

	<p>St. Patrick/St. Clement Parish West Albany 419 W Lyon Ave Lake City, MN 55041 October 5th - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	
<p>Father Thê Hoàng Office: (651) 345-4134 Rectory: (651) 448-8541 Email: frthehoang@gmail.com</p>	<p>Deacon David Dose Cell: (507) 273-1983</p>	<p>Mass Schedule <u>St. Patrick - West Albany</u> Sunday - 8:00 a.m. Confessions – 7:30 a.m. <u>St. Mary of the Lake - Lake City</u> Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Sunday - 10:00 a.m.</p>
<p>Brianna Evers: Director of Faith Formation Hall/Office: (507) 753-2424 Cell: (507)421-5766 Email: briannaeversfaithformation@gmail.com</p>	<p>MISSION STATEMENT: <i>To use our resources, wisdom, and energy to empower and encourage parish families and surrounding communities so that people see Christ in our works and commitment to make our parishes thrive and grow and to share our faith with others.</i></p>	<p>Confession available before weekday Masses at St Mary's 8:20 – 8:50 am Website: stpatrickswestalbany.org Facebook Page: stpatrickswestalbany</p>
<p>Bulletin Items / Mass Intentions Contact: Becky Lukes Cell: (507)990-6657 please leave a message Email: westalbanybulletin@gmail.com Please contact Becky to confirm mass intention scheduling as intentions are placed weeks and months in advance.</p>		<p>QR code to St Mary / St Patrick's website. You can visit the website and view the calendar on your smartphone by scanning this QR code with your phone's camera.</p> 

<p>Pastoral Care of the Sick Parishioners who are homebound and who wish to receive a pastoral visit should contact Father. Persons who are seriously ill or who are anticipating surgery should make arrangements for the Sacrament of Anointing.</p> <p>Baptism Preparation Parents requesting the sacrament of Baptism should call the St. Mary Parish office (651)345-4134</p> <p>Marriage Preparation Couples should contact the priest at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date to discuss the marriage preparation program.</p> <p>New Parishioner Signup If you are interested in becoming a member or would like more information about our St Patrick's Parish Family, please see Father Hoang at church or contact him at (651)345-4134 or email frthehoang@gmail.com</p>	<p>R.C.I.A. Individuals who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith are invited to consider our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults program. You are welcome to contact Dave and Ann Marie Dose at (651) 345-2439.</p> <p>Prayer Chain To add a request to the prayer chain, please contact Becky Lukes at westalbanybulletin.com</p> <p>Hall Rent Parish members may rent St Patrick's Community Center. For prices and to reserve the hall, contact Meg Sprick at (651)345-4804.</p> <p>Sunshine Blessings Please contact Louann Fieck, (507)259-5824, if you know of any parish member or person in the community that would benefit from a get-well wish, some encouraging words, or even just a simple personal note from the parish.</p>
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St Patrick's Collection
September 28, 2025
Adult \$ 925 Plate \$ 272



Prayer Requests

If there is anyone you would like us to pray for and put in the bulletin, please contact Becky Lukes via email westalbanybulletin@gmail.com



St Patrick's is looking to add to our field of Mass servers. The only requirement is completion of 2nd grade. This is a great way to be involved in the entire Mass. Please pray on this and reach out to Father The, Deacon David or Brianna Evers with questions or to sign up!

- Please pray for all those who struggle with addiction
- Please pray for our students as they navigate a new school year
- Please pray for young people who question their identities – may they realize that were perfectly and beautifully made by God.
- Please pray for enlightenment for all those seeking answers

Upcoming Opportunities

Grief Support Group Oct 16 – St Patrick's Hall
Beloved – Women's Conference Nov 1 – St Ann's, Janesville
Grief Support Group Nov 20 – St Patrick's Hall
Grief Support Group Dec 18 – St Patrick's Hall

St. Patrick's Church Pies

Apple Pies 9" - \$12 each Apple Crisp - \$10 each
Made with LOVE by St. Patrick's Church Members
Contain delicious apples donated by Buckridge Orchard
Pies are fresh frozen to take and bake.



Baby Bottle Campaign
October is Respect Life Month. Please help support new and expecting mothers to choose life by donating and collecting your change for the month of October. Please take an envelope or a baby bottle from the back of church. Return filled to the back of church by Sunday November 2nd. Checks can be made to Catholic Charities Mother and Child Fund. Thanks for supporting this cause.

The pies will be available at the Chicken BBQ and Buckridge Orchard or text or call Carmen Diedrich 507-951-8065, Sandy Danckwart 651-448-3386 or Jane Timm 507-259-9505.



Faith Formation Corner

**Welcom back to Class St Patrick's Faith Formation Students!
May God be in your hearts and minds today and every day!**

Faith Formation Parents –
Please come over to the hall while students are in class Sunday mornings – for beverages, snacks and conversation
All are welcom – this is time for YOU!

We are still in search of a teacher or team teachers for the 5th-6th grade class. Please pray on this, and reach out to Brianna if you have questions. Our kids need you!

WHAT IS AN EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER

An Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister is a commissioned layperson who helps distribute Holy Communion to the faithful during Mass, and to the sick and homebound when there aren't enough priests or deacons.

This role requires full initiation into the Catholic Church, good standing, proper formation, and a deep reverence for our Eucharistic Lord.

CALLING ALL EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

If you are a Eucharistic Minister, or take Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament to those who are homebound, or would like to be one, please join Fr. The' for an "Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister" training session.

This session will be on Tues Oct. 7 After our Holy Hour (5-6pm.)
The training session will be at 6:15pm. Please join us for both, or whatever you are able.

Liturgy Corner

Wanted: individuals and families willing to serve as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans/Greeters, Ushers, Gift Bearers, Servers, etc. Please contact Ann Marie Dose 507-272-6222 call or text

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Thank you so much for all the love and support from this past weekend for Priesthood Appreciation Sunday! I am honored to serve as your pastor. I just humbly ask for your prayers that I continue to be able to be open to the will of Lord in leading both parishes to greater sanctity.

It has been such a blessing to gather with my brother priests for a couple of days! I feel rejuvenated and well rested. I thank you for all of your prayers for us during this time of fellowship and prayer.

This weekend's gospel talks about asking Jesus to help us increase our faith. Jesus launches right away into the parable of the mustard seed. This is great lesson for us because strengthening our faith takes little steps of surrender so that we can be more open to the will of God that He has planned for us. With each step and surrender, our confidence in Him continues to grow! Let us ask the Lord for this humility to never tire of making those little steps of faith out of great love and humility.

Sincerely,
Fr. The

St Patrick's Parish Fall Chicken BBQ

**Sunday October 12th
11 am – 1 pm (or until gone)
½ Chicken Meal \$15
¼ Chicken Meal \$10**



Meal includes chicken, cheesy potatoes, corn, bun, dessert & drink

There will also be Fresh Frozen Apple Pie or Apple Crisp available – made by Church Ladies 9" pie \$12 Crisp \$10

There will be a PVT (Parish Volunteer Team) meetin g on October 14th at 7 pm. All are welcome and encouraged to attend – to help with fundraising ideas for our parish.

Quilt Group

Meets in the Hall Fridays at 6:30 pm.

No special quilting skills needed – all are welcome to join.

Contact Diane Franke 651-345-5127

or Margaret Loos 507-798-2427 for info

Quilts are made and donated to people in need, including a recent donation of 28 single bed quilts to the Veteran's Home in Preston.

Mass Schedule:

Sunday October 5 – 8:00 a.m. – Edmund & Dorothy Mullenbach +

Sunday October 12 – 8:00 a.m. – Gene & Sharon Krismer +

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION PATRIOTIC ROSARY (1st and 3rd Tuesday), CHAPLET: Tuesday 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Church

Ministry Schedule:

October 5 – Greeter/Sacristan: Darlene Sommerfield **Lector:** Dawn Sexton **Eucharistic Ministers:** Brianne Evers & Louann Fieck

Server: Henry Sexton **Ushers:** Don Sexton & Gary Timm **Gift Bearers:** Scott & Jasmine Sexton Family

October 12 – Greeter/Sacristan: Bill & Carmen Diedrich **Lector:** Ann Marie Dose **Server:** Bill Sexton

Eucharistic Ministers: Jim Evers & Judy Kottschade **Ushers:** Tom & Cooper Meyer **Gift Bearers:** Leslie Rolph Family

October 19 – Greeter/Sacristan: Ken & Vicy Moyer **Lector:** Kathleen Evers **Eucharistic Ministers:** Don Sexton & Dwaine Sexton

Server: Helen Sexton **Ushers:** Bill & Carmen Diedrich **Gift Bearers:** Brianna & Caleb Evers

October 26 – Greeter/Sacristan: Meg Sprick **Lector:** Louann Fieck **Eucharistic Ministers:** Dianne Johnson & Bridget Siewert

Server: Cooper Meyer **Ushers:** Dwaine Sexton & Ken Moyer **Gift Bearers:** Steve & Angela Carlson Family