

# Tri-Parish Catholic Faith Community

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 13, 2019

**St. John the Baptist  
CCW Turkey Supper  
Sunday, October 27  
Serving 4:00-7:00 p.m.  
St. Ann's Hall  
Take-Outs Available!**



Our Lady of Mount Carmel † St. Casimir † St. John the Baptist  
Key: OLMC= Our Lady of Mount Carmel STC= St. Casimir STJB= St. John the Baptist PVCC= Parkview Care Center, Wells

Mass Schedule & Intentions		
Monday, October 14	No Mass	
Tuesday, October 15 STC	† Clem Stenzel	8:30 a.m.
Wednesday, October 16 OLMC Mass @ STC	† Ray Stevermer	8:30 a.m.
Thursday, October 17 STJB	No Mass	
Thursday, October 17 STC—DOW-R TV Mass	† Gary Robbins	10:00 a.m.
Thursday, October 17 STC—DOW-R TV Mass	† Terrence Lippert	11:00 a.m.
Thursday, October 17 STC—DOW-R TV Mass	† Ernest Johnson	1:00 p.m.
Thursday, October 17 STC—DOW-R TV Mass	† Andy & † Troy Kalis and † Kurt Pearson	2:00 p.m.
Friday, October 18 STC	† Darwin Laitenberger	8:30 a.m.
Saturday, October 19 STJB	George & Pat Sonnek families	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 20 STC	Pro Populo	8:00 a.m.
Sunday, October 20 OLMC Mass @ STJB	† Bonnie Schuster	10:00 a.m.
<b>Scripture Readings for Next Week</b> 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13 Psalm: "Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth." Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 Gospel: Luke 18:1-8		

### Sacraments of the Church

**Baptism:** Expectant parents who wish to present their child for Baptism must participate in Baptism Preparation Class. Contact the Tri-Parish office at 507-553-5391.

**Marriage:** All Catholics need to meet with a Priest at least six months before being married (even if the wedding is in a non-Catholic church). Contact the Tri-Parish office at least one year before your scheduled wedding date.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):** If you or someone you know would like more information on becoming Catholic please contact the Tri-Parish office.

**Christian Burials:** For all burials at any of the Tri-Parish cemeteries please contact Don Linder for Our Lady of Mount Carmel 787-2571; Tom Schindler for St. Casimir 553-3062; Bob Drager for St. John the Baptist 507-995-0160.

**Daily Rosary:** Evenings at St. Casimir beginning at 7:30 p.m.

**Reconciliation:** Our Lady of Mt. Carmel at St. John the Baptist, Saturdays 9:30-10:00 a.m.; St. Casimir, Sundays 7:00-7:30 a.m.; St. John the Baptist, Saturdays 4:00-4:30 p.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday- 8:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Casimir.

### Tri-Parish Staff Contact Information

Pastor ..... Fr. Greg Havel  
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Deacon Gene Paul..... 507-854-3676  
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### Sacramental Emergencies

Fr. Havel ..... 507-553-5391

### Our Lady of Mount Carmel

320 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097  
Phone: 507-553-5391 Fax: 507-553-5391  
Email..... olmc@bevcomm.net  
Office Hours ..... varied  
Administrative Assistant..... Sue Cory  
Cemetery..... Don Linder  
Custodial..... Annette Schuster  
Faith Formation ..... Chris Schultz  
Music ..... Mary Kayser

### St. Casimir

320 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097  
Phone: 507-553-5391 Fax: 507-553-5391  
Email..... scasimir@bevcomm.net  
Office Hours ..... M-F 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
Administrative Assistant..... Julie Bruegger  
Bookkeeper..... Kay Herman  
Cemetery..... Tom Schindler  
Faith Formation ..... Lisa Bute  
Liturgical Music Coordinator ..... Connie Stenzel  
Maintenance..... Bruce Roberts

### St. Casimir's School

330 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097  
Phone: 507-553-5822 Fax: 507-553-5391  
Email..... casimir@bevcomm.net  
Office Hours ..... M-F 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
Custodians ..... Gene & Pat Hassing  
Maintenance..... Bruce Roberts  
Principal.....  
Secretary..... Ashley Dawson  
..... Sarah Oldham  
Website ..... stcasimirsschool.net

### St. John the Baptist

PO Box 158, Minnesota Lake, MN  
Phone: 507-462-3636 Fax: 507-553-5391  
Email..... stjeb@bevcomm.net  
Office Hours ..... varied  
Administrative Assistant..... Rhonda Drager  
Cemetery..... Bob Drager  
Faith Formation ..... Rhonda Drager  
Maintenance..... Quentin Staloch

### Tri-Parish Faith Formation

<b>OLMC</b>	Sun 10/20	Grades 1-8	No class MEA break
<b>TRI</b>	Sun 10/13 Sun 10/20	Confirmation I Confirmation I	5:00-7:00 p.m. No class MEA break
<b>STC/TRI</b>	Wed 10/16	Grades 1-8, 9, both Confirmation II	No class MEA break

### SCS News

Another exciting Preschool year has started. I'm having so much fun getting to know these new, sweet faces and the wonderful personalities that go along with them. This group of six is very energetic and are getting along wonderfully with each other, they are enjoyable to watch and interact with!!!

Right now, we are really into all of our fun fall activities. From investigating the insides of an apple, then being creative with it using vivid-colored paints and making apple prints. Walking over to the school's community pumpkin patch and searching for the perfect pumpkin. Then bringing it back to the classroom and cutting them open so that we can discover all the fun, sticky mess that awaits us inside!!! We've also been going on some adventurous nature walks, looking for colorful, crunchy fall leaves; picking some up to use for future fall art projects and stomping on some for giggles on the way.

The year is off to a great start and I'm excited to see where it takes us, through all of our learning and socializing with one another.. I predict an amazing year for sure!!!

God Bless, Mrs. Swehla, Preschool Teacher



## Bridal Shower

### Honoring Hannah Proehl

Sunday, October 27, from 1:00 a.m. —1:00 p.m.

Lembke Building, 103 Main Street North, MN Lake  
The couple is registered at Walmart, Target & Nordaas  
Hannah is marrying Logan Block on January 11, 2020  
Please RSVP to Karla 507-390-0324

Do you shop at Mankato Hy-Vee? Do you know someone that does? St. Casimir School wants your receipts! We have the opportunity to receive up to \$2000. All you do:

1. Shop Mankato Hilltop or Riverfront Hy-Vee
2. Give your receipts to St. Casimir School office
3. Hy-Vee donates \$1 for every \$150 of receipts collected including grocery, liquor store, and pharmacy.

**A box to deposit receipts is in St. Casimir's Church by the stairs leading to the choir loft. Thank you for supporting our school!**

### Prayer Line...

We want everyone to receive the powerful blessings that prayer can provide—even those who don't want to share publicly. Whenever any of our parish members or families are in need of special prayers, please call us and we will begin our prayer lines for any need. OLMC- Margaret Stevermer at 787-2525 or Peggy Linder 787-2575, STJB- Rhonda Drager at 462-3627 or STJB Parish Office at 462-3636, STC- Lois Stenzel at 553-5423.

## Stewardship

*Collection amounts for the weekend of:  
10/6/2019*

### Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Adult .....\$3,805.03  
Offertory .....\$77.50

### St. Casimir

Adult .....\$5,174.00  
Offertory .....\$99.00

### St. John the Baptist

Adult .....\$795.00  
Offertory .....\$138.00  
CCD Sunday .....\$50.00

### Catholic Ministry Appeal

#### OLMC

Goal .....\$10,940.00  
Given/pledged .....\$8,415.00  
# of donors.....37  
% of goal reached ..... 76.92%

#### STC

Goal .....\$25,700.00  
Given/pledged .....\$16,827.00  
# of donors.....66  
% of goal reached ..... 65.47%

#### STJB

Goal .....\$7,990.00  
Given/pledged .....\$4,887.00  
# of donors.....27  
% of goal reached ..... 61.6%

THANKS  
BE TO  
GOD

### A Word from Fr. Havel...

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" The healing of the ten lepers is a wonderful reminder to us to give thanks to God for the blessings that we receive. How often do we pray for healing in times of illness or injury and then get better. Do we return to say thank you to God or do we, like the other nine lepers, just go on our way? Take time each day in prayer to say thank you to God.  
~ Fr. Greg

Please remember me and the 25 other priests of our diocese in prayer as we go on retreat. I will be gone from Sunday afternoon, November 3, until Friday evening, November 8. The retreat is at the Alverna Center in Winona. Our retreat director is Bishop Edward Rice. This is a retreat not a workshop. It is five days that offer extended periods of time for quiet prayer and reflection. Although this is not a silent retreat (no talking) I have always appreciated the gift of quiet that we give to each other during these days.

In an effort to help us to be more aware of what is happening in the parishes of our Tri-Parish community you will see a small change in the bulletin. On the top of page one of our bulletin we will be listing upcoming celebrations of our parishes and school. It is my hope that knowing of these events we will feel more welcome to be a part of times of prayer and celebrations.

DOW-R TV Masses- The Diocese of Winona-Rochester will be at St. Casimir's filming TV Masses on Thursday, October 17, at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m. & 2 p.m. We will not have 8:30 a.m. Mass in MN Lake that morning. Masses recorded will be for the first four Sundays of Advent. If you're able to attend, please do so. This is a great service to our homebound and it is so nice to have parishioners in the pews to help promote community for those watching, even from their living rooms. Parents- this is the first day of MEA break. If your kids are home from school and able to attend, please encourage them to do so. Also, we need servers and lectors for these Masses. Anyone in the Tri-Parish trained in those roles is welcome to take part. Please talk to Julie, Rhonda or Sue if you're interested. Thank you!

### Employment Opportunity...

#### St. John the Baptist

**Snow Removal-** STJB is looking for individual(s) to shovel snow off steps at the church and parish center. Also, south sidewalk at the church. Please contact Rhonda Drager at 507-380-8591.

### Tri-Parish Prayers...

*Let us always remember the sick of our parish communities and families, and all those in need of prayer, especially:*

Zach Fendrich, Carolyn Willette, Rick Herman, Marti Paul, Anne Jackson, Brady Berberich, Linda Willette, Mike Redig, Lynn Aschman, John Walser, Sr. Carmen Sonnek, Rosemary Brand, Ginny Drager, Sharon Hodge, Judy Whalen, Triston Father, Bill Stokman, Alice Schimek *and for all our service men & women of the armed forces.* **Please notify the office of family members currently in active duty to include in our prayers.** All requests will be removed after four weeks. Please notify the Tri-Parish office by emailing [scasimir@bevcomm.net](mailto:scasimir@bevcomm.net) or calling 553-5391 if you would like to continue prayers.

**Tri-Parish...**

**STJB CCW Members-** Postcards have been sent out for the Turkey Supper. Please call Jill Swehla, 507-420-0383, or Rhonda Drager, 507-380-8591, or your chairperson to confirm your job. Thank you for your help!

**Quilt Work to Begin at St. Casimir's-** The St. Casimir's Quilters will begin their fall work on Wednesday, October 16, at 9:00 a.m. in the church hall. Anyone interested in helping will be welcomed. Donations of sheets, mattress pads and fleece throws will be appreciated for this project. Items can be left in the church hall. Thank you.

**Clergy Appreciation Coffee & Rolls-** This Sunday, October 13, MCCW will be hosting coffee and rolls after the 10 a.m. Mass at STJB to honor Father Havel and Deacon Gene for their service to our Tri-Parish. All are invited to come and show your appreciation for all they do for us. Cards are welcome.

**Baby Bottle Campaign-** The CCWs of the Tri-Parish are participating in the annual Catholic Charities Baby Bottle Campaign. Please take home a bottle from any church entrance, fill it with spare change or donation of your choice, and return it to the designated area in your parish by November 3. Thank you for supporting life from conception to natural death!

**Diocesan...**

**Eucharistic Miracles Display from the Vatican-** Saint Mary's University, Winona, is inviting the public to view the Vatican Display of Eucharistic Miracles from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday, October 14, through Thursday, October 17, at its Alverna Center, 1175 W. Wabasha St., Winona, MN 55987.

Eucharistic Adoration will be available.

The Vatican Exhibit of Eucharistic Miracles showcases 126 Eucharistic Miracles. The exhibit consists of illustrations and detailed descriptions of each miracle that has occurred around the world, dating as far back as the Last Supper. With an extensive assortment of photographs and historical descriptions, the exhibition presents some of the principle Eucharistic Miracles that took place throughout the ages in various countries of the world and which have been recognized by the Church. By means of the panels, one can "virtually visit" the places where the miracles took place. The current exhibition includes panels that are used to explain the 126 Eucharistic Miracles. If you are interested in ride-sharing, please contact the Tri-Parish office.

**Meetings...**

**Knights of Columbus-** The Holy Family KC monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 15. We will start the meeting with the community Rosary and the business meeting will follow. The Knights would like to invite any men 18 years of age or older to join our Fraternal order.

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Ministries for Saturday, October 19, & Sunday, October 20, 2019				
	STJB Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	STC Sunday, 8:00 a.m.		OLMC at STJB Sunday, 10:00 a.m.
Lector	Maxine Daly	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading: Katie Koziolk 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading: Kristen Dulas		Dale Stevermer
Eucharistic Ministers	Bill Daly, Arnie Stenzel, Darrell Radtke	Scott Bute, Ike Dulas, Jerry Dulas, Mark & Lea Nowak, Mark & Lia Ignaszewski		Ryan Strom, Dean Warmka, Chelsea Sonnek
Servers	Collin Price, Martha Price	Alexis Roberts, Paige Roberts, McKenzie Roberts		Claire Schimek, Riley Stevermer, Mason Stevermer
Ushers	Mike Swehla, Volunteer	Tom Staloch, Marilyn Staloch, Joanne Haugh, Kerry Haugh (U&G)		Jim Willette, Tom Warmka
Sacristan		Gene & Pat Hassing		
Gift Bearers		Coleman Bushlack Family		
Rosary		Marti Yokiel		
Money Counters	Volunteer, Volunteer	Team #3: Mark Ignaszewski, Randy Feist & Ann Marie Schuster		Ruth Sonnek, Dale Stevermer
Monicas		Week of October 13-19	Week of October 20-26	
		Marie Hassing, Jan Ignaszewski	Mary Stenzel, Mary Beth Bushlack	