

# Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## Mass Intentions

Tuesday October 21: 8:30 +Mary Friesen  
Saturday October 25: 5:00 +Joe, +Helen, +Dennis Smisek, +Alfred Viskocil JR,  
Sunday October 26: 8:00 +Earl Dimmel, +Jim & +Ruth McKenna

**The flag flying over our church is in memory of the Clarkin, Kolars & Kaisershot Families.**

## This Week in Our Parish

Tuesday, October 21: **Fatima Prayer Group**, 7:45 a.m.  
**GROW** meeting in Lonsdale  
Wednesday, October 22: **Faith Formation**, 6:30 p.m. for grades 1-10  
Thursday, October 23: SWD CCW Mission Event at St. Patrick, doors open @ 5 p.m.  
Sunday, October 26: **Fr. Victor Installation @ 8 a.m. Mass, Brunch follows**  
*Hall Reserved for Milo Krenik 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday*

**Coming UP...** Sa/Su -November 8 & 9: Holiday Open House – 49 Vendors – Food Available

## Liturgical Ministers

### Saturday -October 25, 2014 5:00 p.m.

AS: Rose Chmelik  
EM: Joyce Brazil \*  
Kim Chmelik, Mary Ann Smisek  
GR: Gary & Patti Angelow,  
Anne Langer, Dick Misgen  
L: Mary Ann Smisek  
U: Ken Brazil, Ed Dusbabek,  
John McDonough, Larry Smisek

### Sunday - October 26, 2014 8:00 a.m.

AS: Romecio Davis  
EM: June Malecha\*  
Katie Judd Landrum, Ruth Seykora  
GR: Nobby & June Malecha,  
Mary Kay Reynolds, Hank Von Ruden  
L: Kathy Archambault  
U: Randy Archambault, Mark Mulcahy,  
Mary Kay Reynolds, Hank Von Ruden

## Remember in your prayers ...

**Roger Pumper**, John Madden, **Bill Harn**, **Marge Sowa**, **Don Hora**, Jeff Brown, **Marilyn Richter**, Landyn Wrolson, **Francis Herda**, Joe & Kari (Franek) Wiita, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nick Grambart; all on the prayer chain; **Servicemen: Jaime Allison, Chris Chappuis, Mark Gehling, John McDonough, Eric Spehn, Luke Ward**

## Office Hours

October 19 – 25, 2014

Tuesday & Thursday:  
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

## Financial Stewardship October 11 & 12, 2014

Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,737.00
Open Plate	148.00
Visitor	190.00
EFTs	122.00
<b>Weekend TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,197.00</b>

## 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time October 26, 2014

<b>First Reading</b>	Exodus	22:20-26
<b>Psalms 18</b>	<i>"I love you, Lord, my strength."</i>	
<b>Second Reading</b>	1 Thessalonians	1:5c-10
<b>Gospel:</b>	Matthew	22:34-40

Once again Jesus finds himself being tested by the Pharisees. This time he is asked to name the greatest law. He does so, but immediately invokes its complement, placing love of God and love of neighbor on equal footing. Indeed, his point is that you cannot have one without the other. So let us listen for the challenge: how is our love of God reflected in our love of neighbor?

### Festival Winner Correction –

It was Irene LaCanne who won the \$500 instead of Irene Miller. I truly apologize for the error.

OOPS!

## A Note From Father Victor ....



October 19, 2014

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Let us be conscious of the fact that as faithful believers of our Lord Jesus Christ we are always in a journey in faith and worship centered in working, for ourselves and our community, a joyful and closer relationship with Jesus Christ. It is important that we are always aware of this. In everything that we do let us always put ourselves in context to who we are and how we want to live as a church.

We can be easily drawn to the temporal concerns of our parish that can consume our time and energy. It is an easy temptation to live our lives in a day to day basis always keeping up with the demands of daily concerns and forgetting God's purposes and where we are led.

One remarkable trait that we can learn a lesson from the Israelites is their consciousness of God's presence in their lives and in the historical exigencies of their time as a community. They were always aware of their identity as a people of God. That influences their day to day living and their ways of doing things. That defines their national identity and discipline.

WE need to move beyond our day to day concerns and see ourselves as faithful believers with a direction and purpose. We cannot define and determine ourselves according to our temporal or financial standing. First and foremost we are a church journeying in faith. The temporal goods are there as support.

So I endeavor that our parish should go through a process of soul searching and clarifying our identity. We need to be able to envision ourselves as a joyful people journeying in faith. We need to define our purpose and direction.

With this let us begin our journey as a church.



### **St. Patrick Faith Formation Students are Collecting Coats for St. Vincent de Paul in**

Faribault. Please bring new or very gently used coats, hats, scarves, and mittens to St. Patrick and put them in the COAT BOX which can be found in the narthex.

## Area Happenings ...

### **SW Deanery Mission Event, Thursday, Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> at St. Patrick, Shieldsville.**

Always fun and enlightening with a light supper served at 5:30 p.m. The Main Speaker at 7:00 p.m. Chances are \$1 each. (Prizes are donated by each parish.) This is truly a fun event. Bring personal care items as 'admission'. Ex: shampoo, brushes, toothpaste, soap, (hotel size to). 'Admission' items given to missions. *Call Denise Haaland if you can help that night.*

NOTE: **Faith Formation SERVICE HOURS** will be credited to youth who help at the Mission Event. Contact Denise 507.334.2781



### **Montgomery Lions Club Annual Fall Pancake Breakfast Sunday, October 19, 2014**

Holy Redeemer School Cafeteria, Montgomery MN  
Serving: Pancakes, Sausage, Ham, & Beverages  
from 7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Cost: Adults - \$8, Children (6-10)- \$4, PS - Free

### **Lonsdale Lions club Pancake & Sausage Breakfast Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup> from 8-noon.**

### **Montgomery K of C Council #1573 Chili & Soup Feed**

**Saturday, October 25, 2014**

Holy Redeemer Church Basement  
Serving: School House Chili,  
Prairie Chicken Soup, Grandma's Vomachka  
from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Cost: Adults - \$8, Children (10 & under)- \$5



### **6<sup>th</sup> Annual IRIS Turkey Trot Thanksgiving Morning**

**Thursday, November 27, 2014**

704 – 17<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Faribault MN

Register today for 5K Walk/Run or 10K Run at  
[www.irisRemembers.org](http://www.irisRemembers.org). Events: Gobble  
Wobble, Tot Trot, 5K & 10K. All proceeds  
benefit IRIS (Infants Remembered In Silence)

## **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, dedicated to uphold the principles they cherish while lending their support and strength to parish, home and fellow Knight. Ask a Knight for more info.

See Montgomery KC Chili & Soup Feed info above.



## Area Catholic Schools ...



### Bethlehem Academy

105 Third Ave. SW, Faribault  
507.334.3948

[www.bacards.org](http://www.bacards.org)

**B.A.** still has openings in all grades for the 2014-2015 school year. If interested in enrolling, please contact the BA office, 507-334-3948.

**Holiday Gathering Extravaganza** - Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. You won't want to miss this!!!! We're mixing some old with a lot of new! Doors open 10 am to 4 pm. \$15.00 per person for a bid number, access to all vendors, student concerts, food, art show, etc. Silent auction with +50 unique baskets runs 10 am to 2:30. Food prepared by the Depot. Want to know more? Call Sue at 507.334-3948, [serpenbach@bacards.org](mailto:serpenbach@bacards.org) or Kris at 507-339-2333 at [akshuda@charter.net](mailto:akshuda@charter.net) or by phone.

We need ornaments for our ornament forest at our Holiday Gathering Extravaganza! Do you make ornaments? Do you have unique ornaments you would like to sell? You determine the percentage of sales to go toward BA. If your ornaments don't sell, they will be returned to you.



### Most Holy Redeemer Catholic School

(PreK through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade)

205 Vine Ave West, Montgomery  
(507) 364-7383 ([mosthrs.org](http://mosthrs.org))

Blessings to Father Victor this weekend Holy Redeemer celebrates his official welcome into our parish with a reception after the 11 a.m. Mass. Fr. Victor and I attended a Principal/Priest conferences last week and are working on new ways to better build and bridge both our parish and school. I am excited to have his support as he continues to learn more about our parish community.

**STEM education at HRS!** What is STEM? STEM is the study of Science, Technology, Engineering (Environment) and Math—and bringing these core areas of study together. In Catholic schools, we like to also call this STREAM—Science, technology, religion, engineering, art, and math—as we teach to the whole child and bring in God's perspective throughout all of the learning experience.

**This fall, students in 5-8th grade** are beginning to explore the more hands-on approach with STEM education. From hands on science experiments to project approached presentations, the 5-8th grade classes are seeing the difference. Did you catch our article in the Montgomery Messenger last week? The 7-8 class completed building their first hydrogen powered mini wind turbine. (Pictured above sharing their results with other HRS students.) To prepare, they studied wind, environmental concerns, creation of hydrogen and the components needed to build the turbine. This learning will prepare them for the *Project Lead the Way* engineering classes as well as the Robotics

team at the TCU high school. We are very proud to becoming a true STEM school!

**FALL EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIPS AT HRS:** are an important part of the educational experience for students. They extend and enrich classroom learning. This fall HRS students have attended trips to enrich their faith, explore God's natural world, and experiment as well as observe. Thank you for partnering with us in these field trips.

- LL-1st Grade: Apple Orchard
- 2-4th Grade: Science Museum (Going Oct. 29)
- 5-6th Gr: Environmental Learning Trip-Eagle Bluff
- 5-8th Grade: Cathedral
- All Grades: Apple Valley Minnesota Zoo

**THANKS FOR SUPPORTING ETHAN SCHEFFERT** and his family, Ashley and Jeremy, at the fundraiser and with donations during the HRS out-of-uniform day! We raised over \$255 during our out-of-uniform day and the family raised a significant amount from their fundraising event.

**All ARE INVITED TO OUR ALL SAINTS' MASS.** October 31st presented by 7-8<sup>th</sup> Grade class. Join us as we examine the lives of the Saints.

Blessings, Mindy Reeder

### Thinking about Separation or Divorce? -

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped over 6,500 couples in the Twin Cities experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information or to register for the program please call (651) 464-5855, or visit [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com).

## Please let us know:

**If anything has changed in your family or 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.
- \_\_\_\_\_ want to be removed from parish
- \_\_\_\_\_ would like information on:

\_\_\_\_\_

*Drop in the collection basket or mail to the office.*

## Archdiocesan Information

**FROM THE PEW TO THE POLLS:** *Tips and tools for taking a Gospel-centered approach to today's biggest public policy issues.* Tired of politics as usual? Frustrated by political parties and special interest groups just looking for more power? The Minnesota Catholic Conference (MCC), the public policy voice of the Catholic Church in Minnesota, is offering you an opportunity to go beyond partisan politics and explore how we can all better "think with the Church" when considering the policy issues, decisions, and people we choose to support. Join us on Monday, October 20 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Paul at the Cathedral. Free and open to everyone. Reflect on how to live as a faithful, Christ-filled citizen in a challenging culture. Receive new, Minnesota-specific tools to help you make tough, informed decisions about the elected officials you support during the upcoming election.

### **Presenter and ACCW President Lucy Johnson to speak on "Leading with Love" at St. Pius X**

Have you ever wondered what it takes to be a leader? Or that you already possess the qualities to be one? The St. Pius X Council of Catholic Women is hosting an event for all NE Deanery Catholic women on Saturday, October 25 from 8:30-11:30 AM in the St. Pius X Community Space. Lucy Johnson, ACCW President, will share her personal story of discovery and how all women of all ages can be "wise, courageous and loving leaders" of the Church. Registration is \$5 and can be paid at the door. 11:00 Mass will follow the presentation, with Fr. David Kohner, ACCW Spiritual Advisor and pastor of St. Bridget's of Sweden. For further information, contact NE Deanery President, Debbie Keller at 651-787-0266 or [kelkrew@gmail.com](mailto:kelkrew@gmail.com).

*Come, invite a friend and let's continue our journey as women walking side-by-side, leading with love and sharing our stories along the way!*

**Economic Inequality in the United States: a Catholic Discussion - October 23** How is the economy affecting you and your neighbor? What is at the heart of the economic problem the U.S. has been experiencing for the last 30 years? Is it even a "problem" that has a solution? Most of us defer to our political parties for answers to the economic problems U.S. families have been experiencing, yet nothing seems to really change. What can our faith tradition add to this discussion, and where might it take us, and our country, for answers? Join the Minnesota Catholic Conference and The Basilica of Saint Mary for a thought-provoking viewing and discussion of the 2014 film **Inequality for All** with Dr. Michael Naughton, University of St. Thomas director of the John A. Ryan Institute for Catholic Social Thought, and Dr. Daniel Finn, St. John's University theology professor and Clemens Professor in Economics and Liberal Arts.

Thursday, October 23, 2014, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m., at The Basilica of St. Mary, Lower Level (1600 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, MN). Event and film viewing is FREE. Registration is requested, but is not required to attend. Go to [MARY.ORG/INEQUALITY](http://MARY.ORG/INEQUALITY) to register.

**Roe on Trial October 21 - 6:30 p.m.** Lumen Christi Catholic Church ~ 2055 Bohland Ave. St. Paul. Event is free No registration necessary. Experience a moot court presentation of a court case that, if presented to the Supreme Court, could overturn Roe v. Wade. University of St. Thomas Law professors will present the case. Learn more about our legal system and what it would take to overturn the legalization of abortion on demand. The Pro-Life Law Center from the University of St. Thomas is offering this educational event for Pro-Life Advocates and is open to ALL who may like to come! Questions? Contact Sharon Wilson [wilsons@archspm.org](mailto:wilsons@archspm.org) or 651-291-4506.

**Mass of Healing, Reconciliation, & Hope** 7 p.m. Tuesday, October 28 at Divine Mercy, 139 Mercy Drive, Faribault

*Hear my cry, O God, listen to my prayer! From the ends of the earth, I call; my heart grows faint. Raise me up, set me on a rock, for you are my refuge Psalm 61:2-4* Come together as a community of faith to pray for the healing and reconciliation that God alone can secure. Whether due to the wounds inflicted by a shepherd of the Church, or the loss of a loved one, or the violation of human dignity through domestic abuse or abortion, we all stand in need of the healing power of Christ. In these difficult days of confusion, anger and pain within our local Church, it is especially important to cry out to the God who alone can save us. Join us as we pray for healing, reconciliation, and hope in a celebration of the Eucharist; the source and summit of our faith and the great Sacrament of Charity. All who are in need of healing of any kind are welcome and encouraged to attend. Bishop Andrew Cozzens presiding. Following Holy Mass, there will be an opportunity for private prayer with both priests and trained lay pastoral leaders. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available.

### **Miryam Dinner - Tuesday, October 28, 2014**

Archbishop Nienstedt will host the next Miryam Dinner on Tuesday, October 28 at 6 p.m. at his residence. Religious sisters will be present to share their vocation testimonies with women, ages 16 - 35, who would like to attend. It is typical for women discerners to be accompanied by their pastor, religious sister or campus minister. Please respond to the Vocation Office before October 24, by calling 651.962.6890 or emailing [patty.mcquillan@stthomas.edu](mailto:patty.mcquillan@stthomas.edu) if you would like to register to attend.

**November is National Adoption month** We as Catholics step forward in supporting adoptions through the loving command "to care for widows and orphans." (James 1:27) In celebration of the gift of adoption the Archdiocesan office in collaboration with various parishes host special is followed by light refreshments and information about adoption as well as an opportunity to talk with adoptive families. All families should discern if adoption is right for them. Is adopting something you have been thinking about? Come to one of the local Adoption Masses and find out;

November 16: Nativity of Mary in Bloomington – All weekend Masses

November 22:

Divine Mercy – Faribault – 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass  
Maternity of Mary – St. Paul 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass  
St. John Neumann – Eagan 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass  
Our Lady of Grace - Edina 5:15 p.m. Vigil Mass

### **Day of Honor and Recognition for Birthmothers**

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, in conjunction with Catholic Charities and the Archdiocesan Office of Marriage, Family and Life, is offering its annual Day of Honor and Recognition for Birthmothers on Saturday, November 8. This day is set aside to recognize sacrifices made by those who have relinquished a child to adoption. This day offers an opportunity for healing, sharing and for learning about resources available for birth mothers. November 8<sup>th</sup> 9:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, Eden Avenue Edina, MN 55436. Cost: \$15.00, to cover lunch and expenses. Scholarships available. Register with Melissa [melissamiller@olgparish.org](mailto:melissamiller@olgparish.org) or call 952-929-3317 x111. Questions: Call Erin at 612-298-9369 or Gretchen at 763-424-1430.

### **Project Rachel Morning of Reflection**

The format of the day provides time to quietly reflect on the mercy and love God has for you. This gathering is especially helpful for women and men who have already begun a healing process through a retreat, confession or some other program.

*Reclaim peace; share in a safe environment. Join us, we are here for you.*

November 15, 2014 8:30 a.m. – Noon Catholic Studies Building – University of St. Thomas, 2055 Summit Ave., St. Paul. – Corner of Cleveland Ave. & Summit Ave. For more information, contact Sharon Wilson at 651-291-4506 or [wilsons@archspm.org](mailto:wilsons@archspm.org)

### **Faith and the Call for a Human Ecology at 7:30 PM on Wednesday, November 5**

"Cardinal Peter Turkson, the president of the Pontifical Council for Justice and Peace, will bring Pope Francis' message of faith-based ecology to Minnesota this fall. The cardinal will give a public lecture on "Faith and the Call for a Human Ecology" at 7:30 PM on Wednesday, November 5. The event will be held in the O'Shaughnessy

Educational Center Auditorium on the St. Paul campus of the University of St. Thomas. Attendance is free, but space is limited. To reserve your seat, register at [ffesymposium.eventbrite.com](http://ffesymposium.eventbrite.com). Cardinal Turkson's lecture is part of the broader Faith, Food & the Environment symposium taking place in the Twin Cities, November 5-7. To learn more about the symposium, please visit [FaithFoodEnvironment.org](http://FaithFoodEnvironment.org)."

### **Operation Andrew Dinner - Tuesday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>**

Archbishop Nienstedt will be hosting the next Operation Andrew Dinner on Tuesday, November 4 at 6 p.m. at his residence. Operation Andrew, a program sponsored by the Office of Vocations, is an opportunity for men, ages 16 – 35, who are discerning their vocation and would like to learn more about the priesthood and religious life. The dinner event includes time where they can hear vocation testimonials on priesthood and the religious life. It is typical for a Pastor, Religious Brother or Youth Minister to accompany discerning men to this event. Please respond to the Vocation Office before October 30, by calling 651.962.6890 or emailing [patty.mcquillan@stthomas.edu](mailto:patty.mcquillan@stthomas.edu) if you would like to register to attend.

### **WALKING IN THE SPIRIT OF POPE FRANCIS: a Reflective Conference on Sister Parish Relationships**

Come and discover how Pope Francis' call-to-action in *Joy of the Gospel* will enhance healthy sister parish relationships. The day of sharing and discussion will be facilitated by Marty Roers, a frequent speaker regarding Pope Francis and the *Joy of the Gospel*. The conference is sponsored by the Archdiocesan Parish Partnerships Team (APPT). Saturday, November 8, 2014

Church of St. Vincent de Paul - 9100 93<sup>rd</sup> Ave N, Brooklyn Park, MN, 8:30 am – 12:30 pm - Registration \$10.00. Contact John at 651.439.1943 [johntwohy@centurylink.net](mailto:johntwohy@centurylink.net). Free copies of Pope Francis' *Joy of the Gospel* to first 40 registrations!

### **The Vianney Visit is a chance for young men**

(high schools sophomores through college, ages 16-22) to see what life at a college seminary is like. During your visit, you'll attend classes at the University of St. Thomas. The visit starts on Thursday evening, November 13 and includes Mass, prayer and hanging out with our current seminarians at St. John Vianney college seminary through Saturday, November 15 at 11 a.m., when it ends. Vianney Visits are free, but space is limited. Please contact Vocation Director Fr. Troy Przybilla at 651-962-6890 to let him know of your interest in the Vianney Visit. Further information and registration can be found at [www.Vianney.net](http://www.Vianney.net)

Please be sure to note your age and grade on the online registration form.