

Tri-Parish Catholic Faith Community

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

The 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time Sunday, August 16, 2020

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(Tri-Parish Catholic Faith Community of OLMC, STC & STJB)

Sacramental Emergencies

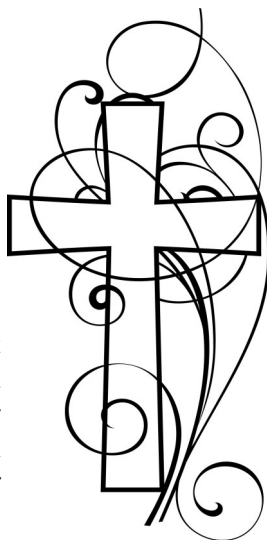
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Our Lady of Mount Carmel

27 Main Street, Easton, MN 56025
Phone: 507-787-2303 Fax: 507-553-5391
Email.....olmc@bevcomm.net
Office Hours varied
Administrative Assistant..... Sue Cory
Cemetery..... Don Linder
Custodian Anne Lippert
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 varied
Administrative Assistant Julie Bruegger
Bookkeeper..... Kay Herman
Cemetery Tom Schindler
Faith Formation Lisa Bute
Liturgical Music Coordinator Connie Stenzel
Maintenance Bruce Roberts



DOW-R Televised Mass

Sunday Mornings

KEYC 12 or 12.1 at 7:30 a.m.

KAAL Channel 6 at 9:00 a.m.

Mass will be broadcast Sundays with
DOW-R priests at 7:00 & 10:30 a.m.
on AM 970, Real Presence Radio

Online Mass with Bishop Quinn
dowr.org/about/weekly-mass.html
live every Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

St. John the Baptist

Church: 100 Park St N
Mailing: PO Box 158, Minnesota Lake, MN
Phone: 507-462-3636 Fax: 507-553-5391
Email.....stjb@bevcomm.net
Office Hours varied
Administrative Assistant... Rhonda Drager
Cemetery..... Bob Drager

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 varied
Bookkeeper..... Ashley Seedorf
Custodian.....
Maintenance..... Bruce Roberts
Principal..... Brittany Clausell
Secretary Ashley Dawson
Website stcasimirsschool.net

Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

Let us always remember the sick and all those in need of prayer, especially: Sr. Carmen Sonnek, Marti Paul, John Walser, Sharon Hodge, Gerry Ziegler, Doug Johnson, Allan Latourelle, Zach Fendrich, Denny Swehla, Rick Herman, Doug Ascherman, Triston Father, Mike Redig, Louise Giese, Mark Haler, Katie Woitas, Janet Yokiel, Dale Sonnek, Jeanne Ziegler Miller, Tom Sonnek, Butch Becker, Bruce Drager, Mary Meyer **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 or calling 553-5391 if you would like to continue prayers.

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 and we will begin our prayer lines for any need—give only the details you wish. 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.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Mon, August 17	No Daily Mass		
Tue, August 18	STC	† Darlene Pyzick	8:30 a.m.
Wed, August 19	OLMC	† Tom Stevermer	8:30 a.m.
Thurs, August 20	STJB	† Eugene & † Florence Sonnek	8:30 a.m.
Fri, August 21	STC	† Jerry Ignaszewski	8:30 a.m.
Sat, August 22	STJB	† Dominic and † Gladys Sonnek	5:00 p.m.
Sun, August 23	STC	Living and deceased members of the Al Remington family	8:00 a.m.
Sun, August 23	OLMC	Pro Populo	10:00 a.m.

All are invited to celebrate Mass Saturday morning, August 15, in Wells at 9:00 a.m. for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year it is not a holy day of obligation.

Confession Schedule on Saturdays

Saturday, August 15
No AM Confessions
 Mass in Wells at 9:00 a.m.
 Confessions at STJB 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 22
 Wells 8:30-9:00 a.m.
 Easton 9:30-10:00 a.m.
 MN Lake 4:00 p.m.

In Our Prayers

Soldiers Overseas

Troy Haugh, Paul Rauenhorst

Recently Departed

Lloyd Seipp,
 Joyce Evan, Margaret Cummings

Newly Married

Joseph & Danielle (Hermel) Bach

Upcoming Weddings

Logan Drager & Kimberly Carey



Spiritual Communion

When we're prevented from receiving Holy Communion at Mass, the Church encourages us to make an act of "spiritual communion," where we unite ourselves to God through prayer. It is a beautiful way to express to God our desire to be united with him.

Spiritual Communion Prayer
 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.

Sunday Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 56:1, 6-7

O God, let all the nations praise you!

Psalm: 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8

Second Reading: Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28

Congratulations to Joseph & Danielle (Hermel) Bach who were joined in Holy Matrimony on August 8, 2020, at St. John the Baptist, Mn Lake.

Catholic Ministry Appeal

as of July 31, 2020

OLMC

Goal.....\$10,000.00
 Amount given/pledged.....\$5,990.00
 # of donors26
 % of goal reached..... 55.4%

STC

Goal.....\$25,000.00
 Amount given/pledged.....\$11,730.00
 # of donors41
 % of goal reached..... 45.4%

STJB

Goal.....\$7,750.00
 Amount given/pledged.....\$1,830.00
 # of donors15
 % of goal reached..... 22.3%

Weekly Contributions

as of August 9, 2020

OLMC

Amount needed weekly.....\$2,414.00
 Amount needed to date\$14,484.00
 Amount given to date.....\$9,779.00

STC

Amount needed weekly.....\$5,127.00
 Amount needed to date\$30,762.00
 Amount given to date.....\$20,488.00

STJB

Amount needed weekly.....\$2,225.00
 Amount needed to date\$13,350.00
 Amount given to date.....\$7,393.30

Financial contributions may be mailed into 320 2nd Ave SW, Wells, MN 56097, and Fr. Havel will get them to the appropriate churches. Online giving is available at the website: olmcstcstjb.org or triparishsouth.com. Click on the Online Giving logo on the main page under the calendar. From there select which parish you'd like to donate to. It can be one-time or recurring. Please contact your church office with any questions. Thank you for your continued support!

Employment Opportunities

St. Casimir's School

☞ Are you or someone you know looking for a job? Send them our way! SCS is currently hiring for Elementary School teachers (must have training and valid, state issued license) and a Custodian. If you would like to join our team, please contact our Principal, Ms. Clausell @ b.clausell12@gmail.com or the parish office at 5539-5391 and check out the ad on Indeed.com! We can't wait to hear from you soon!

SCRIP is available in the church office.

Feel free to call,
 email or stop in for your order!

553-5391

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St. Casimir Parish Members — As we have been gathering again, new ways of doing things are emerging. One of those is an adjustment to our minister schedule. If you are currently interested in: Rosary leader, lector, sanitizing, or greeting, please contact the office via phone or email. If you have already been fulfilling a role since coming back to Mass, we will continue to utilize you, thank you!! However, we do need more help in all areas and would like to add back praying the Rosary Sunday mornings. Please help if you're able. Thank you!



Hymnals are available for you to take home. If interested, please see Father after Mass.

If you would like Holy Communion brought to you, please contact the Tri-Parish office at 553-5391.

Evening Rosary is being said at St. Casimir daily at 7:30 p.m. Please practice safe distancing. All are welcome.

From Fr. Havel...

The Canaanite woman came to Jesus and said, “Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon.” She came not to pray for herself but for her daughter. It was her faith that Jesus responded to when he said, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.”

This Gospel reading teaches us about the power of intercessory prayer. As our faith in God’s love brings us into the presence of the Lord, we should never stop asking God to heal others either physically or spiritually. God hears the prayers of his holy people! Trust in the power of God’s love as we pray not only for our own needs but for all who suffer in our world today.

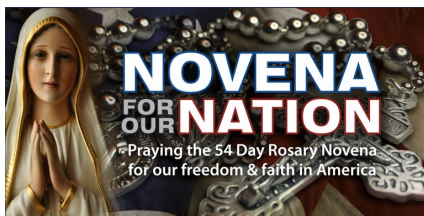
~ Fr. Greg

Calling All St. Casimir’s School Families!



You’ve heard the name, you’ve gotten the survey, now come meet her face-to-face! Our new Principal, Ms. Brittany Clausell, is eager to meet you! Stop down to St. Casimir’s Church Hall after Mass on Sunday, August 23, to introduce yourselves, ask questions and see your school family. We hope you can make it!

Catholic Charities of Southern Minnesota Are you, or someone you know, pregnant and in need of support? Catholic Charities offers free, confidential support to those who are pregnant or have a new baby. In addition to resources like free baby items and rental assistance, our social workers offer parenting education, decision-making counseling, and adoption planning and information. We are available to answer calls 24/7 at 800-222-5859. We can help you thoughtfully decide between parenting or adoption and confidently pursue the best plan for yourself and your baby.



The time is now to call upon God, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary, to heal our country and return it to holiness.

August 15—October 7

- Pray for America with the faithful from across the county
- Sign up to receive daily reflections straight to your email inbox
- Join 1000s nationwide and attend a Rosary Coast to Coast Rally near you on October 11—visit **RosaryCoastToCoast.com** to sign up for daily novena