



St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin



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June 14, 2020

Parish Business

Mass Schedule


Sunday, June 14, 2020

8:00 a.m.  + Ray & + Philomena Ernster

Thursday, June 18, 2020

5:30 p.m.  + Jean Marie

Sunday, June 21, 2020

8:00 a.m.  + For Parishioners

Celebration of the 45th Wedding Anniversary of Randy and Mary Mell

Church Support:

June 7, 2020

Adults:	\$	1,795.00
Offertory:	\$	10.00
Ascension Offering:	\$	10.00
Cemetery Donations:	\$	425.00
Catholic Charities:	\$	10.00
Rice Bowl:	\$	25.00
Votives:	\$	32.00

TOTAL: \$ 2,307.00

Renew Faith, Extend Mercy, Inspire Hope

2020 Catholic Ministries Appeal: As of June 12, 2020, 13 donors from St. Patrick's Parish have donated \$6,360 toward the CMA, which is 93 % of our goal of \$6,850. This is great news. Many thanks to all who have donated so far!

Catholic Charities offers free adoption information meetings about the process to begin building your family. We have adoption social workers in Winona & Rochester who offer home studies for international and domestic infant adoption. Please email adoption@ccsommn.org or call 507-287-2047 to schedule an information meeting.

Servant Leadership

Pastor: Rev. John L. Evans, II
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St. Patrick's Parish Office: 507-482-6818
Crucifixion Parish Office: 507-895-4720

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Announcements

St. Patrick's Parish is slowly opening up for public Masses and social gatherings. We are so grateful to be welcoming you all back! For the month of June, parishioners will need to call the office at 482-6818, to reserve seating for the Thursday or Sunday Mass. We will continue with printing Bulletins to be left in the Hall and posting information on the website. Please be safe and stay home if you feel you are in the at risk group, showing signs of illness or have been in contact with someone with the illness or showing signs of illness.

PUBLIC CELEBRATION of the MASS at St. Patrick's

- The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains in effect until further notice.
- Those over age 65 and those with underlying health conditions will be strongly encouraged not to attend.
- Face masks must be worn and social distancing of six feet must be adhered to by those attending Mass.

MINISTRIES DURING COVID-19 PHASE II – At this time we are greatly limiting the number of people who are required to be in our churches. As a result, we are not utilizing Altar Servers, limiting the number of Eucharist Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC), and only using one Lector at each Mass.

Children's Lectionary will not be held during Sunday Mass until further notice.

The Most Reverend John M. Quinn, Bishop of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester, announces the following:

Rev. Matthew Wagner: currently Parochial Vicar of Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Parish in Winona and St. Casimir Parish in Winona; appointed to the Office of Pastor of St. Mary Parish in Caledonia and St. Olaf Parish in Mabel, effective July 1, 2020. Welcome, Fr. Wagner to St. Mary's!

To stay up to date and connected, stpatricks@brownsvillemn



If anyone has some extra time on their hands, please consider helping with the weeding around the Church and Parish House. If we each spend a little time on it we can keep it looking beautiful! Many hands make light work!

Cemetery Donations

Your contributions for the upkeep and maintenance of St. Patrick's Cemetery are appreciated and vital! A special envelope is in your offering box. Please consider sending in your donation. Thank you.

Sunday Televised Masses



During this difficult time of uncertainty, the one outlet we can rely on is attending Mass through our televisions. Mass can be viewed on KIMT Channel 3 (Rochester-

Austin-Mason City) Sunday at 7:30 am and MyTV 3.2 at 9:00am or WLAX/WEUX, Channel 25/48 (Winona-La Crosse-Eau Claire) Sunday at 7:30 am. View any time on the Diocese website. www.dowr.org/about/weekly-mass.html,

Spiritual resources:

<https://www.dowr.org/offices/missionary-discipleship/resources.html>

www.wordonfire.org (Bishop Barron's Daily Mass)

Daily Masses from the Vatican:

<http://www.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html> (go to NEWS tab on the right to find link to Mass of the day)

Follow this link to the U.S. Bishop's website on COVID-19 prayer resources:

<http://www.usccb.org/about/communications/usccb-president-reflection-and-prayer-during-coronavirus.cfm>

COVID-19 Website:

The Diocese has created a special webpage devoted to information and resources surrounding COVID-19. It can be accessed from the main diocesan website, www.dowr.org by clicking on the banner across the top of the page. On this COVID-19 webpage, you can find statements from the Diocese of Winona-Rochester, USCCB, and the Vatican; a regularly updated FAQ; Spiritual Resources and more.

The southwestern corner of Minnesota has been hard hit by the COVID outbreak. **Catholic Charities of Southern MN** has started a "Worthington Deanery COVID Relief Fund". This fund is helping people in this area (the counties of Rock, Pipestone, Nobles, Murray, Jackson and Cottonwood) who have reduced income (lost employment or reduced hours) because of the COVID outbreak, and do not qualify for other means of assistance (unemployment, stimulus money, etc.). We will help those who have "fallen through the cracks" with rent or utilities up to \$500. This fund is currently supported solely by donations. If you would like to help, donations can be mailed to:

Catholic Charities of Southern MN
111 Market Street, Suite #2, PO Box 739,
Winona, MN 55987

Checks should be made payable to "**Catholic Charities**" but it is very important to designate your gift by writing "Worthington COVID Relief" in the memo line of the check.

The Courier will only be available in an online format at www.dowr.org until parishioners are once again able to gather for public worship.



Corpus Christi

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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Today, we celebrate Corpus Christi (The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ) Sunday! This Feast means even more to us, this year, since so many have experienced such a deep longing and hunger for the Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist! Along with our own "hunger" are the many First Communicants who have been waiting and will celebrate at the Table of the Lord during the parish Masses on Wednesday evenings throughout the month of July. Please pray for them and their families. Take time this day to reflect on how your understanding and appreciation of the Eucharist has grown and give thanks to the Lord our God.

Fr. Evans

Mass offering envelopes can be mailed to St. Patrick's Parish at the address below. Support for our Parish is still needed especially during this time of crisis.

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 **by appointment only until after May 15**. Confessions are taken in the back of the church, in a small room. A red light will be turned on when Father is hearing a confession.