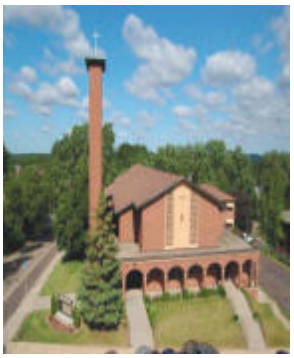

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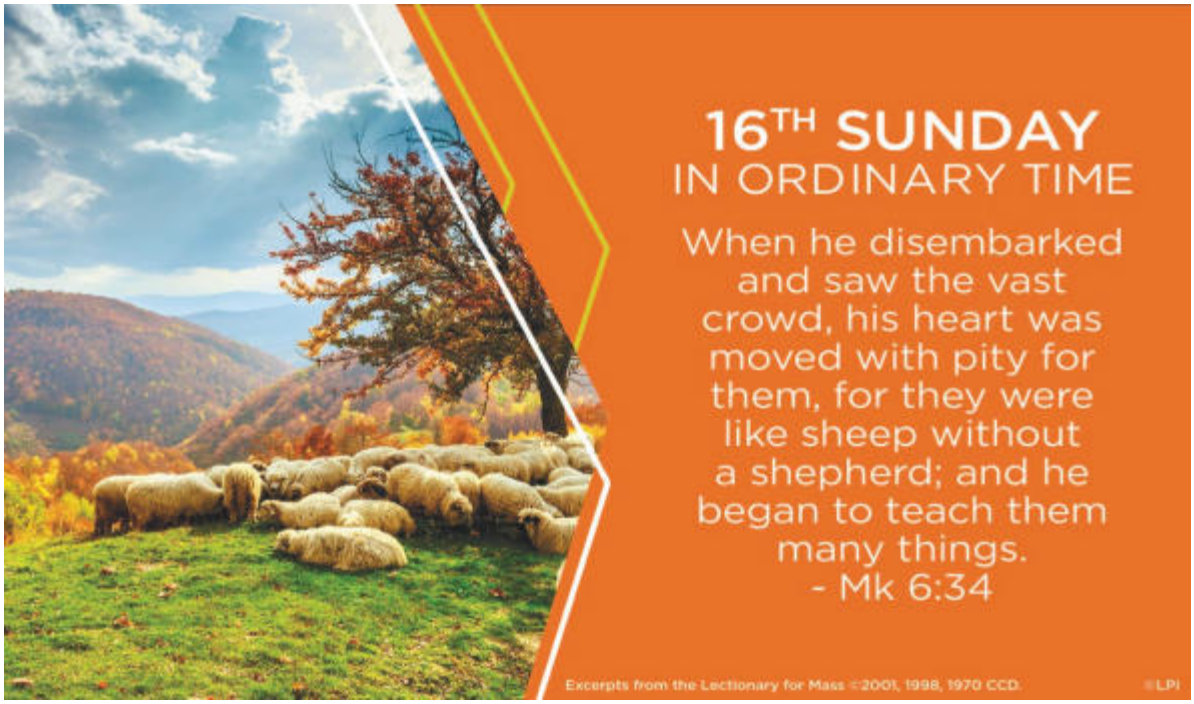


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**BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS:**
Monday-Friday 8:30-10:30 am

**FAITH FORMATION OFFICE:** 651 774-8675

**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—Last 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
**July 17 – July 25**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sat. | 4:00 pm | †Thomas Mordorski |
| Sun. | 10:45 am | †Angela Sherrick |
| Wed. | 8:30 am | †George Mueller |
| Fri. | 8:30 am | †Ralph Herbert |
| Sat. | 4:00 pm | Mass at St. Casimir |
| Sun. | 10:45 am | †Lois Cihlar |

## RETURNING TO MASS

**July 1 Marks End of Dispensation in MN**. The COVID-19 pandemic has been a painful time of separation that necessitated the dispensation from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass. Now, as the pandemic subsides, and public gathering restrictions and safety protocols are lifted, it is time to gather as the Body of Christ once again. Therefore, the bishops and diocesan administrators of the Minnesota Catholic Conference have decided to reinstate the obligation to attend Mass on Saturdays/Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation beginning the weekend of July 3-4, 2021. Learn more at backtomassmn.org.

## 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.

## CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

The Catholic Services Appeal Foundation is an independent foundation partnering with fellow Catholics to share Christ's love with neighbors in need through ministries that serve the poor, support life and strengthen the Faith. Our goal is $8,687. Please give!

## 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

| | |
|---|---|
| 7-04-21 | $3,384.00 |
| 7-11-21 | $3,247.00 |

***Thanks for your continued support!***

| Lectors | Eucharistic Ministers |
|---|---|
| **Saturday, July 17 - 4:00 pm** | |
| Delores Mordorski | *Jeanette Weldon |
| **Sunday, July 18 - 10:45 am** | |
| Houa Her | *Linda Renstrom |

| Lectors | Eucharistic Ministers |
|---|---|
| **Saturday, July 24 - 4:00 pm** | |
| Mass at St. Casimir | |
| **Sunday, July 25 - 10:45 am** | |
| Gary Heaser | *Karen Berres |

## JOINT PARISH PICNIC - SAVE DATE

Let's get together again! The ***Joint Parish Picnic*** of St. Casimir and St. Patrick will be held at St. Patrick on Sunday, August 29 at 1 pm in the lower parking lot. If rain, we will use hall. We can't have a potluck due to Covid restrictions, so bring your own bagged lunch. The parishes will provide water, soda, ice cream and cookies (individually wrapped).

## JOIN OUR SYNOD MEETINGS

Mark your calendars for the Synod small groups of 8 people to discuss the three focus areas the Archbishop wants us to discuss from September 19 - November 14. Every parish needs to schedule 6 small group meetings. It is not mandatory that you attend all small group meetings, please try to attend as many as you can. It would be great to have as many parishioners as possible at these meetings. They can be scheduled at your convenience, at church or in private homes. Let us know what is a good time for you.

## PATRICK'S PANTRY

We give donations of food and personal hygiene products to Merrick Center. We cannot accept clothing. 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.

## SATURDAY 4 PM MASS SCHEDULE

July 17 - St. Patrick

July 24 - St. Casimir

July 31 - St. Patrick

August 7 - St. Casimir

August 14 - St. Patrick

August 21 - St. Casimir

August 28 - St. Patrick

## The Steward's Work Is Never Done

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock! When you hear these strong words from the Old Testament, you're probably thinking, thank goodness I don't have any sheep — dodged that bullet. Nobody misled here! No flock scattered on my watch! However, we are all shepherds of a kind, called to tend our own sheep: our families, our parishes, our communities.

But it's exhausting. Don't we all sometimes just want to take a break from being a steward? The excuses are so familiar: we're tired, we've done enough, we've given all we can, what more does the parish (or my spouse, or my kids, or my boss, or my friends, or my community) want? We give ourselves permission to be selfish. So, what if the flock scatters just a little?

Jesus gets that. We can just imagine him weary with exhaustion, can't we? We see him on his boat, attempting to sneak away for a quick break — maybe just a chance to eat a bite of food in peace. He is God, but he was still human, after all. Even the most dedicated shepherds need to sleep. But people couldn't leave him alone. They were hungry for him. They needed what he could offer, and they needed it now.

As tough as it is, that's the example we are tasked with imitating. Everyday Stewardship demands accountability. It demands our showing up even when we are tired. It demands that we look at our lives, our time, our energies, our talents, our hearts, our bank accounts and think: where do I still have more to give?

*- Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS*

## FOR THE CHILDREN...

### *Sharing the Gospel*

People heard how Jesus and his disciples had healed their family and friends. They followed Jesus around like people hurry to see movie stars today. Jesus felt sorry for these people. They were like sheep without a shepherd. He said, "Love God more than anything or anyone. Love your neighbor as yourself." His words were joy to their ears. They followed him because he filled their hearts with hope and peace.

## Angels

**Question:** I've heard that we become angels when we die. Is this what the Church teaches?

**Answer:** As human beings, we are both spiritual and corporeal. We are body and soul. This makes us unique in all creation. No other physical creature — plant or animal — possesses an immortal soul made in God's image and likeness. Like the distinction with plants and animals, angels have an entirely different sort of existence. Angels are pure immortal spirit, and they have been so since the moment of their creation. While they may take on an appearance of a body in Biblical history, they are not a body like we are. Angels are neither male nor female, despite the art we often see.

As the result of the Fall, human beings experience death. Our souls are temporarily separated from our bodies. However, we do not become something other than human. Every Sunday in the Creed we profess "I believe in the resurrection of the body." As Jesus was united with his body on the third day, so too will we be united with our bodies at the end of time.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Kim & Sally, Jeannie & Jim Berres, John Driscoll, Monica Lorang, Mike McCann, Peter Mrozinski, Jim Nagel, Howard Olson, Dan Printon, Regina Kinzel, Randy R., Jim & Gwen West.

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