



St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin



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March 1, 2026

Parish Business

Mass Schedule

Sunday, March 1, 2026

8:00 a.m. ☩ + Deceased members of
Fitzpatrick Family

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

5:30 p.m. ☩ + Deceased members of
Cordes & Lorenz Families

Sunday, March 8, 2026

8:00 a.m. ☩ + Erick Abnet

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, March 1

Announcer/Lector: Karen Colsch
Ushers: Cary & Kathy Koel
Eucharistic Ministers: **Host:** Bill Fitzpatrick
Choir: Ann Fitzpatrick **Precious Blood:** Jan Howes
& Jean Meyer
Gift Bearers: Nicole & Brent Carlon Family
Servers: Summer Colsch & Shauna Colsch
Rosary: Frank Dvorak
Children's Lectionary: Heidi Grams
Counters: Dave Ammann & Karen Kohlmeier

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, March 8

Announcer/Lector: Bill Fitzpatrick
Ushers: Nick Serres & Mike Moriarty
Eucharistic Ministers: **Host:** Karen Colsch
Choir: Adeline Colsch **Precious Blood:** Mary Mell
& Hope Flannery
Gift Bearers: Teresa & Steve Colsch Family
Servers: Sabrina TenKley & Sophia TenKley
Rosary: Virginia Heintz
Children's Lectionary: Aleigha Berg
Counters: Angie TenKley & Cindy Dvorak

Church Support: February 22, 2026

Adults:	\$	888.00
Adult Online Giving:	\$	325.00
Offertory:	\$	141.00
Help A Student:	\$	10.00
Cemetery Donation:	\$	20.00
Church in E. Europe:	\$	60.00
Votives:	\$	12.00

TOTAL: \$ 1,456.00

Servant Leadership

Pastor: Rev. Andrew Vogel
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Second Sunday of Lent

Announcements

- ☩ **Sunday, March 1st** -- Join us for Roll Sunday – enjoy delicious rolls, fruit, coffee & juice with fellow parishioners
- ☩ **Tuesday, March 3rd** – **Lenten Stations of the Cross at 6pm and Dine-in Soup Supper at 6:30pm.**
- ☩ **Friday, March 13th** -- **St. Mary's Fish Fry 5-7pm \$16 AND Crucifixion Fish Fry 4-7 pm \$15**
- ☩ **Wednesday, March 25 Generations of Faith – 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Meal at 5:30 pm, Program to follow.**

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

I got sick this week. So, we pray for the continued health for everyone during this season.

After the 10 AM Mass (Sunday, March 1) in Caledonia we will have a presentation about a pilgrimage I will be leading this coming September 6-19 (2026). This pilgrimage will be mostly to Spain. We will walk the English Way of the Camino. We will start in Ferrol, Spain. We will spend approximately a week walking 75 miles. The English Way is known for its beautiful scenery. The pilgrimage ends at Santiago de Compostela Cathedral, the burial place of St. James the Great, one of the Apostles of Jesus. The Camino de Santiago, or the Way of St. James, is a network of pilgrimage routes. Thousands of pilgrims and hikers each year have been traveling these routes since the 9th century as a way of growing spiritually. At the end we will spend a day in Dublin. In 2010, Emilio Estevez and his father, Martin Sheen, made a movie called The Way about their experience traveling along the Camino.

In this Sunday's Gospel we have the Transfiguration. The Transfiguration is the fourth mystery of the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary. Jesus is one divine Person who is fully God and fully man. However, when Jesus was on earth 2000 years ago, most of the time, when they looked at Jesus, all they could see was His human body...just like when we look at anyone. However, in the Transfiguration, Peter, James, and John are privileged to see Jesus' divinity: "...his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light." Because of our baptism, we too have the divine in each one of us. For Jesus, being divine is who He is, but for us, we have the divine inside of us because of the Holy Spirit living in our souls. When we interact with each other, remember we are interacting with someone who has the divine life inside of them.

May God bless and keep you during this Lenten season,
Fr. Vogel





✝ Our friend, Ginny Mitchell, could use our prayers as she recently had a surgical procedure that led to complications and is now hospitalized. Please pray for a speedy recovery.



Join us each Tuesday for Stations of the Cross following the 5:30 p.m. weekday Mass. The Way of the Cross is to call to mind the Passion of Christ, that is, the journey Jesus took from his condemnation to his death. We will meet each Tuesday until March 31st.



Lenten Soup Suppers

A Lenten supper is a meal that takes place in the evening of the Christian liturgical season of **Lent**. This year we will continue the delivery of soup to those that cannot join us and will host a soup supper following the Stations of the Cross each Tuesday during Lent. All are welcome to join in these nights of reflection. A delicious soup supper will welcome our fellow parishioners, friends, and neighbors! If you know someone in our community or if you would like to have soup delivered or join us each week, please see Jean Meyer.

Pop-up Thrift Shop
March 11, 12, 13 2026
noon to 6pm all days
 Immanuel Lutheran Church
 419 E. Grove St.
 Caledonia, MN

reasonable prices
 Lots of items 50 cents

Friday all items half off

St Mary's Annual Fish Fry & Raffles
 Friday, March 13, 2026
 St Mary's Gym – Caledonia, MN

Carry Out: 4:00-7:00 pm
 Dine In: 5:00-7:00 pm
 Local Deliveries Available Call: 725-3355



Fish Fry * Basket Raffles * Desserts
 Music By "Simply Sis" Starting at 5:00 pm
 Fish Dinner - \$16.00

FR. MICHAEL SKLUZÁČEK



Fr. Michael Skluzáček will lead us in our Parish Lenten Mission and preach at all the Masses on February 28 & March 1. Fr. Skluzáček is a senior priest of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis who has served as director of pastoral formation since 2019. Fr. Skluzáček has been a renowned parish priest in the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis for the past 44 years, before his retirement in August of 2024.

Parish Lenten Mission



DAY ONE	SUNDAY, MARCH 1 Crucifixion Church 6:30PM - Presentation: "Created in the Image of God"
DAY TWO	MONDAY, MARCH 2 Crucifixion Church 6:30PM - Mass 7:15PM - Presentation: "Redeemed and Rescued"
DAY THREE	TUESDAY, MARCH 3 Crucifixion Church 6:30PM - Mass 7:15PM - Presentation: "Holy People Have More Fun" Confessions available following the presentation



Semcac Food Shelf

Items most in need at this time are: saltine crackers, cereal, generic cookies, canned chicken, rice. All other items are welcome as well. The food shelf is very grateful for your continued support throughout the year.

Mass Intentions & Offerings envelopes can be dropped in offertory on Sunday or mailed to St. Patrick's Parish at the address below. Please indicate for whom the Mass intention is for, the preferred date(s) for the intention and who the donor is. Please note that specific dates may not be available, we will do all we can to honor your date on or as close to as possible. Also available is online giving at www.stpatrickschurchbrownsvillemn.org and click on the 'Online Giving' link or set up automatic payment plan by calling the Office.

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.

Requests for the Prayer Network may be emailed to stpatricks@acegroup.cc or leave a message at the Parish Office at 507-482-6818. Make sure to provide your name, to whom the request is for and any other details you wish.

Reconciliation is available at 7:30 to 7:45 am on Sunday and 5:00 to 5:20 pm on Tuesday. Confessions are taken in the confessional located at the back of the church.