

Monday, March 18
7:00 - 8:00 PM ADORATION
9:00 AM NO MASS

Tuesday, March 19
9:00 AM Tim Kriese-Living & Mary Kriese - Deceased

Wednesday, March 20
9:00 AM Bob Prebe Family - Living & Deceased

Thursday, March 21
9:00 AM Bernie Goihl +

Friday, March 22
9:00 AM Lawrence & Martha Wagner -
10:00 AM Helen Richardson + @ Nursing Home
5:30 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 23
5:00 PM Simon Mehrkens +

Sunday, March 24
10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary’s & St. Patrick’s

LITURGICAL ROLLES

March 23, 5:00 PM
Lector: Dolores Berg

Servers: Volunteers

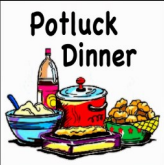
Ushers & Greeters: Gene & Kathie Durand, Doug & Janet Thompson

March 24, 10:00 AM
Lector: Dorothy Arendt

Servers: Isabella Raths, Warren Stolz

Ushers & Greeters: John & Kelly Haeska, Ann Braun & Frank Siebenaler

PARISH SUPPORT - MARCH 10, 2024	
ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT	7.525.00
OFFERTORY	518.00
VIGIL CANDLES	79.50
MASS STIPENDS	75.00
EASTERN EUROPE	25.00
EASTER FLOWERS	155.00
EASTER SUNDAY	10.00



Potluck Dinner

FAMILY MINISTRY NEWS


Friday March 22nd, after Stations of the Cross the Potluck and Game Night is ON!! Not cancelled -

SEE YOU THERE !

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,
Here is a great sermon by St. Leo the Great on praying over the Passion of our Lord.

From a sermon by Saint Leo the Great, pope
Contemplating the Lord’s passion

True reverence for the Lord’s passion means fixing the eyes of our heart on Jesus crucified and recognizing in him our own humanity. The earth — our earthly nature — should tremble at the suffering of its Redeemer. The rocks — the hearts of unbelievers — should burst asunder. The dead, imprisoned in the tombs of their mortality, should come forth, the massive stones now ripped apart. Fore-shadowings of the future resurrection should appear in the holy city, the Church of God: what is to happen to our bodies should now take place in our hearts. No one, however weak, is denied a share in the victory of the cross. No one is beyond the help of the prayer of Christ. His prayer brought benefit to the multitude that raged against him. How much more does it bring to those who turn to him in repentance. Ignorance has been destroyed, obstinacy has been overcome. The sacred blood of Christ has quenched the flaming sword that barred access to the tree of life. The age-old night of sin has given place to the true light. The Christian people are invited to share the riches of paradise. All who have been reborn have the way open before them to return to their native land, from which they had been exiled. Unless indeed they close off for themselves the path that could be opened before the faith of a thief. The business of this life should not preoccupy us with its anxiety and pride, so that we no longer strive with all the love of our heart to be like our Redeemer, and to follow his example. Everything that he did or suffered was for our salvation: he wanted his body to share the goodness of its head. First of all, in taking our human nature while remaining God, so that *the Word became man, he left no member of the human race, the unbeliever excepted, without a share in his mercy. Who does not share a common nature with Christ if he has welcomed Christ, who took our nature, and is reborn in the Spirit through whom Christ was conceived?* Again, who cannot recognize in Christ his own infirmities? Who would not recognize that Christ’s eating and sleeping, his sadness and his shedding of tears of love are marks of the nature of a slave? It was this nature of a slave that had to be healed of its ancient wounds and cleansed of the defilement of sin. For that reason the only-begotten Son of God became also the son of man. He was to have both the reality of a human nature and the fullness of the godhead. The body that lay lifeless in the tomb is ours. The body that rose again on the third day is ours. The body that ascended above all the heights of heaven to the right hand of the Father’s glory is ours. If then we walk in the way of his commandments, and are not ashamed to acknowledge the price he paid for our salvation in a lowly body, we too are to rise to share his glory. The promise he made will be fulfilled in the sight of all: *Whoever acknowledges me before men, I too will acknowledge him before my Father who is in heaven.* Sincerely, Fr. The



MEN’S GROUP


Men’s Prayer & Fellowship with Fr. The’ is on Thursday, March 21st, 6:30 PM.



All night Adoration- There will be an opportunity for all night Adoration from after Mass Holy Thursday until Services Good Friday. 8PM -Noon. It is a chance to keep watch with him as he agonizes in the garden and prepares for his crucifixion on the cross. If interested please call the office 651-345-4134

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Grief Support Luncheon
Thursday MARCH 21, 2024
12:00 pm St. Patrick’s Church Hall, West Albany, MN. Grief support group striving to provide support through your journey of loss. All are welcome Please RSVP to Sandy Danckwart 651-448-3386.



In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Remember in your prayers Clarence Evers brother to Elmer Evers & sister to Judy Herbst & Bernita McQuiston.


May the angels lead him into Paradise.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE...

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Wednesday Confessions

7:00 PM Holy Thursday
NOON Good Friday
8:00 PM Holy Saturday
10:00 AM Sunday

We need Lectors, Servers, Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers for Holy Week. Please call the office @ 3435-4134 if you can help out.



Holy Baptism

We welcome into our Faith Community of St. Mary of the Lake Chance Roman Rothmeier son of Veda & Nick Rothmeier who baptized this Sunday. Please pray for his parents & God Parents as he begins his faith journey in Christ.



HAPPY St. Patrick's DAY

Camp Summit will be the week of July 22-25th. It is open to anyone going into 6-12th grades. Registration needs to be in by March 31st
There are **4 openings for 6-8 graders**. Camp Summit is in need of a female chaperone. If interested let the office know.

Totus Tuus will once again be here this summer! June 16-21st! We are looking for 2 host families for the team. We are also in need of parishioners who would be interested in doing a nightly dinner or bringing the team lunch during the week. If interested please contact the office.

Mark Your Calendars! The youth going to Camp Summit will be raising funds to help pay for camp through a couple upcoming fundraisers.



Quilt Raffle— Mission Sewing has donated a queen size quilt for the students to use to raffle off. Tickets are \$5 for 1 or \$25 for 6. Winner will be drawn on April 21st at the Spaghetti dinner.



Spaghetti Dinner— April 21st 11AM-2PM
Menu— Spaghetti with homemade sauce, Salad, Garlic bread, and Dessert.
Tickets are \$10 presale or \$15 at the door.

Tickets can be bought after Mass or in the office.
All proceeds will be going to help pay for students to attend Camp Summit.



Irish BLESSING

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