

Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

1st Sunday of Lent February 14, 2016 Volume 33 Number 7

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, February 16: 8:30 a.m. +Marge Wadekamper, +Pat McCusker,
+Frank "Frog" Chappuis
Saturday, February 20: 5:00 p.m. +Don Kaderlik, Member's Friend with cancer
Sunday, February 21: 9:00 a.m. +Lucille Murphy

The flag flying over our church is in memory of John V. Dudley.

This Week in Our Parish

Tuesday, February 16: **Fatima Prayer Group**, 7:40 a.m.
Wednesday, February 17: **Religious Education** 6:30 p.m., grades 1-10

Ongoing thru April 6 – **Rel Ed Classes Collecting Money for their Jesus Food Service Project.**

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, February 20, 2016 5:00 p.m.

AS: Halle Rice, Darrell Stoltz

EM: Bernie Ardolf*

Mary Ardolf, Kathleen Cap

GR: Gary & Patti Angelow,

Lorraine Dudley, Anne Langer

L: Kathleen Cap

U: Marge Duchene, Pat LaCanne,

Larry Viskocil

Sunday, February 21, 2016 9:00 a.m.

AS: Carson & Emma Louis

EM: MariLou Ernste*

Kathy Archambault, Linda Dietz

GR: Duke & MariLou Ernste,

LuVerne & Martha Wallace

L: Kathy Archambault

U: Randy Archambault, Duke Ernste,

Mark Mulcahy

Remember in your prayers ...

Marilyn Richter, Joe Velishek, Andi Olsonawski, Bill Hanson, Jill Rosett Konopka, Jodi Sowa, John Madden, Jeff Brown, Landyn Wrolson, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nick Grambart; all on the prayer chain; **Servicemen: Jaime Allison, Chris Chappuis, Owen Gehling, John McDonough, Eric Spohn, Luke Ward**

St. Patrick Religious Ed Youth

are collecting COATS, SCARVES, HATS & MITTENS for St. Vincent de Paul in Faribault. Please bring new or very gently used items to St. Patrick and put them in the COAT BOX, found in the narthex by the display case. They especially need of kids coats.



Office Hours

February 14 - 20, 2016

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 10:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Financial Stewardship

February 6/7, 2016

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| Adult Envelopes | \$ 1,340.00 |
| Open Plate | 172.00 |
| Visitor | 306.00 |
| EFTs | 135.00 |
| Weekend TOTAL | \$ 1,953.00 |

Second Sunday in Lent February 21, 2016

First Reading: Genesis 15:5-12
Psalm 27 "The Lord is my light and my salvation"
Second Reading: Philippians 3:17 – 4:1
Gospel: Luke 9:28b-36

Abraham, the "wandering Aramean" referred to in last week's first reading, again makes an appearance, seeking and receiving assurance of God's promises to him. The apostles with Jesus on the mountain also experience assurance of their destiny if they listen to God's chosen Son. Saint Paul affirms that our citizenship is in heaven where our lowly body will conform with Christ's glorified body. Let us take in all these promises of God with grateful hearts.

Sweetheart Breakfast –

St. Canice Church Hall, Kilkenny,
Sunday, February 14th Serving
pancakes, Sausage, & Eggs from 8:30 a.m. –
12:30 p.m. Cost: Adults: \$8, Age 6-12: \$3
Under 5 Free. Sponsored by Parish Members.



A Word from Father Victor ...



The Works of Mercy

The works of mercy are charitable actions by which we come to the aid of our neighbor in his spiritual and bodily necessities. Instructing, advising, consoling, comforting are spiritual works of mercy, as are forgiving and bearing wrongs patiently. The corporal works of mercy consist especially in feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, clothing the naked, visiting the sick and imprisoned, and burying the dead. Among all of these, giving alms to the poor is one of the chief witnesses to fraternal charity: also a work of justice pleasing to God.

In its various forms...human misery is the obvious sign of the inherited condition of frailty. And need for salvation in which man finds himself as a consequence of original sin. This misery elicited the compassion of Christ the Savior, who willingly took it upon himself and identified himself with the least of his brethren. Hence, those who are oppressed by poverty are the object of a *preferential love* on the part of the Church which, since her origin and in spite of the failings of many of her members, has not ceased to work for their relief, defense, and liberation through numerous works of charity which remain indispensable always and everywhere. (Catechism of the Catholic Church 2447-2448)

Corporal Works of Mercy

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| To feed the hungry | To give drink to the thirsty |
| To clothe the naked | To shelter the homeless |
| To visit the sick | To visit the imprisoned |
| To bury the dead | |

Spiritual Works of Mercy

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| To instruct the ignorant | To counsel the doubtful |
| To admonish sinners | To bear wrongs patiently |
| To forgive offences willingly | |
| To comfort the afflicted | |
| To pray for the living and the dead | |

Taken from the Word Among Us

Next Baptism Class – Saturday, March 5th at Most Holy Redeemer Church in Montgomery at 9:00 a.m. Classes are required IF this is your first child or it has been more than 2 years since your last class. Call 507.364.7981 to register.



Catholic Services Appeal

If you choose NOT TO support the CSA this year these are the 17 Collective Ministries who will be left without the funding they depend on.

American Indian Ministry – Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (ACCW) – Campus Ministry Newman Center – Campus Ministry St. Paul's Outreach – Catholic Charities – Deaf Ministry – Catholic Elementary Schools – Evangelization and Catechesis – Catholic High Schools – Hospital Chaplains – Latino Ministry – Marriage, Family and Life – Parishes – Prison Ministries – St. John Vianney College Seminary – St. Paul Seminary – Venezuelan Mission. Please be as generous as you can be. Once we make our goal, 25% of money collected will be returned to St. Patrick. Please go to www.csafspm.org to read more about the ministries benefitted by the 2016 Appeal.

Knights of Columbus 889 Korner



(17 Third Street NE – Ph. 507.334.4918)

The K of C is not just a fraternity in name. It is a brotherhood of Catholic men who each play a part in improving the world around them, one community at a time. They stand together in faith, while lending their support and strength to parish, home and fellow Knight. Ask a Knight for more information. Reach us at fariboknights@gmail.com.

Every Friday night during Lent,

Faribault KC will host a fish dinner at the KC Hall. All you can eat fried or baked fish, baked potato, vegetable and salad bar for \$12.50. Serving from 5:30pm to 7:00pm.

The Lonsdale area wide seniors (golden agers) meets February 16 at 1:00 p.m. at Lonsdale I.C. Civic Center. Cards played with a pizza supper at 4:00 p.m. All adults over 60 invited to attend. For more information call Don at 507.744.2408.

American Legion Post #108, Le Center

is holding a Fish Fry each Friday during Lent for lunch and dinner. \$6 Fish Basket Lunch (11am to 1pm) and \$10 Fish Dinners (5-7:30pm -or until gone). \$6 for Children under 12. Dates: Feb 19, 26, March 4, *11, 18, 25. **Mar. 11 Lunch Only**

The Prayer Shawl group meets

Tuesday, **February 16th from 10-11 am** at **Pleasant Manor - Activity Room**. If you're interested in knitting or learning, please join us in this rewarding ministry. All knitters are welcome. We provide yarn for the shawls. They are given to those in need. We also have knitters who chose to knit at home.



We're having a party/fundraiser

to fund the new Youth Center and Indoor Playground at the Village in Waterville! (the old Good Samaritan building.) There will be a chili feed competition, games, a silent auction and so much more.

When: Sunday February 28th from 3 to 7p.m.

Where: The Village in Waterville / 205 1st St N

Tickets: Adults - \$10, Kids - \$5, Under Age 3 Free



Victorian Clothing Display

by Arleen Roberts (our bookkeeper)

Arts & Heritage Center,

206 N 1st St, Montgomery MN 56069

Thru February 27th

Admission: Free

Thursdays 2 – 5

(please sign the

Fridays 2 – 5

guest book)

Saturday 9 - Noon

Southwest Deanery CCW News

Spiritual Day – Sat. March 19th at St. Andrew Church in Elysian. Cost \$5.00. Registration at 8:30 a.m. Day is done about 1:00 p.m. Join our Retreat for the Lenten Season. Bring items for the Silent Auction (baked goods, crafts, etc). Call Denise Haaland if you would like to attend.

To view our FaceBook page just go to

<https://www.facebook.com/spshieldsville.org>



You can 'Like' us to see what is happening each week and to find information on upcoming events. Check our website: <http://shieldsville.org/> for weekly

bulletins, member information, Mass times here and at area churches, heritage notes and more.

Area Catholic Schools ...



Bethlehem Academy

105 Third Ave. SW, Faribault

507.334.3948

www.bacards.org

Divine Mercy Catholic School

www.dmcs.cc

507-334-7706.



DIVINE MERCY
CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Most Holy Redeemer School

(Pre-K - 8th Grade)

205 Vine Ave West, Montgomery

(507)364-7383 507.364.7383

(mosthrs.org)

A festive Catholic Schools Week culminated with a successful Family Fun Night. Although I ended up doing a little time in jail Friday evening, I was no worse for the wear and enjoyed seeing the HRS community come together to support our school. Thank yous go out to all sponsors, organizers, and workers who contributed to Family Fun Night and

to any of the Catholic Schools Week activities. As Pope Francis has emphasized, "Community is essential" for faith formation. This last week shows that community can also bring smiles.

2nd Quarter Honor Roll Congratulations to the following students for making the HRS Honor Roll!

A Honor Roll: GRADE 5 - Anna Barnett, William Bulger, Abigail Malecha, Elizabeth Odenthal, Steven Odenthal, Gabriella Rutt, Ellie Sladek, GRADE 6 - **Grace Barnett**, GRADE 7 - Thomas Bulger, Rachel Rynda, Landon Skluzacek, Rachel Way.

B Honor Roll: GRADE 5 - Braelen Budin, Meghan Callahan, **Arthur Devine**, Tyler Kadrluk, Anthony Rynda, William Trcka, GRADE 6 - Nathaniel Leonard, Michelle Ramirez, GRADE 7 - Collin Barnett, Erika Kadrluk, Darien Schoenbauer, GRADE 8 - Benjamin Heyda

Lent The Holy Season of Lent has started and HRS has many activities and service projects planned for the season. Below is a partial list:

Rosary During Lent, HRS students will be saying the Rosary every Monday morning before school starts at 7:55 am. Please feel free to join us.

40 Cans for 40 Days Staff and students at HRS will collect food for the Montgomery Salvation Army Food Shelf. The Knights of Columbus will be matching the school's effort.

Pennies for Patients Students across the country are collecting pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters during the Pennies for Patients campaigns benefiting the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Everyone's a winner!



Week of February 15th - Pennies; Week of February 22nd - Nickels; Week of February 29th - Dimes; Week of March 6th- Quarters

Hoops for Heart HRS is taking part in "Hoops For Heart." Hoops For Heart is an exciting fundraising event where kids play basketball and raise money for the American Heart Association. If you have any questions, please contact the school.

I Love to Read Month: February 10-16 - activities:

Feb. 10 - Change the main character's name to yours, when reading.

Feb. 11 - Read to a friend of a sibling.

Feb. 12 - Read a book, draw a new cover

Feb. 13 - Read for 15 minutes.

Feb. 14 - Read the beginning of a story-invent your own ending.

Feb. 15 - Read the same book as a friend, discuss it with them.

Feb. 16 - Read in a comfy chair.

Catholic Schools Raffle HRS annual Open House for new students on Feb. 18, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. All area Families with children of preschool age to Grade 2 are invited. However, all HRS students are encouraged to come and enjoy the Teddy Bear Band



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