



St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin



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May 6, 2018

Parish Business

Mass Schedule

Sunday, May 6, 2018

8:00 a.m.  For St. Patrick Parishioners and for + Maria Gartner

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

8:30 a.m.  + Marcelin Corcoran
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Eucharist Adoration

Sunday, May 13, 2018

8:00 a.m. For St. Patrick Parishioners and for the celebration of Al & Jeanette Graf 65th Wedding Anniversary

Liturgical Roles – May 13th

Announcer/Lector: Butch Shuda
Ushers: John & Shawn Heimer
Eucharistic Ministers: Hosts: Randy Mell
Al Graf & Bill Fitzpatrick
Gift Bearers: Brynn Waters & Sabrina TenKley
Servers: Hannah Zaiger & Jackson Zaiger
Rosary: Virginia Heintz
Counters: Carmen Barthel & Marilyn Rose
Children's Lectionary: Melissa Haupt

Church Support:

April 29, 2018

Adults:	\$	875.00
Offertory:	\$	169.00
Kwik Trip Rebate:	\$	11.57
Catholic Charities:	\$	150.00
CCW Regional Supper:	\$	50.50
Votives:	\$	18.13

TOTAL: \$ 1,274.20

2018 Catholic Ministry Appeal:

Our goals this year is: \$7,260.

5.4.2018: Reached 58.54%. \$4,250 has been pledged or received by 18 donors.
We are \$3,010 under goal.

Servant Leadership

Pastor: Rev. Greg Havel
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Sixth Sunday of Easter – May Crowning

Announcements

- **No Tuesday Mass** on the First Tuesday of every month. Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration that will be held on those Tuesday's from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm.
- **Monday, May 7th** St. Patrick's CCW Meeting at 6:30 pm
- **Sunday, May 13th** First Communion celebration
- **Sunday, May 13th** there will be a second collection for Catholic Charities during Mass.
- **May 14-17** Father will be away fishing. No Mass on May 15th

First Communion Day at St. Patrick's is Sunday, May 13, at the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Brynn Waters, daughter of Jess McCallson and Ray Waters; and **Sabrina TenKley**, daughter of Angie and Travis TenKley, will receive their First Blessed Eucharist on this day. It is an important occasion for them and for every member of our Parish community! Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare for their special day. A special breakfast will be served after Mass in their honor. All are invited to attend and celebrate with the children and their families. Parishioners, please sign up on the sheets at the church entrances with the number who will be attending the breakfast. Thank you.



First Holy Communion, is the Catholic ceremony when a young child receives the first reception of Eucharist.

First Communion is typically a family event where a vast number of family members are invited. First Communion is usually done around the age of 7 or 8. In order to receive First Communion a child must first be baptized, and must have been through the process of their first confession. Those who receive their First Communion wear special clothing that includes white, wedding like dresses for the girls and suits for the boys. Wearing white at this event is to symbolize the child's purity.



At the end of life we will not be judged by how many diplomas we have received, how much money we have made, how many great things we have done. We will be judged by "I was hungry, and you gave me something to eat, I was naked and you clothed me. I was homeless, and you took me in." ~Mother Teresa

Next weekend you have the blessed opportunity to bring the compassion of Jesus to families in crisis, vulnerable adults and seniors, and children in need. Your support of Catholic Charities affirms your belief that all lives have value, especially the lives of the poor. Your generosity on all levels makes a life-changing difference. God bless you for your kind consideration on behalf of those we serve.

❖ **This Week in Catholic History:** Considered one of the most beautiful and recognizable pieces of art in the world, the ceiling of the Sistene Chapel is famous artist's, Michelangelo's most famous painting. It was on **May 10th, 1508** that Pope Julius II commissioned Michelangelo, more known as a sculptor, to begin this painting, which took four years to complete. The ceiling includes over 300 figures depicting numerous biblical scenes.

❖ **Healing Through Grief Group**
On May 14th from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, session on "Creative Memory-Making Ideas". Session includes time to share with others. Registration is not required. Mayo Clinic-Health System, 800 West Avenue, South, La Crosse. Hospital Building, Lang Conference Room.

❖ **Aging and Addiction: From Alcoholism to Gambling Disorders**
On May 22nd Mayo Clinic Health System clinical therapist Eddie Luker will discuss how aging impacts addictive behaviors. You will learn why this is an ever-growing issue, and the treatments and interventions designed to help those with additions. 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. with refreshments at 2 p.m. Marycrest Auditorium – Hospital Building – Second Floor

*Always pray to have
Eyes that see the best in people,
a Heart that forgives the worst
a Mind that forgets the worst
and a Soul that Never
loses faith in God.*



*Celebration
with our
second graders
as they have
been preparing
to receive Jesus
in this great
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our Church*

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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

This weekend, May 6, and next weekend, May 13, we are blessed to celebrate with our second graders at Crucifixion and St. Patrick's First Communion. We congratulate them as they have been preparing to receive Jesus in this great sacrament of our Church. I encourage everyone to continue to pray for them that the gift of the Lord will be present throughout their lives and strengthen and nourish them in the love of God.

On Monday, May 7, at Crucifixion Church, our parish and those from St. Peter, St. Mary, and St. Joseph will be welcoming Bishop Quinn as he joins us in celebrating Confirmation. The sophomores of our parishes have been preparing to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. We pray with them and for them that these gifts will be present to them to open their hearts to a lifetime of service to the Lord. All are encouraged to come to the Confirmation liturgy that begins at 7:00pm in Crucifixion Church.

God bless,

Fr. Greg Havel

Bulletin Announcements

Persons interested in placing information in the St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin and/or you would like the Lector to announce in church can send their request to Jean Meyer at jeanm@acegroup.cc or call at 507-482-6720. Announcements submitted by Thursday at 4:00 p.m. will be included in the Sunday Bulletin, based on space.

Donations to St. Patrick's Cemetery can be sent to St. Patrick's Parish Office at 604 Adams Street, P.O. Box 155, Brownsville, MN 55919 **OR** placed in the collection basket during Mass. Mark "St. Patrick's Cemetery" on the outside of envelope and on the check.

Stipends for Mass Intentions can be sent to St. Patrick's Parish Office at 604 Adams Street, P.O. Box 155, Brownsville, MN 55919 **OR** placed in the collection basket during Mass. Provide with stipend; if the intention is for a deceased family or friend or a special event, to whom the intention is for and if you have a special date that you would like the intention to fall on or close to. Mass Intentions are assigned on a first come basis for either Sunday or Tuesday.

Requests for the Prayer Network may be called in to Carmen Moriarty at 507.482.6737 or emailed to her at moriarty@acegroup.cc

Reconciliation is available **each Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.** Confessions are taken in the back of the church on the right, in a small room. A light will be turned on when Father is hearing a confession.