Feist Matt Zebro
Servers	Clara Bushlack Juliana Dulas
Rosary Readers	Mike & Elaine Hernandez
Money counters	4
Shepherds Inn	Larry Brand

Scripture Reading for August 6, 2023

First reading:
Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14
Second readings:
2 Peter 1:16-19
Gospel:
Matthew 17:1-9

Monthly Minister schedule is now on our Tri-Parish website St. Casimir only.
<http://www.olmstcstjb.org>

Prayer Line and prayer request for the bulletin.

We want everyone to receive the powerful blessings that prayer can provide—even those who don't want to share publicly. Whenever any of our parish members or families are in need of special prayers, 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.

All request will be removed after four weeks.

Please notify the tri-parish office at scasimir@bevcomm.net or call 553-5391 if you would like to continue prayers.