



THE CHURCH OF SAINT PATRICK

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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage."
- Mt 2:1-2

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PASTOR: Father Michael Powell, OMI

651 774-8675

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY:

954 552-3262

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR: Christina Richardson

651 774-8675

BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday 8:30-10:30 am

FAITH FORMATION: Father Cyprian Czop, OMI

651 774-8675

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE HOURS:

Thursday 12-4 pm, Friday 9 am-1 pm

MAINTENANCE: Greg Buckner

651 230-4277

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Please call the Parish Office at 651 774-8675

WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 4 pm (Alternating with St. Casimir) — Sunday at 10:45 am

Hmong Mass—Fourth Saturday of month 5:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASS: Wednesday and Friday 8:30 am

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:30-3:50 pm

BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE:

For Sacrament preparation, please call the Parish Office at 651 774-8675

ST. CASIMIR CHURCH: Phone: 651 774-0365

Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday 4 pm (Alternating with St. Patrick) — Sunday 9 am

MASS INTENTIONS January 2 - January 10

Sat.	4:00 pm	†Marge Sieberer
Sun.	10:45 am	†Gregory Smith
Wed.	8:30 am	†Lois Cihlar
Fri.	8:30 am	Mueller Family
Sat.	4:00 pm	Mass at St. Casimir
Sun.	10:45 am	†Lois Cihlar



JANUARY INTENTION

Human fraternity: May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

THANK YOU!

Many thanks to everyone for the gifts you have shared with us this Christmas Season. Your generosity knows no bonds. We have received many cards, different kinds of food and other gifts. I don't know how we will be able to eat it all. I can't say how much it means to me. May God bless you abundantly. - Fr. Mike

OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office is closed January 15-19.

PARISH COUNCIL

Parish Council Meeting Thursday, January 21 at 6:30 pm

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

Please continue to support St. Patrick's Church financially by mailing in your contribution envelopes or dropping them in the mail slot by door 5, if you're unable to attend Mass.

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

12-20-2020 \$3,306.50

Raffle \$701.00

Egg Rolls \$1,395.00

Thanks for your support!

CHURCH GUIDELINES

- If you live in same household, you can sit together.
- Those over age 65 are strongly encouraged not to attend, and anyone showing any symptoms of sickness, or anyone who has a household member who is sick or showing symptoms of sickness should not come to church.
- The church space will be thoroughly sanitized before and after each service, including all entryways and doors. Holy water fonts are empty and hymnals removed.
- Social distancing at 6 feet apart.
- Hand sanitizers are available at all entryways.
- Wear your face mask at all times.
- Do not engage in any physical touch, such as hand shaking, hugging, greeting each other, etc.
- Avoid the spread (e.g. cough or sneeze into a shirtsleeve, handkerchief, or tissue; avoid touching the eyes, nose, and mouth).
- Windows and doors open for ventilation - weather permitting.

INDOOR MASK MANDATE

Per the Governor's Executive Order 20-81, people in Minnesota are required to wear a face covering in all public indoor spaces and businesses, unless alone. Additionally, workers are required to wear a face covering when working outdoors in situations where social distancing cannot be maintained. Research has shown that use of face coverings can greatly reduce the risk of infection when combined with other prevention efforts such as social distancing and hand hygiene. For more info, visit: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/facecover.html>

MASS ATTENDANCE DISCLAIMER

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists anywhere people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and people with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable to COVID-19. St. Patrick Church has undertaken precautionary cleaning, disinfecting, and implemented social distancing guidelines to help reduce the risk of exposure. However, St. Patrick Church cannot guarantee that visitors are 100% safe from exposure to COVID-19. Therefore, St. Patrick Church recommends that people over 65 or with underlying health conditions not attend mass at this time. Attendance at liturgies is at your own risk.

SATURDAY 4 PM MASS SCHEDULE

January 2 - St. Patrick

January 9 - St. Casimir

January 16 - St. Patrick

January 23 - St. Casimir

January 30 - St. Patrick

THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO!

Thank you to all the volunteers who worked so hard at making our Raffle & Egg Roll Fundraiser a huge success! Thanks to those that donated the prizes and those that made the egg rolls. We really appreciate your time and effort. And thanks to all who participated.

Thank you to Tom Gahler and all the volunteers who decorated the Church for Advent and Christmas! We appreciate all your help to make our Church look so beautiful!

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. *Amen.*

OBLATE VOCATIONS

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POP CAN TABS & CARDS

Please place pop can tabs for the Ronald McDonald House in the box located near door 1 to the church and any cards you receive in the mail as a gift from solicitors. Cards and pop can tabs will be picked up by Shirley and Sheila Wiess.

FOR THE CHILDREN...**Sharing the Gospel**

Jigsaw puzzles are fun. Solve a puzzle with your whole family, and it comes together even faster. God helped the wise men solve a puzzle. They wanted to find the newborn king. Together the wise men read God's promises, did their homework, and followed the star. When all of their answers fit, they found baby Jesus.

**PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

Baptism:
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PATRICK'S PANTRY

We are continuing donations of food and personal hygiene products to Merrick Center. If you are in need of help, please contact Micheal Danielson at 651-341-5532, Jeanne Driscoll at 651-771-2500 or the Parish Office. Thanks for your financial donations to Patrick's Pantry!

MEALS ON WHEELS


Meals on Wheels of Ramsey County is providing FREE home-delivered meals to Ramsey County residents aged 18 and over who are experiencing hardships due to COVID-19. Individuals who are homebound and unable to afford meals are eligible to receive up to 21 meals a week. For more info or begin to receive meals, call 651-318-9091.

If you have someone you would like on the prayer list for 2021, please call the Parish Office.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Carey Blomdahl, Patrick & Ann Canchari, Kevin Carroll, Brittany Dimmick, Michael & Richard Doyle, Brian P. Elliott, Geliene Fitzgerald, Vicky Fitzgerald, Perry Giles, Ernest Gillman, Marcus Lofton, Monica Lorang, Cameron Khraiss, Scott Lee, Kevin Livesey, Julianne Lovig, Pat Mallory, Mike McCann, Arnie & Virginia Meier, Edward Mielke, Ben & Amanda Monte & Family, Jim & Mark Nagel, Howard Olson, Peter Mrozinski, Peter Peterson, Dan Printon, Donald Quatmann, George Russ, Daisy Sarazien, Floyd Sawicki Jr, Patience Smith, Verl Southwick, Leah Spielman, Blong Yang, Lor Yang.

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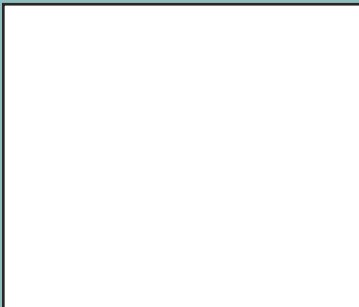
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