

March 17, 2024

CHURCH *of* ST. ALBERT

The Catholic Church in the Heart of Albertville

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5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life;
whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live."
- Jn 11:25

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Welcome Visitors!

Are you new to our community? We are glad you're here and hope that you find our parish a place to call home! To register as a member, please contact the Parish Office at **763-497-2474** or complete the Registration Form on our website.

Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00pm
Sunday Mass 8:00am • 10:00am

Daily Mass

Tuesday 8:00am
Wednesday 8:00am
Thursday 8:00am
Friday *Ad Orientem* 12:00pm
1st Saturday *Latin Chant* 8:30am

Reconciliation

Saturday 2:30-3:45pm
Wednesday 8:30-9:00am
Friday 12:30-1:00pm
1st Saturday 7:30-8:15am

**subject to change with Holidays*

Marriage

Call the Parish Office one year prior to your proposed marriage date.

Baptism

Available on the 1st Saturday after the 4:00pm Mass and on the 3rd Sunday after the 10:00am Mass. Call the Parish Office to register for Baptism and for preparation details.

RCIA

To learn more about becoming a Catholic, contact the Parish Office.

Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30-4:00pm
(Closed 12:00-1:00pm for Lunch)

Chapel Hours

Our Adoration Chapel is open from 6:00pm Sunday to 8:00am Saturday.



Readings | Mass Intentions

Today's Readings

First Reading: I will put my spirit in you that you may live, and I will settle you upon your land; thus you shall know that I am the LORD. (Ez 37:14)

Psalm: With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption. (Ps 130)

Second Reading: If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the one who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also, through his Spirit dwelling in you. (Rom 8:11)

Gospel: "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die." (Jn 11:25-26)



Mass Intentions for the Week of March 18 – March 24

Day of Week	Mass Time	Mass Intention
Tue, Mar 19	8:00am	† Margaret Justen
Wed, Mar 20	8:00am	† Walter Berning
Thu, Mar 21	8:00am	† Harold & Eileen Arnold
	5:30pm	All Parishioners (Healing Mass)
Fri, Mar 22	12:00pm	† Roger Theisen
Sat, Mar 23	4:00pm	† Arlene & LeRoy Lindenfesler
Sun, Mar 24	8:00am	† Marlene Zachman
	10:00am	All Parishioners

Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel

Chapel Hours

The Chapel opens at 6:00pm on Sundays and closes at 8:00am on Saturdays.

**Adoration chapel will close on Holy Thursday at 4:00pm and reopen on Sunday at 6:00pm as usual. Adorers needed for Holy Thursday's NightWatch from 8:00pm-11:00pm.*

Immediate Need

Tuesday—10:00-11:00am
Wednesday—12:00-1:00am
Thursday—4:00-5:00am
Thursday—9:00-10:00am
Thursday—11:00-Noon
Friday—2:00-3:00am
Friday—9:00-10:00am
Saturday—2:00-3:00am

Prayer Partner Needed

Thursday—10:00-11:00am
Friday—4:00-5:00am
Friday—11:00am-Noon



*If you have questions or would like a weekly hour of adoration, contact **Brenda O'Donnell** at 763-286-8570 or **Dawn Barthel** at 763-301-3172.*

Flame of Love Rosary

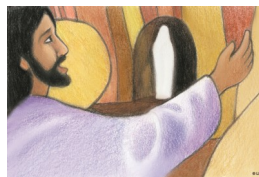
Please join us at 7:00pm on Monday evenings at St. Albert's to pray the Flame of Love Rosary. We pray for the souls in purgatory and for the whole world.

6-Day Candles

Would you like a 6-Day Candle lit for your prayer intentions? The candles are located on the west wall of the church and are available at the Parish Office for \$5.

Scriptural Reflection

Total Freedom from Sin



"Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, tied hand and foot with burial bands, and his face was wrapped in a cloth. So Jesus said to them, "Untie him and let him go." John 11:43-44

The death of Lazarus can be seen as a symbolic representation of the soul that has died from mortal sin. This is similar to the fact that leprosy, physical ailments and the like are also symbols of sin. For that reason, Jesus' initial reactions reveal how we should respond to serious sin in our lives. When Jesus faced the death of Lazarus, "he became perturbed and deeply troubled," "Jesus wept," He became "perturbed again" and He "cried out in a loud voice." Though Jesus was God, He freely chose to assume human nature and to experience human emotions and passions to teach us how we should react. In this case, He chose to become perturbed, deeply troubled, to weep and to cry out to show us how we should react to grave sin. Grave sin kills the spirit. As a result, we must be deeply affected if we commit or witness a grave sin.

One lesson we can take from this passage is that when you or a loved one falls into grave sin, it must not be ignored. Final impenitence is a sin by which a person fails to have appropriate remorse for sin and reacts to it in a dismissive and casual manner. This cannot be our reaction. Begin by considering the great value of taking sin seriously, reacting to it with passion and emotion, and crying out to God for forgiveness.

When Jesus cried out, commanding Lazarus to come out of the tomb, the details were added that Lazarus did come forth but was still bound "hand and foot with burial bands, and his face was wrapped in a cloth." Saint Augustine teaches that, in part, this symbolizes the entire process of confession and the forgiveness of sins. First, no person is capable of confessing their sins by their own effort. It must be that they are moved by grace and the command of our Lord to come forth to show themselves in their bound state to God. Lazarus' obedience to Jesus' command symbolizes the Christian's response to God when called to repentance. When our Lord says, "Untie him and let him go," this symbolizes the unmerited effect of the Sacrament of Confession and the power it has to release a person not only from their sins but also from the ongoing effects of those sins.

Our Church teaches that sin has a double consequence. First, it keeps us from eternal salvation. This effect is remedied through Confession and forgiveness. However, there is a second effect called "temporal punishment" (see the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* #1471-1473). This "punishment" is not from God, but from sin. It means that when we sin, even in a less serious way, we become attached to that sin and that the ongoing temptation to return to it is strengthened. Thus, ongoing conversion also means we hear our Lord say, "Untie him and let him go." This is especially accomplished by ongoing conversion and growth in virtue.

Reflect, today, upon the rich symbolism found in the story of the raising of Lazarus from the dead. As you do, listen for the passionate voice of Jesus who calls to you, "Come out!" What sin is Jesus calling you to be free from? Identify that sin and repent of it with the same passion that our Lord exhibits. From there, consider any ongoing temptation you struggle with and any attachment you still have toward a particular sin. Jesus desires that you be completely unbound and set free. Be open to that grace and do all you can to accept it.

My merciful and passionate Lord, You command me, in love, to come forth from all sin. And when I respond, You command that the effects of my past sins be removed. Please free me, dear Lord, from all that binds me so that I will be set firmly on the glorious road of virtue that leads to eternal joy. Jesus, I trust in You.

— MyCatholic.Life



2024 Catholic Services Appeal Has Begun

Giving is not easy. It costs us something. We thank you in advance for the sacrifices you make for our community of faith, and we honor you for your generous support of our Catholic Services Appeal. Thank you in advance for your generosity. St. Albert's goal for 2024 is \$29,544. Mail your envelope! There are extra envelopes in the narthex or use the QR code below to contribute.



Make your Safe, Easy & Secure Gift Online by scanning the QR Code >>>

The Weekly Calendar at a Glance

The Collection for March 9 & 10, 2024

Adult Envelopes/Donations	\$ 7,944.00
Youth Envelopes	\$ 0.00
Plate	\$ 1,299.00
Abiding Love Envelopes	\$ 269.00
Total Given Year-to-date	\$ 408,506.00
Envelope Forecast-to-date	\$ 419,250.00
Religious Retirement	\$ 100.00



Contribute Online

Thank you parishioners of St. Albert for your generous financial support of our local parish.



Baptized in Christ

CONGRATULATIONS & WELCOME!

Lydia Jo Schweim

Daughter of Benjamin & Jolene Schweim

Sunday, March 3, 2024

CCW Collecting Disposable Baby Diapers

St. Albert CCW is conducting our **5th Annual Diaper Drive** & inviting all parishioners to donate disposable all-sizes diapers to our upcoming Baby Layette Collection. Diapers can be dropped into the designated box in the narthex **through March 18**. Thank you for your generosity. If you have any questions please call **Mary Daluge at 763-295-2818**.



Sunday, March 17—Fifth Sunday of Lent

HOSPITALITY WEEKEND

8:00am Mass

9:00-9:45am TLC Sunday FunDay (Parish Center Dining Hall)

10:00am Mass with Liturgy of the Word for Children

1:15-2:00pm FNL Planning Meeting (Parish Center)

2:00-4:00pm Core Team Meeting (Parish Center)

Monday, March 18

6:00pm Alpha Winter Course (Parish Center)

6:30pm 4th Grade Fun Night

6:30pm Middle School Bible Study

7:00pm Flame of Love Rosary (Church)

Tuesday, March 19

8:00am Mass

6:30pm Stewardship Council (St Albert Rectory Dining Room)

7:00pm CCW Meeting (Parish Center Meeting Room & Dining Hall)

7:00pm Grief Support Group w/Deacon Ravnika (St Michael Room#101)

7:00pm Theology 101 (St Michael)

Wednesday, March 20

8:00am Mass

8:30-9:00am Reconciliation

2:00-5:00pm 7th & 8th Grade Open Youth Room (St Michael)

5:00-6:00pm Choir Practice (Church)

6:00-7:15pm First Communion Class (Parish Center #109 & #111)

6:30-8:30pm Alpha Youth (St Michael)

Thursday, March 21

8:00am Mass

9:00am Early Bulletin Deadline for March 31st Bulletin

5:30pm Healing Mass (Church)

6:00pm 5th-6th Open Youth Room (St Michael)

6:00pm City Days Planning Meeting (Parish Center #109 & #111)

7:00pm NW Young Adults Evening (Parish Center Dining Hall)

7:00pm RCIA Meeting (Parish Center #102)

7:30pm Men's Night (Rectory Dining Room following Healing Mass)

Friday, March 22

12:00pm Mass *Ad Orientem*

12:30-1:00pm Reconciliation

7:00pm Stations of the Cross (Church)

7:00pm Friday Night Live for 7th-8th Grade (St Albert Parish Center)

Saturday, March 23

2:30-3:45pm Reconciliation

4:00pm Mass (Procession starts under the Canopy)

Sunday, March 24—Palm Sunday

6:30am Men's Group (St Albert Rectory Dining Room)

8:00am Mass (Procession starts under the Canopy)

10:00am Mass with Liturgy of the Word for Children
(Procession starts at Parish Center)

7:00pm-8:30pm Encounter & Lenten Penance Service (Church)

Grief Support Group

Deacon Paul Ravnika leads a monthly Grief Support Group from 7:00-8:30pm on **Tuesday, March 19**. The meeting is located at St. Michael in St. Anthony's Room #109.

Confirmed in the Power of the Holy Spirit



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR YOUNG PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED THE *Sacrament of Confirmation*

Saturday, March 9, 2024 | Cathedral of St Paul

Celebrant: Auxiliary Bishop Michael Izen

Pastor: Fr. Joseph Zabinski | Deacon: Paul Ravnika

NAME (*Confirmation Name*)

Sarah Mary Anderson (*Maria*)

Kathryn Kay Berning (*Terese*)

Paige Cecilia Carroll (*Cecilia*)

Drew Joseph Kolenda (*Joseph*)

Martha Catherine Loch (*Faustina*)

Tyreece Miyanui Ndofo (*Stephen*)

Samuel Arthur Peterson (*Hubert*)

Brynn Theresa Rogers (*Lucy*)

Emmett James Ruff (*John*)

Elise Janelle Scherber (*Elizabeth*)

Alexis Desree Solum (*Philomena*)

Hailey Pearl Steffensmeier (*Elizabeth*)

Brayden Ryan Szarzynski (*Francis*)

Evan Martin Tatge (*Sebastian*)

PARENTS

Daughter of Mark & Mary Anderson

Daughter of Thomas & Kristen Berning

Daughter of Timothy & Katherine Carroll

Son of Edward & Cybil Kolenda

Daughter of Michael & Julie Loch

Son of Stephen & Constance Ndofo

Son of Mark & Lisa Peterson

Daughter of Patrick & Karen Rogers

Son of John & Rebecca Ruff

Daughter of Jamine & Katrina Scherber

Daughter of Rebecca Hazuka

Daughter of Kevin & Jennifer Steffensmeier

Son of Ryan & Sara Szarzynski

Son of Steven & Amy Tatge

STMA Catholic Youth Ministry

Extreme Faith Camp REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Current 5th-8th Graders | June 17-21

Trinity Woods Camp and Retreat Center Trego, WI
A premier high adventure camp packed with incredible activities! Zip line, private beach with inflatables, canoeing, and more! A faith experience that builds lifelong foundations in the sacramental life of the Catholic Church. More details are available at:
www.stmacatholicyouth.org/extreme-faith-camp-2024

4th Grade Fun Night

All 4th Graders | **Monday, March 18**

6:30-8:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/funnight

Middle School Bible Study

All 5th-8th Graders | **Monday, March 18**

6:30-8:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center, Youth Room.

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/bible-study

THEOLOGY 101—Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

9th-12th Graders | **Tuesday, March 19**

7:00pm at St. Michael's Youth Room

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/theology-101

Friday Night Live — "FNL"

All 7th/8th Graders | **Friday, March 20**

7:00-10:00pm at St. Michael Catholic Church

All 5th/6th Graders | **Friday, April 12**

7:00-9:30pm at St. Albert Parish Center/Church

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/fnl

Open Youth Room

All 7th/8th Graders | **Wednesday, March 20**

2:00-5:00pm at St. Michael's Youth Room

All 5th/6th Graders | **Thursday, March 21**

6:00-8:00pm at St. Michael's Youth Room

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/oyr

Alpha Youth

All 8th Graders | **Wednesday, March 20**

6:30-8:30pm at St. Michael Catholic Church | Details:

www.stmacatholicyouth.org/alpha-youth-8th-grade

High School Night

All 9th-12th Graders | **Sunday, April 7**

6:30-8:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center

Details: www.stmacatholicyouth.org/hsnight

High School Catholic Prom

2024 CATHOLIC PROM

Willows & Whimsy
Friday, April 5

St. Albert Parish Center • 5700 Lander Ave NE, Albertville

Open to All

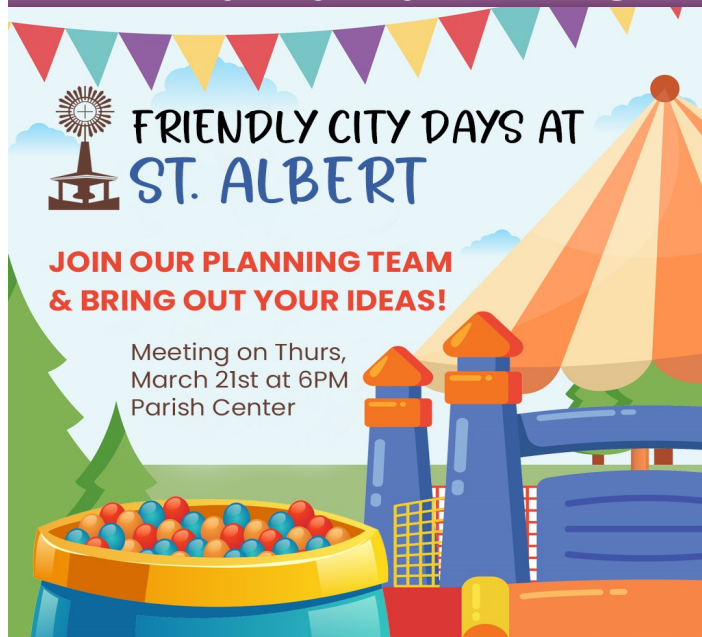
9th-12th Grade

5:30pm Check-in
6:00pm Grand March
Dinner & Dance to Follow
11:00pm End of Event

Tickets: \$35 | RSVP Deadline March 15



Friendly City Days Planning



**JOIN OUR PLANNING TEAM
& BRING OUT YOUR IDEAS!**

Meeting on Thurs,
March 21st at 6PM
Parish Center

Let's plan fun activities at St Albert during Friendly City Days in June 5-9, 2024! If you have any ideas and have interest in being part of the planning team, join us in our meeting on **Thursday, March 21 from 6:00pm-7:00pm**. If you have any questions, please contact **Pam Lindenfelser at 612-239-0215**.

Vocation Events

WOMEN'S VOCATIONS NIGHT

Sunday, April 28th, 2024, 12:30PM-3:00PM

St Michael Catholic Church, St Michael, MN

Following the 11:00am Mass in St Michael Catholic Church, we will have time to meet with the Handmaids of the Heart of Jesus. They will share about religious life and the process of discernment as well as take time for questions. Lunch will be provided, and there will be time for recreation and prayer as well. For more info:

www.stmcatholicchurch.org/events/st-michael-womens-vocation-event

MEN'S VOCATIONS NIGHT

Friday, May 3rd, 2024, 5:30-7:00PM

St Michael Catholic Church Rectory, St Michael, MN

Young men high-school aged and older who are interested in learning more about priesthood, seminary, and the value of a life in Christ are invited to attend a men's vocations night at the rectory (120 Cottonwood Ave. NE, St. Michael). The event will be from 5:30pm to 7:30pm with dinner, followed by discussion and leisure time. For more info:

www.stmcatholicchurch.org/events/mens-vocations-night

A Vocation View

Unless a seed dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we first dry out and die to our selfish ways, we can never expect to be people who will 'lay down their lives for their friends.' Consider answering the call to the priesthood and serve God and His people. If you would like to talk about your vocation, contact Fr. Joe at 763-497-2474 Ext. 0 or email frjoe@churchofstalbert.org

Easter Memorials & Honorariums



Easter Flowers

FOR MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS

The sanctuary at St Albert will be once again decorated for Easter with flowers purchased for **\$20 each memorial or honorarium** requested!

All memorials & honorariums will also be included in the Easter Sunday bulletin, March 31.

Complete the form below & bring it to the parish office or place it in the regular collection basket at Mass. Please include your donation with the completed form in an envelope that is marked: **"Easter Flowers"**

Scan this QR code for online payment:
www.churchofstalbert.org/Easter-Flowers

For more info or questions, contact **Kelly Perrault** at 763-295-2775 or **Susan Zachman** at 763-497-2573



Easter Flower Memorials & Honorariums Donation Form

I would like to donate \$20 x _____ = Total \$ _____
Please place an (x) in the appropriate box(es) below.

☐ In memory of (those deceased)

☐ In honor of (living loved ones)

Donated by: _____

Phone Number: _____

Place your donation with this form in the weekend collection basket or drop it off at the Parish Office during regular business hours by **Monday, March 25**. Thank you for your support.

We are in need of many people to help fill the open positions for our Parish Festival on September 15, 2024.

Call for more information, Pam at 612-239-0215

Chair of Festival—Schedules & leads monthly meetings, checks with individual chair's planning process & needs. Provides updates. Has some clerical duties.

General Raffle Chair—Works with a small committee of 4-5 people to have a raffle tickets printed, prepares parishioner envelopes, and counts & records ticket sales.

Acquisitions Chair—Obtains items for our silent auction.

Opportunities to Pray

Prayer Requests

If you want to place someone on the prayer list, please send an email: jwelter@churchofstalbert.org or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474. Their name will remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If additional prayers are needed, please request that their name remain on the list.



Please Pray For:

Joan Wacker	
Family of Roger Zabinski (<i>father of Fr. Joe Zabinski</i>)	
Family of Joanne Kerkaert	Emiko Hughes
Patty Schaffron (<i>friend of Jean Current</i>)	
Jill Borrell (<i>cousin of Jean Current</i>)	Duane Crosland
Scott Black	Marilyn DeMars
Christian (<i>nephew of Cecilia Chapp</i>)	Diane Kolenda
Michael & Catherine Laurent	Michelle Lindenfelser
Al Schutta	Allen Webskowsky
Tim Lauth (<i>SIL of Betty Barthel</i>)	Eugene Valerius
Margaret Kalis (<i>SIL of JoAnn Kalis</i>)	Susan Kowalczyk
Cecilia Chapp	Steve DeMars
Paul Greninger	Mitzi Praught
Sheryl Eull-SIL of Jacques	
Billy Dwinnell	
Patrick Ryan (<i>Grandfather of Ashley Raymond</i>)	
Greg Armstrong (<i>Brother of Cyndie Winkelman</i>)	
Suzanne Swenson (<i>Friend of Parishioner</i>)	
Karen Dehmer (<i>Daughter of Betty Barthel</i>)	
Barb Berning	Joe Scherber
Kristina McKenzie	Jim Current
Kurt Roden	Charles Anderson
Blaise Ptak	Tony Barthel
Paul Schumacher	Ben Carroll
Florence Bosire	Wayne Kolles
Dennis & Leona Vetsch	
Mara Norton (<i>Friend of Jacques & Debra Eull</i>)	
Adam Roden (<i>Son of Bill & Lois Roden</i>)	
Nicholas Wiltscheck (<i>Great-Grandson of Joanne Kerkaert</i>)	

Please Pray for the Safety of our Service Men and Women:

Lindsey Brotkowski (*Grandaughter of Donais*)
Michael & Steven Bistodeau
Tyler & Nicholas Franzen (*Sons of Scott & Dawn*)
Catrena Schumacher (*Daughter of Paul & Molly*)
Lance, Blake & Calvin Meyer (*Sons of Neil & Lisa*)
Mitch Greninger (*Grandson of Phyllis Greninger*)
Jack Helget (*Grandson of Phyllis Greninger*)



The Jail Chair—Promotes excitement the day of the festival to detain or make fun arrests for our jail fundraiser.

Dining Room Chair—Help develop the flow and use of the main dining room, decorations, and to organize the necessary help to keep in order the day of the festival.

Outside Snacks Sales Chair—Plan and organize possible outside snack booths for sales (popcorn, root beer floats, lemonade, or other ideas you might have).



Liturgical Ministry Schedule



Mass Times	Saturday, March 23 4:00pm	Sunday, March 24 8:00am	Sunday, March 24 10:00am
Altar Servers	CB Anthony Berning C Lauren Berning C Cecelia Smith C Auggie Ruff C Emmitt Ruff	CB Ben Zachman C Gabe Barthel C Volunteer Welcome C Volunteer Welcome C Volunteer Welcome	CB Cooper Dahmen C Lucas Dahmen C Ben Lang C Joe Lang C Owen O'Donnell
Reader	(N) Kristen B (S) Lori V	(N) Nancy E (S) Dcn Paul	(N) Bree L (S) Dcn Paul
Sacristan	Marie Vetsch	Karen Barthel	Janet Welter
MC	Joyce Valerius	Karen Frase	Lois Roden
EMHC	C Pam Lindenfelser E Peter Klinkner W Sherri Dzuik	C Dcn. Ravnikar E George Finka W Ann Valley	C Dcn. Ravnikar E Bill Roden W Mike Welter
Greeters	Volunteer Welcome	Sue Berning	Brenda O'Donnell
Ushers	Ray Lindenfelser Joel Lindenfelser Jim Vetsch Jim Valerius	Gary Greninger Doug Hiltner Tom Berning Jacques Eull	Jack Steffl Jeremy Dahmen Hugh O'Donnell Mark Anderson
	Homebound	John Ouellette	

Contact Information

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jperrault@churchofstalbert.org

STMA Catholic Youth Ministry

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Youth Ministry Intern — Micah Olsen
intern@stmacatholicyouth.org

Northwest Young Adult Coordinator and Youth Minister — Anna Scherber
ascherber@stmacatholicyouth.org | 763-607-6814

Leadership & Outreach

Trustees — Denise Beaudry and Bill Roden
Parish Council — Blake Beaudry, Amy Dinkel, Mayen Dufner, Scott Franzen, Jack Steffl, and Chris Yerxa
Finance Council — George Lahr, Betty Matras, Karl Nathe, and Marv Valerius
Stewardship Committee — Amy Dinkel, Charles Foster, Mary Haehn, Lisa Haines, and Jacci Wacker

Homebound Ministry

For those who are homebound due to surgery, serious illness (NOT contagious), or cannot make it to Mass but would like to receive Holy Communion each week, please contact Joanne Wacker, Homebound Coordinator, at 612-214-4795 or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 to be included in the weekly visits.

Holy Communion for Gluten Intolerant

Please speak to the Mass Coordinator or Sacristan at least 10 minutes before Mass.

St. Albert Email Prayer Chain

Email your request to: triciaandfarmerken@q.com or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

Prayer Blanket Ministry

If you or someone you know would like the comfort of a prayer blanket along with the extra prayers for support, please call Marlene Lindenfelser 763-497-2265 or the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

St. Peregrine Relic

If you or someone you know would like to host the relic of St. Peregrine in your home to pray for healing from cancer, contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance and support or you would like to offer your support and assistance, please call 763-634-1167.

Hanover Food Shelf Weekend

A container will be available in the narthex on the 2nd (Sunday) Weekend of the month for non-perishable food.

Thank you!

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Lenten Service Opportunities



Servers to be Torch Bearers

St. Albert's is looking for additional Servers to be Torch Bearers at the Masses on Holy Thursday at 7:00pm & Easter Vigil at 8:00pm.

Children who have received their 1st Communion, are ages 7, 8 or older, are welcome to participate. A training for New Weekend Servers is anticipated later in April or May. They would also need to be at the day's Server Practice Time – Holy Thursday's at 4:00pm & Easter Vigil at 8:30am.

Please contact the parish office at 763-497-2474 or Lois Roden at: billloisroden@yahoo.com to sign-up your child.

Men Needed for Holy Thursday Foot-Washing

St. Albert is seeking 12 men willing to have a foot washed during Holy Thursday's 7pm Mass. Have you wanted to participate but never were asked?

For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 or Lois Roden at billloisroden@yahoo.com



NightWatch

HOLY THURSDAY 2024



NEW THIS YEAR at ST ALBERT! NightWatch is the time from the Repose of the Blessed Sacrament after Communion on Holy Thursday until the closing of Adoration. There will be 9:00pm Night Prayers, led by Fr. Joe Zabinski. Private prayer and adoration will continue until 11:00pm. The Altar of Repose and adoration will be inside the main body of Church. The regularly assigned adorers of 8:00pm–11:00pm will be contacted by our Adoration Coordinator to ensure attendance or need of a substitute. **All parishioners are encouraged to spend some time in prayer that Holy Thursday Night at 9:00pm. Adoration until 11:00pm.**

Let St. Albert's show their love for Jesus' Passion and Real Presence in the Eucharist.

Stations of the Cross

Deacon Paul Ravnika will lead Stations of the Cross at St. Albert's each Friday during Lent at 7:00pm.

An altar server is needed each week. Can you help?



Man Night with Fr. Joe

All men of the parish are invited to Man Night following the Healing Mass on **Thursday, March 21** at 7:30pm in St Albert Rectory Dining Room. Come and enjoy snacks, beverages and manly fellowship.

What do we do with Old Palm Branches? Because they are blessed we need to either burn them or bury them. There will be a basket in the narthex that you can place them in and they will be properly disposed of.



Lenten Schedule 2024

Easter Sunday March 31 | 8:00AM & 10:00AM

Healing Mass

Thur, March 21 at 5:30 PM

Palm Sunday

Sat, March 23 | 4:00PM

Sun, March 24 | 8:00AM & 10:00AM

Holy Thursday

Thur, March 28 at 7:00PM

Good Friday

Fri, March 29 at 3:00PM

Easter Vigil

Sat, March 30 at 8:30PM

Palm Sunday Procession

Please meet at the Parish Center for the 10:00am Mass and we will process to the Church. For the 4:00pm and 8:00am Masses, we will meet under the entrance canopy of the church.

HEALING MASS

WITH FR JOE ZABINSKI

**Thursday, March 21
5:30pm at St Albert**

PRAYER MINISTRY AVAILABLE FOLLOWING MASS

ENCOUNTER NIGHT

Lenten Penance Service

Encounter Jesus, Encounter Jesus' Mercy

Encounter Jesus in the Eucharist—Encounter Love!

March 24 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | St Albert's

Praise & Worship • Adoration • Confession • Prayer Ministry

Five priests will be available for confession.

ALL ARE WELCOME



NEXT WEEKEND: Many of our Youth will be selling stock certificates at the back of the Church. Below is a copy of this certificate and more information on what Buying Stock in Youth is all about.

What is the Stock? The idea is to have you, parishioners, **"INVEST"** in the spiritual future of the youth at our own parish. All money for stocks will go directly to teens and adult leaders who need the help of the parish to attend any youth ministry opportunities that cost money here at our parish. Sadly, we are hearing from families that they would love their teen to go, but just cannot afford the full amount of the event.



STEUBENVILLE
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Steubenville High
School Summer
Youth Conference
July 12th-15th for
grades 8-12.
All together the cost
for this event is
around
\$5,000-\$10,000

So, what are we raising funds for?

Extreme Faith Camp is for our 5th- 8th grade teens - we have many that go from both parishes! Currently we have 180 campers and 100 high school leaders and adults from our parishes who help lead this event.

Also many are in need of scholarships for EFC, it costs \$525.00 to send one camper. Your donation will go to helping reduce that cost for our youth!

We also offer other events throughout the school year like a High School Retreat called Alpha Youth Retreat & Winter Faith Camp. These events can range from \$200-\$400 per participant. Your donation can help offset some of the cost for these youth!

These are all powerful events filled with the sacraments, fun, prayer, and fellowship! To learn more information about our minisries, see our website:
www.stmacatholicyouth.org

BUYING STOCK IN YOUTH CERTIFICATE

Name of stock holder:
Address:
City: State:
Zip Code: Phone Number:

Amount Purchased: \$30/ \$50/ \$100/ \$200/ \$300/ \$500/ Other \$: _____

*Please turn in this receipt with money to either parish office at any time or to the youth at the Buy Stock in Youth event weekend on March 9th-10th, 2024 after all Masses.

BUYING STOCK IN YOUTH RECEIPT

Stock holders name:

Total Stock purchased:

\$

*Please make check payable to your parish of either St. Albert or St. Michael
Your gift is tax deductible

We are grateful for your support! Please pray for us!
KEEP THIS STUB AS YOUR RECEIPT

Thank you for supporting our youth this past weekend through Buy Stock in Youth! You may have noticed we have boards with envelopes in the back of both churches that are a range of \$1-\$300. We are encouraging everyone to consider grabbing an envelope and donating the amount listed or just use the Buy Stock in Youth certificate on the other side of this sheet. In each envelope is a thank you card and the donation certificate to fill out. If everyone from both parishes took all the envelopes we'd reach our goal.

We are so grateful in the ways St. Michael and St. Albert's have supported our youth. The funds are going towards helping youth pay for Extreme Faith Camp, Steubenville Youth Conference, and other youth ministry events. Thank you again for your generosity and support to our youth!

*Thank
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