



JANUARY 16, 2022

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“As the family goes,
so goes the nation,
and so goes the
whole world
in which
we live.”
ST. JOHN PAUL II



Day of Prayer
for the Legal
Protection of
Unborn Children

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass in Chapel
Monday~ Friday 8:00am

Saturday ~ in Church
5:00 pm

Sunday ~ in Church
10:00am & 5:00pm

Confessions

Sat: 4:00pm~4:45pm

Sun: 9:15am~9:45am

Office Hours

Mon~Thur:

8:30am~4:00pm

Friday: 8:30am~Noon

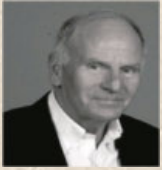


2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

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We have finished Advent and the Christmas Season, and are into what the Church calls “Ordinary Time.” If you check the cover of your bulletin, you’ll see this is the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time. So, when was the First Sunday of Ordinary Time, you might ask? It wasn’t last Sunday as that was the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. This is actually a trick question.

First, we need a little background on the Church calendar. Broadly speaking, the Church’s calendar is divided into categories: Ordinary Time, Advent and the Christmas Season, which goes from Christmas to the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, Easter - Lent and the Easter Season, which goes from Easter to Pentecost Sunday.

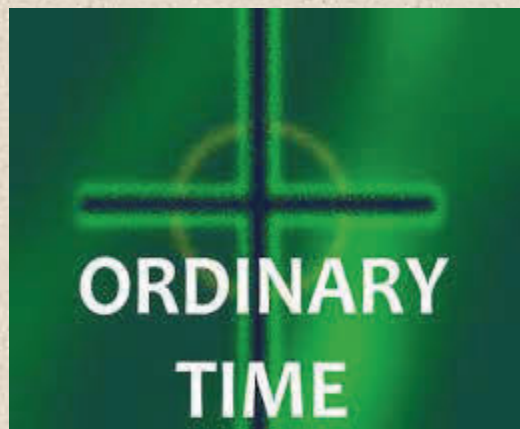
The rest of the year is “Ordinary Time.” Not because the time is “commonplace or without any special features,” which is the usual meaning of the word “ordinary,” but because the time is denominated using “ordinal” numbers, which are numbers that designate a place in an order, like first, second and third. Depending on when Advent starts, there are 33 or 34 weeks of ordinary time in a year.

Ok, so back to my trick question: when is the First Sunday of Ordinary Time? The answer is: never. Because the Christmas Season ends on the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord, which is a Sunday, the first day of Ordinary Time is a Monday and that first week of Ordinary Time doesn’t have a Sunday in it. The first time we get to a Sunday is the beginning of the second week of Ordinary Time, which is why that Sunday is called the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time. Make sense? Perhaps. Maybe none of this matters except if you’re playing a Catholic trivia game.

It is worth pausing and realizing that “ordinary time” is the bulk of the year, in and out of the Church. We have Christmas and Easter, and big personal celebrations like birthdays and weddings, but most of our time is spent in the simple day-to-day existence of family, work, and friends. It is basic blocking and tackling. It is “ordinary,” in the commonplace sense of the word.

But it is in the “ordinary” that we are called to grow in holiness, responding to grace to become saints. It is in the “ordinary” that we live out our basic Christian faith. It is in the “ordinary” that we love God and love our neighbor, helping, encouraging, caring for and holding up those whose paths cross ours, and offering simple prayers of thanks or joy or supplication to God along the way. The “ordinary” is where holiness happens.

Blessings,
Deacon Schnell



**PLEASE PRAY FOR
THOSE WHO ARE ILL**



Mary Bailey, Nancy Borchers, Virginia Burke, Brian Caron, Johnny Davis, Monica Dextater, Bryan Fuss, Charlie Galligan, Melina Garcia, Chuck Gorman, Sheila Hanley, Anne Herman, Audrey Hunt, Pat Jenkins, Steve Jenson, David Johnston, Susan Kampmeyer, Mary Lee, Jim Lamson, Nancy Lynch, Lori Margolis, Ginny Mulcahy, Kathleen Beutell McLaughlin, Riley Nobrega, Peter Rode, Julia Ruelle, Caroline Scott, Hugh Sherry, Mollie Sherry, Jenna Tursi, Molly Tursi, Brad Welsh, Roger Zedlik

Grandmas In Prayer

Grandmas meet one hour a week to pray for their grandchildren and their schools. We pray scripturally in one accord following the 4 steps of prayer.

Mondays, 1:00pm to 2:00 p.m. St. Cecelia's Room. If you're interested or would like more information, please contact

Jackie Davidson - jfd6058@gmail.com

Grandmas in Prayer is part of the Moms in Prayer Ministry momsinprayer.org



MASS INTENTIONS

TO SCHEDULE A MASS INTENTION, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE AT 952-941-3164

Sunday, January 16

10:00 a.m. + Rita Domke

5:00p.m.. People of the Parish

Monday, January 17

8:00a.m. + Ed Suttle

Tuesday, January 18

8:00a.m. + Bill Delaney

Wednesday, January 19

8:00a.m. + Pat Delaney

Thursday, January 20

8:00 a.m.. + Addie Ingebrand

Friday, January 21

8:00 a.m. + Zita Kuss

Saturday, January 22

5:00 p.m. + Maxine Heinen



Readings for the week of January 16, 2022

Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

PLEASE NOTE

**On Thursday,
February 3rd,
the Feast of St.
Blaze,
we will have
'blessing of the
throats' at the
8:00 a.m. daily
Mass**





Give the best St Valentine's Day gift possible by signing up for the **February 12-13 Marriage Encounter!** Weekends are held at Mt. Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington.

Visit www.marriages.org to register or get additional information or call 651.454.3238.



We are looking for new choir members and musicians. We would also love to add to our Bell Choir. If you are interested or if you have any questions please contact Paul Peterson. 952-767-0946 OR ppeterson@stpatrik-edina.org

"Those who sing praise, pray twice"



PARISH COUNCIL

We will have a parish council meeting
On Thursday, January 20th
At 7:00 p.m. in St. Catherine Conference Room



There will be a blood drive here on Wednesday, February 2nd in the Celtic Center. Please go to www.amreicanredcross.org, click 'give blood' and then 'find a blood drive' to register to give blood. The need is CRITICAL right now.

Thank you!

We will be collecting February 19-27

Women and Men Veterans in Need

Every Third Saturday a Veterans support organization, located near VA Hospital, is in desperate need of:

- used winter coats
- boots
- hats
- gloves
- winter underwear
- blue jeans
- shirts
- colored T shirts
- sweat clothes (XL, 2X)
- shoes
- Diabetic socks
- peroxide
- hand soap
- mouthwash
- sewing kits, muscle rub /icy hot, hand lotion, foot and body powder,
- Q-tips, baby wipes, chap stick



NEW FOR MEN: boxer underwear and T Shirts (2XL thru 5XL)
NEW FOR WOMEN: briefs (M (6), L (7), XL (8))

. **There are boxes in the Celtic Center identified for Veteran collection.**

This Week at Confirmation



This week we will be discussing “The Word of God”. We will be diving into the importance and history of Scripture. Where does it come from, how did we get what we now know as the Bible? We will also discuss the basics of how to study and apply its teachings to our lives.

It is a very important week in helping our students deepen their faith.

Coming in 2022

- Feb 18-21 – Winter Retreat (Sophomores-Seniors)
- May 15 – Confirmation Mass at the Cathedral
- July 9-16 – Totus Tuus
- July 16 – Highschool Mission Trip

Here is what is coming up for K–7TH Faith Formation:

2nd Graders = Will begin their journey to the Sacraments of First Reconciliation (March 5th) and First Eucharist (May 1st). More information to follow the first few weeks of January.

CGS - We will continue to serve 3- and 4-year-old children in our Atrium for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. Any child who will begin Kindergarten in the fall of 2022, we will have their Faith Formation teachings in the Atrium. If you have a 3- or 4-year-old and would like to give him/her a head-start in the Atrium, please give us a call to get him/her started. In the Atrium, there are no hard start and stop dates as the children learn independently of each other.

RCIA - We have two adults and three older children who are in our Rite of Christian Initiation program preparing for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation at our Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday, April 16th, 2022.

Totus Tuus - This is a summer Faith Formation Program run by the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis for children in Kindergarten – 12th Grade. We will be hosting this summer fun program the week of July 10th – July 15th, 2022. Mark your calendars to **SAVE THE DATES**.

If you have any questions about Faith Formation for our little children through 7th grade, please give Cinthia Biros a call at 952-767-0948 or email her at cbiros@stppatrick-edina.org

CELEBRATING CHILDREN AT ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

- Relax, God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house.
- Sit toward the front or by the choir where it is easier for kids to see and hear what's going on at the altar. They tire of seeing the backs of heads.
- Quietly explain the parts of the Mass & actions of the priest, altar servers, choir etc.
- Participate in the responses. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you.
- If you have to leave Mass with your child, feel free to do so but please come back. As Jesus said, “Let the children come to me.”
- Remember that the way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, and to one another. Let them know that they are at home in this house of worship.

TO THE MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and they are a reminder that we are growing. Please welcome our children and give a smile of encouragement to their parents.





The episcopal ordination of Bishop-elect Joseph A. Williams will take place Tuesday, January 25th, Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle, at 1:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

A public reception will follow. The Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis thanks all attendees for wearing masks during the ordination and reception.

The ordination will be livestreamed on the [Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis' Facebook page](#) and carried live on [Metro Cable Channel 6](#).

Please join in praying for our new auxiliary bishop!

CONGRATULATIONS BISHOP ELECT WILLIAMS.
Our prayers are with you as you begin your new role.

PRAYER SERVICE FOR LIFE

Saturday, January 22
10:30 a.m.

Cathedral of Saint Paul, St. Paul

This prayer service commemorates the millions of lives lost to abortion and the many women and men wounded by abortion's aftermath. All are invited and welcome. Saint John Paul II Champions for Life Awardees will be recognized during the prayer service.



This event is sponsored by the Office of Marriage, Family and Life.



Archbishop Bernard A. Hebda invites women, ages 16-35, who are discerning consecrated life to join us for a Miriam Dinner.

Come for an evening of prayer and dinner with consecrated women sharing their vocation testimonies.

It is typical for women discerners to attend this dinner with their pastor, consecrated religious, or youth minister.

RSVP Required at 10000vocations.org/events before January 28

Call: 651.962.6890

Email: stpaulvocations@10000vocations.org

7 Staff Directory & Finances and Good to know

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

M-TH 8:30-4:00, FRI 8:30-12N

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PARISH STAFF PHONES:

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BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

Bill Schnobrich—952-767-0950

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC/LITURGY:

Paul Peterson 952-767-0946

FAITH FORMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY:

Grades Pre K-7:

Cinthia Biros 952-767-0948

Grades 8-12 & Young Adult:

Ben Tloughan 952-767-0956

Administrative Assistant:

Meg McManmon 952-767-0944

Office Manager - DeAnn Brandel 952-767-0945

Maintenance Staff Supervisor—Severo Garcia,

Anthony Fridlund 952-292-5626

Contract Accounting:

Cathy Shull - 952-767-0949

To email staff: first letter of name plus last name

@stpatrik-edina.org

OFFERTORY TO DATE VS BUDGET

Actual YTD July 1, 2021—January 9, 2022

Offertory	Budget	Variance
\$591,054	\$622,627	(\$31,573)

Actual Weekly ending January 9, 2022

Offertory	Budget	Variance
\$12,433	\$17,791	(\$5,358)

Sign up to Give On-Line

New to on-line giving?

1. Visit www.stpatrick-edina.org and click Donate/Pay
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3. Set up your donation or payment. OR Scan this QR CODE below

For information call: Fr. Kuss-(952) 767-0940,
or Bill Schnobrich (952) 767-0950



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

To request the Sacrament of Baptism, please contact the Parish Office.

MATRIMONY

Call the Parish Office at least six months in advance.

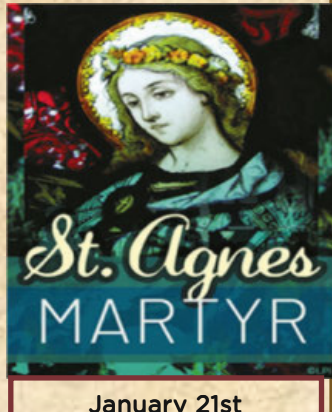
PASTORAL VISITATION

If anyone desires a personal visitation at home or at the hospital, call the Parish Office at 952-941-3164.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! We are so glad you've decided to join us.
To register call 952-941-3164 or visit our website.

SAINTS THIS WEEK



January 21st

Edina Coalition for Grief Support

Coping with the death of a loved one can be one of the most difficult challenges we face. Understanding the grief process and sharing with other individuals in a supportive and caring environment can lead to acceptance, personal growth and recovery.

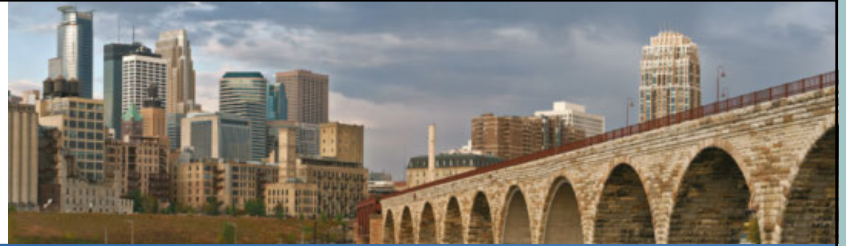
In an effort to help participants move forward with their lives, the **Edina Coalition for Grief Support** offers a short-term program for adults who are experiencing grief due to the death of a loved one. The focus is on education and group support in a safe and confidential environment. We are a nondenominational group inclusive of all backgrounds. Information on our meetings and registration for meetings can be found at edinagriefsupport.org.



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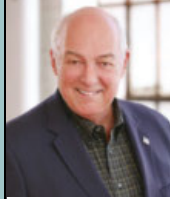
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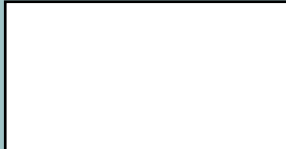
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