

Monday, April 12

7:00 AM - 8:00 PM ADORATION

9:00 AM Carrie Havlicek +

Tuesday, April 13

9:00 AM Aubrey & Karen Winkels +

Wednesday, April 14

9:00 AM Robert Janes +

Thursday, April 15

9:00 AM Deceased Members of Bill Ogle Family +

Friday, April 16

9:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of Dave McKenzie Family

Saturday, April 17

8:00 PM Judy Delamater + & Living Members of her Family

Sunday, April 18

10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's & St. Patrick's

April 17 & 18

5:00 PM Dolores Berg

10:00 AM Robert Wagner

April 24 & 25

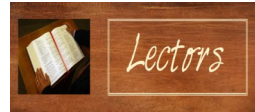
5:00 PM Valerie Cunningham

10:00 AM Vivian Stolz

May 1 & 2

5:00 PM Dolores Berg

10:00 AM Jodi Hogan



PARISH SUPPORT APRIL 3 & 4

ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT	\$6,595.00
VIGIL CANDLES	83.00
OFFERTORY	420.00
EASTER FLOWERS	65.00
HOLY LAND	812.50
EASTER OFFERING	2,480.00
RICE BOWL	587.00

RECTORY FUND	\$12,285.00
BUILDING FUND MAINTENANCE	45.00

APRIL DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR CHURCH SUPPORT (41 Families) \$3,524.00

APRIL DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR BLDG MAINTENANCE (11 Families) \$614.00

IF POSSIBLE REMEMBER ST. MARY'S IN YOUR WILL!



New Rectory: Please consider making a donation to our new rectory. You can drop off or mail a donation at the parish office or you can put your donation in the Sunday collection.

Thank you for **Rectory Fundraising, update:** As of 4-1-21 we have raised \$254,473. Our goal is \$355,000. Thank you everybody for your generosity!

FATHER'S MESSAGE

"On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus] said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Jn 20:19-23

Today we celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday. Jesus appeared to St. Faustina, a Polish nun in 1905-1938 and told her to tell the world about the mercy that he desperately wants to give to the whole world. Jesus' message is that God loves the world and wants to save us all. God wants us to come to him, repent of our sins and receive his mercy and forgiveness. It is an amazing treasure.

Jesus told St. Faustina, "I do not want to punish aching mankind, but I desire to heal it, pressing it to My Merciful Heart." (1588). Tell souls where they are to look for solace, that is, in the Tribunal of Mercy (Confession). There the greatest miracles take place... it suffices to come with faith to the feet of My representative (a priest) and to reveal to him one's misery, and the miracle of Divine Mercy will be fully demonstrated... Were a soul like a decaying corpse so that from a human standpoint there would be no (hope of) restoration and everything would already be lost, it is not so with God. The miracle of Divine Mercy restores that soul in full (1448). (-St. Faustina's Diary). So let us run to receive God's Divine Mercy.



Altar servers: We are now able to have altar servers so if any servers would like to serve at any of the weekend masses please call Rachel or Lavada at the parish office to sign up. Thank you!

CEMETERY BOARD...

REMINDER TO HAVE ALL CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS REMOVED BY APRIL 15TH.



Remember in your prayers Dave McKenzie. His funeral will be on Friday, July 2nd at 11:00 AM.

CONDOLENCE CARDS for Dave

McKenzie...Please send them to: Mark McKenzie, 2159 Baleria Dr., San Pedro, California 90732.



ST. PATRICK'S WEST ALBANY ...

will be having a Chicken BBQ Dinner (take out only) on Sunday, May 2nd from 11 AM - 1:00 PM or until gone.

Half chicken meal includes potato salad, beans, pickle, roll, cookie & water for only \$12.00.

General Safety Reminders:

When coming forward for Holy Communion, please keep a 6 foot distance between each person & parishioners are asked to receive in the hand. If someone still wishes to receive on the tongue, they should be near the end of the communion line.

People are asked to not shake hands or greet each other by touching.

Please wash your hands often, use hand sanitizer and sneeze or cough into your elbow.

Due to Governor's face mask law, Minnesotan's must wear a face mask in indoor public settings unless you have an exemption or are under 5 years old. Some of our staff have a health exemption. Thank you.



Sani-Wipe Team: we will be making Sani-Wipes every Wednesday after the 9 AM Mass.



St. Mary's CCW will meet on Monday, April 12th, 7:00 PM in the dining hall. We will be discussing our garage sale and Graduation Mass for our Senior Graduates.

Thank you to Robbie Benedict who stepped up to be our new President. All ladies of the parish are members of the Council of Catholic Women. Come and join us at the next meeting. Meetings last one hour.



MISSION SEWING group will meet on Tuesday, April 13th, at 9:30 AM in the dining hall until 12:30 PM. A short meeting will be held also. All are welcome to join us, no sewing skills are needed.



KC Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 13th. We will start with the Rosary at 7:00 PM followed by the meeting.

Your decision to join the Knights could define your year.

Join Catholic men, just like you striving to strengthen their faith, their families, and their communities as members of the Knights of Columbus.

Every Knight makes a difference.

Each man brings a unique story, a particular set of skills, and a heart that is ready to serve.

We invite you to take this exciting step and join us today.

It's an opportunity that could define your year and change your life. KofC.org/JoinUs



Catholic Charities of Southern MN is offering 3 new ZOOM studies beginning later in April! Choose from: **The Dignity of Work** (led by Isaac Landsteiner – beginning April 20th), **The Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching** (led by Chad Cagle and beginning on April 22nd), or **Fratelli Tutti** (led by Lisa Kremer – beginning April 27th). For more information or to register, contact Lisa at lkremer@ccsommn.org – 507-360-3423. More information can be found at our website: ccsommn.org



April 14 Grade 5 - 8
April 21 Grades 1 - 4

FAITH FORMATION

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Totus

Tuus will be coming to St. Mary's the first week of August.

CONFIRMATION CLASS 2021Sunday, April 11, 11:15 AM. Packets are on the table near the back entrance of the church for this class. Confirmation will take place Saturday, December 4, 2021.

CONFIRMATION PRACTICEClass of 2020 @ 11:30 AM on Sunday, April 25th. Confirmation will be on Saturday, May 1st, 5:00 PM Mass.



GARAGE SALE...May 5, 6, 7...

Box up your treasures & bring them in the last week of April. Check in at the office and we will let you know where to put them. **No electronics!** Any big items will need your name and phone number attached so that if they don't sell we will know who to call for pick up. All items must be clean and ready for the sale.

Set-up will be May 3 & 4 and garage sale hours will be Wednesday & Thursday from 8 AM - 7 PM & Friday 8 AM - 5 PM.



Divine Mercy Sunday: On Divine Mercy Sunday April 11, there will be a Divine Mercy prayer service at St. Mary's after the 10:00 Mass. The Eucharist will be exposed for adoration. I will lead the chaplet of Divine Mercy and then I will be available for Confession. Fr. Fasnacht