

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 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time Sunday, September 27, 2020

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

Sacramental Emergencies

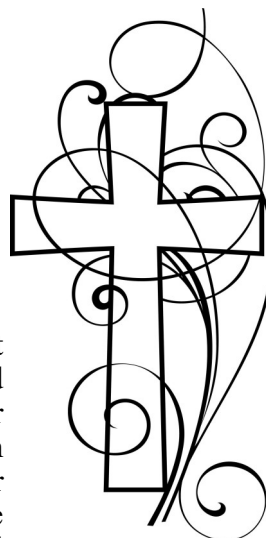
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Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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
Maintenance..... Bruce Roberts
Principal..... Diane Edwards
Secretary
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 Ascheman, Triston Father, Mike Redig, Louise Giese, Mark Haler, Katie Woitas, Janet Yokiell, Dale Sonnek, Jeanne Ziegler Miller, Butch Becker, Gayle Redig, Toni Gimberline, Pam Schultz, Jay Johnson **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, Sept 28	No Daily Mass		
Tue, Sept 29	STC	† James & † Janet Yokiell	8:30 a.m.
Wed, Sept 30	OLMC	† Ray Stevermer	8:30 a.m.
Thurs, Oct 1	STJB	† Jim & † Jean Evan	8:30 a.m.
Friday, Oct 2	STC	† Darlene Pyzick	8:30 a.m.
Saturday, Oct 3	STJB	† John Woitas & † Nancy Robling	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct 4	STC	† Ben Bushlack	8:00 a.m.
Sunday, Oct 4	OLMC	Pro Populo	10:00 a.m.

Saturday Confession Schedule

Saturday September 26
 Wells 8:30-9:00 a.m.
 Easton 9:30-10:00 a.m.
 MN Lake **NO CONFESSIONS**

Saturday October 3
 Wells 8:30-9:00 a.m.
 Easton 9:30-10:00 a.m.
 MN Lake 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Readings

First Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28
Remember your mercies, O Lord.
 Psalm: 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9
 Second Reading: Phil 2:1-11
 Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32

In Our Prayers

Soldiers Overseas

Troy Haugh, Paul Rauenhorst

Recently Departed

Barney Diaz, Bernice Sonnek

Newly Married

Jared Bingham & Ashley Pearson

Newly Baptized

*Zoe, infant daughter of
 Patrick & Megan Levine*

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.

Congratulations to Jared & Ashley Bingham who were joined in Holy Matrimony on September 26, 2020, at Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Easton. May the joy of your love for one another strengthen your bond and draw you closer to our savior, Jesus Christ.



Catholic Ministry Appeal
as of September 21, 2020

OLMC

Goal.....\$10,000.00
Amount given/pledged.....\$5,990.00
of donors26
% of goal reached..... 55.7%

STC

Goal.....\$25,000.00
Amount given/pledged.....\$12,730.00
of donors41
% of goal reached..... 49.8%

STJB

Goal.....\$7,750.00
Amount given/pledged.....\$1,880.00
of donors16
% of goal reached..... 24.3%

Weekly Contributions

as of September 20, 2020

OLMC

Amount needed weekly.....\$2,414.00
Amount needed to date\$28,968.00
Amount given to date.....\$25,053.12

STC

Amount needed weekly.....\$5,127.00
Amount needed to date\$61,524.00
Amount given to date.....\$47,901.61

STJB

Amount needed weekly.....\$2,225.00
Amount needed to date\$26,700.00
Amount given to date.....\$15,105.23

SCRIP is available in the church of-
fice. Feel free to call, email or stop
in for your order! 553-5391
scasimir@bevcomm.net

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 triparish-
south.com. Click on the Online Giving
logo on the main page under the calend-
dar. 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!

St. Casimir's School Update

Our second week of school is going well. The students are quickly adjusting to a school schedule. Thank you to everyone for your patience and understanding through the transitions. I am so excited to see St. Casimir's School provide quality education to enrich our students mind, body and spirit. Blessings to you! Diane Edwards

St. Casimir's School is in need of the following help. If you are able to help with any of the items or know of anyone who can, please contact Diane Edwards at 507.553.5822.

- A math teacher for grades 4-6
- School Secretary
 - ⇒ Flexible start date
 - ⇒ Training available

Volunteers to:

- greet students at the door and sanitize as students enter
- teach music, physical education or art
- assist students with reading and math help
- pick up snacks and milk
- Assist students with checking books out of the library, restocking books in the library, etc.

Note: Volunteers don't need to be consistent every day. We can get schedules organized and are flexible.

The hanging flower baskets on the light poles at St. Casimir's are available for anyone to take. Please help yourself!



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 office at 553-5391.

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

From Fr. Havel...

We are told this weekend that our actions speak louder than our words. In the Gospel, one brother said yes to his father but never followed through with what he promised. The other brother said no to his father's request but then went and did what his father had asked him to do. When Jesus asked, "Which of the two did his father's will?" Everyone answered the second. Actions speak louder than words. In St. Paul's letter to the Philippians it is the actions of Jesus done with a truly humble heart that united him to the Heavenly Father. "Jesus humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. *Because of this*, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name..." Come Lord Jesus, and help us to live holy faith-filled lives. May our actions show forth the faith we profess with our lips.

~ Fr. Greg

Dear Parishioners of the Tri-Parish,

At times in my priesthood people, without permission of our parish councils or myself, have taken it upon themselves to put pamphlets on car windshields during Mass times. Sometimes they have been filled with anti-Catholic writings or political opinions. If this happens, please know that they are not from or supported by the Church or your parish. ~Fr. Greg

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 26 & 27

Natural disasters have recently affected our brothers and sisters in Christ. Hurricanes and wildfires and have created widespread destruction. We are asking you to respond with the Catholic community across the United States to a special emergency collection. Catholic Charities USA is the official domestic relief agency of the U.S. Catholic Church and is already responding to urgent needs for shelter, water, and food of those affected by these disasters. Checks should be made payable to your local parish and clearly marked that it's designated for this collection. For more information, go to www.usccb.org or www.catholiccharitiesusa.org.

Area Events

~ St. Matthew in Vernon Center invites you for their Tukey Dinner this weekend, Sunday, September 27. Take-out only 4-7pm call 549-3004. A raffle will be held—tickets available at St. Matthew. Proceeds support Faith Formation.

~ **Red Cross Blood Drive** We are looking for people to donate blood on Monday, September 28, from 10:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. at Wells American Legion. Schedule an appointment by calling 1-800-733-2767 or visit www.redcrossblood.org, sponsor code: WELLSMN. We thank you for your participation. Knights of Columbus: Please help unload at **8:45 a.m.** Thank you!

~ Wells VFW Omelet Breakfast will be held Sunday, October 4, from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon. Proceeds go to the Youth Program. See you there!

Prayer for our Priests

Divine Grace, which always heals that which is infirm and supplies that which is lacking, has called our beloved brothers to sacred ministry. Let us pray that they be confirmed and strengthened with the grace of the Holy Spirit. Fill them with grace and counsel, that they may love you with all their hearts, all their minds, and all their strength. Grant them irreproachable conduct, steadfast faith, and good works so that they may help and guide your people with unselfish motivation.

Grant them wisdom, let their minds be sober and watchful, so that they may be filled with works of healing and words of instruction. May they teach your people in meekness and serve you in holiness with an undivided mind and a willing soul. May they be the light of your only begotten Son that the word of your gospel may be spread and your name may be glorified in every creature. May they serve at your holy altar with pure hearts and good consciences. Grant that they may prosper in all your commandments and the keeping of your laws, so that they may be able to minister joyfully on the day of your coming. In your holy name we pray, Amen.