

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 September 4, 2022

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions			
Mon., Sept. 5 Labor Day	Mass	9:00 am	STJB
	†Donna Armstrong		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Tues., Sept 6	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	†Lloyd Seipp		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Wed., Sept 7 No Mass	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
	Adoration-starts	9:00 pm	STC
Thurs., Sept 8	Mass	8:30 am	STJB
	†Frank Wingen		
	Rosary	7:30 am	STC
	Adoration-ends	10:00 pm	STC
Friday, Sept 9	Mass	8:30 am	STC
	*Living of the Harry Weir Family		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sat., Sept. 10	Reconciliation	8:30 am	STC
	Reconciliation	9:30 am	OLMC
	Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
	Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
	†Marion Jones		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC
Sun., Sept 11 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mass	8:00 am	STC
	†Florian Stenzel		
	Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
	†Tom Sonnek		
	Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

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OLMC Faith Formation

Updates

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

Faith Formation would like to welcome our
1st graders – 8th graders

starting Sept. 11th at 9:00 am. As believers in the Catholic Church, we learn and live our faith as active members to help seek reconciliation through our sacraments. In response to God's call to holiness with our faith and life as adult believers, we need to develop a relationship with God and his people. If there are any families we missed or are new to our parish and would like more information on faith formation please contact

Chris Schultz 507-525-4670.
OLMC Faith Formation Coordinator

From Fr. Greg Havel...

In our Gospel reading, Jesus speaks about commitment. To enter into a relationship with the Lord is to stay faithful to God in the commitment we have made. It is not meant to be a part-time relationship. We can not be Christians when we feel like it or when it is easy or when it seems to be the popular thing to be. Commitment to God requires us to wake up every morning and in prayer ask the Lord to help us stay faithful throughout that day. The Lord teaches us that to live in the family of God we must be willing to give up everything to walk with Jesus. May God truly strengthen us to stay faithful to the teachings of the Lord so that our hearts will always be open to receiving the gifts of God's love in our lives. ~ Fr. Greg



In Our Prayers:

Soldiers Overseas:

Bernard D. Steinhauer, & Troy Haugh

Have a great Labor Day Weekend!
No scrip will sold this Sunday after mass
at St. Casimir Church Sept. 4th
Also the rectory office will be closed on
Monday Sept. 5, 22

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

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

Dennis Thisius, Michael Ankeny, Donald Kalcek, Melissa Haugh, Butch Becker, Steve Stenzel, Mary Herbers, Don Becker, Alice Roeker, Steve Stenzel, Larry Woitas, Andrew Knewton, Mildred Stencil, Dave Braun, Joel Sonnek, Lee Beran, Kolton Kunz, Joe Mazurkiewicz Family, Pat Dallman, Helen Skov, Theresa Berry, Mary McCallum, Bruce Woitas, Cassandra Walsler, 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. Linda Swehla 340-5529, Peggy Linder 787-2575 STJB-Rhonda Drager at 462-3627 or STJB Parish Office at 462-3636, STC- Barb Stenzel at 553-3805

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 hours are 8:00 am to 2:00 pm Monday through Friday.

Marriage: All Catholics need to meet with a Priest at least 6 months before being married (even if the wedding is in a no-Catholic Church). Contact the Tri-Parish office at least one year before your scheduled wedding date. For questions please call the Tri-parish at 507-553-5391 Hours are 8:00 to 2:00 Monday through Friday.

Christian Burials: For all burials at any of the Tri-parish cemeteries, please contact Don Linder for Our Lady of Mount Carmel at 507-787-2571; Tom Schindler for St. Casimir at 507-553-3062; Bob Drager for St. John the Baptist at 507-995-0160



STC FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

“Every moment of prayer, especially before our Lord in the tabernacle, is a positive gain. The time we spend in having our daily audience with God is the most precious part of the whole day.”
~St. Teresa of Calcutta

What an exciting time of the year. This year we have increased our enrollment again. Last spring we had 29 K-6th graders and 6 preschool students. For the 2022-2023 school year we have 34 K-6th graders and 8 preschool age students.

Staffing

Principal: Diane Edwards
Administrative Assistant: Teresa Chirpich
Bookkeeper: BreAnne Scheid
Preschool: Angie Swehla & Yajaira Jimenez
Kindergarten: Diane Edwards & Angie Swehla
1st/2nd: Camille Tewes
3rd/4th: Beth Emerson
5th/6th: Ethel Aranda
Music: Josh Edwards
PE: Yajaira Jimenez
Before/After School Care: Ines Jimenez & Yajaira Jimenez
Custodian: Gus Druffel

The saints have much to say about prayer. Prayer is foundational to our spiritual life. It is then that we truly enter into a living and intimate relationship with God. It is absolutely necessary for the spiritual health of our souls. God calls you to this and waits for you. Don't delay! Share with Him your hopes, your sorrows, your worries, your joys.

Still, you might ask, what is prayer exactly? St. Therese of Lisieux provides a beautiful answer: *For me, prayer is a burst from my heart, it is a simple glance thrown toward Heaven, a cry of thanksgiving and love in times of trial as well as in times of joy.*

We can do this! Like Therese, we can make time each day to allow prayer to burst forth from our hearts.

Beginning September 14, Faith Formation welcomes all parishioners to join us on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. for a time of prayer before the Lord in the church.

Leave the stresses of the day behind. Stay for 15 minutes or stay for an hour. Come pray *with* the children; come pray *for* the children! It will be beautiful!

Before and After School Kid Zone

We have a few available openings for our before and after school programs. There is opportunity for before and after school care for children ages 3-5 (not yet attending kindergarten) and ages 5- 10

Dear Parents and Catechists:

Thank you for generously taking time out of your schedule to attend one of our orientation sessions. Please contact me if you or someone you know has not yet received an email regarding registration for 2022-2023 Faith Formation.

We extend a sincere thank you for your support of our program!

Volunteer Opportunities

There are volunteer opportunities available at school. There are volunteer sheets to fill out on the table in the handicap entrance at St. Casimir church.

Lisa Bute

Faith Formation Coordinator -

St. Casimir Parish

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Tri-Parish News & Events...

OLMC MCCW will be holding their next meeting on Tuesday, September 13, at 7:00 pm in Madonna Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

KC Luncheon and Fundraiser The Tri-Parish Knights of Columbus Holy Family Council #1596 would like to invite the Tri-Parish to join in fellowship for a luncheon fundraiser on Sunday September 11, 2022, after the 10:00 am mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church. Grilled hamburgers, hotdogs and chips will be served in Madonna Hall. Free will offerings for this fundraiser will be appreciated. The Knights of our Tri-Parish will use those funds for supporting the St John the Baptist Cemetery Monument for the Unborn and for future projects! Come join us on September 11th at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church in Madonna Hall from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm for Good food and fellowship!

St. Theodore Catholic Church Wisconsin Shrines Pilgrimage October 3 & 4, 2022 Space is still available! Contact Parish Office on how to get signed up! 507-373-0603

OLMC THANK YOU: Thank you to the Family of Bill Becker for a memorial to OLMC Preservation made in Bill's name in the amount of \$1,299.76.

Attention Wells Marketplace cardholders

The marketplace in Wells is in the process of changing its card processors, so this means you will have to redeem your balance on your card, at Wells Marketplace by September 10th. Marketplace will then work with you on moving your balance over to the new cards. After September 10th the store will continue to work hard to move any balances over and they will always honor the cards that have been sold by Scrip. Thank you to all loyal Scrip customers.

Weekly Contributions as of Aug. 28th

	OLMC	STC	STJB
Weekly Needed	\$2,692.00	\$5,671.00	\$1,750.00
Needed to Date	\$24,228.00	\$41,700.00	\$15,750.00
Given to Date	\$17,025.55	\$43,245.29	\$9,462.50

Catholic Ministry Appeal

Goal	\$9,600.00	\$20,385.00	\$7,658.00
Amount Received	\$7,815.25	\$13,744.00	\$7,177.00

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.

STC Liturgical Ministers	Sept. 11, 2022
Lector	Kristen Dulas
Eucharistic Ministers	Marti Yokiell & Adam Henning
Ushers	Linda Sonnek & Ray Yokiell
Servers	Kylee & Kinley Koziolk
Rosary Readers	Ray & Marti Yokiell
Money counters	Team 3
Shepherds Inn	Joanne Tibodeau

Scripture Reading for Sept. 11, 2022

24th Sunday In Ordinary Time
First reading:
 Exod.32:7-11,13-14
Second readings:
 1 Timothy 1:12-17
Gospel:
 Luke 15:1-32

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



If we don't have what you need we will order it for you. We also still offer Scrip weekdays in the rectory from 8:00 am to 2:00pm. Thank you for your support St. Casimir's School.

How to Start Using Scrip

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

Sept.3-30

Kwik Trip will pay 9% instead of the normal 9%