



St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin



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April 21, 2024

Parish Business

Mass Schedule

Sunday, April 21, 2024

8:00 a.m.  + Ted Barthel

Tuesday, April 23, 2024

5:30 p.m.  + Jim Gavin

Sunday, April 28, 2024

8:00 a.m.  + Diane Shuda

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, April 21

Announcer/Lector: Mary Mell
Ushers: Nick Serres & Mike Moriarty
Eucharistic Minister: Mary Mell
Choir: Deacon
Gift Bearers: Barb & Ken Wiese
Servers: Colin Flannery & Jackson Zaiger
Rosary: Virginia Heintz
Children's Lectionary: Joan Reining
Counters: Mary Lou Graf & Gery Bruening

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, April 28

Announcer/Lector: Kent Bezdicek
Ushers: Ralph & Janice Konkol
Eucharistic Minister: Choir: Deacon
Gift Bearers: McCallson/Waters Family
Servers: Brynn Waters & Summer Colsch
Rosary: Dan Hurley
Children's Lectionary: Teresa Colsch
Counters: Carmen Barthel & Marilyn Rose

Church Support: April 14, 2024

Adults:	\$ 1,060.00
Adult Online Giving:	\$ 190.00
Offertory:	\$ 163.00
John Reining Memorials:	\$ 50.00
CCP Spring Fling:	\$ 1,055.00
Votives:	\$ 12.00

TOTAL \$ 2,530.00

Servant Leadership

Pastor: Rev. Andrew Vogel
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Fourth Sunday of Easter

Announcements

- ✠ **April 21st -- 9am – 12pm -- CCP Spring Fling event!**
Come join us in a day of FUN! Breakfast, Bake Sale, Raffle's, Silent Auction, Jewelry sale, children's games and more!! Drawings at 1 pm.
- ✠ **April 27th -- Fr. Joe Schneider birthday**
- ✠ **April 28th CCW Diocesan Council Meeting** will follow Mass here at St. Patrick's. This is a Regional Meeting with all of our neighboring Catholic Churches. All are welcome!
- ✠ **April 7th -- Roll Sunday** following Mass

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Children of God,
 Another Sacramental weekend. On Saturday (April 20), James Troendle and Claire Forget were married at St. Mary's. Pray for them that they may have a strong life-long marriage. We are having First Holy Communion at St. Mary's. What a great gift the Eucharist is. It is the closest we get to God on this side of heaven. Jesus comes to us body, blood, soul, and divinity under the appearance of bread and wine. As Catholics, we believe in the Real Presence. Jesus is really present body, blood, soul, and divinity under the appearance of bread and wine.

The Easter season continues. Peter makes it very clear in our first reading. There is no salvation through anyone else. We can only be saved through Jesus Christ. It is great to be healed of illness here on earth. This may or may not happen to you. However, it is better to be saved, when you get to heaven. And this we all have available to us through Jesus Christ. This is the Good News of Jesus Christ. This is what we celebrate during this Easter season.


Jesus Christ has risen, Alleluia!

Father Vogel

SAINT OF THE WEEK: St. Hunna

St Hunna came from a royal family near France. She married a nobleman. She would take in the laundry of neighbors and was known as the "Holy Washerwoman." Not much is known about her now. She was canonized in 1520, some 700 years after her death. She is someone many of us can identify with, as she lived a simple life of holiness.



 We extend sympathy to our parishioners, Jenny and Joe Riederer and family, on the death of Jenny's mother, Sandra Lehmann. Please keep Sandra's loved ones in your prayers. The funeral for Sandra will be Saturday, April 27th at 11:30 am at St. Peter's Church, Hokah. Visitation from 9am until Mass begins.

2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal

Thanks to you, twenty-four men are currently discerning a call to the priesthood. More than 4,000 children in our Catholic schools are being formed in lives of faith and virtue. Additionally, hundreds of students on our college campuses receive formation as disciples of Christ, with the help of Newman Centers and FOCUS missionaries. Please give generously to this year's Appeal.

St. Patrick's Goal: \$6,665.00
Received: \$ 650.00

Thank you donors! Every gift, great or small helps our parish meet its goal, and funds received over goal are returned to the parish. If you did not receive an envelope in the mail, there are envelopes available at both Church entrances. You may also give online at www.catholicismn.org.

ST. PATRICK'S YOUTH - "M&M FUNDRAISER"

St. Patrick's youth are raising funds to attend the Steubenville-Rochester Youth Conference this summer. It is an opportunity to gather for a weekend with hundreds of other teens, grow in their faith, and learn how to share it with others. There will be nationally known keynote speakers, chosen for their exceptional ability to share the love of Christ with teens. The Sonar Worship Band will be there with great Christian music. There will be Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, great meals, a marketplace, and the opportunity to meet new friends from our Diocese. The students will be handing out M&M's after Mass at each of the church entrances. Please accept the M&M's as a gift and enjoy the treat! If you are able to help out, please return the tube by Sunday, May 5, with a free will donation. There will be collection boxes for the returned tubes at each entrance. Your support is so greatly appreciated!

Quarterly Caledonia Area CCW Meeting

The Caledonia Area CCW is made up of Catholic Church members from Houston and Fillmore Counties and meets to discuss the various works of area parish's. This quarter's meeting is hosted by St. Patrick's on Sunday, April 28 following Mass here at St. Patrick's. Come to learn what other Parish's are doing!

Grill The Priest

Why some priests are addressed as Reverend, some as Very Reverend and others as Most Reverend?

Clergy are addressed differently depending on their role:
Pope - His Holiness - Pope (Name) ** Cardinals - His Eminence - Cardinal (Name) ** Archbishops - His Grace - The **Most Reverend** (Name) ** Bishops - His Excellency - The **Most Reverend** (Name) ** Abbots - Right Reverend - The Right Reverend (Name) ** Monsignors - Reverend Monsignor - The Reverend Monsignor (Name) ** Vicar General, judicial vicars, rectors of cathedrals and seminaries - The **Very Reverend** (Name) ** Priests - Reverend (Father) - **Reverend** (Name) - Father (Name) ** Permanent Deacon - Reverend Deacon (Name) - Deacon (Name) ** Transitional Deacon (studying for the priesthood) - Reverend Mister (Name) - Deacon (Name)

Thank you!

The family of John Reining would like to express our heartfelt Thank You to everyone who participated in the funeral service for John. It was a beautiful service by Father Vogel and Deacon Bob. The choir sounded like angels in heaven. The dinner was absolutely delicious and we are grateful to all who prepared food for us, worked the dinner and the cleanup. To be a member of St. Patrick's parish and of this loving community of family and friends is beyond any words we can find. Please know you are all in our hearts. Thank You!

KC Corner- This concludes a very busy spring of KC activities/donations (\$500 TV Mass, \$750 for bus to Stewartville, \$1500/school for Extravaganza and Gala, Fish Fry events-\$7500/school, bell tower restoration \$5000, 2-\$500 seminarian donations, \$100 donation St Pat's Festival this weekend, yard clean-up, upcoming tootsie roll drive, and so much more). To continue the momentum, we'll need new members soon. Please consider joining this very worthwhile organization.

"THE ANSWER"

Diocese of La Crosse Eucharistic Rally June 7, 2024 at the La Crosse Center

Our whole lives we have been looking for the answer to the meaning of life, our purpose, our dreams, and our difficulties. This Rally will give youth and adults the opportunity to connect more deeply with Jesus, who is the answer, through Mass, Adoration, Confession, national speakers, powerful music, and so much more! Tickets are now on sale. Learn more and register at dioc.org/the-answer

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.