

HAVE SOMETHING TO SHARE IN THE BULLETIN? E-mail the Parish Office. Deadline is Wednesdays, before 12 noon.

Rev. James Stiles
Office 507-357-4838 | Email fr.stiles@frontier.com
After Hours Emergencies 507-456-8473
Rev. Timothy Sandquist ftsandquist@gmail.com
Jill Cusick Parish Office Administrative Assistant
Email: office@maryschurches.com
Office: 27528 Patrick St., Madison Lake, MN 56063
Virtual Hours: Mon-Thur, 9:15 AM - 4 PM
Web: www.MarysChurches.com
Phone: 507-243-3166

WEEKEND MASSES:
Rotating every other weekend between
IC of Marysburg and Nativity
Saturdays, 5:00 pm (Indoors)
Nat Sundays, 8:30 am (Indoors)
MB Sundays, 10:30 am (Indoors)
RECONCILIATION TIMES:
Sat. 4:00-4:40 pm - Rotating between
Parishes based on where the 5 PM Mass
is being held. First come, first served.

WEEKDAY MASSES:
Monday, 8 am: Marysburg
Tuesday, 8 am: Nativity
Wed, 8 am: Marysburg
Thursday, NO Mass
Friday, 8 am: Nativity
MASS CANCELLATION INFO:
Flocknotes, Facebook
& MarysChurches.com

**Immaculate
Conception**

Centered around
Jesus Christ



Nativity

27528 Patrick St., Madison Lake MN 56063
facebook.com/maryschurches

01.17.2021

200 Main Street, Cleveland MN 56017
www.maryschurches.com

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING
Marysburg and Nativity both accept dona-
tions online digitally, via credit cards.
If you wish to give online, simply visit
www.maryschurches.com
Click "Online Giving" found on Home Page.
Or email the Parish Office and we will connect
you to a direct link within your email.
You may also download and use the GIVE+ App.

INDOOR MASSES - MASKS REQUIRED:
MN Statewide Mask Mandate requires the wearing of a
face mask. In addition, use hand sanitizer as you enter and
exit the church, maintain 6 ft social distance, and please
stay home if you are experiencing any cold like symptoms.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER
"My Jesus - I believe that you are present in the
most holy Eucharist. I love you above all things,
and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I
cannot at this moment receive you sacramen-
tally, 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."

WINTER WEATHER CANCELLATION PLANS:
Sign up for Flocknotes to receive text/email
notifications regarding winter weather related Mass can-
cellations; email office@maryschurches.com.
Also, stay tuned to our website and facebook pages for
updates as well - www.maryschurches.com
We will live-stream Mass when we cannot be in-person
via www.facebook.com/maryschurches

= c l o s e t o h o m e =

<<< FAITH FORMATION CLASSES >>>
Faith Formation has moved back to the Hybrid Model alternating
weeks of in person classes with Grades 6-10 on Wed. Jan. 20th,
and Grades 1-5 on Jan. 27th. Stay up to date with all info via our
website at www.maryschurches.com/faith-formation

<< MOMENT OF UNITY & REMEMBRANCE | JAN. 19TH >>
Tues. Jan. 19th, 2021 - Facebook Live at 4:30 PM
We plan to join with other churches across the country for a
national moment of unity & remembrance as part of a memorial
to remember and honor lives lost to Covid-19 with the ringing of
the church-bells. Please join us in spirit and tune in to the LIVE
stream via www.facebook.com/maryschurches

< MARCH FOR LIFE - YOUTH & FAMILY CONFERENCE >
Fri. Jan. 22nd, 2021 - H.S. & College Students are invited to
this day of prayer, inspiration, pro-life education & advocacy
for the pre-born. Families are welcome and may register
as a group at www.archspm.org/marchforlife
Cost is \$10 per person, please bring your own bagged lunch.

<<< LIVE-STREAM WEEKEND MASSES >>>
All live-streamed / recorded Masses and events can be found on
the Immaculate Conception + Nativity Facebook Page at
<https://facebook.com/maryschurches>
Once you are on the Facebook page, you can either scroll down
to see the most recent video posts, or you can click "Videos" to
see all video posts. You do not have to have a Facebook account
to watch. Join us for Mass from the safety of your home.

<<< UPCOMING MASS SCHEDULES >>>
Sat. Jan. 16th: 5 PM at Marysburg
Sun. Jan. 17th: 8:30 AM at Nativity / 10:30 AM at Marysburg
NO 8 AM DAILY MASS AT MARYSBURG ON 01-27-21, but
there will be Mass at St. Mary's at 9 AM in Le center.
Sat. Jan. 23rd: 5 PM at Nativity
Sun. Jan. 24th: 8:30 AM at Nativity / 10:30 AM at Marysburg
Sat. Jan. 30th: 5 PM at Marysburg
Sun. Jan. 31st: 8:30 AM at Nativity / 10:30 AM at Marysburg

< HAVING OR KNOW OF A LOCAL OR ONLINE EVENT? >
Please email the Parish Office at office@maryschurches.com
to share details and have it featured here in the parish bulletin.

THE 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16TH - SUNDAY, JANUARY 17TH, 2021

The Marysburg Council of Catholic Women would like to extend a HUGE Thank You
to everyone who gave to the "No Cookie" cookie sale, enabling us to continue our charitable contributions this year. Some of our charities
include "Our Lady of Peace Cancer Home", "Sacred Heart Haiti Mission", "Birthright of Mankato", "Madonna Plan", "Help-a-Child", and we give
locally to families that may have experienced loss of some kind. We also reach out to parishioners that may be homebound or elderly and our
priests with Christmas cards. You have been very generous and we
Truly Thank You! Also, a thank you to the ladies that have paid their \$5 dues for 2021.
The \$5 CCW dues for this year can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to Marysburg Church, ATTN CCW:
Please make checks payable to Marysburg CCW or if cash, place in an envelope marked Marysburg CCW.

The Archdiocese is in need of Totus Tuus Team Members.

Are you being called to serve as a Summer Missionary?
Bring the good news to the next generation; share the faith, build friendship, answer the call
and become a 2021 TOTUS TUUS Summer Missionary in the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis!
The Archdiocese is in need of men and women ages 18-26 committed to their Catholic faith who feel called to share it in local parishes
with youth (grades 1-12). This is a 2-month commitment: May 29 - July 28 (which includes one week of training and a one-week break
for the 4th of July holiday). * Missionaries will receive \$2,520.00 for their service.
To apply visit www.archspm.org/totustuus or contact Nancy Schulte Palacheck at 651-291-4489
or schulten@archspm.org for additional information. Apply by FRI. FEB. 1ST, 2021.

STEBENVILLE ROCHESTER YOUTH CONFERENCE - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

All current 8th-12th grade students are invited to participate in this July 23-25, 2021 weekend conference - packed with great speakers,
small group discussions, Mass, Reconciliation, and Adoration. Read more about it at
<https://stebenvilleconferences.com/events/nroch/> Registrar for Steubenville Youth Conference will be available in January.

HAPPY NEW YEAR PARISHIONERS!!! WELCOME 2021!

Please pick up your envelopes and calendars today! Offering Envelopes for the new year and 2021 Parish Calendars are available
in the main entry of the churches. Please take a moment to pick them up. Calendars are free for the taking for your homes. If
you have a neighbor or family member that cannot make it to church, please take their envelopes and
a calendar to drop off at their home, if you are able. We thank you so much for your help!

PLEASE NOTE - CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY - NEW PARISH OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

The decision was made by Fr. Stiles & Parish Leaders, with logistics and best practices in mind, to close the Nativity Cleveland
PO Box and have all future mail go directly to the shared Parish Office at 27528 Patrick Stree, Madison Lake, MN 56063.

Jan. 16th & 17th: The 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

FAITH FORMATION FAMILIES - Updates on our Faith Formation Program:

Reminder - this past week we returned to the Hybrid Model of learning. On January 20th we will meet with Grades 6-10. We will rotate every other week.

Stay connected with the Faith Formation leaders by following our special Facebook Page at www.Facebook.com/MBNATFF | Thank you all! | Jen Kluntz -D.R.E.

Cluster Parish Mass Times...

ST. MARY - LE CENTER

Confessions
Tues. & Fri. 6:00-6:30pm (St. Mary)

Sun. 9:00 AM Mass (indoors)
12:00 PM Mass (Spanish, indoors)

Tue 5 PM, Wed/Thur/Fri 9 AM Mass

ST. HENRY

Sat. 5:00 PM Mass



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS!

• WEEKEND OF JAN 2ND & 3RD •

Marysburg Actual: \$2,802.10
Budget: \$2,260.00

Nativity Actual: \$2,764.00
Budget: \$2,260.00

SACRAMENTAL LIFE AT MARYSBURG & NATIVITY . . .

BAPTISM: Baptism is normally offered once each month. To have your child baptized, please contact Fr. Sandquist to reserve your spot and to schedule a Baptism Class. The class is about one hour long. We encourage you to contact us even before the child is born.

MARRIAGE: Please contact Fr. Sandquist at least 6 months in advance. All couples must complete a weekend retreat as well as marriage preparation classes.

CONFIRMATION: Youth are prepared in grades 9 & 10 during Faith Formation classes. For adult confirmation, contact Fr. Stiles.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Private anointings contact our Parish Office. In an emergency please call Fr. Stiles at 507-456-8473.

Staying in Touch...

Immaculate Conception of Marysburg

Parish Trustees...

Steve Baker & Joe Meyer

Marysburg Parish Council...

Brad Strobel, Pres. Chris Biehn, V.P.
Jim Beckel Becky Meyer
Patrick Baker Teresa Baker

Joni McCabe

Marysburg Finance Council...

Jo Ann Kortuem, Pres. Jon Guentzel
Peter Falk Steve Rohlfing
Larry Kortuem

Marysburg Cemetery Manager: Rich McCabe 931-3611

Church of the Nativity, Cleveland

Parish Trustees...

Kelly McCabe & Ray Truzinski

Nativity Parish Council...

Nick Klaseus Pres. Andy Rohlfing V.P.
Andy Queen Sec. Mike McCabe
Larry Walechka

Nativity Finance Council...

Tom Hankins, Pres. Mary Haase Sandy O'Connor
Jaci Kopet Janet Walechka

Nativity Cemetery Manager: Mike Keogh 507-381-9845



From the desk of Father James Stiles

fr.stiles@frontier.com



One Nation Under God

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

A little more than a week ago, our nation witnessed yet again much civil unrest, rioting, and violence. Without a doubt, some of the acts committed were immoral, even gravely so. I'm not going to play the blame game. There is enough of that already happening right now.

I simply want to remind each one of you and encourage you in our common obligation and privilege as Christians to pray for our nation and its leaders. No matter who you voted for, no matter your thoughts on the truthfulness of the outcome of the presidential and congressional election results, no matter your opinion of the outgoing president or the incoming president, as Christians we must remain united in sincere prayer for our nation and its leaders.

Please, join me and all citizens of faith in praying for peace in our nation, for truth, for an end to unjust violence, for just laws which uphold the dignity of every human person from conception to natural death, etc. Especially join me in praying for a peaceful transition of power between presidents and for a safe and dignified Inauguration Day.

Jesus said, "In the world, you will have difficulties. But have confidence: I have overcome the world" (JN 16:33).

God our Father, Giver of life, we entrust the United States of America to Your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded. You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for Your glory and dwell among Your people. Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind Your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing Your will. Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, Patroness of our land, grant us the courage to reject the "culture of death." Lead us into a new millennium of life. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen. (From www.catholic.org)

Spiritual Needs

Just as a reminder, the priests of the parish are on call to visit the sick at home, in the hospital, in an emergency, or when one is dying. A priest can pray with you and your family, anoint the sick or dying, and if possible, hear their confession and give them Holy Communion. It is helpful that you notify the parish as soon as possible of a family member or loved one who has become seriously ill or even may be dying – the sooner, the better. If you can avoid it, do not wait until the person is approaching death to call the parish. A priest will come regardless; however, if one is at the point of death, the priest may not be able to come in time to administer the Sacraments. Remember: The Sacraments are for the living. After death, the priest, can still say prayers and bless the body; however, the person cannot receive the Sacraments. Please do not assume that we know that your loved one is ill or dying. Be assured that we pray for our sick parishioners daily. They, in their suffering, have a special place in the heart of our parish.

On a related note, please notify the parish office by phone or email if you or a loved one is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion from the priests. Homebound parishioners will be added to a schedule to receive brief visits from the priests on a semi-regular basis. (Email: office@maryschurches.com | Voice Mail: 507-243-3166)

Jan. 16th & 17th: The 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MARYSBURG & NATIVITY PARISH OFFICE UPDATES:

The Parish Office & Church is CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC for the foreseeable future. Jill is scheduled to be on-site between the hours of no sooner than 9:00 am and no later than 5:00 pm once a week. We ask that you please do not stop by the Marysburg Parish Hall or Church during these times on the following dates: Fri Jan 22nd, Fri Jan 29th, Fri Feb 5th, and Fri Feb 12th. | Questions on this matter, please see Fr. Stiles directly. God bless - stay healthy & safe! Thank you for your understanding!

PARISH STEWARDSHIP SCHEDULES ARE ALL ONLINE!

For NATIVITY PARISH OF CLEVELAND - please visit <https://maryschurches.com/stewardship-cleveland>

For MARYSBURG PARISH OF MADISON LAKE - please visit <https://maryschurches.com/stewardship-marysburg>

Volunteers that wish to be added to the Stewardship Schedules, please contact us; for Nativity, please contact Mary Klaseus at mary.klaseus@gmail.com, and for Marysburg, please contact Jill Cusick at office@maryschurches.com

VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR JAN 30TH! Please Note: Marysburg is in need of a LECTOR for Sat. Jan. 30th at 5 PM.

* If you wish to have the schedule emailed to you, please reach out to Jill in the Parish Office.

INSTALLATION MASS FOR FATHER JAMES STILES; OUR PASTOR | SAT. JAN. 16TH, 2021 | 11:00 AM | Virtually via the Church of St. Mary's Facebook Page

Churches of Immaculate Conception of Marysburg, Nativity, and St. Mary / St. Henry proudly invite you to join in virtually as we celebrate the Installation of our Pastor, Fr. James Stiles by the Very Reverend Brandon Theisen. We will celebrate this blessed occasion through worship and with God's Word. Due to space limitations this Mass will be attended in person by representatives of each parish by invitation only. However, your virtual presence and prayer will make this event a memorable experience for Fr. Stiles and our congregation. Link to Live-stream... www.Facebook.com/StMaryStHenry

If you wish to send a card or letter of congratulations & thanks, please use the following mailing address: Fr. Stiles, 165 N Waterville Ave., Le Center, MN 56057

The following members of our Faith Communities have asked for our prayers...

Aubrey Rober, Wally Krenik, Rick Leiferman, Daryl E. Blatzheim, Jennifer Kephart, Kathy Dahl, Sue Leiferman, Sue Borglum, Marie Young, Seth Hamman, Agnes Morgan, Griffin Dumdei, Richie Krueger, Sheila Wolff, Debra Schmahl, Caiden Kelly, Keely Davis, Josh Hummer, Justin Kaus, Larry VanTol, Eugene Germscheid, Jim Scheuer, Levi Bensen, Mrs. Karl (Sandy) Germscheid, Quentin Shevy, Hunter Schmitz, Dotsy Jacobson, Dave Rusch, Albert Weinandt, Jaci Kopet, Jolene & Holden Zell, Patrick Baker, Evalyn & Jill Cusick, Tom Fritz, Lisa Skarin, Don Roscoe, Alec Batson, Brandon Reinke, David Clark, Rudy Kaupa, Connie Baker, Gene Thelemann, Jared Mogere Family, Tim Petersen, Kent Pearce, Mary Androli, Bernice Rezak, David Krenik, Terry Sadowski, James Connor, Natalie Bruender, Robert Ani, Mya Walechka, Lana Dahl, Alec Heuer, Jim Meagher, and Betty Kinney.

To add or remove a name on this list, please email the Parish Office:

office@maryschurches.com



*MASS INTENTIONS: Email office@maryschurches.com; suggested donation \$7/Mass. {KEY: Y=LIVING | ☩=DECEASED | LEFT=NATIVITY | RIGHT=MARYSBURG | WEEKDAY=CENTERED}

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
17 THE 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY 10:30 AM MARYSBURG LECTOR: ANDY QUEEN LECTOR: MARILYN KLUNTZ AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM ☩MAURICE THELEMANN	18 Mass 8 am at Marysburg	19 Mass 8 am at Nativity <i>Moment of Unity & Remembrance</i> 4:30 PM on Facebook LIVE FINANCE COUNCIL MTG MARYSBURG 6:00 PM ☩JOHN T. KLUNTZ	20 Mass 8 am at Marysburg Grades 6-10 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity @ 6:30 pm	21 No Mass	22 Mass 8 am at Nativity PARISH OFFICE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC - JILL ON SITE ☩BOB HAGEN	23 VIGIL OF THE 3RD SUNDAY IN OT NATIVITY - PENANCE: 4-4:40 PM - MASS: 5:00 PM LECTOR: MARY KLASEUS ☩ROBERT KLUNTZ
24 THE 3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY 10:30 AM MARYSBURG LECTOR: NANCY HELDBERG LECTOR: JAMES FOLDEN AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM ☩PETE WOLFF	25 Mass 8 am at Marysburg	26 Mass 8 am at Nativity FINANCE COUNCIL MTG NATIVITY 7:15 PM	27 No Mass 9 AM MASS AT ST. MARY'S IN LE CENTER Grades 1-5 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity @ 6:30 pm	28 No Mass	29 Mass 8 am at Nativity PARISH OFFICE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC - JILL ON SITE ☩RUSSELL & EILEEN KRENIK	30 VIGIL OF THE 4TH SUNDAY IN OT MARYSBURG - PENANCE: 4-4:40 PM - MASS: 5:00 PM LECTOR: ** VOLUNTEER NEEDED **
31 THE 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY 10:30 AM MARYSBURG LECTOR: BILL STANGLER LECTOR: SARAH GUENTZEL AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM	1 Mass 8 am at Marysburg	2 Mass 8 am at Nativity ☩MAURICE BROWN	3 Mass 8 am at Marysburg Grades 6-10 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity @ 6:30 pm	4 No Mass	5 Mass 8 am at Nativity PARISH OFFICE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC - JILL ON SITE	6 VIGIL OF THE 5TH SUNDAY IN OT NATIVITY - PENANCE: 4-4:40 PM - MASS: 5:00 PM LECTOR: KATHY DAUK ☩MIKE & ANDY STRUCK
7 THE 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM NATIVITY 10:30 AM MARYSBURG LECTOR: BARB HARRIS LECTOR: CINDY KRENIK AA MTG. MB Hall 6:30 PM	8 Mass 8 am at Marysburg	9 Mass 8 am at Nativity	10 Mass 8 am at Marysburg Grades 1-5 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES Nativity @ 6:30 pm	11 No Mass	12 Mass 8 am at Nativity PARISH OFFICE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC - JILL ON SITE	13 VIGIL OF THE 6TH SUNDAY IN OT MARYSBURG - PENANCE: 4-4:40 PM - MASS: 5:00 PM LECTOR: BECKY MEYER ☩BUD & RENE MCCABE