

Church of St. Patrick, Shieldsville

4th Sunday of Easter April 21, 2013 Volume 32 Number 16

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 23: 8:30 a.m. Father's Intentions
Saturday, April 27: 6:00 p.m. +Joanne Nelson, +Don Edwards
Sunday, April 28: 10:30 a.m. +Loren Wendel, +James Kosanda, +Donna Harn

This Week in Our Parish

Monday, April 22: **Bell Choir** Practice @ 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, April 23: **Fatima Prayer Group**, 7:45 a.m.
Vocal Choir @ 7:00 p.m. All are welcome!
Wednesday, April 24: **Faith Formation @ 6:15 p.m. Last Class as well as**
Pre-registration for 2013-14 School year
Next Weekend: **FF 2013-2014 Pre-registration** before/after Masses
Sunday, April 28: **Confirmand Recognition & Reception** after Mass-All invited

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, April 27, 2013 6:00 p.m.

AS: Jeff Bronk, Grace Peach

EM: Shari Gruber*

Joyce Brazil, Richard Misgen

GR: Gary & Patti Angelow, Jan Balata,

Ken Brazil, Lorraine Dudley, Bill Harn

L: Denise Fliccek

U: Ken Brazil, Bill Harn,

Richard Misgen, Larry Viskocil

Sunday, April 28, 2013 10:30 a.m.

AS: Lauren & Elizabeth Jacobson

EM: June Malecha *

Ruth Seykora, George Sticha

GR: Nancy Chappuis, Denise & Rolf Haaland,

Mary Kay Reynolds, Elaine & Steve Trnka

L: Georgia Redman

U: Larry Chappuis, Paul Froman,

Mark Mulcahy, Bill Oppedard

Remember in your prayers ...

The Family of Arlene B. Dozark (mother of **David Dozark**), **Fr. George K., Denise Haaland, Ray Duchene, Nancy Dienst, Noreen Tousignant, Skip Aaker, Francis Herda**, Fr. Dave Barrett, Joe & Kari (Franek) Wiita, Anne Naas; Don Jensen; Nicholas Grambart; **Bill Stransky**; Terry Caron; all on the prayer chain; Servicemen: **Jaime Allison, Charlie Cain, Lester Caron, Chris Chappuis, Mark Gehling, John McDonough, Ryan Snorek, Eric Spehn, Nate Wallace, Luke Ward.**

From the Parish Pastoral Council ...

We are looking for two people to fill two - 3 year terms on our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC). Please contact Randy Archambault (507.332.7792) or Tracy in the office before the next PPC meeting on Tuesday, May 21st.



Office Hours April 21 - 27

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

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

Financial Stewardship April 13 & 14, 2013

Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,827.00
Open Plate	118.39
Visitor	450.00
EFTs	557.00
<u>Weekend TOTAL</u>	<u>\$ 2,952.39</u>

5th Sunday of Easter April 28, 2013

First Reading Acts 14:21-27
Psalm 100 "I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God."
Second Reading Revelation 21:1-5a
Gospel: John 13:31-33-35

Imagine a world like the one we will hear about in these readings! Communities of believers everywhere would support and encourage one another and be identified as Christians by the way they love each other. It would be a world with no tears, no death and no mourning, no crying out in pain. As we hear God's word, how close do you think we can come to this vision of a true Christian community in our lives?

Planning a Baptism in the future?

The next Baptism Class is Sat., May 4th at Most Holy Redeemer Church in Montgomery at 10:00 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.



From the Desk of the Pastor....



This Sunday, the Good Shepherd Sunday, is designated as a world day of prayer for vocations. This Sunday is chosen because of its Good Shepherd theme. That theme offers us an opportunity to think about priesthood and vocations to other ministries in the Church. God the Father anointed His only Son, Jesus Christ, the high priest of the new and eternal covenant. He also planned that this one priesthood of His son should be shared and continued in the Church. He shares His priesthood in two ways and He does it by means of two sacraments, the Sacrament of Baptism and the Sacrament of Holy Orders. The Sacrament of Baptism confers upon the people the universal priesthood of all the faithful. And from them Christ chooses men to share His sacred ministry by laying of hands, the Sacrament of Holy Orders. It confers the ministerial priesthood, a priesthood of service to those who enjoy the universal priesthood. The second Vatican Council in its dogmatic constitution on the church teaches, "The Common Priesthood of the faithful and the ministerial priesthood are inter-related even though they differ from one another in essence and degree. Each has its own way to participate in the priesthood of Christ.

Remember, from the divine family came forth Jesus. So from good Catholic families who reflect the divine family of God, only will come good vocations, good shepherds, good priests and good religious, whom we need most in the church today. Today, we are asked to pray for vocations and the best prayer we can offer is trying to live the universal priesthood conferred on us at the time of our baptism. The harvest is abundant, but laborers are few. Pray to the Lord of the harvest to send more laborers.

Vocation Sunday is an attempt to create awareness and an atmosphere of faith and support where that call may be heard and heeded by young people of courage, concern, confidence and conviction, who place their hands in Christ's with faith and love in their hearts.

Fr. George, CMI



All are invited to a Reception for our Confirmands on Sunday, April 28th after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Plan on lunch at St. Patrick. The 8th Grade Parents are planning a great lunch of Soups, Sandwiches and Bars. It would be REALLY nice to have a bunch of people from the parish there. Beside a great lunch you show our young people your support as they become full members of the Church through the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, May 2nd at Divine Mercy.

2013 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL



"All the earth is filled with his glory".

We have almost met our financial goal!!! Only \$185.00 is needed to meet our financial goal. When we

do, we receive approximately \$2,400 back for use in our parish. If you haven't filled out a pledge form, please search your hearts to see if you can help us meet our goal. OR you could fill out a form to help us make our PARTICIPATION Goal which is 60% of the parish. We are at 46%. **Please turn in envelopes by the end of April.** **We would like to thank everyone who pledged or made a payment to the 2013 CSA.**

St. Patrick

2013 First Communion Class

Cora Catherine Bastyr

Trent Owen Bauer

Beau Daniel Bauernfeind

Cole George Bauernfeind

Brayden James Bottke

Nico R. Davis

Zoea Joanne Carol Dozark

Jasmine Olivia LaCanne

Megan Lynn Langeberg

Owen William Schultz

Alex Joseph Velishek



2nd Grade Teacher: Kathleen Cap
Congratulations to all of you!

It's Grand Party Time!!!

The date is Saturday, May 18th.

Tickets are \$60 each and includes: two Roast Beef dinners with all the trimmings PLUS a chance to win \$1,000 first prize (30 prizes total). Only 250 tickets sold. Tickets available at all weekend Masses or from **Ken & Joyce Brazil, Ray & Marge Duchene, Fritz Kaderlik, Josephine Malecha, John McDonough, Tom Murphy, Dan Pumper, Ruth Spaetgens, Hank Von Ruden or in the office.** With questions call Ray or Marge @ 507.334.5335 or Dan at 507.330.0973.



Please pray for Fr. Sebastian while he travels back home to India for a visit from April 22 to May 22. He is celebrating the 25th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on May 12 of this year. **Congratulations, Fr. Sebastian!!**

Area Catholic Schools ...



Bethlehem Academy
105 Third Ave. SW, Faribault
507.334.3948
(www.bacards.org)

Upcoming events at BA:

Our Town, performed by the students of B. A., Saturday April 20th at 7:30 pm and Sunday April 21st at 2:00 pm. Tickets: \$8.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children/Students, and \$4.00 for Seniors.

Holy Redeemer School

(PreK through 8th Grade)

205 Vine Ave West, Montgomery
(507) 364-7383 mosthrs.org



It appears to still be winter! Please be sure to send your children with coats, boots, hats, and gloves until further notice! If it is 40 degrees or below, they will be expected to wear these items! Thank you for keeping your children warm as we wait for Spring to arrive.

New Buzzer & Camera System at HRS: Have you noticed our new buzzer on our front door? Thanks to Bruce Skluzacek, HRS has all updated cameras and entrance system. If you arrive after 8:15 a.m. in the morning, you simply ring the buzzer, someone in the office will verify who you are and buzz you inside. You will hear a click on the door. For after school families, you should still call the school number as our after school care coordinator will not be near the buzzer to let you in the building. All teachers now have access cards and codes for entry and all doors remain locked for the day. We thank Bruce for updating our building and keep our students safe. What a precious gift!

Pohald - HRS Tuition Assistance Program: Thanks to donations from alumni, families, and parishioners, we have raised \$5,265 as of April 15. Since the Pohald Foundation is not matching our gifts, we need to reach \$9,000 with local contributions. We cannot do this without you! Please consider a tax deductible gift to HRS in any amount. Gifts accepted through June 30, 2013 for the 2013-14 academic year.

SPECIAL VISITOR: Ted & Tracy Odenthal brought



in a special visitor to HRS last week - a little piglet! This piglet visited several classrooms and is pictured at left, held by Megan Odenthal for her classmates to see. His visit brought squeals of delight, from piglet

and student alike!



WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PHOTO?

It was taken in April! Pretty - but the wrong season for snow!

REMINDERS

- **Spring Flower Sale & Green Spring Items Sale - DUE!**
- **GARAGE SALE**- If you have items to donate or can volunteer for a shift, call or email the office
- **BOOSTER BREAKFAST: Join us this Sunday, April 21, 2013 from 7:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.** in the HRS cafeteria, middle school athletes will be raising funds for physical education programs and sports. Stop by for a delicious breakfast. HRS students in 5-8th grades are selling tickets or you may purchase your tickets at the door.

Blessings, Mindy Reeder - Principal

SPRING CLEANING!! Annual Holy Redeemer School Garage is coming up (May 2, 3, 4). If you would like to donate items for the sale, please drop them off Friday, April 26th 2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. OR Saturday, April 27th 1:00pm - 3:00pm. Large items are only accepted on Wednesday from 2 - 3 pm. *No early drop off of items please.*

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.



Catholic Youth Camp Needs Your Help!
Join us for our annual work weekend and help CYC prepare for the summer!
May 3-5 in McGregor, MN

Carpenters, plumbers, electricians, handymen!! We have several projects we want to complete, but we need your help. Are you part of a men's or women's group? Please invite the group to join us. Register by April 27 at - [http://cycamp.org/Support%20CYC/Work%](http://cycamp.org/Support%20CYC/Work%20Weekend)

Notice ...

We encourage you to please attend one of the Town Hall Meetings to get the information first hand. *Call the office if you plan to attend one of the meetings so we can register you and arrange a ride-share.*

**RAY DUCHENE & ELGIN TRCKA,
ST. PATRICK TRUSTEES**

The following article was in the Archdiocesan newspaper on April 11, 2013 for those who do not receive the Catholic Spirit newspaper. The article is informative, however, we feel much more information is dispensed at the meetings.

“Capitol campaign feasibility study includes online survey.

Archbishop John Nienstedt is inviting parishioners throughout the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis to complete an online survey to determine the support for a proposed archdiocesan capitol campaign.

The survey, which is available at STUDY.ARCHSPM.ORG, is in addition to a series of town hall meetings on the topic being held across the archdiocese (see schedule, at right, for a list of remaining meetings.)

The feasibility study is being directed by the Steier Group, a Catholic development consulting firm seeking feedback from representatives from every parish in the archdiocese.

“We are gathering input from priests and parishioners through personal interviews, mail surveys, town hall meetings and online surveys,” said Jim Steier, CEO of the Steier Group. “It is our intent to ensure that everyone within the archdiocese has the opportunity to share their thoughts. Having an online survey will give parishioners another way to provide their opinions.”

The Steier Group is scheduled to collect data through the end of May and present its final report and recommendations to the archdiocese in June.

“The purpose of this formal and confidential study is to gather valuable feedback from our priests and lay leaders so that I can make an informed decision regarding how to proceed,” Archbishop Nienstedt said. The opinions shared by parishioners are essential in planning for the future of our local church.”

The capitol campaign would ensure ongoing support for key ministry efforts in parishes, schools and throughout the archdiocese. It proposes to raise \$165 million to support six ministry areas: strengthening parishes, preparing the next generation of Catholic leaders, supporting Catholic Charities, preserving the Cathedral of St. Paul and the Basilica of St. Mary, caring for the elderly and fostering Latino ministries and programs.

Archdiocesan Town Hall Meetings

April 24, 7-8:30 p.m., Our Lady of Grace,
5071 Eden Avenue, Edina

May 1, 7-8:30 p.m., St. John Neumann,
4030 Pilot Knob Rd., Eagan

May 8, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., St. Olaf,
215- 8th St. S, Minneapolis

May 9, 5:30 – 7:00 p.m., Hayden Center,
328 Kellogg Blvd., W., St. Paul”

Coming Up In The Area ...

Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women

**81st Convention Wed., May 1 & Thurs., May 2
at Guardian Angels Church, Oakdale
“Be the Voice of Catholic Women”.**

Wednesday: speakers Fr. Jan Michael Joncas & Caroline Brennan, wine & cheese social, banquet.

Thursday: abbreviated business meeting, 2 workshop sessions, Liturgy with Archbishop Nienstedt, & catered luncheon. Also Marketplace, adoration, confessions, Guardian Angels Prayer Garden and socializing with Archdiocesan women.

Register online at www.accwarchspm.org or call the ACCW office (651-291-4545). Handicapped accessible. **Cost** for 2-day convention incl meals- \$75. One-day-\$40, Wed. banquet-only- \$30.



**Come to a world premiere production
at Open Window Theatre! *Mercy
Unrelenting*** recounts the events
surrounding the tragic murder of St.

Maria Goretti and the conversion of her murderer, Alessandro Serenelli. Alessandro experienced a miraculous transformation while in prison and he was present at Maria's canonization. **Open Window Theatre** - a few blocks from the Basilica, Minneapolis with free parking. For performance schedule see www.openwindowtheatre.org or call 800-838-3006 to order tickets. Discounts for students, seniors, and groups of 10+. Recommended teens & up.

For the past 65 years, the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis has united in procession to pray the Rosary with our Blessed Mother Mary. This Year of Faith join Archbishop John Nienstedt, priests and faithful on **Sunday, May 5th, at 2:00 pm** as we pray the Rosary in procession from the State Capitol to the Cathedral of Saint Paul. We pray for our new Holy Father Pope Francis, for the intentions of our families and all families of the World. Once inside the Cathedral we offer prayers for marriage and the family, closing with adoration and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. **Come with family and friends in a public witness to our Catholic Faith during this month of May dedicated to our Blessed Mother.** Assemble at the Capitol at 1:30; the Procession begins at 2:00pm. **Be there!** Details at www.familyrosaryprocession.org