Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  August 11, 2013  Volume 32  Number 32

**Mass Intentions**

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<td>Tuesday, August 13</td>
<td>8:30 a.m.</td>
<td>Father’s Intention</td>
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<td>Thursday, August 15</td>
<td>7:00 p.m.</td>
<td>+Paul Gehling, +John Joseph Hanlon</td>
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<td>Saturday, August 17</td>
<td>6:00 p.m.</td>
<td>+Don Edwards, +Cary Pitan, +Bob O’Brien</td>
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<td>Sunday, August 18</td>
<td>10:30 a.m.</td>
<td>+Milo Schnepf</td>
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(Holy Day)

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**This Week in Our Parish**

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<td>Monday, August 12</td>
<td>Bell Choir practice, 6:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>Tuesday, August 13</td>
<td>Finance Council meeting, 6:30 p.m. in classrooms</td>
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<td>Fatima Prayer Group, 7:45 a.m.</td>
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**Liturgical Ministers**

**Saturday, August 17, 2013  6:00 p.m.**

AS: Emily & Rose Chmelik
EM: Shari Gruber*
   Kathleen Cap, Kim Chmelik
GR: Marge & Ray Duchene, Lorraine Dudley,
    John & Wilma McDonough
L: Mary Ann Smisek
U: Ed Dusbabek, John McDonough,
   Larry Smisek, Jerry Valentyn

**Sunday, August 18, 2013  10:30 a.m.**

AS: Romero Davis, Alex Langeberg
EM: Gina Palan*
   Gina Haaland, Kari Schultz
GR: Clarence & Bert Harriman, Larry &
    Noreen Tousignant, Elaine & Steve Trnka
L: Kathy Archambault
U: Randy Archambault, Tom Trnka,
   Elaine & Steve Trnka

**Remember in your prayers …**

The Families of Lucy Hoentanner & Marvin Coplecha, Larry E. Chappuis, Mary Schneider,
Fr. George K., Nancy Dienst, Noreen Tousignant, Skip Aaker, Francis Herda,
Joe & Kari (Franek) Wiita, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nick Grambart;
Bill Stransky; all on the prayer chain;
Servicemen: Jaime Allison, Charlie Cain, Lester Caron, Chris Chappuis, Mark Gehling,

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**Office Hours**

**August 11 - 17, 2013**

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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**Financial Stewardship**

**August 3 & 4, 2013**

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**Weekend TOTAL** $2,274.25

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**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**August 18, 2013**

**First Reading**  Jeremiah  38:4-6, 8-10
**Psalm 40**  “Lord, come to my aid!”
**Second Reading**  Hebrews  12:1-4
**Gospel:**  Luke 12:49-53

The Gospel is a difficult one, because Jesus says that he has come to bring not peace, but division. Jeremiah too was accused of demoralizing the people. What could possibly be the good news in these readings? Perhaps the answer is in the passage from the Letter to the Hebrews. Just as Jesus persevered through his passion and cross and is now glorified, so we who follow Christ will see our reward even though our witness may cause division as well.

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**Mass for the**

**Feast of the Assumption**

**is at 7:00 p.m. on**

**Thursday, August 15th,**

**(the day of the Feast)**
There is an old story about a little frog that was born at the bottom of a small well. He and his family lived there happily and they were content with that little world where they could play in the water swimming all around. He thought life is not going to get any better than this. But one day he looked up and noticed the light at the top of the well. He became curious wondering what was up there. He slowly climbed up the side of the well. When he got to the top, he cautiously peered out over the edge. The first thing he saw was a pond. It was much bigger than the well. He ventured farther and saw a huge lake, a thousand times bigger than the well. From there he walked a long way and came to the ocean, where everywhere he looked all he could see was water. He was shocked and began to realize how limited his thinking had been. Once he thought he had everything in the well. But now he realized what he had was very little when compared to what God wanted him to enjoy.

God’s plans for us are so much bigger and greater than we can imagine. So many times we are like that little frog. We have been enclosed in our own little well. It is all we have ever known—a certain level of living and a certain way of thinking. All the while, God has so much in store for us. God has oceans he wants you to enjoy. But we settle for too little.

By faith, Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; he went out, not knowing where he was to go. We have to believe God has bigger and better things in store for you.

Fr. George Kallumkalkudy, CMI

The Catholic Church of St. Henry in Monticello, MN will host a day-long retreat on August 17th from 8:30-4:30. We are honored to have Fr. Joe Iannuzzi present this retreat. He has completed 15 years of work with Luisa Piccarreta’s writings about the “Gift” of Living in the Divine Will. This completed work is the very first publication of her writings that has been released and approved by the Vatican. We are extending an invitation to your parishioners to participate in this unique and blessed opportunity to hear Fr. Iannuzzi speak about the Gift of Living in the Divine Will. Fr. Joe will be traveling from Rome to conduct this retreat.

Knights of Columbus 889 Korner
(17 Third 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.

Parish Country Picnic – October 6th!

Please pick up your Raffle Tickets!
Country Picnic Raffle Tickets are available! We ask each registered family to purchase/sell at least 70 Raffle Tickets. Tickets MUST be paid for when you pick them up. We will hold your check to give you time to sell your tickets. If you sell your tickets they will not cost you anything. Last year this proved to be a success. We look for even better sales this year. Thank you for supporting your Parish in this, our biggest fundraiser.

Worker Sign-up: Will be out this weekend. Please sign up ASAP for the job you want. Workers are needed even though we cut down considerably.

Picnic Lunch: Hot Dogs, Brats, Pulled Pork from Rice County Pork Producers, Homemade Sauerkraut, Homemade Baked Beans, Homemade Coleslaw, Chips, Dessert, Beverage.

Country Store: Start planning now as to what you can bring - vegetables, fruits, jams, jellies, canning, baked goods, plants and crafts.

No Pull Tabs at this year’s Picnic! To replace that income we are selling chances on an Intarsia Hummingbird, donated by Alvin David, which can be seen and tickets purchased at Masses.

Alcohol Awareness Training – Thurs., Sept. 12, 7:00 p.m. If you plan to bartend at our Country Picnic you MUST attend this or another training.

Check out our St. Patrick website at www.spshieldsville.org

2013 St. Patrick’s Annual
Women’s Choir Musical Luncheon

Oh, Be Still My Heart!
Elvis is coming here?
Coming to St. Patrick…?
And he’s WHAT?

Bringing Patsy Cline & Hank William’s with him?
Tell your friends… neighbors… anybody…
The King is coming to St. Patrick on
Sunday, August 25, 2013
12:30 p.m. Performance
I hear that there is a lovely Free-Will Luncheon beginning at 11:30 a.m. with the show to follow.

St. Patrick’s Women’s Choir will be ever so grateful for donations of dessert bars. If you can donate a pan of bars, please jot your name down on the sign-up sheet.

As you know many hands make light work – if you can offer your time with kitchen and dining room help that day, we would be overjoyed! Probably get a hug from Elvis, too!

Get the date on your calendar - The best show yet!

DO NOT MISS IT!
Area Catholic Schools ...  
**Bethlehem Academy**

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

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

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**Thank you to all who supported our 8th Annual Golf Tournament.** A special thank you to our committee who worked hard to increase proceeds once again. Initial tallies show we should have a $9,000+ profit thanks to: Brian Berdan; Mike Budin; Laura Hintz; Tracy Odenthal; Bob Rotter; and Dave Winge.

**Thank you to our sponsors:**

**Event Sponsor – Cargill**  
**Gold Sponsors:** Bisek Interiors; Mike & Angie Budin; European Roasterie; First Catholic Ladies Association; Knights of Columbus; NAPA – Todd’s Auto Parts; New Prague Auto Group; Survey Services; & Waste Management

**Whole Hole Sponsors:** Frandsen Bank and Trust; Franek Plumbing & Heating; Herrmann Drug; Gary & Lynn Heinzig; House of Insurance Agency; Just Name It!; Montgomery Carwash; Odenthal Drywall; Pizzeria 201; R & R Metalworks; & Seneca Food Corp.

**Half Hole Sponsors:** American Legion; Canterbury Park; Downtown Sound; Flice Insurance; M.S. Excavating; Mark Brahs DDS & Marek Law Office; Montgomery Messenger; Mayo Heath Systems; Posy Pantry; RAK Properties, LLC; Ti-Zack Concrete, Inc.; & White Front Saloon.

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**Area Church Festivals:**

- **Most Holy Trinity, Veseli - Sunday, August 18.** Polka Mass @ 11 a.m., Chicken Cook-out starts at 11:30 a.m., Continuous music Noon to 6:15 p.m. Bingo, Children’s games, Variety Raffle, Country Store, Home Baked Goods, Food & Refreshments, Prizes and Cash Drawings. Come Join Us! Sorry I don’t have all the details for these churches but here are the dates anyway.
  - **St. Wenceslaus, New Prague – August 11th**
  - **Holy Redeemer, Montgomery – Sept. 22nd**
  - **Divine Mercy, Faribault – September 29th**

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**Are You Grieving For Your Children?**

If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of children to abortion, come and experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on our weekend retreat. For more information on the next retreat contact Nancy at rvr-nancy@usfamily.net or call 763-250-9313. Also see www.rachelsvineyard.org.

**Three Rivers Community Action** needs people to drive Meals on Wheels in the following areas: Faribault, Cannon Falls, Morristown (Wed & Fri), Wanamingo, Zumbrota, Mazeppa (Mon), Goodhue, Wabasha, Pine Island (Mon – Sat). Days are Monday through Friday roughly 11:15a.m.– Noon. Commitment can be one day a month, one week a year, two weeks a year, as a substitute or whenever you can – they are flexible. To sign-up call 800.277.8418 or go to www.threeriverscap.org

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**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 Parish office.

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**Blessings, Mindy Reede – Principal**