



# St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin




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October 7, 2018


## Parish Business

### Mass Schedule


#### Sunday, October 7, 2018

8:00 a.m.  For St. Patrick Parishioners and for + Joe & Luella Bakewell & Family

#### Tuesday, October 9, 2018

8:30 a.m.  + Marguerite Sheehan  
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Eucharist Adoration

#### Sunday, October 14, 2018

8:00 a.m.  For St. Patrick Parishioners and for + George Albert

### Liturgical Roles – October 14<sup>th</sup>

**Announcer/Lector:** Mary Joyce  
**Ushers:** Ralph & Janice Konkel  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Hosts: Randy Mell  
Mary Mell & Ann Fitzpatrick  
**Gift Bearers:** Nicole & Brent Carlon Family  
**Servers:** Vincent Colsch & Colin Flannery  
**Rosary:** Virginia Heintz  
**Counters:** Shawn Heimer & Linda Neeman  
**Children's Lectionary:** Teresa Colsch

### Church Support:

September 30, 2018	TOTAL: \$ 1,721.00
Adults:	\$ 1,125.00
Offertory:	\$ 136.25
Hall Rental:	\$ 200.00
Generations of Faith:	\$ 10.00
Mass Stipends:	\$ 20.00
Cemetery Donation:	\$ 10.00
Sacramental/Stole Fee:	\$ 100.00
Burial Fee:	\$ 100.00
Votives:	\$ 19.75

An awesome marriage is not when a "perfect couple" come together ~ it's when an imperfect couple learns to celebrate their differences! Register for the October 13-14 Marriage Encounter at [www.marriages.org](http://www.marriages.org) and begin creating the marriage of your dreams!

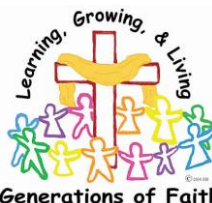
### Servant Leadership

**Pastor:** Rev. Greg Havel  
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**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Robert Yerhot  
**E mail Address:** [cruxyerhot@acegroup.cc](mailto:cruxyerhot@acegroup.cc)  
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Crucifixion Parish Office: 507-895-4720

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

### 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.
- Please consider a donation towards St. Patrick's Cemetery. Your support provides for its continual upkeep. Thank you!



This year **Generations of Faith** will be focused on the Bible. We will explore the powerful stories and people of the Old Testament. Our second gathering is Wednesday, October 24, 5:30-7:30 PM.

**Topic: The Journey to Freedom.** We will explore the Covenant that God made through Moses for His people. Join us for potluck supper 5:30-6:00 PM. Please bring a dish to pass. The program will follow from 6:00-7:30 PM. We are blessed to have another wonderful speaker, Emily Dykman. Emily is a native of La Crescent and now teaching at Viterbo University, serves as a catechist and works in the music ministry. There will be special learning sessions for children – This is faith formation for the entire Parish. No fee to attend – all are welcome!

### November 4<sup>th</sup> -- Roll Sunday and Bake Sale.

**ATTENTION!** All bakers of the parish: There will be a Bake Sale held during Roll Sunday on November 4<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds go to our Annual Spring Fling! Please bring your baked items to the Hall on Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> or before Mass on Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>.



### Keeping Our Promise

The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is committed to protecting children, young people, and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes, and ministries. We continue to have a special care for and a commitment to reaching out to the victims of sexual abuse and their families. To report current allegations of sexual abuse by a member of the clergy or by lay employees or volunteers of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester contact: 507-454-2270, Ext 255. Victims of sexual abuse, in addition to contacting civil authorities, are asked to come forward in order to receive pastoral assistance. The Victim Assistance Coordinator will provide you with such assistance.

*Condolences*  
Our Condolences to the Family of Jim Rohrer who passed away this week. Jim was a fellow parishioner, the son of Don and Gin Rohrer and brother to Tim and Janelle Rohrer.

### This week in Catholic History

Faced with an imposing enemy force, the prospect of defeat for Christian forces defending Spain seemed imminent. However, because of the entreaties of Pope Pius V for prayers of the Rosary, Christian forces were able to win the battle of Lepanto on **October 7, 1571** and attributed victory to Mary. Because of this, Pius V declared this day the feast of "Our Lady of Victory," which has been renamed to "Our Lady of the Rosary".

### Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

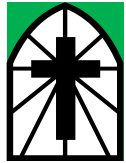
As of 10/05/2018, 22 donors from St. Patrick's Parish have donated **\$5,1644 toward the Catholic Ministries Appeal which is 71% of our goal of \$7,260.00**. Please consider a donation to help us reach our goal. There are envelopes on the table in the Hall.

Thank you to those who have donated thus far.

### Baby Bottle Campaign

Help Catholic Charities' Pregnancy, Parenting, and Adoption Program provide assistance to pregnant women and women with babies through the Mother and Child Assistance Fund by filling a baby bottle with your spare change during the month of October. The campaign starts on Respect Life Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. Donations go directly to assisting women across Southern Minnesota who are choosing life for their babies. Catholic Charities assists more than 150 women of all faiths every year.

*"Since I'm not working, the Mother and Child Fund will keep a roof over my family head until I've recovered from labor & delivery." –Alexis*



*God who  
created us  
without our  
permission will  
not save us  
without our  
cooperation.*

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### PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Thank you to all who helped sponsor me in the KC marathon for Non-public Education. The walk did me good and I am sure my doctor would be happy for all the extra steps walked on Friday.

We are reminded in our first reading from the Book of Genesis and our Gospel reading from Mark that God's gifts are forever. God's love never ends. We may choose not to love God, but God never stops loving us. We see this also in the gift of life. God gives life to all people and all people will live forever. That is God's gift. Where we choose to live in eternal life is our choice (heaven or hell). As the old saying goes: God who created us without our permission will not save us without our cooperation. May our lives reflect our faith and may God who loves us always strengthen us in holiness.

God bless,

Father 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](mailto: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](mailto: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.