

July 7, 2024 | 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Our Lady of Mount Carmel | 27 Main Street, Easton, MN 56025 | Sunday Mass 10:00 am
St. Casimir Church | 320 2nd Ave SW, Wells MN. 56097 | Sunday Mass: 8:00 am
St. John the Baptist Church | P.O. Box 158, Minnesota Lake, MN 56068 | Mass: 5:00 pm

Mass schedule & intentions - July 9-14, 2023

<u>9</u>	Tues.	5:30 pm	Wells	+Dale Schultz & Family
<u>10</u>	Wed.	8:30 am	Easton	+ Jim Hassing
<u>11</u>	Thurs.	8:30 am	Minnesota Lake	+ Marion Jones
<u>12</u>	Fri.	8:30 am	Wells	+ Bruce Johnson & Family
<u>13</u>	Sat.	8:00 am	Wells	+ Living & Deceased members of Third Order Carmelites
<u>13</u>	Sat.	5:00 pm	Minnesota Lake	+ Gladys Walser
<u>14</u>	Sun.	8:00 am	Wells	+Norbert Sonnek
<u>14</u>	Sun.	10:00 am	Easton	+Don Schimek

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY THE ROSARY 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO MASSES: Minnesota Lake— Thurs. and Sat.; Easton —Wed. and Sun.; Wells—Tues. Fri. and Sun.

Rosary is always prayed every night of the year at 7:30 pm, at St. Casimir. Know that Fr. Pratap includes all of us in his daily prayers and private Mass intentions.

If a Mass is cancelled, Fr. Pratap will include that scheduled Mass Intention at his private daily Mass. If you prefer it be rescheduled, please let Father or your respective parish office know.

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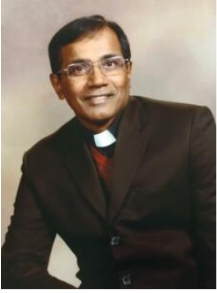
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Tri Parish Prayer Intentions:

Submit Intentions to Parish Coordinator	• Dace Smith	• Gary Bach
• Kroy Kalis	• Craig Sonnek	• Jan Stenzel
• Triston Father	• Zach Fendrich	• Tiffany Sonnek
• Steve Sonnek	• Charlie Kalis	• Mike Redig
• Sue Sonnek	• John Volz	• Nancy Dylla
• Sheila Runquist	• Betty Thisius	• Dave Sonnek
• Dennis Thisius	• Jeanne Miller	• Jerome Leesch
• Teresa Berry	• Don Yokiel	• Dale and Marg Sonnek
• Chuck Evan	• Koltun Kunz	• Janet Bremseth
• Dawn Russ-Cory	• Ken Tibodeau	• Charlie Majerus
• Louie Staloch	• Colton Smith	• Art Stenzel
	• Helen Skov	

PRAYER & WORSHIP



14th Ordinary Sunday, July 7, 2024-B Cycle

Readings: Ezekiel 2:2-5; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10; Mark 6:1-6

It's all so ordinary that we can easily miss it. The seagulls hunting and diving for mollusks at the beach offer a display of determination and precision as they gather their food for the day. It's simply what these creatures do. Yet, there's a magical artfulness and skill to their work that speaks volumes about the One who breathed life into their being. This is pretty much the way it is with God's presence.

God comes in common ways through common things and ordinary people. Sadly, we are so engulfed in our little worlds of order and ideas to notice the beauty and wonder of it all. Many have numbed themselves to the Divine spark at the essence of all life because that's just the way it is. What's so special about it? A sunset is a sunset, and a seagull is a seagull. That's precisely what they thought about Jesus too. After all, isn't he just the carpenter's son? What merit can His words possibly have?

If we're looking for God to come in an event that is so dramatic and intense that it knocks our socks off, then think again. When pondering God's relationship with His people and God's action in our lives, we must go back to the stable and the recurring, creative, unending power of God's presence.

Our personal agendas, preconceived ideas, misconceptions, and expectations can often cause us to be hardened and blinded to what God is doing or desiring to do. While God continues to do what He has done for all eternity, faith is needed for God's presence to bear fruit. The blinders we wear can prevent God's transforming, healing, and hope filled vision for our world from being realized. Without faith, God won't be able to do much for us either. ~ Fr. Pratap



MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Contact the priest 6 to 12 months in advance of the date of marriage to fill out the forms, to do FOCCUS Test and to attend Marriage Prep Mentoring Sessions. Fr. Pratap is seeking married couples who are practicing Catholics, and have children, who would be willing to volunteer to help prepare our engaged couples for marriage. Please contact Fr. Pratap at 507-226-4536, or your parish office, if interested.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Contact the parish office a month in advance to fill out the form and to attend Baptism Mentoring Sessions.

DIocese OF WINONA JOB POSTING

Looking for a New Executive Director to replace Monica Herman who resigned last month. Additionally, I have a new phone number since relocating to the new Chancery in Rochester, which is [507-516-6957](tel:507-516-6957). The main office number is still in the process of being activated. We will add that once it is up and running to our DOWR website.

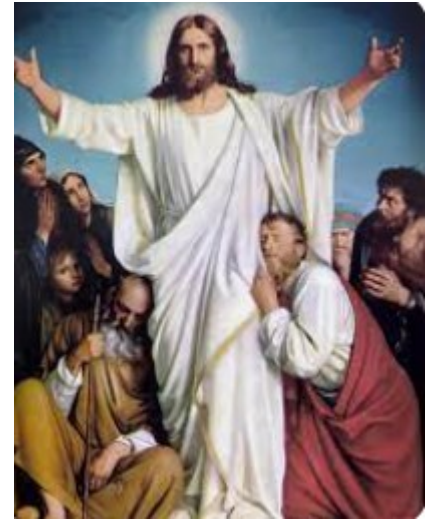
Overview: The Catholic Foundation of Southern Minnesota We is seeking a proven leader who will guide and supervise the Catholic Foundation of Southern Minnesota's mission. In this dynamic role, the Executive Director is responsible for all aspects of direction including creation of a strategic vision for growth that will strengthen Catholic ministry diocesan wide. The Executive Director reports to the Board of Directors and should be a motivated thinker who thrives working with the Board of Directors, talented staff and donors diocesan wide. The Executive Director applies proven business mindset to create and meet growth and financial goals, while maintaining a strong Catholic Identity for the organization. Must have a proven track record in business development, operations management, and senior leadership. Please see the [job description](#) for more details.

Cindy A. Meyerhofer | HR Director
Diocese of Winona-Rochester
2907 Jeremiah Lane NW, Rochester, MN 55901

LITURGICAL LIFE

LITURGICAL ROLES - July 14, 2024

Minnesota Lake Saturday 5:00 pm	Wells Sunday 8:00 am	EASTON SUNDAY 10:00 am
SERVERS	Carson Mullery Colton Mullery	Justin Rath Ellie Rath
LECTOR	Mark Nowak	Nancy Linder
ORGANIST	Connie Stenzel	Mary Kayser
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Lea Nowak Don Chirpich Ike Dulas Scott Bute	Dean Warmka Tom Warmka Don Linder
USHERS	Mark Schmitz Chris Bushlack Rick Mueller Randy Feist	Ryan Strom Sheldon Stevermer Tony Stevermer
ROSARY	Ray & Marti Yokiel	Dianne Rauenhorst
SACRISTAN	Arnie Stenzel	
SHEPHERD'S INN	Lea Nowak	



The second reading tells us to live by the Spirit, for the Spirit will bring life to our mortal bodies through Christ Jesus. And in the gospel, Jesus praises the Father and then invites us to follow him, for he helps us when we are stressed and overwhelmed.

This week's readings:
Ezekiel 2:2-5; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10;
Mark 6:1-6
Next week's readings:
Amos 7:12-15; Ephesians 1:3-14;
Mark 6:7-13

CHURCH SUPPORT

	Minnesota Lake	Wells	Easton
Needed	\$ 1,925	\$ 5,519	\$ 2,500
Given	\$ 91,502.64	\$ 242,635.45	\$ 152,656.28
Budget	\$ 100,100.00	\$ 281,123.00	\$ 132,500.00

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2024

	Parish Goal	\$ Received
Minnesota Lake	\$7,965	\$8,373 (\$408.00 over Goal)
Wells	\$21,089	\$12,693
Easton	\$10,683	\$10,578



Please pledge your gift by 12.31.2024

Catholic Foundation of Southern Minnesota
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Adoration Schedule



Monthly Schedule for Adoration

1st Sat.-Easton - 11:00 am -Noon
 2nd Sat.-MN Lake-11:00 am -Noon
 3rd Sat. - Wells; 10:00 am -12:00 pm
 Confessions 11:00 am to Noon

NOTES FOR ALL PARISHES

JOB OPENING

We have a job opening for full time Custodian and Maintenance for St. Casimir School and Church. Those interested may contact, St. Casimir Rectory for an application and more detailed job description.

TRI-PARISH INSTALLATION MASS OF FATHER PRATAP

The Tri-Parish Installation Mass will be held at OLMC at 10:00 am on [Sunday, July 28, 2024](#) with Bishop Robert Barron presiding. Following Mass, there will be a luncheon held in Madonna Hall to honor Father Pratap as our Tri-Parish Priest. Everyone in the Tri-Parish is welcome to attend!

SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS

There will be a second collection for The Franciscans Mission on July 13 and 14. Please consider making a meaningful contribution to this cause through your participation in our parish's Mission Cooperative second collection, the week-end of July 13/14. THANK YOU for your part in this concrete way of offering hope and solidarity!

MCCW

Due to some personal reasons, I am needing to step down as MCCW President immediately. I am looking for someone to take over the President position as there is currently not a Vice President. If you are interested or have any questions about what is involved, please contact me. Thank you in advance for your consideration. Angie Doyle.

PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS AND ROME

Consider visiting the cities of Paris, Lourdes, Rome, and Assisi. This is an opportunity to explore the rich Catholic tradition of these places and experience the miracles of our Faith. If you are planning to take part in the tour, please sign up as soon as possible. The tour is scheduled for May 6—17, 2025. Sign-up forms are in the brochures at entrances of your church.

2024 OLMC FRIENDSHIP DAY EVENT

We extend a sincere thank you to everyone who helped and supported our 2024 OLMC Friendship Day event. We had a wonderful turnout for Mass and fellowship at our Windsor Chop luncheon. We appreciate our local businesses; the State Bank of Easton, Connie's Beauty Salon, and the Country Butcher for generously being point of sale for our raffle tickets. The community support was truly a blessing! Congratulations to our raffle winners, and we are all very grateful to those who bought tickets or made very generous donations! This year's funds raised will go to the church boiler maintenance fund.

A special thanks to a wonderful parish family for very generously donating the Windsor chops, the Country Butcher for preparing and cooking them. And to Chairs, Chris and Ron Schultz, CCW ladies, and all others who assisted with the meal preparation, service, and clean-up.

Thank you to the Faribault County Register for including us in their Best of Summer issue and newspaper. God bless you all!

Tara and Joel Rauenhorst
OLMC FD Committee Chairs

FRIENDSHIP DAYS IN EASTON; RAFFLE WINNERS

\$200— Larry & Rosemary Brand, Sue Rath, Audrey Hassing Nervig, Scott Hampen, Annette Schuster

\$500— Josh Raimann, Beth Zabel, Robert Rauenhorst, Craig Borchardt, Ilene Sukalski

\$750--Robert Linder, & Bernie Schultz

\$1,000— Dale Yokiell & Connie Sonnek

\$1,500— Beth Zabel

\$2000-Andy Linder

Grand Prize -\$2,500 Barb Rehmke