



St. Patrick/St. Clement Parish  
**West Albany**  
 419 W Lyon Ave  
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**June 21, 2020 – 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**



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<b>Kendra Walker: Director of Faith Formation</b> Hall/Office: (507) 753-2424 Cell: (651) 448-0177 Email: <a href="mailto:kendrawalker.faithformation@gmail.com">kendrawalker.faithformation@gmail.com</a>	<b>MISSION STATEMENT:</b> <i>To use our resources, wisdom, and energy to empower and encourage parish families and surrounding communities so that people see Christ in our works and commitment to make our parishes thrive and grow and to share our faith with others.</i>	<u>St. Mary of the Lake - Lake City</u> Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Sunday - 10:00 a.m. <b>Web Site:</b> <a href="http://stpatrickswestalbany.org">stpatrickswestalbany.org</a> <b>Facebook Page:</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/stpatrickswestalbany">stpatrickswestalbany</a>
<b>Bulletin Items Contact: Diane Holst</b> 31389 Hwy 60, Millville MN 55957 Home: (507) 753-2665 Email: <a href="mailto:westalbanybulletin@gmail.com">westalbanybulletin@gmail.com</a>	1. Please send any bulletin items to <a href="mailto:westalbanybulletin@gmail.com">westalbanybulletin@gmail.com</a> by <b>10 am Thursday</b> . 2. All Document bulletin items need to be in Word format so it can be copy/cut and paste into the bulletin. No photo copies of items, please. Typed content in the body of an email is OK, just so it can be copied/pasted into the bulletin.	

**Pastoral Care of the Sick**

Parishioners who are homebound and who wish to receive a pastoral visit should contact Father. Persons who are seriously ill or who are anticipating surgery should make arrangements for the Sacrament of Anointing.

**Baptism Preparation**

Parents who are awaiting the birth of a child should contact Father for baptism preparation.

**Marriage Preparation**

Couples should contact the priest at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date to discuss the marriage preparation program.

**New Parishioner Signup**

If you are interested in becoming a member or would like more information about our St Patrick's Parish Family, please see Dennis Makoutz at church or contact him at 507-798-2518 or email address [makoutz.dennis@gmail.com](mailto:makoutz.dennis@gmail.com)

**R.C.I.A.**

Individuals who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith are invited to consider our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults program. You are welcome to contact Dave and Ann Marie Dose at (651) 345-2439.

**Prayer Chain**

To add a request to the prayer chain please contact Kim Stelling at [stelling.kimberly@mayo.edu](mailto:stelling.kimberly@mayo.edu)

**Hall Rent**

Parish members may rent St. Patrick's Parish Community Center. For prices and to reserve the hall, call Meg Sprick at 651-345-4804.

**Sharing Sunshine**

Please contact Louann Fieck, 507-259-5824, if you know of any parish member or person in the community that would benefit from a get-well wish, some encouraging words, or even just a simple personal note from the parish. **No more cards needed at this time.**

**FATHER FASNACHT'S 10:00 AM SUNDAY MASS WILL BE LIVE STREAMED ON HIS YOUTUBE CHANNEL.**

<p><b>Please Pray For:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Married couples struggling with fertility</li> <li>People dealing with physical, emotional and mental struggles</li> </ul> <p>If there is anyone you would like us to pray for and put in the bulletin, please call Diane Holst at 507-753-2665 or send her an email.</p>	<p><b>ATTENTION BULLETIN EMAIL CHANGE:</b>  <b>The new email for bulletin items should now be sent to <a href="mailto:westalbanybulletin@gmail.com">westalbanybulletin@gmail.com</a></b></p> <p><b>Thank you Jon:</b>          Jon Bergin has decided to retire from his position as Parish bookkeeper. I am sad to see him go. We thank you Jon for all your years of service to our parish! Thank you, Fr. Fasnacht</p>
 <p><b>PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH FOR OUR FATHERS</b></p> <p><i>St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary, you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty. You supported the holy family of Nazareth with the work of your hands.</i></p> <p><i>Kindly protect all the fathers who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor and weariness.</i></p> <p><i>But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son entrusted to you and with Mary, his tender Mother.</i></p> <p><i>Assure those you protect that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over him faithfully as you have done. -St. John XXIII</i></p>	<p><b>PT BOOKKEEPER/ACCOUNTANT WANTED</b></p> <p>St. Mary of the Lake is currently advertising for a bookkeeper/accountant with these major responsibilities.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monthly payroll with timely submission of payroll taxes and year end IRS/MN tax reporting.</li> <li>Reconciliation of all bank accounts monthly.</li> <li>Maintain &amp; balance the general ledger with appropriate journal entries.</li> <li>Perform all A/R &amp; A/P functions in a timely manner.</li> <li>Preparation of Financial reports, reporting quarterly reports to the Finance Council &amp; fiscal/calendar year end reports to the Diocese of Winona-Rochester.</li> <li>Work with &amp; assist the Building &amp; Grounds committee with building projects.</li> <li>Other duties as assigned.</li> </ol> <p>Contact Father Fasnacht or Jon Bergin with your cover letter/resume &amp; any questions. Prior experience greatly preferred</p>

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

*“Jesus said to his disciples, when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, who love to stand and pray in the synagogues and on street corners so that others may see them. Amen, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you pray, go to your inner room, close the door, and pray to your Father in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will repay you. In praying, do not babble like the pagans, who think that they will be heard because of their many words. Do not be like them. Your Father knows what you need before you ask him.” Mt 6:5-8*

It is critical for disciples of Christ to learn how to pray well. Jesus is our main teacher as we learn how to pray. In the gospel above, the Lord says we should “go to our inner room and pray to our Father in secret.” The inner room is a symbol of our heart. God wants us to go inward and search for him in our soul. He is there, waiting for us. The difficulty it is a very common thing for the Lord to be silent with us when we pray. Many people become discouraged with his silence and they give up or decide to not pray very much. We must persevere and continue to give generous amounts of time to prayer despite the silence. It will pay off a great deal if we do. God is silent with us because he is increasing our faith and our desire for him.

God bless,  
Fr. Fasnacht

**Donations for New Candlesticks**

Donations are being graciously accepted toward the cost of the new candlesticks on the altar. Please make your checks out to St. Patrick’s Church place in the offering basket in a separate envelope marked ‘Candlestick Donation’



Dear Sacred Heart of Jesus, I love You so much and I give You my heart. Help me to love God. Help me to love my neighbor as a child of God. Help me to love myself as a child of God. Amen

**PRAYER TO OVERCOME RACISM**

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other.

We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another.

We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society.

We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person.

Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us

Amen.



Pray, Invite, Encourage, and Affirm Vocations in your parish. Vocations are everyone’s business!

**REVISED ANNOUNCEMENT!**

Bishop Quinn and all the Bishops of Minnesota have given permission for the resumption of the public celebration of Mass to 25% capacity. No one is obliged to attend and the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is removed until further notice.

**Volunteers Needed**

- Please donate sanitizer wipes (purchased or home-made) to the Church. Sanitizer wipes are quite difficult to locate and oftentimes they are not in stock or are sold very quickly. Mass goers will be asked to wipe down their seat after Mass with a sanitizing wipe provided by the church.
- Help wipe down commonly used surfaces i.e., door handles, light switches, bathroom surfaces, etc. after each Mass.
- Ushers needed for Saturday & Sunday, call the office to sign up. Please see Father 20 minutes before Mass for special instructions on seating people
- Greeters needed to remind people to pick up a baggie with a sanitized wipe before Mass. No Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion needed as Father and Deacon only will distribute Holy Communion.

**General Safety Reminders:**

- When coming forward for Holy Communion, please keep a 6-foot distance between each person
- People are asked to not shake hands or greet each other by touching
- The obligation to attend Sunday Mass is removed until further notice. The Diocesan Safety Regulations advise that those who are 65 or older or have health issues to stay home but each person should make their own decision
- Please wash your hands often, use hand sanitizer and sneeze or cough into your arm

**Confession Times** Saturday, 4:00 PM (St. Mary’s)

**Sundays at 7:30 AM (St. Patrick’s) and 9:30 AM (St. Mary’s) or by appointment.**

**Mass Schedule:**

**Sunday, June 21 - 8:00 a.m. – Special remembrance for David Johnson**

**Sunday, June 28 - 8:00 a.m. – Special intentions for Parish Religious Leaders – Bishop Quinn & Father Fasnacht**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Tuesday 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Church

**ST. PATRICK’S PRAYERS, DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS, STATION OF THE CROSS:** Thursday from 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.