

Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

Feast of the Ascension

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Mass Intentions

Tuesday, June 3: 8:30 a.m. Father's Intentions
Saturday, June 7: 5:00 p.m. +Joe, +Helen, +Dennis Smisek,
+Don Edwards, +Phyllis DeGroot
Sunday, June 8: 8:00 a.m. +Earl Dimmel

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

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, June 1: **Vocal Choir** practice after Mass (9:00 a.m.)
Tuesday, June 3: **Fatima Prayer Group**, 7:45 a.m.
Thursday, June 5: 'Country Picnic' meeting – 6:30 p.m. All welcome!
Saturday, June 7: Baptism Class, 9:30 a.m. at Holy Redeemer, Montgomery
Sunday, June 8: Graduation Breakfast, All invited

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, June 7, 2014 5:00 p.m.

AS: Alex Langeberg, *Volunteer Needed*

EM: Joyce Brazil *

Kim Chmelik, Richard Misgen

GR: Jan Balata, Mary Ann Gaughan,

John & Wilma McDonough

L: Richard Misgen

U: Ken Brazil, *Volunteer Needed*,

John McDonough, Leonard Petricka

Sunday, June 8, 2014 8:00 a.m.

AS: Anna Aaker, Nico Davis

EM: Mary Ardolf*

Bernie Ardolf, George Sticha

GR: Bert & Clarence Harriman,

Elaine & Steve Trnka

L: Shari Gruber

U: Tom Murphy, Randy Voracek,

Elaine & Steve Trnka

Remember in your prayers ...

Terry Kramer, **Don Hora, Gary Angelow**, Jeff Brown, **Bill Harn, Nancy Dienst, Marilyn Richter**, Landyn Wrolson, Thomas Klevin, **Skip Aaker, 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.**

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

Office Hours June 2 – 6

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

Financial Stewardship May 24 & 25, 2014

Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,664.00
Open Plate	114.00
Visitor	210.00
<u>EFTs</u>	<u>122.00</u>
Weekend TOTAL	\$ 2,110.00



Don't forget about St. Patrick when you go on vacation. We need your continued support throughout the year. Set up electronic withdrawal of your donations or take care of it before you go leave.

The Feast of Pentecost June 8, 2014

First Reading	Acts	2:1-11
Psalm 104	"Lord send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth."	
Second Reading	1 Corinthians	12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel:	John	20:19-23

Throughout history, the Spirit of God has moved people of faith to heed God's call. Our readings recall and celebrate all that the Holy Spirit has done for us and for the Church. Listen to these sacred texts and allow them to renew our own hearts and move us to be agents of the Spirit's movements in the world around us today. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in us the fire of your love!

A Note From The Pastor



Ascension of the Lord

Saying goodbye, even if it is for something good and only for a while, is difficult. Yet it is part of life from which we cannot escape. Life is a mixture of both entrances and exits. There is both coming and going. Once born, all of us have to die and every death is painful. People constantly come into and go out of our lives often leaving gaps that are simply impossible to fill. We are filled with sadness and a deep sense of loneliness which we try to accept, even if we never fully understand why it happens. The Ascension of Jesus leaves a gap in the lives of the disciples and now they have to come to terms with a new reality and to build up a new kind of relationship with Jesus.

The Ascension of Jesus marks the end of his earthly ministry and the beginning of a new age. But his ascension is all about his enduring presence. He departs from this world with a parting message for his disciples, "go into the farthest ends of the world and be witnesses to me and preach the good news until I come in the end of time". The duty entrusted by Jesus to his disciples 2,000 years ago, has been passed on from one generation to the other and today it is our turn to pass it on to the next.

The historical fact of the Ascension of Jesus strengthens us to believe that death is not the end of everything, but in fact the beginning of a new life. Therefore, when death comes, it should not make us look back in sadness at what we have lost, but to turn our gaze towards the future and live now in joy and gratitude.

Regarding the Solemnity of Ascension the dioceses of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Philadelphia and Omaha have retained its celebration on the proper Thursday, while all other dioceses have transferred this Solemnity to the Seventh Sunday of Easter. Thursday, May 29th is observed as an Easter weekday this year.

Father George Kallumkalkudy, CMI

2014-2015 Faith Formation Registration for Pre-School through Grade 10

If you are new to the parish OR our Faith Formation Program, please contact the office to Pre-register your child(ren) for the upcoming school year – PreSchool through 10th Grade. New Families may register until September 1st.

Families already part of the program MUST pre-register by May 31, 2014 to get a reduced rate on Tuition.

All are invited to St. Patrick for Breakfast on Sunday, June 8th following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Menu: quiche, cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk, coffee, juice



This is usually our Graduation Breakfast however both our 2014 High School Graduates, **Jake Scheffler and Kyle Novak**, are unable to attend. Jake will be with his grandparents celebrating their 66th Wedding Anniversary in New Prague and Kyle has other plans. Show your support for their accomplishments by sending them a card: **Jake Scheffler, 18850 Fairbanks Ave., Faribault MN 55021 or Kyle Novak, 15376 Garfield Ave., Faribault MN 55021.**



Many Thanks to everyone who worked to make our Grand Party a success. Without your support we could not have done it.

Dan, Randy & John

Thank you to Father George and all who attended or ministered at **Mary Kuchinka's** beautiful funeral. A special Thank you to Father Klaers for his many visits, care and concern. All your kindness is deeply appreciated.

The Family of Mary Kuchinka

'Country Picnic' meeting on Thursday, June 5th at 6:30 p.m. We are looking for something else to call the 'Country Picnic'. If anyone has ideas please submit them in writing to the office by 6:30 p.m. on June 5th.

New Minister Schedules Coming July 1

Current Ministers: IF there are dates you're unable to minister, please contact Tracy by June 15th.

Interested in Beginning a Ministry: please contact Tracy by June 15th. You will receive training for that ministry before you are required to do it.

WE NEED PEOPLE IN ALL MINISTRIES – PLEASE SEARCH YOUR HEARTS!

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.

KC Auxiliary News ... Congratulations to Eileen (George) Voracek on her award as Auxilian of the year. Eileen received her award at the State Convention of K. of C. Auxiliary, held at Epiphany Church in Coon Rapids. Eileen was chosen from over 800 members from 23 Auxiliaries in Minn. She was chosen because of her service to Faribault Auxiliary #889 but also because of her dedication to her family and volunteer work for her parish and her community. Thanks Eileen for your service.

Area Catholic Schools ...



Bethlehem Academy

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

Coming up at B.A. ...

School is out for the summer! Be extra watchful for the kids out and about.

Watch for the BA/DMCS float in the Heritage Days Parade on Saturday, June 21st.

Be sure to check the BA website for information on all summer basketball and volleyball camps. These camps will be taking place in June and July.

We will see you at the County Fair as BA will again be operating the Cardinal Café. If you are interested in volunteering to work a shift, please go to the BA website to sign up or use the link below.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0948ABA82F4-2014>

Interested in enrolling at BA? Contact Jake Hanson, Admissions Coordinator at 507-334-3948 or jhanson@bacards.org.



Most Holy Redeemer Catholic School

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

Most Holy Redeemer School students celebrated the end of another fantastic school year with special events, Mass, end of year assessments and classroom projects. This exciting time of year is a reflection of accomplishments and blessings for both students and staff at Most Holy Redeemer Catholic School.

For the first time this year, HRS students participated in Track and Field Day with another Catholic school, Our Lady of the Prairie of Belle Plaine. Students competed in 100 yard dash, 400 meter, relay races, softball throws, and even the tug-of-war. It was a great day on the track with all students competing for top honors.

Most Holy Redeemer Little Lambs and Kindergarten also held a special graduation with songs and finger plays. While Little Lambs shared favorite verses and songs, Kindergarten took the stage reciting days of the week, months, prayers, and counting in multiple ways to 100. We are so proud of our youngest HRS students.

Special recognition was given to all graduates and students received the following awards: *Presidential Academic Excellence Award for maintaining an A- average from 4th – 8th grades – Anna Franek, Jocelyn Mladek and Natasha Passa. Presidential Academic Achievement Awards for great academic improvement or maintaining grades on the A and B Honor Rolls included - Marty Kalina; Mitchell Leonard; Brady Michaels; & Jackson Michaels. The HRS Citizenship Award was given to*

Jackson Michaels and Jocelyn Mladek. A new award was started this year in honor of Mary Utuzuastegui, the HRS student who died in a car accident this year. For caring for others and the environment as well as being a good Christian role model, two young women were honored – Anna Franek and Natasha Passa. Marty Kalina won the Kevin Fliczek Memorial Award given to an athletic young man. The HRS Spirit Award was given to Anna Fliczek and Zachary Tuma. Sarah Dotray won the Young Christian Woman Award and Mitchell Leonard was the recipient of the Young Christian Man Award.

Please join us for the HRS Block Party – June 6, beginning at 5 p.m. with cards in the school cafeteria followed by a Vintage Snowmobile Show and entertainment by Downtown Sound. A Live Auction will begin at 8 p.m. Entrance is “Free” but we do encourage a free will offering! **Blessings, Mindy Reeder – Principal**

205 Vine Avenue W – Montgomery, MN 56069

Mass Stipends

From now on we are unable to accept more than \$84 for Masses at one time. That is 12 Masses in a one year period. This will allow others to schedule Masses throughout the year as well. Thank you.

Welcome, Summer!

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.
- _____ want to be removed from parish
- _____ would like information on:

Drop in the collection basket or mail to the office.

Archdiocesan Information

Archdiocesan Marriage Day Celebration – The Archdiocese invites you to celebrate the beautiful mystery of the Sacrament of Matrimony on: **Saturday, June 7th at the Cathedral of St. Paul at 10:00 a.m.** for Mass and renewal of vows, followed by a short reception. Couples married over 50 years will be honored in a special way. Families and friends of honored couples are welcome! Certificates to commemorate the gift of marriage between a man and a woman, signed by The Archbishop, are available for couples married one or more years. To receive a certificate or for more info, please contact the Office of Marriage, Family & Life at 651.291.4488 or flomos@archspm.org .

Charismatic Pentecost Vigil Mass with Auxiliary Bishop Andrew Cozzens All are invited to attend the **Charismatic Pentecost Vigil Mass** with Auxiliary Bishop Andrew Cozzens, **Saturday, June 7th at 7:00 p.m.**, at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, 2739 Stinson Blvd. NE, St. Anthony, MN 55418. This beautiful Spirit-filled evening, sponsored by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Office (CCRO), begins with praise & worship before Mass, and concludes with refreshments in Doran Hall following the Mass. Call 763-571-5314 for more information. www.ccro-msp.org.

Prenatal Partners for Life to host benefit dinner with Bishop Andrew Cozzens and his parents. All are invited to the 8th annual benefit dinner on **Tuesday, June 10th** at 6:00 p.m., University of St. Thomas, Anderson Student Center (2115 Summit Ave., St. Paul). Jack and Judy Cozzens share their powerful story and Auxiliary Bishop Cozzens will also speak. Matt Birk, co-author of the new book, All-Pro Wisdom, is the guest MC. Mary and Don Kellett's son Peter was the inspiration for PPFL, an organization that offers hope, support, and education for families facing an adverse prenatal diagnosis of their child before or after birth. Thousands of families have been directly helped or counseled worldwide! **Tickets are \$75 and may be purchased visit prenatalpartnersforlife.org, or call 763-772-3868 by June 5th.** Table sponsorships available.

Attention all Catholic High School Male Athletes - RECKLESS ABANDON - Sports Captains Leadership Summit - see attached flyer for more information

Friday, August 8, 9:00 – 2:30 – University of St Thomas, Anderson Student Center & Football Field. Headliners: FOOTBALL - Matt Birk, Brooks Bollinger, Glenn Caruso. HOCKEY - Brian Bonin, Jordan Schroeder. Anders Lee. LACROSSE - David Earl. Event will include additional headliners from baseball, basketball, tennis, track, swimming, skiing, soccer, cross-country and wrestling. For info call or email Michael Daly 651-324-6220 daly9539@stthomas.edu

Leading With Faith Awards – NOMINATE business leaders guided by their Catholic values. 2014 marks the 13th year The Catholic Spirit is honoring Leading With Faith award winners — men and women whose business practices reflect the teachings of Jesus Christ and the church. Nominations are now being requested from throughout the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Winners selected in each of three categories: large business, small business and nonprofit organizations. **Submit nominations by June 20th for consideration.** Winners honored at the annual Leading With Faith luncheon on August 14 at St Catherine University. For more information call Mary Gibbs 651-251-7709.

Rediscover:

2014 Rediscover: Catholic Celebration Catholics from across the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis are invited to come celebrate our faith journey to the *Horizon of Hope! October 3 & 4, 2014 - Minneapolis Convention Center*

Friday Evening, Oct. 3 – Young Adult Night

6:30 PM – 11:00 PM (Doors open at 5:30 PM)

Tickets: Adult (age 18+) - \$15

Enjoy an evening of dynamic speakers and uplifting music! Food available for purchase and a cash-bar. This evening is geared toward young adults in their 20s & 30s, but open to all adults over 18 years old. Friday features: Father Stan Fortuna, Father Dave Dwyer, Marie Miller, Father Mike Schmitz, Leah Darrow and more!

Saturday, Oct. 4th

9:00 AM – 5:15 PM (Doors open at 8:00 AM)

Ticket options for Saturday: Adult - \$20, Youth (Grades 7-10) - \$10, Child (Grades K-6) - \$7

Option to pre-order a box lunch - \$18

As we journey together, learn about your specific path during break-out sessions for adults, Latinos, youth and children. Explore the exhibitor hall to discover faith formation, worship and service opportunities throughout the Archdiocese and beyond. Experience the fullness of the Catholic faith with the celebration of Holy Mass.

Saturday features: Archbishop Paul Coakley of Oklahoma City, Scott Hahn, Father Dave Dwyer, Curtis Martin, Leah Darrow, Kelly Wahlquist, Jeff Cavins and more!

Register now at Rediscover-faith.org! If you have questions, please email Rediscover@archspm.org or call 651-291-4411.



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