



St. Patrick's Parish Bulletin




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May 22, 2022


Parish Business

Mass Schedule

Sunday, May 22, 2022

8:00 a.m.  + Dave Phillips

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

5:30 p.m.  + Bob Hoodecheck

Sunday, May 29, 2022

8:00 a.m.  + Les Hirschuber

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, May 22

Announcer/Lector: Bill Fitzpatrick

Ushers: Dan Boser & Nick Serres

Eucharistic Minister: Ann Fitzpatrick

Choir: Karen Colsch

Gift Bearers: Barb & Ken Wiese

Servers: Colin Flannery & Vincent Colsch

Rosary: Frank Dvorak

Children's Lectionary: Teresa Colsch

Counters: Linda Neeman & Sarah Serres

Liturgical Roles - Sunday, May 29

Announcer/Lector: Kent Bezdicek

Ushers: Nick Serres & Mike Moriarty

Eucharistic Minister: Bill Fitzpatrick

Choir: Mary Mell

Gift Bearers: McCallson/Waters Family

Servers: Jackson Zaiger & Brynn Waters

Rosary: Dan Hurley

Children's Lectionary: Debi Shuda

Counters: Bill Fitzpatrick & Mike Moriarty

Church Support: May 15, 2022

Adults: \$ 855.00

Adult Online Giving: \$ 390.00

Offertory: \$ 115.00

Cemetery Donation: \$ 545.00

Catholic Charities: \$ 30.00

Spring Fling: \$ 15.00

Votives: \$ 5.00

TOTALS: \$ 1,955.00

Servant Leadership

Pastor: Rev. John L. Evans, II

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

Announcements

✠ Adoration each Tuesday from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

✠ Tuesday, May 24th Parish Council meeting at 6:00 pm

✠ Sunday, June 5th Roll Sunday following Mass

✠ Sunday, June 12 following Mass, Spring Fling wrap up meeting

✠ Tuesday, June 21st Fr. Evans celebration! Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm following Mass at St. Patrick's Hall.

Deacons' Message

Look to the wisdom of seniors and the joy of children!

One of the great joys of being a member of our parish is seeing the enthusiasm and joy of children AND the patient wisdom of our seniors. We have an abundance of both. We need them. They are a grace and great gifts to our parish community. God speaks through them and with them we can become the spirit-filled disciples of our Lord and carrying on His mission and bringing others to Him. May we always hold them dear to our hearts and close in prayer.

Deacon Robert Yerhot

Eucharistic Adoration

Thank you to those who have signed up to spend an hour in prayer and adoration. There are more opportunities available for one hour on a Tuesday of your choosing. The signup sheet is in the church hall.

Come and meet in a quiet place with Jesus.

Congratulations to the High School Seniors in our Parish who will be graduating this week:



Brayden McCallson
Abbey Spagl
Hannah Zaiger



We have watched you grow into fine young men and women. We thank you for your service to your Parish over the years, as Mass Servers, helping with Generations of Faith, Choir, Christmas Caroling, and Soup Suppers.

We are so proud of you and will keep you in our prayers as you move on to new adventures! You always have a home here at St. Patrick's Parish!

Father Evan's Celebration!

Planning has begun for Fr's celebration to honor his time shared with St. Patrick's. Joining us in July, 2019 we have been blessed with three years with him leading our religious way. Following Mass on June 21st we will share a meal with Father and then our memories of the past three years. Please let Jean Meyer know if you would like to help prepare for the celebration, say a few words, or participate in helping that night

Teams of Our Lady

Spring is a time of new beginnings, and we are starting something new at St. Patrick's Parish! **Teams of Our Lady** is a Catholic lay movement to strengthen Christian marriages. It is a celebration of the joy of the Gospel and the delight of married life. It was founded in France in 1947 and has spread to over 14,000 teams worldwide. A team is a group of 5 couples and a spiritual advisor who meet once a month to share a meal, share our faith, relax, and connect with one another. We are blessed to have Father Tom Jennings from Caledonia as our spiritual advisor. This is not a service project. It is a time to enjoy the company of Father Tom and other God-loving couples who see the world as it is through the light of Jesus. The Catholic faith is meant to be shared. The more we talk about Jesus, the more alive He is within us.

Father Evans has experience with **Teams of Our Lady** in Rochester and is very excited about starting this in our Parish! Like a rose garden opening to the sunlight, **Teams of Our Lady** is an opening to the grace and enjoyment of married life. Please reply to this email, or call and leave a message at the Parish office for Debi if you have any questions, or if you think you would be interested in joining a "team". There is no commitment or fee to attend. I hope you will consider joining us. Just "come and see"!

SAINT OF THE WEEK: St. Philip Neri, Priest Thursday, May 26



St. Philip Neri was a Christian missionary and founder of the Congregation of the Oratory, a community of Catholic priests and lay brothers. He was affectionately referred to as "good little Phil." He received his early teachings from friars at the Dominican monastery in Florence, San Marco. At 18-years-old, he felt a call from the Holy Spirit to radically live for and serve the Lord Jesus Christ and His Church. By the age of 20, he began talking to people on street corners and in public squares; he made acquaintances in places where people commonly gathered. Losing no time in converting good conversation to good actions, Philip led his followers to hospitals to wait on the sick or to the Church, to pray to and encounter Jesus Christ. Philip was an evangelist. He loved to share the Gospel and help people to find or rediscover their faith in Jesus Christ. Philip was "all things to all men.... When he was called upon to be merry, he was so; if there was a demand upon his sympathy, he was equally ready..."



Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

Disciples of Christ,
Stewards of His Gifts

Our Parish goal this year is \$6,837

As of May 13, 2022, 12 parishioners from St. Patrick's Parish have donated \$3,222 toward the Catholic Ministries Appeal which is 47% of our goal. Your generosity to the Appeal is so greatly appreciated! St. Patrick's Parish has exceeded our goal for the past 3 years!

The Catholic Ministries Appeal offers a unique opportunity for you to give back to the God of Love, from whom all things are given.

Any amount you can give will help us to reach our goal this year. There are envelopes available in the church hall or you may give online at www.catholicismn.org.



Semcac Food Shelf - Caledonia

Suggested items for the **month of May** are:

Generic sandwich cream cookies, strawberry jam/jelly, tuna or chicken helper, and spam. Other items are welcome as well. Your continued support is so very much appreciated!



Cemetery Care Contributions

The cemetery upkeep during the summer months is important work and needs your support to keep it looking good during your visit's. Please consider a contribution by placing in an envelope in the offertory during Sunday Mass. Thank you!!

Gift Bearers and Ushers

We are looking for families, couples, or individuals that would be willing to give one Sunday a month to serve as a gift bearer or usher. The rewards for serving in this capacity are numerous! We will train you! Please send an email to Jean Meyer at jeanm@acegroup.cc or call at 482-6720. Thank you!!



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**. Confessions are taken in the confessional located at the back of the church.