

# Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time September 16, 2012 Volume 31 Number 38

## Mass Intentions

Tuesday, Sept. 18: 8:30 a.m. + Helen Schnepf  
Saturday, Sept. 22: 6:00 p.m. +Ruth Wolf, + Kim Balata Ford  
Sunday, Sept. 23: 10:30 a.m. +Susan McKenna +Kathryn Mahoney

## This Week in Our Parish

Monday, Sept. 17: **CCW Potluck Supper @ 6 p.m. Meeting @ 7 p.m.**  
Tuesday, Sept 18: **Fatima Prayer Group @ 7:45 a.m.**  
Wednesday, Sept. 19: **Faith Formation Classes, grades 1-9 @ 6:15 p.m.**  
Saturday, Sept. 22: **Confessions @ 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel**  
Sunday, Sept. 23: *Hall Rented for Meeting*

## Liturgical Ministers

### Saturday, Sept. 22, 2012 6:00 p.m.

AS: Emily & Rose Chmelik

EM: Joyce Brazil \*

Kim Chmelik, Marsha DeGroot

GR: Ken Brazil, Richard Misgen,

John & Wilma McDonough

L: Sharon Kaisershot

U: Ken Brazil, John McDonough,

Richard Misgen, Roger Pumper

### Sunday, Sept. 23, 2012 10:30 a.m.

AS: Brooke Flicek, Michael Stephanites

EM: Bernie Ardolf \*

Mary Ardolf, Denise Flicek

GR: Charlie & Roxy Driessen, Clarence & Bert

Harriman, Mary Kay Reynolds

L: Georgia Redman

U: Lance Chappuis, Mark Mulcahy,

Tom Trnka, George Voracek

## Remember in your prayers ...

Fr. Dave Barrett, Phyllis DeGroot, Cheryl McDonough, Joe & Kari (Franek) Wiita, Loren Wendel, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nicholas Grambart; **Bill Stransky**; Terry Caron; **Evelynn Bauernfeind**; all on the prayer chain and **our Servicemen: Jaime Allison, Charlie Cain, Lester Caron, Chris Chappuis, Mark Gehling, John Madden, John McDonough, Ryan Snorek, Eric Spehn, Nate Wallace, and Luke Ward.**

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## Office Hours - Sept. 9-15

**Tuesday & Thursday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

**Wednesday 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.**

## Financial Stewardship Sept. 1 & 2, 2012

Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,257.00
Open Plate	308.00
Visitor	350.00
<u>EFTs</u>	<u>322.00</u>
Weekend TOTAL	\$ 2,237.00

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**First Reading** Wisdom 2:12, 17-20  
**Psalm 34** "The Lord upholds my life."  
**Second Reading** James 3:16 - 4:3  
**Gospel:** Mark 9:30-37

The Old Testament wisdom presents the image of the "just one," the Son of God, who faces the violence of human treachery with gentle, patient trust in divine deliverance. Saint James challenges the first Christians to replace jealousy and selfish ambition with righteousness and peace. Jesus crowns these lessons by continuing to teach us that discipleship requires us to trust in God and to follow Jesus on the way of self-sacrificing love, setting aside all desire to be first or greatest, and instead making ourselves last, in childlike service to all.

**Most Holy Redeemer CCW** will sponsor a **Healing Mass** for St. Canice, St. Patrick &



Most Holy Redeemer parishes on Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. at Most Holy Redeemer Church in Montgomery. Lunch served after Mass.

## From the Pastor ....



My Dear Parishioners,

The TLCC met on Wednesday, September the 5th and evaluated the progress we have been making since the merging of St. Canice with Most Holy Redeemer and the clustering of St. Patrick, Shieldsville became a reality on the 1st of July, 2012. Since then we have celebrated two Joint Eucharists, one in Most Holy Redeemer on July, 5, and the second in St. Canice, on August 12th. The members of the TLCC expressed great satisfaction about their success and were grateful to the people for their support and participation. They feel that these were small steps toward further progress in the way to more unity and cooperation. A few of them commented that it could have been much better if more people participated in the liturgy and receptions there after. They will continue their efforts to bring the people of these three communities together and form as one community in the Spirit of faith and love. They plan to organize more joint events and expect everyone's active participation.

The committee discussed the idea of a Thanksgiving Mass celebrated jointly by the three communities, namely St. Patrick, St. Canice and Most Holy Redeemer around the Thanksgiving Day this year. The members agreed on it and the Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated by these three communities on Wednesday, November 21, the night before the day of Thanksgiving, at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick Church at Shieldsville. A sub-committee of two members was appointed. Francis Rynda and Kim Chmelik will plan and organize the celebration and you will get more information through the forth coming bulletins.

Also, a sub-committee was nominated for setting up a meeting with the KC's of Holy Redeemer and the Men's Fellowship in St. Canice and will take initiative to plan and organize their future programs and activities having members included and involved of both communities. Dale Ruhland and Dave Judd will begin to work with them. Another committee is in position to initiate talks with the officials of the Rosary Society in St. Canice and the CCW of the Holy Redeemer. Mary Jane Grundhoffer and Barb Balfe are nominated for that task. Both committees will begin their work sometime after the Festivals.

The TLCC is also considering the possibility of a Eucharist celebrated for the youth of our communities some time before Christmas this year. The committee will soon begin conversations with concerned parish leaders and groups.

I am so grateful for the work the TLCC has been able to accomplish thus far and all the members who serve on it. They are good stewards and are dedicated and supportive of the new community

and to insure that as we move forward we are meeting the needs of the members of the parish. But they are limited and they can only do so much by themselves. The parishioners must know it and respond to the various programs and events they are being invited and make the union of our parish community their work and their concern. We have to continue to build on what we have begun. As we come to celebrate the Eucharist every week, we recognize that we are all children of God and a people of hope moving toward our destination. Let us face together the challenges of this journey.

Fr. George, CMI



**Do You Consider Yourself A Member of St. Patrick? The Church supports you when you need something, PLEASE support YOUR parish NOW!**

**Please pick up your Raffle Tickets** before & after Masses or during office hours. We ask each registered family to purchase/sell at least 70 \$1.00 Raffle Tickets. Because of the Archdiocesan Financial Controls Policies we ask that all Tickets MUST be paid for when you pick them up. We can hold your checks until October 5<sup>th</sup> to give you time to sell your tickets. We have a \$20,000 increase in our expenses because of our cluster with Most Holy Redeemer plus we need to cover our usual Festival income which will be down because of our down-sized festival. If you choose to sell your tickets they will not cost you anything.

**Here is a list of activities at our Country Picnic Picnic Lunch** - we will serve Hot Dogs and Pork Sandwiches with Baked Beans, Chips, Dessert and a Beverage from 11:30 until 2:30 p.m.

**Country Store** - will have vegetables, baked goods and crafts. If you can donate any of these items they can be dropped off at the Church on Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup> before or after Mass. The Country Store will be open on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 11:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the social hall.

**Bingo** - in the classrooms from Noon to 2:30 p.m..

**Youth Activities** - numerous FREE activities for kids from toddlers to early teens will be outside and in the classrooms from 11:30a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Each child can register once for door prizes that will be given away at 3:30 p.m. on October 7<sup>th</sup>. You need to be present to win.

**Beer Garden** - Will again be available and include chips, candy bars and pop for purchase.

**Entertainment** will be supplied by the New Prague Area Czech Concertina Group.

**Raffle Tickets** - This year we have 67 prized with almost \$4,000 in cash and certificates.

**Shuttles & Picnic Tables** - shuttles will gain be available to bring people to and from the church. We will have a picnic tables scattered about the grounds for people to rest and relax.

**Thank You for your help! It is very much appreciated. The Country Picnic Committee**

## What can you find on the St. Patrick website? Lots of information!

For example, check the Bulletin section for current and past weekend bulletins. Look at the **Contacts** page for staff and committee chair contact information.

Go to **Events/Celebrations** to find dates of scheduled events and detailed information about the Country Picnic.

See the **For Parishioners** page to find the schedules for Liturgical Ministers, Faith Formation and CCW activities. This page also contains details of parishioner roles in the upcoming Country Picnic, and even a poster that you can print and distribute. **Go to the website at <http://spshieldsville.org>** to find all of this information and more.

## Area Catholic Schools ...



### Bethlehem Academy [www.bacards.org](http://www.bacards.org)

- **BA and Boston's** Dine Out for Education nights. **Monday September 10<sup>th</sup>, 4 to 8 pm**, A portion of your bill will be donated back BA.
- **BA Homecoming** Friday October 5<sup>th</sup>. Watch for more info about the tailgating party.
- **HY-VEE Smart Points program** Earn points for BA/DMCS - purchase Proctor & Gamble products. Redeem points at [www.hyveesmartpoints.com](http://www.hyveesmartpoints.com) The winning school receives a Smart Board for a classroom.



### Holy Redeemer School

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

205 Vine Ave West, Montgomery  
[www.mosthrs.org](http://www.mosthrs.org) 507.364.7383

**Prayers to Kilkenny** as they celebrate at their Festival this weekend! At HRS during our second week students settled into routines, new logins for technology were learned and adjusted. Teachers gathered students together to grow in the love of Christ through classroom meetings and anti-bully lessons. Our 5-6 class spent time learning at Eagle Bluff for most of this week. HRS students gathered in Mass again this Friday and are making a commitment to add prayer to their daily routine, outside of school time. In addition, each class in Grades 3-8 will be spending time during Adoration once a month. IN OUR CLASSROOMS: Art classes began with the focus in the following areas under the direction of Mrs. Woratschka.

- Kindergarten: Collage using mixed media
- Grades 1 & 2: Objects with primary colors and geometric shapes
- Grades 3 & 4: Crazy critters using abstract and watercolor

- Grade 7 & 8: Pattern coloring using colored pencils or markers

**HRS BLOCK PARTY** – September 22, 2012! Don't forget to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual HRS Block Party! We have three local bands performing and great food from the Knights of Columbus and Hot Beef Stand. Even the gambling spinning wheel will be open! Cost is \$7 before Saturday or \$8 at the door. 5 p.m. MASS at Holy Redeemer Church  
6.-7:45 p.m. DOWNTOWN SOUND  
8-9:45 p.m. MINDSEYE  
10:15 – Midnight – LOVE BOMB

**HRS MARATHON OCTOBER 5:** Students are gearing up for another fantastic HRS Marathon! Students in Prek-Grade 2 will be walking around the park. Grades 3 & 4 will be biking or walking and students in 5-8<sup>th</sup> grades will be providing service. Let us know if you have a special service projects, otherwise students will be at Park Manor & Traditions. Students will be at Masses September 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> collecting pledges. We thank you for your support!

**TEACHER & STAFF EMAILS:** Our new website is 'www.mosthrs.org'. Along with this website we all have new emails and ask that you save these in your files:

- MMindy Reeder - [mreeder@mosthrs.org](mailto:mreeder@mosthrs.org)
- Shannon Buchner - [sbuncher@mosthrs.org](mailto:sbuncher@mosthrs.org)
- Ellie Franek - [efranek@mosthrs.org](mailto:efranek@mosthrs.org)
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- Deb Trcka - [dtrcka@mosthrs.org](mailto:dtrcka@mosthrs.org)
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- Michelle Rynda - [mrynda@mosthrs.org](mailto:mrynda@mosthrs.org)
- Laura Dewees - [ldewees@mosthrs.org](mailto:ldewees@mosthrs.org)

**UPCOMING DATES:** Sept. 21, Mass 5/6 & PEACE DAY – Activities in rooms!

**KUDOS:** Thank you for collecting items! Recent checks sent to HRS from these collections were: Target - \$1,611.69; Land O'Lakes - \$90.25; Milk Moola - \$219.45; Aluminum Cans - \$399.75; Ink Cartridges - \$58.40; and Kemps - \$125

**Blessings, Mindy Reeder – Principal**

*"Enlightening young minds through multiage instruction.  
Leading young hearts to Christ."*



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## Area Festivals & Events ...

**St. Canice Church, Kilkenny** *This Sunday - September 16<sup>th</sup>* Mass @ 10 a.m. Chicken & Ham Dinner served 11 - 2 p.m. Games, refreshments, live music by Area Czech Concertina Band. Air conditioned & handicapped accessible. Located: 8 miles N of Waterville on Highway 13 then 1 ½ miles on CR 2 (Dodd Road) or 9 miles S of Montgomery on Highway 13 then 1 ½ miles East on CR 2 (Dodd Road).

**St. John the Baptist, Jordan** **Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>** Saturday: Polka Mass with Chuck Thiel & the Jolly Ramblers @ 5 p.m. from 6 - 10:30 p.m. there will be games, food, beverages and music by The Schlepstocks. Sunday: Masses @ 8 & 10 a.m., Homestyle Chicken & Ham Dinner served 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (take-outs available), Huge Quilt Auction at 3 p.m.

**St. Mary's CCW, LeCenter - Thursday, September 20<sup>th</sup>** Annual Fall Hot Dish & Salad Luncheon serving from 11 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Adults: \$7, Ages 5-10 years: \$3, Under 5 Free Will  
**Immaculate Conception - Lonsdale Ladies Tea and Luncheon** Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. I.C. Crusader Civic Center, Admission \$10, Wear a hat & receive a favor/gift. Guest speaker: Marie Gery, Story Teller. Limited Seating & paid reservations are required. **The Deadline to register is Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>.** Tickets available by calling 507.744.2829. Sponsored by the I. C. Fatima Prayer Group Civic Center Kitchen Remodeling Fundraiser

**Most Holy Redeemer, Montgomery - Fall Festival** Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> Masses @ 7:30 & 10:30 a.m. Home-Baked Chicken & Ham Dinner served 11a.m. - 2 p.m. Food & Beer Garden: 11 a.m. - 5 p.m., Entertainment: The Flemming Fold: 11:30 a.m. & 2 p.m.; The Czech Lites: 12:45 & 3:15 p.m., Vikings VS 49ers Noon Kickoff, Kid's Games, Cake Walk, Bingo, Silent Auction, Hand-made Crafts, Farmer's Market, Home-cooked Food, Home-made Candy.

**St. John's UCC Germanfest, Faribault - Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>** Morning Worship @ 10 a.m. German Buffet served 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. & 4 - 6 p.m., Live Old-Time Music performed by: Tim Chlan & Friends 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Ray Sands Band 1 - 3 p.m.; Stuttgart Three 3 - 6 p.m.; Bake Shop, Christmas Store, Quilt Show, Petting Zoo, St. John's Apple Jelly, Authentic Costumes, Rootbeer Stand, BINGO, Farmers Market.

**St. Patrick, Shieldsville Country Picnic on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>** 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. Hot Dogs, Pork Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Chips, dessert & beverage. Bingo, **Country Store**, FREE Kids Activities, Beer Garden with Pop, Chips & Candy, New Prague Area Concertina Club and raffle drawing at 2p.m.

## Welcome to St. Patrick!

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  
St. Patrick parish office.*

### HELP FOR HURTING MARRIAGES

Retrouvaille helps couples put the pieces of their marriages back together and rebuild loving relationships. Twin Cities Retrouvaille offers a program consisting of a weekend and six follow-up sessions. The program is offered several times a year. Registration is required. For more information, please call 651-464-5855 or visit [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com).

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

### Catholic Youth Camp is Looking for New Board Members

Catholic Youth Camp currently has a ten member board actively supporting the 65 year tradition of providing a fun, faith filled week at camp. CYC is beginning the next chapter and is seeking to expand the network of supporters.

Board members will attend monthly meetings, participate in annual fundraising campaign, offer guidance and help ensure that the mission is being upheld in all aspects of the operations of the organization. Catholic Youth Camp changes lives. If you are interested in participating in this mission, please contact Executive Director Natalie King at 651-636-1645 or email her at [natalie@cycamp.org](mailto:natalie@cycamp.org). Visit [www.cycamp.org](http://www.cycamp.org) to learn more about Catholic Youth Camp.

Catholic Youth Camp is a 501(c)3 and board participation is voluntary. Catholic Youth Camp Address: 2131 Fairview Ave N #200 | Roseville, MN 55113 US