# EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
# FEBRUARY 27, 2022

***BAPTISM: During Mass on the weekends; if outside of Mass, on Saturday or Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with Msgr. Rick Colletti for instructions. Please call the St. Adrian Parish office at 507-483-2317 prior to setting the date of the baptism.***

***MARRIAGE: Please make arrangements at least six months in advance. Your first visit with Msgr. Rick Colletti will be to set the date of your wedding. Please call the St. Adrian Parish Office at (507) 483-2317.***
***Marriage Preparation Course is required***

Diocese of Winona-Rochester

*Lord, it is good*
*to give thanks to You.*
*~ Psalm 92*

**SAINT ADRIAN** **SAINT ANTHONY**

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

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**Office Hours – 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM**

*† All for the greater glory of God †*

## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

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| **Mon** | 03/28 | 8:30 AM | (A) | **No Mass** |
| **Tues** | 03/01 | 8:30 AM | (A) | † Bud John |

***(Ash Wednesday Masses)***

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| **Wed** | **03/02** | **8:30 AM** | **(L)** | † Gilbert & LaVonne Metz |
| **Wed** | **03/02** | **5:30 PM** | **(W)** | † Frank & Christine Einck<br>† Yvonne & Virgil Einck |
| **Wed** | **03/02** | **7:30 PM** | **(A)** | † Wayne Sazama |
| **Thurs** | 03/03 | 8:30 AM | (A) | † Norbert & Shirley Scheidt |
| **Fri** | 03/04 | 8:30 AM | (W) | † Sylvester Vortherms |

***Weekend Mass Schedule***

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| **Sat** | **03/05** | **5:00 PM** | **(L)** | † Florian & Bruce Loosbrock<br>† Roseanne Sloan |
| **Sun** | **03/06** | **8:30 AM** | **(W)** | † Iva Sieve |
| **Sun** | **03/06** | **10:30 AM** | **(A)** | † Mary Ellen Kellen<br>† Sonny, Tim, Nick Henning |

**2022 Catholic Ministry Appeal**

**Goals for 2022**
**St. Adrian: $19,240**.....$ 00.00
**St. Anthony: $ 8,424**.....$ 00.00
**OLGC: $ 9,048**.....$ 00.00

*Heavenly Father, source of all good things, in every generation, You gather a people to Yourself and endow them with the means to spread Your Gospel. Through Your Son, Jesus Christ, You have formed the parishes of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester into one body working to build Your Kingdom across the 20 counties of southern Minnesota. Through Your Holy Spirit, give us generous and sacrificial hearts and transform us into good stewards of the blessings You bestow upon each one of us. As one family in faith, we pray that our gifts may strengthen our parishes, form Catholics in faith, and guide us to live Your Gospel. We ask all of this through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.*

## *Online Giving – Web Links*

http://giving.parishsoft.com/stanthonygiving ~ **St. Anthony**
http://giving.parishsoft.com/stadriangiving ~ **St. Adrian**
http://giving.parishsoft.com/olgcgiving ~ **OLGC**

## *St. Adrian*

**Sacrificial Giving – February 19, 2022**
Envelopes: $1,380.00 ~ Offertory: $250.00 ~ Children: $1.00
Online Giving: February 1 to February 15: $1,110.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: February 27, 2022:** Donna Lewis

**Ministry Schedule: March 2, 2022: 7:30 PM** *(Ash Wednesday)*
**Lector:** John Faber
**Servers:** Isabel Thier, Brock Henning, Taylor Boltjes
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Rita Von Holtum, Carol Rupp, Tim Taylor

**Ministry Schedule: March 6, 2022: 10:30 AM**
**Lector:** Rod Scheidt
**Servers:** Jordan Kruger, Maddie Wagner, Mackenna Hendel
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Rita Von Holtum, Carol Rupp, Tim Taylor

**Parish Sympathy:** We extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Lacy Ann-Marie Tentler Lenz. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Lacy passed away on February 14th and her Funeral Mass was held Saturday, February 19, 2022.

*Thank You* The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone who helped and attended the Soup & Sandwich lunch last Sunday. Looking ahead our next event will be a Pancake and Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, March 20th after Mass.

**St. Joseph Council Meeting:** St. Joseph Council will meet after Mass on **Sunday, March 6th**. We will be discussing upcoming events.

**Welcome New Parishioners:** Randy & Shirley Herman

## *Our Lady of Good Counsel*

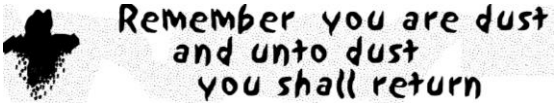
**Sacrificial Giving – February 20, 2022**
Envelopes: $1,575.00 ~ Offertory: $178.00 ~ Children; $8.75
Online Giving: February 1 to February 15: $1,005.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: February 27, 2022:** Keith Spartz

**Ministry Schedule: March 2, 2022: 5:30 PM** *(Ash Wednesday)*
**Lector:** Carolyn Penning
**Servers:** Jayden Spartz, Jaxson Spartz, Joseph Marthaler
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Ashley Harberts, Kendra Gronewold, Anna Hinds

**Ministry Schedule: March 6, 2022: 8:30 AM**
**Lector:** Sandra Roskamp
**Servers:** Makayla Brunk, Kaitlyn Brunk Regan Penning
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Phillip Joens, Sharon Balster, Gene Bertrand

**JCDA Sunday** will be observed on **Sunday, February 27th** at **OLGC**. The members will be greeting at Mass and serving breakfast! Please join us after Mass for build your own breakfast sandwiches and fruit and yogurt parfaits. Any proceeds will go towards the JCDA Community Easter Egg Hunt.



**Court Madonna 839** will hold their monthly meeting at **6:30 PM**, **March 15th** in the Kitchenette. After the conclusion of business, we will be heading on a field trip to Manna Food Pantry in Worthington. Check emails for more details. **Please note date and time change!**

**Molly Einck Memorial Tie Blanket Event** will be held this **Sunday, February 27th** at **1:00 PM** in the OLGC church basement. Please join us in making blankets for children in the hospital.

**Everyone is invited to the annual Wilmont Knights of Columbus Fish Fry** on **Ash Wednesday, March 2nd** following the **5:30 PM Mass in Wilmont**. Menu includes fried and baked fish, macaroni and cheese, assorted salads, beverages. KC members are asked to bring a salad. Please join us for food and fellowship.

## *St. Anthony / St. Kilian*

**Sacrificial Giving – February 20, 2022**
Envelopes: $1,455.00 ~ Offertory: $200.00 ~ Children: $8.00
Online Giving: February 1 to February 15: $795.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: February 27, 2022:** Bob & Jamie LeBrun

**Ministry Schedule: March 2, 2022: 8:30 AM** *(Ash Wednesday)*
**Lector:** Roxanne Kemper
**Server:** Landon Loosbrock
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Shirley Wieneke

**Ministry Schedule: March 5, 2022: 5:00 PM**
**Lector:** McKenzie Wieneke
**Server:** Damon John
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Olivia Weidert

**CDA Ct. St. Bernard** will hold their monthly meeting on **Wednesday, March 9th** at **7:30 PM** in the **Parish House.** Lunch committee: Deb Lenz and Ashley Henning

**CCW Dues:** We are now collecting the women's yearly CCW Dues: $40.00 for working women and $25.00 for non-workers. You may put your envelope in the collection basket or mail to Nicole Newman (CCW Treasurer) at 17751 Ahlers Avenue, Kenneth MN 56147. Thank you.

## *Faith Formation 2021 – 2022*

**Faith Formation Office:** Parish Office hours are 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Monday-Friday at 108 E 6th St. Call Pam's office at 507-483-2480, cell at 507-290-0080 or Mary at 507-483-2317 to reserve the St. Adrian Education Center or Church Hall for family events.

**Our next Class night for Edge and High School** will meet on Wednesday, March 9, 16, 23, and 30th **at the St. Adrian Church**. Supper will be served beginning at 6:15 PM until 6:50. Classes begin at 7:00 with opening prayer in the church hall.

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**Sr. High Youth Rally,** "Living Our Faith in Love", will be held **on Sunday, February 27th from 1:00-7:00 PM** at **St. Adrian Parish for grades 9-11**. THIS IS REQUIRED. The cost to attend is a canned good or non-perishable item for the area food shelves. Our MC is Dana Petricka, Director of Faith Formation for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. Mass will be led by Fr. Tim Biren, Adoration and Reconciliation with area priests, music and dialogue by Sarah Rae LaValla and Elie Laville and we will end with a meal. "Learn to do good; make justice your aim; redress the wronged…" Isaiah 1:17. This is a great intro to the season of Lent!

## *Parish Leadership*

**St. Anthony Finance Council** will meet on **Thursday, March 10th** at **7:00 PM** in the Parish House.

**Parish Cluster Pastoral Council:** The next Parish Cluster Pastoral Council meeting will be held on **Monday**, **March 28th** at **7:00 PM** at St. Anthony's Church. We will begin with Adoration in the church.

## *Of Interest To All*

**Molly Einck Memorial Tie Blanket Event** will be held this **Sunday, February 27th** at **1:00 PM** in the OLGC church basement. Please join us in making blankets for children in the hospital.

**Souper Bowl Collection:** Thank you for your generous donations to the Souper Bowl Collection!! Our parish cluster total is $1,284.85.

**Respect Life:** "The essence of our identity is that we are created in God's image and likeness and loved by Him. Nothing can diminish the priceless worth of any human life. Every person is cherished." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities Respect Life Reflection: Cherished, Chosen, Sent usccb.org/cherished-chosen-sent-reflection

**#MercyInMotion Campaign: Feed the Hungry:** "They all ate and were satisfied, and they picked up the fragments left over – twelve wicker baskets full" (Mt. 14:20). This week, answer Christ's call to Feed the Hungry by 1) Recommitting yourself to praying the meal prayer before every meal. When you do, be sure to remember and pray for those who don't have enough to eat. 2) Fast from wasting food. 3) Drop off a meal for someone who is caring for a sick family member, or a new mother. For more ideas on how to put Christ's Mercy in Motion this Lent, visit www.ccsomn.org/mercyinmotion.

## Soul Friends Meetings

*Soul Friends meets on the **1st & 3rd Tuesdays** of the Month.*
**1st Tuesday:** games & fun - 2:00 PM
**3rd Tuesday:** lunch at different places 11:30 AM

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, March 1st** ~ We will meet at the Education Center at **2:00 PM**.

**St. Catherine Church Friday Fish Fry:** St. Catherine Church, Luverne, will have their fish fry in the church hall during Lent. They will be serving: All you can eat Alaskan pollock, baked potato, lettuce salad, coleslaw, dessert, toast & drink. Cost: $13.00 per person. The fish fry will be held from **5:00 PM to 7:00 PM** on the following Fridays: **March 4th, March 18th, April 1st, & April 15th**. Hope to see you there!

**Luverne Council of Catholic Women (LCCW)** will be hosting World Day of Prayer this year on **Friday, March 4th** at St. Catherine Church, beginning at **1:00 PM**! We will be learning about England Wales and Northern Ireland. Should any of you have any mementos, pictures, or memories to share, please bring them to display for others to view. There will be a collection taken for the work of World Day of Prayer - USA to address critical social economic issues through grants to organizations in the United States and around the world!

**Oberammergau Passion Play:** The Minnesota State Catholic Daughters of the Americas is sponsoring a pilgrimage to the Shrines of Germany and to attend the Oberammergau Passion Play from **September 9-17, 2022**. There are still several openings and we would love to have any parishioners, their families, or friends join us. **Reservations must be made by March 5th so that plane reservations can be made.** There is an early bird discount of $200 off if you make a reservation by February 28th and pay by check. If you have any questions or to get a copy of the brochure and application, please call Shirley Seyfried at 218-862-3493 or email at shirley.seyfried@gmail.com. Thank you.

**LOOKING AHEAD: Ash Wednesday schedule: March 2, 2022**

**Ash Wednesday Masses- March 2nd**
8:30 AM St. Anthony - Lismore
5:30 PM OLGC - Wilmont
7:30 PM St. Adrian – Adrian

**2022 Lenten Calendars** is one insert in the bulletin. There are extra inserts placed at the entrances of the churches. Please keep your copy handy for dates, places and times of important Lenten activities and the Holy Week Schedule for Masses.

**Lenten Spiritual Reading & Rice Bowls** are located at the entrance of the church, as well as extra copies of the Lenten Calendar. Please take a copy to help you on your Lenten Journey.

## *Pastor's Corner*

**This Sunday's Gospel is addressed to Jesus' followers**, whom He considers to be eventual leaders and teachers in His Church. The notion of persevering in learning "the Law of the Lord," is stressed in the Gospel today, as well as responsibility for handing on the faith and the truths we hold dear, to those who are younger, or perhaps simply strangers to the message of Jesus Christ. One of the images used in the Gospel today is that of a tree, which needs time to produce good fruit. We all have a lifetime, however long or short, to be like trees planted near running waters, which hopefully grow over time, learn from mistakes, are strengthened by pruning and setbacks. Amidst it all, we are encouraged to never give up, but persevere and be responsible in our call, whatever it may be. Perseverance and responsibility are hallmarks of any follower of Jesus Christ. Coupled with perseverance and responsibility are compassion and love. With these virtues, we can more easily walk in the ways of the Lord and encourage others along the same path as well.

**Ash Wednesday is March 2nd** and marks the beginning of Lent, a great time to quiet the noise around you and focus on God. This 40-day journey is a period of preparation and conversion of heart as we seek to follow Christ's will. During Lent, we seek the Lord in prayer; we serve by giving alms; and we practice self-control through fasting.

As always, our parishes are taking this time to focus on the **Three Pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting and almsgiving.** We have many activities and opportunities for all to prepare for the most Holy Season of Easter, and return to the Lord through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Be sure to check out parish-wide opportunities on the **Lenten Calendar insert in this weekend bulletin**; Stations of the Cross, Thursday with Jesus (Adoration from 9 to 6 PM at St. Adrian); Lenten Bible Study at each parish; Reconciliation; and so much more!

~ Father Colletti

## Lenten Sunday Scripture Study

**St. Anthony Church** on **Wednesdays** at **6:30 PM** in the Parish house. March 9, 16, 23, 30, & April 13

**Our Lady of Good Counsel Church** on **Fridays** at **9:30 AM** in the School. March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8

**St. Adrian Church on Tuesdays** at **10:30** AM in the Ed Center. March 8, 15, 22, 29 & April 5, 12