

Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 22, 2013

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Mass Intentions

CHRISTMAS EVE Dec 24: 4:00p.m: +Lisa Chappuis, +Marty Mangold
CHRISTMAS DAY Dec 25: **9:30 a.m:** People of the parish
Saturday December 28: 7:00p.m: +John Dudley
Sunday December 29: 10:30 a.m: +John pickison

The flag flying over our church is in memory of James Carroll & Jim Rysavy.

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, December 22: **Decorate Church for Christmas – All Welcome- after Mass**
Monday, December 23: NO Bell Choir
Tuesday, December 24: **Fatima Prayer Group, 7:45 a.m.**
NO Vocal Choir
Wed., December 25: NO Faith Formation

Liturgical Ministers

Christmas Eve , Dec. 24, 2013 4:00 p.m.

AS: Cole Beuernfiend, Romecio Davis, Chase Silkey
EM: Joyce Brazil *, Laura Drentlaw*, Denise Flicek* Kathleen Cap, Ruth Seykora,

GR: Ken Brazil, Marge & Ray Duchene,
Mary Ann Gaughan, Bill Harn

L: Denise Flicek

U: Ken Brazil, Marge & Ray Duchene, Bill Harn,
Mary Ann Gaughan, Richard Misgen, Dan Pumper, Larry Viskocil

CHRISTMAS DAY , Dec. 25, 2013 9:30 a.m.

AS: Carson & Emma Louis

EM: Mary Ardolf*, June Malecha*, George Sticha*,
Darrell Stoltz*, Bernie Ardolf, Gina Haaland,
Gina Palan, _____

GR: Charlie/Roxy Driessen, Mike/Gina Palan

L: Kathy Archambault

U: Charlie Diessen, Rick LaCanne, Elaine &
Steve Trnka, Tom Trnka, Hank Von Ruden

Saturday December 28, 2013 7:00p.m.

AS: Jeff Bronk, Kathleen Cap

EM: Marsha DeGroot*, Joyce Brazil, Shari Gruber

GR: Lorraine Bultman, Janice Chappuis,
John & Wilma McDonough

L: Marsha DeGroot

U: Pat Bronk, John McDonough,

Dan Pumper, Larry Viskocil

Sunday December 29, 2013 10:30 a.m.

Next Sunday Mass moves to 8:00 a.m.

AS: Anna Aaker, Grace Peach,

EM: Mary Ardolf*, Bernie Ardolf, Kari Schultz,

GR: Belva Brown, Nancy, Chappuis,
Elaine & Steve Trnka, Hank Von Ruden

L: Kathy Archambault

U: Randy Archambault, Larry Chappuis,
Hank Von Ruden, Randy Voracek

Remember in your prayers ...

Erv Langer, The Families of **Mary Jane Hart** and **Mary Schneider**(daughter of **Al & Betty David**), **Ben Pribyl**, Donna Mae Kaderlik,, **Nancy Dienst**, **Marilyn Richter**, Landyn Wrolson, Chad Balfe, Thomas Klevin, **Skip Aaker**, **Francis Herda**, Joe & Kari (Franek) Wiita, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nick Grambart; all on the prayer chain; **Servicemen: Jaime Allison, Lester Caron, Chris Chappuis, Mark Gehling, John McDonough, Ryan Snorek, Eric Spehn, Luke Ward.**

Financial Stewardship December 14 & 15 2013

Adult Envelopes	\$ 6,495.00
Open Plate	180.25
Visitor	200.00
<u>EFTs</u>	<u>557.00</u>
Weekend TOTAL	\$ 7,432.25

Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph December 29, 2013

First Reading Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14
Psalm 128 "Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways."

Second Reading Colossians 3:12-21
Gospel: Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

Our gospel today reveals that the Holy Family were refugees, driven from Bethlehem by a cruel ruler, and fearful of returning because of his successor. Yet God was present to them, as the early Christians believed, directing the events in the life of Jesus. The other readings speak more broadly about how family members should act toward one another. In the midst of all their trials, the holy family maintained their bond of unity. What can our families learn from these scriptures today?

A Note From The Pastor



Merry Christmas!

Christmas is a feast of Love, Peace and Joy. The missions of all Christians is to share this love peace and joy with all our brothers and sisters especially the poor. After all, the news of Christ's birth was first announced to poor shepherds.

Down through the centuries, we Christians and our institutions have tried our best to show love, peace and joy to our brothers and sisters with pure motivations and without any strings attached to them. This is the core of Christianity and that is the reason why Jesus was born.

During this Christmas Season many of us may have sent greetings of love, joy and peace to our friends and family. Even after 2000 years of Christ's birth, the purpose of his birth has not been achieved. At the birth of Jesus the angels sang "Glory to God in the Highest and peace to people of good will." It means, in order to have peace, there has to be people of good will. We must ask ourselves are we the people of good will or becoming more impatient, intolerant, arrogant and proud? Proud and selfish people seem to be partly nullifying the effect of Christ's birth. But there are people out there with good will, who possess the gifts of gentleness, forgiveness and hope. They have deep faith in God, they trust in his love and they reach out to people who are troubled, with love, joy and peace. They try to give them hope in the enduring love of God and assures them that God is with us now and always. May the peace, joy and love of Christ reign in your hearts and in your homes at Christmas and always!

Father George Kallumkalkudy, CMI



Would you like to donate to our Christmas Flowers & Decorating in Memory of a Love One?

There are envelopes in your Financial Contribution Envelope packets or on the table behind the pews. Suggested donation is \$10.

Called to religious life? Come & See

The Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration are hosting a Come & See weekend January 17-19, 2014 at St. Rose Convent, in La Crosse, WI. These weekends are designed for women, ages 19-45, to consider the call to live a Franciscan lifestyle. The event allows participants to become better acquainted with the FSPA and learn more about the Franciscans of the 21st century through prayer, reflection, story-sharing, and discerning in a supportive spiritual environment. Contact FSPA Membership at 888-683-3772 or membership@fspa.org to RSVP. Visit www.fspa.org for more information.

Cluster Mass Times as of January 1, 2014

Saturday:	Most Holy Redeemer	5:00 p.m.
Sunday:	St. Patrick	8:00 a.m.
	St. Canice	9:30 a.m.
	Most Holy Redeemer	11:00 a.m.

Office Hours Dec. 23-27, 2013

Tracy is out of the office until January 6th
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Faith Formation Corner ...

Christmas Eve Family Mass Reminder that the children in the program should be at church NO LATER THAN 3:30 p.m. If you have questions, please contact Kathleen Cap at 507.334.8827.



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Knights of Columbus 889 Korner

(17 Third 2 Street NE - Ph. 507.334.4918)

The KC Hall is available for weddings, anniversaries, fundraisers, dinners, graduation parties and family gatherings.

Call Rick Scheil at 507.334.4918 for information.

The Faribault KC Council needs a new gambling manager. This is a paid position requiring approximately 12-15 hours per week. For info call Grand Knight Gary Schmiesing at 507.330.3418.

Open Window Theatre presents A Christmas Pudding show Nov. 29- Dec. 29

This Christmas season *Open Window Theatre* presents **A Christmas Pudding**, by David Birney, Nov. 29 - Dec. 29, 2013. Directed by Greta Grosch (*Church Basement Ladies*), this humorous and heart-warming family Christmas show has something for everyone! A perfect and festive full evening of entertainment in song, music and story through a collection of traditional carols, live music, as well as classic and contemporary tales from popular authors, this production is a true celebration of Christmas in the great tradition of surprise and transformation of the season. *Open Window Theatre* (a project of Epiphany Studio Productions) is located at 1313 Chestnut Avenue in Minneapolis, just a few blocks behind the Basilica of St. Mary. Free parking is available. Visit www.openwindowtheatre.org for the performance schedule or call 612-615-1515 to order tickets. Ticket prices range from \$14-\$28 with group discount packages available.



Area Catholic Schools ...



Bethlehem Academy

105 Third Ave. SW, Faribault
507.334.3948 www.bacards.org

**BLESSINGS OF THE SEASON TO YOU
AND YOUR FAMILIES!**

THE BETHLEHEM ACADEMY FAMILY

Coming up at B.A. ...

Paradise Center for the Arts: Several BA students have art on display at the Paradise. Stop in this month to see their fabulous artwork.



Most Holy Redeemer Catholic School

(PreK through 8th Grade)
205 Vine Ave West, Montgomery
(507) 364-7383 (mosthrs.org)

Merry Christmas! May the blessings of the Christmas season and the joy of Christ fill your hearts this Christmas. At school it has been a joyful week of secrets, smiles, and adoration. We gathered for our final time around the Advent wreath. In our classrooms our students in 7-8 helped with Mass at Tradition, attended Adoration, and gathered at Mass on Friday.



Extract from
A Christmas Carol
~G.K. Chesterton
The Christ-child stood at
Mary's knee,
His hair was like a crown.
And all the flowers looked
up at Him,
And all the stars looked
down.

KUDOS

- **Special thanks to everyone who helped move our new stove into the kitchen!** Steve Zoubek, Randy Trnka, Mike Trnka, Mike Budin, Ted Odenthal, Dale Ruhland, Joe Novak and Rick Skluzacek.
- **Thanks to all of the individuals and organizations who donated toward the purchase of our new kitchen stove - \$2097!** Thank you to everyone who purchased a pie or gave donations.

Blessings and joy to you and your family as you gather together to celebrate the birth of our Savior – from all of us at Most Holy Redeemer Catholic School.

Blessings, Mindy Reeder – Principal

A letter from the Archdiocese of Saint Paul & Minneapolis:

Dear Father Kallumkalkudy:

On behalf of Archbishop Neinstedt, I want to thank you and your parishioners for your support of the needed work of the catholic services appeal. This year, a portion of all donations from your parishioners are returned to your parish for catholic formation, educational programs, or for the greatest needs facing your church.

Enclosed is a check for \$913.85. May it help to build up the body of christ in your parish community.

Gratefully, Greg Pulles –Director of development and stewardship

Pick up a copy of Catholic Extension magazine- Christmas issue in the back of church. Catholic

Extension supports parishes and ministries in areas where resources are scarce funding: the work of priests/sisters in poor countries & campus ministries and seminarian education. The have built over 12,000 churches in its 100-plus years.

“ALL IN GOD’S PLAN” Daughters and Sons for Life Program – January 11, 2014

This program, for teens age 13-16 and their parent(s), is intended to present teens a Christian understanding of human sexuality by taking a hard look at what underlies the modern cultural approach and demonstrating the goodness of God’s ways in the Scriptures/teachings of the Church. Teens will be given practical help in choosing and living the virtue of chastity. In separate sessions the parent(s) will be given encouragement and practical counsel through presentation and discussion for assisting their children in this area.

Presenters: John Crudele – co-author of “*Making Sense of Adolescence*”, Dr. Mary Paquette – family physician at AAFLA Family Clinic, Jen Messing – speaker and leader of *Theology of the Body* based retreats, Kristin Schlinder – NET Ministry alumni and current NFP teacher, Reggie Aspelund – UST student majoring in Catholic Studies, Mary Glover–registered nurse and Fr. Perkl – Pastor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton. Learn about the gift of human sexuality and the challenge of chastity:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Hastings

Saturday, January 11, 2014

9:00-12:30 p.m. (Mass at 8:30 am)

\$10/family (light refreshments will be served)

For more information visit www.archspm.org or to register call Jill Skaife at 651-437-4254.

ALSO SEE KIOSK for FLYER/REGISTRATION

Check out our St. Patrick website at

www.spshieldsville.org

Please let us know:

If anything has changed in your family or
If you would like more information.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ home / cell

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

I/We:

_____ would like to register at St. Patrick.

_____ have a new address.

_____ have a new phone number.

_____ please remove us from the parish roster

_____ would like information on:

Drop in the collection basket or mail to the office.



Are You Grieving For Your Children?

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Rediscover

check our Rediscover Kiosk for information on the Archdiocesan Rediscover Program; Matthew Kelly's books on CD; and a copy of the book Rediscover Catholicism also by Matthew Kelly.



The United States of America Flag

A U.S. Flag flies over our building every day. We are looking for individuals to donate a flag in memory of a loved one, for a donation is \$50 (payable to St. Patrick & we will purchase the flag). Flags will fly for six months and then be returned to the donating family. Flags flown on a first-come basis and a list started for future flags. Contact the office to donate or be put on the list.

Do you have trouble hearing Father during his homily, or are you just hard of hearing? The hearing assistance radio is now working perfectly. Go to you favorite store and purchase a personal radio with headphones. At church, tune them to 106.1 and hear everything crystal clear. Feel free to adjust the volume to your liking.



Introducing a new Rediscover: web site. If you have experienced the beauty and peace of living in relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church He founded over 2,000 years ago, you have a story to tell that could change someone's life. Here's your chance to let people know how Jesus has positively touched your life and how life in the fullness of the Church has brought you peace, strength, hope, joy and love. Visit RediscoverShare.org to watch fellow Catholics' personal testimonies and share your own!

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Great marriages don't just happen ~ Couples create them!

Begin creating your awesome marriage by attending the June 1-2 Marriage Encounter. Weekends are held at Mt Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington. Visit www.marriages.org for a listing of additional retreats or call 651.454.3238.

Like Rediscover: on Facebook

"like" us at



<http://Facebook.com/Rediscoverfaith> and click "like" to connect with others excited about exploring our Catholic faith.

Community Fellowship Meal at Cathedral Café (101 Sixth Street NW)

Every Tuesday 5 – 6:30 p.m. Cathedral of our Merciful Savior, – across from Parker-Kohl Funeral Home). No Charge! All Ages Welcome! Well-balanced, simple meals.



Children's Library

We decided to expand our Lender Library to include children's books. We will accept GENTLY USED children's books. Please drop them off in the coat room, and have your kids pick out a book to read! Thank you.



What can you find on the St. Patrick website? Have you recycled the weekend bulletins and now need some information from one? Look on the website for recent and past bulletins. Have you forgotten when you are scheduled to serve as a liturgical minister? Look on the Parishioner Information section to find the complete Liturgical Minister Schedule as well as schedules for Faith Formation classes and CCW activities. Also, in the same section, find when the choirs practice. Do you need contact information for parish staff or committee chairs? Look at the Contacts section. Go to the website at <http://spshieldsville.org> to find all of this information and more.

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Are you hurting in Your Marriage? Do you have trouble communicating, frequent arguments or fights? Retrouvaille is a relationship-building Catholic program; consisting of a weekend followed by 6 weekly four hour presentations. Twin Cities Retrouvaille schedules programs several times a year.



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Short Version:

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Long version:

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"The retreat was better than I could have imagined.

It was awesome and the team members did an excellent job in being sensitive to our needs. The priests were such a good example of God's merciful love for us."

All women of the parish are invited to attend the St. Patrick Council of Catholic Women Potluck on Monday, July 13th at 6:00 p.m. in our social hall. The meeting will follow at 7:00 p.m. Please come to see what the ladies are doing in our parish.



Mary

Why send your child to Catholic school? I often will hear from families about why they are not sending their children to a Catholic school. I invite you to consider why you should send your child to a Catholic school. Share this with a young family! Here are some of the top statistics and two of our students are considering the Priesthood!

- Students build foundations for life

- Teachers are invested in the children
- The school builds a true faith community
- 99.4% of students graduate and go on to college or the military
- SAT10 Test Scores of 8th Grade Students:
 - ✓ 96% average/above - math problem solving
 - ✓ 94% average or above - science
 - ✓ 93% average or above - reading
 - ✓ 2013 Graduates scored better than 80% of students the same age in math & better than 70% of students nationwide - reading
 - Instills a love for serving others
- More Catholic school students enter the vocations of priest or sisterhood

Plan to join us **for our July special events** to raise funds & promote our school.

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**All Seasons
Community**



Services

310 Central Ave., Faribault, 507-334-5072

DONATIONS NEEDED!!! All Seasons Community Services (formerly Third World Friends) is seeking donations for our new thrift store located in downtown Faribault. Clothing, accessories, shoes, outerwear, antiques and collectibles, toys and games, crafts, formal wear, kitchen items, tools, linens, sporting goods, books, CD's/DVD's, small electronics (in working condition), paper and plastic shopping bags, knickknacks, home and holiday décor are accepted Monday-Friday 9am-6pm, Saturday 9am-5pm and Sunday 11am-4pm. Please call 334-5072 with questions. Thank you!

TAKE IT TO THE BOX INFO

WHAT: Our community is serious about preventing medication misuse/abuse and about environmentally safe disposal of medication.

WHEN: Take It To THE BOX medication disposal boxes available 7 Days a week, 24



hours a day. **HOW:** Leave medication in the original container,

- Remove name and personal information
- Leave name of medication on container
 - Drop medication into disposal box.

WHERE: Faribault Police Dept Lobby 25-4th Street NW or the Northfield Police Dept Lobby 300 5th Street W. Questions call 507.664.3524, 507.332.5911 or visit www.ricecountyhc.com

Another Year is dawning
 With the chance to start anew
 May you be kinder, wiser
 In all you say and do
 Not so caught up in selfish gain
 That you would fail to see
 The things in life that mean the most
 Cost not a fancy fee
 The warm kind word that you can give
 The outstretched hand to help
 The prayers you pray for those in need
 More precious these than wealth
 You know not what may be ahead
 Of laughter or of tears
 You only need to know each day
 That our Lord is walking near
 You should be thankful for
 This brand new year
 As you humbly pray
 Your hand secure in our dear Lord's
 Each step along the way.



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It's Grand Party Time!!!

The date is Saturday, May 18th. Tickets are \$60 each and includes: two Roast Beef dinners with all the trimmings PLUS a chance to win \$1,000 first prize (30 prizes total). Only 250 tickets sold. Tickets available at all weekend Masses or from Ken & Joyce Brazil, Ray & Marge Duchene, Fritz Kaderlik, Josephine Malecha, John McDonough, Tom Murphy, Dan Pumper, Ruth Spaetgens, Hank Von Ruden or in the office.

Rediscover:



2012 Country Picnic Results
INCOME

Raffle Tickets Income \$ 22,270.36

Picnic Meals	2,379.70
Bingo	184.25
Beer Garden	447.00
Doughnuts	232.25
Country Store	687.98
Pull Tabs	327.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$26,528.54

EXPENSES

Band (\$100 donated)	\$ 200.00
Prizes	3,920.00
Ticket Printing	1,373.00
Postage (135 donated)	180.00
Portable Toilets	133.59
Office Support	514.00
Cash Receipt Book	6.88
Food Purchased	1,817.54
Garbage Service (donated)	0.00
Last Call Liquor	140.00
Wal Mart	62.88
Return check fee	4.00
Country Store to CCW	687.98
Security (donated)	0.00
Gambling & Pull Tabs	26.75
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$8,931.62

NET INCOME \$17,596.92

A BIG Thank You to everyone who supported us by donating, purchasing tickets, working before, working on the day or helped in any way. You helped make this new endeavor a success.

Thank you!

The Country Picnic Committee

Many Thanks also to Randy & Kathy Archambault for Chairing the Picnic. Great Job, Randy!!!

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Do you enjoy the HEAT?

Use your radio dial (*not your thermostat*) to stay cool with God. "...for they shall be comforted!" Saint Paul-Minneapolis 1330 AM (Listen online at www.relevantradio.com)



50th Wedding Anniversary Wishes to Dan & Jean LaCanne on Saturday, June 30th. Congratulations to both of you. We wish you many more happy years together!

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Divine Mercy Catholic School



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The St. Patrick Fatima Prayer Group welcomes new members - men and Women. If interested call Mary Ann @ 507.334.3329 Ruth @ 507.332.2896 or come Tuesdays at 7:45 a.m..



Help Save Our Gather

Please return books pew book racks by them in SPINE as this saves the



Planning a Baptism near future? The next set of Baptism Classes are

Thursday, June 5th & 19th at Divine

Books! to the putting DOWN - binding.

in the



Mercy Catholic Church, 6:30 p.m. It is a two-part program and both classes must be attended. to schedule a baptism at St. Pats. Call 507.334.2266



NATIONWIDE MASS TIMES

Nationwide Mass times and church locations can be found by calling 1-410-676-6000 (there is a charge) or by visiting website www.Masstimes.org

Ideas to Ponder ...

If the heart wanders or is distracted, bring it back to the point quite gently and replace it tenderly in its Master's presence. And even if you did nothing during the whole of your hour but bring your heart back and place it again in our Lord's presence, though it went away every time you brought it back, your hour will be very well employed.

~ St. Francis de Sales



WHY share these strengths about Most Holy Redeemer (based on 2010-11 survey responses):
CHOOSE HRS? Parents
 1). Strong academics with differentiated instruction; 2) A faith filled environment with moral and God focused education; 3) Family centered atmosphere where students care for one another; 4) Multiage setting develops individual thinking and leads to broader friendships; 5) Small grouping and accelerated/or at level learning helps students succeed.

Please consider using Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT) for your contributions, especially snow-birds. EFT is available for any OR all financial contributions made to St. Patrick. Forms are easy to fill out and available in the office. Your donation is taken automatically out of an account (checking, saving, or other) - no hassles with envelopes, checks or remembering.

Help Save Our Gather Books! Please return books to the pew book racks by putting them in SPINE DOWN - as this saves the binding.

Points to Ponder ...



Mary

Higher Call



Mary



From

our Parish Nurse

Lorraine Dudley

Free Flu Information Call 1.866.259.4655

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Mary



From our Parish Nurse
Lorraine Dudley



All You Can Eat Fish Fry, Friday, March 19, 5 – 8 p.m. St. Patrick Church Cedar Lake, Serving: Cod (baked or deep fried), French Fries, Au Gratin Potatoes, Beans, Coleslaw, Rye Bread & Rolls, Bars, Beverage.



Welcome!

Summer Visitors!

From our Parish Nurse
Lorraine Dudley



Your Help is NEEDED ...
Creative Ideas

For a door from the old barn, pieces of stained glass a window frame, small stones from the old church, old books, wood from wooden benches, and other items recovered from the church fire. We DON'T want to get rid of the items, we want to find creative ways to use or preserve them as part of our history. Contact the office.

Remember Our Dead ...

All are invited to write the na.m.es of loved ones who have gone before us, in our Book of Remembrance. The book is located by the Baptismal font and will be out the entire month of November. Na.m.es of those written in the book will be remembered at all Masses in November.

Are you experiencing: Guilt, shame, anxiety, depression, eating disorders, nightmares, substance abuse, or suicidal thoughts. The pain is real, but you don't have to suffer alone.

People can help you – don't be afraid to reach out for help. Contact Project Rachel, 651-291-4515 or respectlife@archsp.m..org. Check the website at: www.hopeafterabortion.org

