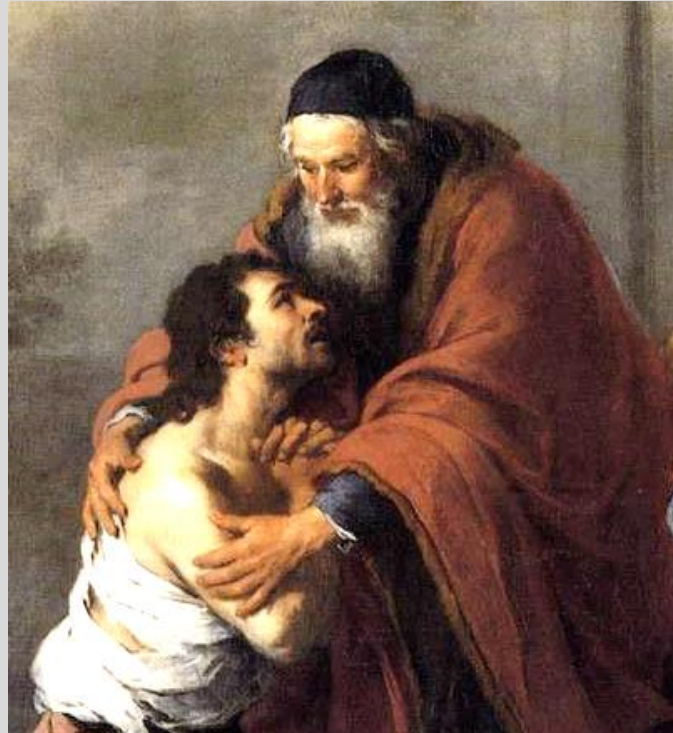


**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (LAETARE SUNDAY)  
MARCH 31, 2019**

**BAPTISM:** During Mass on the weekends; if outside of Mass, on Saturday or Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with Msgr. Rick Colletti for instructions. Please call the St. Adrian Parish office at 507-483-2317 prior to setting the date of the baptism.

**MARRIAGE:** Please make arrangements at least six months in advance. Your first visit with Msgr. Rick Colletti will be to set the date of your wedding. Please call the St. Adrian Parish Office at (507) 483-2317. Marriage Preparation Course is required



*He said to him, 'My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours. ~Luke 15:31*



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*Taste and see the goodness  
of the Lord. ~ Psalm 34*

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† *All for the greater glory of God!* †

**Mon** 04/01 8:30 AM (A) No Mass  
**Tues** 04/02 5:30 PM (K) Word & Communion  
**Wed** 04/03 8:30 AM (L) Word & Communion  
**Thurs** 04/04 8:30 AM (A) † Lee Oertli  
**Fri** 04/05 8:30 AM (W) † Peter Weidert

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Sat** 04/06 5:00 PM (L) † Ed & Coletta Voss  
 † Emil & Clara Loosbrock  
**Sun** 04/07 8:30 AM (W) † Yvonne Einck  
**Sun** 04/07 10:30 AM (A) † Gary Madison  
 † John & Bernadine Arning

**Confessions:** -Half-hour before weekend Masses



**Stations of the Cross:** There will be one Stations of the Cross this week and that will be the Shadow Drama Stations of the Cross at St. Anthony Church on **Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>** at 7:00 PM with dinner at 5:30 PM.

**Catholic Ministry Appeal**



**Goals for 2019**

**St. Adrian:** \$17,860.....\$ 8,175.00  
**St. Anthony:** \$ 7,720.....\$ 2,530.00  
**OLGC:** \$ 8,050.....\$ 1,593.32

**ONLINE GIVING – WEB LINKS**

<http://giving.parishsoft.com/stanthonygiving> ~ St. Anthony  
<http://giving.parishsoft.com/stadriangiving> ~ St. Adrian  
<http://giving.parishsoft.com/olgcgiving> ~ OLGC

**ST. ADRIAN**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 24, 2019- 10:30 AM**

Envelopes: \$1,720.00 ~ Offertory: \$172.10 ~ Youth: \$5.00  
 Utility: \$15.00 ~ Flowers: \$85.00 ~ Online Giving: \$380.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: March 31, 2019:**

Steve & Bev Lindemann

**Ministry Schedule: April 7, 2019: 10:30 AM**

**Lectors:** Rod Scheidt, Julie Wieneke

**Servers:** Bailey Lonneman, Sophie Wieneke, Alysha Wieneke

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Ryan Kruger, Lisa Kruger, Gary Honermann, Sharan Honermann, Pam Konz, Jodi Thier, Rose Henriksen



**St. Adrian Calendar Raffle:** The raffle will be **Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>** after the 10:30 AM Mass in the basement of the church. Coffee and rolls will be served.



**Church Cleaning:** Church cleaning will be **Monday-Wednesday ~ April 8-10**. CCW circle chairpersons will receive a schedule for their circle to clean. Cleaning can be done anytime between **7:30 AM – 7:00 PM**. All CCW members are asked to help or a donation can be made for supplies. Men are also welcome to help Thank you.

**Adrian CCW** will meet on **Tuesday, April 16, 7:00 PM**, in the Ed Center. We will be tying blankets for the Adrian seniors. All are invited to come help with this project.



**Court Santa Maria #247 Catholic Daughters:** Santa Maria #247 Catholic Daughters will meet in the church parlor on **Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup>—a week later than usual—at 7:00 PM**. The financial review will take place at 6pm. Refreshments will be served by Marlene Hieronimus and Diane Reisdorfer. Catholic Daughters are encouraged to bring items for the food shelf to the meeting. We are also collecting “Birthday Bags” as well! Thank you for your generosity!

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 24, 2019 - 8:30 AM**

Envelopes: \$1,046.00 ~ Offertory: \$160.00 ~ Youth: \$2.00  
 Flowers: \$35.00 ~ Online Giving: \$250.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: March 31, 2019:** Mark Nelson

**Ministry Schedule: April 7, 2109: 8:30 AM**

**Lector:** Carolyn Penning

**Servers:** Abby Reetz, Chloe Joens, Kaitlyn Brunk

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Bill Slater

Gene & Carol Bertrand



**Joint Choir Practice:** Choir practice will begin **Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 PM** at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church for Holy Saturday Mass. We will plan the other practice times and dates. Please come and share your gift with the choir!



**CDA Court Madonna** will meet on **Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the Wilmont kitchenette. Our theme will be "The Power of Water". You are a blessing to our court so please come and be blessed!

**ST. ANTHONY / ST. KILIAN**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 23, 2019- 5:00 PM**

Envelopes: \$565.00 ~ Offertory: \$133.00 ~ Fuel: \$45.00  
 Online Giving: \$250.00

**Calendar Raffle: March 31, 2019:** Bob Holzmer

**Ministry Schedule: April 6, 2019: 5:00 PM**

**Lector:** Linda Loonan

**Servers:** Jake Lenz, Kaysie Lenz

**Sacristan:** Jackie Wieneke

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** McKenzie Wieneke  
 Cliff & Tammi Altman





**Food Fight Celebration:** Thank you to everyone who donated! The St. Anthony KCs and CDA are sponsoring a **Baked Potato Bar** following Mass on **Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**. Please join us for an evening of great food, BINGO and great friends!

**Endow Group Introductory Meeting** will be held for all women at St. Anthony Church Hall on **Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM**. More information may be found in today's bulletin under "Of Interest To All" section. Please call Leslie at 483-2317 for questions.

**St Anthony CCW** meeting will be held on **Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 PM**. Lunch committee is Debbie Wieneke and Lynette Knips. Please join us for our meeting and fellowship.



**St Anthony CCW News:** Ladies of St Anthony, you will be receiving a phone call from our nominating committee, as we need a Secretary and a Vice President. Please consider saying YES and accepting one of these positions when you are contacted. The CCW officers work closely together which makes the job a lot easier!

## FAITH FORMATION 2018 - 2019

**Faith Formation Office:** Faith Formation Office hours are 10-5, M-F. Call Pam at 507-483-2480 or 507-290-0080 or Mary at 507-483-2317 to reserve the ed center for family events.

### Upcoming Faith Formation Calendar

**Wed April 3:** Shadow Drama- *St. Anthony* 7:00 PM

**Wed April 10:** Class night- Reconciliation- *St. Adrian*

**Wed April 24:** Class night- Southwest Crisis Center Speaker

**Wed May 1:** Class night- Dee Dee Raap Speaker



## YOUTH MINISTRY



**Mission Week Update:** Due to news that Worthington and surrounding areas were going to take part in a week-long mission week in July, we have decided to scale back our week to one day each month during June, July, and August. **The tentative dates are June 17<sup>th</sup>, July 10<sup>th</sup>, and August 14<sup>th</sup>**. If you or someone you know has a simple home improvement, painting or landscaping job that we can help with, please call Michele Wieneke 507-227-6456. You are helping others when you let others help you.



Thank you to all who participated in the **ButterBraid Fundraiser!** They will be delivered on April 24<sup>th</sup>.



**The Shadow Drama Stations of the Cross** will be given by the youth of the parishes on **Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>** at St. Anthony Church. Supper will be provided by the combined KC's of the parishes, and bars provided by the 10<sup>th</sup> grade families, beginning at 5:30 PM. The Stations will begin at 7:00 PM. Please come and join us for this prayerful Lenten event! Everyone is welcome! A free-will offering will taken for the Rice Bowl collection. **These will be the only Stations of the Cross prayed in the parishes this week.**



**Volunteers:** We need volunteers from **Grades 8 – 12** to help serve at the **Worthington Hospice Fundraising Dinner** on **Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM**.

Those people who can help will be serving the dinners to people attending. Supper will be provided. Please contact Monica Dingmann at (507) 220-0519.

## SAVE THE DATE



**Steubenville Rochester:** This fun weekend will take place **July 12-14** in Rochester. Students will get to listen to inspirational speakers, an awesome worship band called SONAR, and experience Adoration in an unforgettable way. Please sign up today! This is for current grade 8-12 students. Registration forms are being sent out with instructions on how to also register online. **The cost to attend is \$355 per student.** We require \$100 non-refundable deposit from the family to secure your spot. The church will provide \$100 to match the deposit amount. The additional \$155 will be made up by fundraising or by a family payment. Please contact Pam with any questions.

**Camp Summit:** This 4-day experience takes place at Eagle Bluff near Lanesboro for Grades 5 to 7. **July 29<sup>th</sup>–Aug 1<sup>st</sup>** It is a fun experience filled with lots of activities like rock wall climbing, a high ropes course, archery, and many more fun activities. There is also a time for Mass, Adoration, inspirational speakers, and music. We even end with a dance party! Registration is all online this year. **The cost to attend Camp Summit is \$250.** We require \$100 non-refundable deposit from the family and the church will contribute \$100. The additional \$50 will be paid fundraising or by the family. Please contact David or Pam for any additional information.

## PARISH LEADERSHIP MEETINGS

**St. Adrian Cluster Pastoral Council Meeting:** The next meeting of the St. Adrian Cluster Pastoral Council is **Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** at **St. Adrian Church**. We will meet in the church at 7:00 PM for Adoration.

**St. Adrian Finance Council Meeting:** The next meeting of the St. Adrian Finance Council is **Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at Noon** at St. Adrian in the lower church hall.

**OLGC Finance Council Meeting:** The next meeting of the OLGC Finance Council is **Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the school building.


## PARISH CLUSTER HEALTH MINISTRY

**Colon Cancer:** Nearly 100,000 new cases of colon cancer will be diagnosed in 2019. People who have colon cancer screening have a 90 percent reduced risk of developing colon cancer. With that kind of statistic in your favor, why wouldn't you schedule a screening? If you're over the age of 50 and haven't had your colonoscopy yet, you have other options. While the colonoscopy is the doctor recommended gold standard for detection and prevention, screening of any kind is more effective than no screening. Please advise with your doctor on the other options that are available. If you haven't had



your annual wellness visit, this would be a great time to talk to your provider about your colon screening options. Cancer.org

## OF INTEREST TO ALL

 **Easter Flower Donations:** You are invited to give a donation for Easter Flowers and Decorations. Please put your donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" (or use the one in your box) with the name of your parish and the person's name **printed** on it that you would like remembered. Thank you!



**RCIA-** We will meet **Sunday, March 31st at 7:00 PM** at the St. Adrian Ed Center. The topic will be: *The Sacraments of Marriage and Confirmation.*

**Items needed for flood victims of Glenwood and Pacific Junction, IA:** The people of Pacific Junction and Glenwood IA have suffered great losses because of the high flood waters. We are asking for anyone who is willing to donate something, so we show our neighbors SWMN cares. "Kindness has no zip code" was said by Barbara Kaiman, Director of the Mills County Storehouse, where these items would go. Bottled water, Diapers, Wipes- baby and adults, Hand sanitizer, Paper plates, cups, napkins, plastic silverware, New Pillows, New Sheets sets, Laundry baskets, First-aid kits, Coffee pots, Toasters, New socks any size, adult or child, Tennis shoes any size. Thank you for your kindness!



**All Catholic Daughters** are invited to attend a **New Member Reception and 50-year Member Recognition.** This includes members from Court St. Bernard Lismore, Court Santa Maria Adrian, Court Madonna Wilmont. This celebration will take place on **Sunday, April 7th at St. Anthony Church** in Lismore. Mass will begin at **4:30 PM** with a reception to follow. Any catholic woman age 18 or over may join CDA! If interested in joining this spiritual sisterhood, contact Stephani Diekmann @ 507-360-1449 for Lismore, Joan Joens @ 507-360-5162 for Wilmont, or Lynnette Domeyer @ 507-376-6497 for Adrian.



**Endow Groups: Attention Women young, old, and in between!** According to St. Edith Stein the world doesn't need what women have, it needs what women are! Do you know your worth as a woman in today's world? Are you longing for connection with other women in a faith-centered environment? Would you like to grow in your relationship to Christ? Then **Endow Groups** may be what you are looking for! Come find out what Endow is at one of our relaxing evening events held at each of our parishes. These introductory events are to give you a clear picture of what Endow groups are and help you to see if this is something you would like to be a part of. The evening events will start at **7:00 PM and end at 8:30 PM.**

You need only attend one:

**St. Anthony Church Hall on Thursday, April 4.**

**St. Adrian Education Building on Thursday, April 11 (start time at 7:30 PM)** Bring a friend and enjoy some fellowship with a glass of wine or a cup of coffee, cheese and crackers and chocolate! Direct any questions to Leslie at 483-2317 Ext. 226.

**Respect Life:** "Because life is our first and most basic gift from an infinitely loving God, it deserves our utmost respect and protection. Direct attacks on innocent human life are always gravely wrong." United States Conference of Catholic Bishops *On Embryonic Stem Cell Research*



The **St. Columba Spring Dinner** will be on **Sunday, April 14th from 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**, at the St. Columba Hall in Iona. **Serving:** Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Sweetcorn, Coleslaw, Pie & Desserts, and Beverage. Prices: ages 0-3 free, 4-10 \$5 and 11-adult \$10. Take outs and valet parking available. Lots of great raffle prizes! Everyone is welcome!



**Worthington Area Council of Catholic Women:** Do you find yourself in a caregiver role or concerned about your own aging process? Are you interested to learn about Human Trafficking in our area? Worthington Area Council of Catholic Women invites you to attend "**Get to the Heart of the Matter**" on **Saturday, April 13th from 9:00-2:00 PM** at the Heron Lake Community Center. **Registration is from 8:45-9:00 a.m.** We will have two keynote speakers, catered lunch, and wine tasting, all for \$10. Please send your \$10 and contact information to Barb Hussong, 35746 840th St, Okabena MN 56161

## The Pastor's Corner:

**The Book of Joshua** describes the Israelites' arrival in the Promised Land. Despite sin and failure in the desert, God still welcomes the people to their new homes. Produce from the land replaces desert manna, symbolizing God's forgiveness and love. Scripture's most famous homecoming is the parable of the Prodigal Son. Luke's account underscores God's infinite capacity to forgive. Pain, hurt, betrayal, and suffering are part of human experience. A Christian puts aside revenge and self-pity and is thankful for a God who throws parties for prodigals. The prodigal son was an outcast. But when he came home, the father was so happy he threw a big party for the boy. That's what God is always doing: throwing parties for us sinners when we come home. Elsewhere Jesus said there is more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over 99 who have no need of repentance. The father in the Gospel goes out to both sons. Remember, the elder brother was so miffed that the father would throw a party for his delinquent younger brother that he wouldn't even come to the party. So the father went to him, just as he had every day gone halfway down the road, looking for, expecting the return of the prodigal son. With God's grace, we too reach out to those who have hurt us.

~ Father Colletti

