

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



While He was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him." ~ Matthew 17:5



Diocese of
Winona-Rochester



*Lord, let Your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in You .
~ Psalm 33*

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SAINT ANTHONY

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

Mon 03/09 8:30 AM (A) **No Mass**
Tues 03/10 5:30 PM (K) *Word & Communion*
Wed 03/11 8:30 AM (L) *Word & Communion*
Thurs 03/12 8:30 AM (A) *Word & Communion*
Fri 03/13 8:30 AM (W) † Molly Jo Einck

Weekend Mass Schedule

Sat 03/14 5:00 PM (K) † Bill & Bernice Murphy
Sun 03/15 8:30 AM (W) † Ray & Margaret Paulzine
 † Janine Paulzine
Sun 03/15 10:30 AM (A) † Kay Cox
 † Dolores Bering

Confessions: Half-hour before weekend Masses

Catholic Ministry Appeal



Goals for 2020

St. Adrian: \$18,500.....\$ 4,750.00
St. Anthony: \$ 8,100.....\$ 833.32
OLGC: \$ 8,700.....\$ 3,258.00

Your generosity to the Catholic Ministries Appeal from year to year is so greatly appreciated! You are making a difference in our Catholic community through faith-enriching ministries that take place throughout each year. Your gift makes a direct impact in supporting these ministries that are leading people closer to Christ. Thank you for your generosity!

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 – February 26, 2020 – (Ash Wednesday)

Envelopes: \$135.00 ~ Offertory: \$118.00
 Central/ Eastern Europe: \$20.00

Sacrificial Giving – March 1, 2020 – 10:30 AM

Envelopes: \$2,285.00 ~ Offertory: \$109.50 ~ Utilities/Fuel: \$920.00
 Easter Flowers: \$5.00 ~ Online Giving: \$355.00

Calendar Raffle Winner: March 8, 2020: Rita Domagala

Ministry Schedule: March 15, 2020: 10:30 AM

Lectors: Pam Konz, Julie Wieneke

Servers: Marshall Wagner, Drake Kruger, Gabby Vortherms

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Steve Ashby, Austin Wolf, Mackenzie Wolf



Knights of Columbus Luncheon: The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone who supported their breakfast after Mass last Sunday. A special thanks to the Knights who helped out in the kitchen.



St. Joseph Society will be having a lunch on **Sunday, March 8th** after the 10:30 AM Mass. We will be serving: pulled pork sandwiches, barbeques, baked beans, potato chips and ice cream for dessert. There will be a freewill offering. Proceeds will go toward youth activities in the parish cluster.

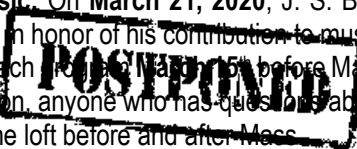
The **St Adrian CCW** will meet on **Tuesday, March 10th at 7:00 PM** in the church lower level. We encourage all members to come.



Book study will begin **Sunday, March 15th** after Mass in the church basement. Session One from the booklet **"Getting More Out of Marriage"** will be discussed. There are extra booklets in the back of church..... please join us! Any questions you may contact John Faber's at 507-676-1084 or Ching Heitkamp's 507-227-9055.



Bach Music: On **March 21, 2020**, J. S. Bach will be 335 years old. In honor of his contribution to music, there will be a "mini" Bach Mass on **March 15th** before Mass beginning at 10:15 AM. In addition, anyone who has questions about the organ or choir is invited to the loft before and after Mass.



Are you looking for: *Fulfillment in your life? *A way to make new friends? *A decrease in stress and anxiety? Please consider joining the choir as we prepare for the upcoming season of Lent and Easter. No experience is needed. Open to junior high and older. Ability to read music helpful, but not necessary. We usually practice at 9:00 Sunday morning before Mass. Dates of practice are determined at choir practice. Our goal is to make rehearsals stress free and fun. You may be approached by a current choir member with an invitation to join. Please consider this ministry. Advantages of being a choir member ~ Free parking ~ Satisfaction that you have been a part of making Liturgy the best we can. Contact Cindy Heitkamp (507)227-0171 or any choir member.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Sacrificial Giving – February 26, 2020 – (Ash Wednesday)

Envelopes: \$55.00 ~ Offertory: \$455.10 ~ Youth: \$34.69
 Central/Eastern Europe: \$10.00

Sacrificial Giving – March 1, 2020 – 8:30 AM

Envelopes: \$740.00 ~ Offertory: \$155.08 ~ Youth: \$13.19
 Fuel Fund: \$567.00 ~ Easter Flowers: \$10.00
 Online Giving: \$120.00

Calendar Raffle Winner: March 8, 2020: Rita Turbes



SAVE THE DATE: Please mark your calendars for the **Steak Fry on Sunday, April 19th.**

Money Counters: New schedules were mailed this past week. If you did not receive a copy, please call the parish office. Thank you.





Ministry Schedule: March 15, 2020: 8:30 AM

Lector: Joan Joens

Servers: Macy Joens, Brandt Joens, Lane Hoffman

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Kendra Schettler, Phillip Joens, Anna Hinds, Sharon Balster, Gene & Carol Bertrand, Bill Slater

 **CDA Court Madonna** will meet on **Tuesday, March 10th at 7:00 PM** in the OLGC kitchenette. The nominating committee will be selected at this meeting. Pray about saying "YES" to becoming an officer for Court Madonna! Think SPRING and bring your fresh ideas to keep our CDA court alive!  Wear green to the meeting for a chance to win the 'Pot of Gold'!

ST. ANTHONY / ST. KILIAN

Sacrificial Giving – February 26, 2020 – (Ash Wednesday)

Offertory: \$171.00 ~ Youth: \$5.00

Sacrificial Giving – February 29, 2020 – 5:00 PM

Envelopes: \$1,765.00 ~ Offertory: \$165.00 ~ Youth: \$7.00

Fuel Fund: \$250.00 ~ Central/ Eastern Europe: \$220.00

Plastering & Painting Project Goal: \$202,000.00*

Amount Received: \$169,866.45

**Updated Project Estimate*

Calendar Raffle: March 8, 2020: Larry & Deb Lenz

Reminder: Weekend Mass will now be celebrated on Saturdays at St. Kilian Oratory at **5:00 PM** until the Painting Project is complete. Wednesday Morning Mass will be held in the Parish House in Lismore at 8:30 AM.


Ministry Schedule: March 14, 2020: 5:00 PM


Lector: Linda Loonan

Servers: Lucas Koehne, Maddie Koehne

Sacristan: Marge Loosbrock

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Lisa & Tom Diekmann
Mark Lorang

 **Stations of the Cross** will be prayed after the Word & Communion Service on **Tuesday, March 10th at 5:30 PM** in the church at St. Kilian. Everyone is welcome!

 **CDA Ct. St. Bernard #886** will hold their monthly meeting on **Wednesday, March 11th at 7:00 PM** at the home of **Brenda Loosbrock**. We are looking for new members and new officers. Come to our meeting and see what we are all about! Lunch committee: Patty Buysse and Joyce Erdman

St. Kilian Holy Name Society will hold their annual meeting on **Tuesday, March 17th** starting with Mass at **5:30 PM** and Stations of the Cross at 6:00. The meeting will follow at St. Joseph's Hall. *The men will serve their famous oyster stew along with chili, chicken noodle soup and other snacks. Plan to join us on St. Patrick's Day for a fun evening of faith, fellowship and great food!*



St. Anthony's CCW is serving lunch after Mass on **March 17th** at Adrian's Assisted Living. Mass is at **1:30 PM** with lunch afterwards. Servers are Joyce Erdman and Doris Diekmann.

St. Anthony CCW Dues: St. Anthony CCW Dues are be collected this month: **\$40.00** for working women; **\$25.00** for non-working women. This is a one-time payment and no other dues are collected throughout the year. Please make your check payable to St. Anthony CCW. You can put it in the weekly offertory or you can send them to the Treasurer, Lisa Diekmann. Her address is: 394 S 2nd Ave, Lismore MN 56155. Thank you."

FAITH FORMATION 2019 - 2020

The Edge Class Night and High School classes for grades 6-12 in March will be: **March 11, 18, & 25.**

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.


PARISH LEADERSHIP


Parish Cluster Pastoral Council will meet on **Monday, March 16th at 7:00 PM** with Adoration at **OLGC Church**, followed by the meeting.


St. Adrian Finance Council: The next **St. Adrian Finance Council Meeting** is on **Tuesday, March 17th at Noon** in our lower hall.

St. Anthony Finance Council Meeting: The next St. Anthony Finance Council Meeting will be on **Thursday, March 19th at 7:00 PM** in the Parish House.

OF INTEREST TO ALL

 **RCIA, RCIA** will meet this **Sunday, March 15th at 5:30 PM** at the St. Adrian Ed Center. You may call the education office at 507-483-2480 for more information.

 **Easter Vigil** is the most important Liturgy in the church year. To help us prepare for this great celebration, music will be sent to individual parish cluster choirs in the coming weeks for your review, before we meet for group rehearsals. Rehearsals will be scheduled in the weeks before Easter.

 **The annual Butter Braid Sale** started on **Wednesday, March 4th and continues through March 18th**. Delivery is scheduled for April 8th. Butter Braids are a frozen pastry dough that comes in a variety of flavors. They are wonderful as a breakfast entrée or a dessert. The flavors are cinnamon, blueberry cream cheese, strawberry cream cheese, apple, cherry, raspberry, or as caramel rolls or a four cheese and herb bread. Cost is \$13.00 per braid. Money raised goes to help fund all youth events. Contact your favorite student in grades 5-10 or Pam Konz at 507-483-2480 to order some today!



Soul Friends: The next meeting will be **Tuesday, March 10th**. Please meet at the Countryside at **11:30 AM** for lunch. *(Please note change of date.)*



2020 Lenten Calendars were inserted in the bulletin last weekend. There are extra placed at the entrances of the churches. Please keep your copy handy for dates, places and times of important Lenten activities and the Holy Week Schedule for Masses.



2020 Lenten Retreat: A Journey of New Insights & Renewed Hearts which was scheduled for **March 21st** has been **postponed** until a later date. We invite & encourage everyone to reflect upon the Lenten Scriptures as another way to renew hearts. If you have any questions, please call the parish office.



You're invited to participate in CRS Rice Bowl! Our parish will be participating in CRS Rice Bowl, Catholic Relief Services' Rice Bowls are available at the entrances of the churches. Please be sure to take home a Rice Bowl and use this fun and easy resource to deepen your family's Lenten experience and make a difference in the lives of the poor. The collection will take place on Palm Sunday, April 5th



The Light is On Southern Minnesota: The Light is On is our diocese's initiative to reach out to those with anxiety about confession, and encouraging them God's mercy is there, waiting, and will transform your life. If you would like to receive inspirational emails about the mercy of God this holy season, please visit www.thelightisonSouthernMN.org. Please consider looking at the resources yourself and sharing this website widely: read local witness stories, how-to tips, and encouragement. **The Light is On** weekend is March 20-22.



Presentation on Saint Oscar Romero: A presentation on the life of Bishop Oscar Romero who was martyred during the civil war in El Salvador will be held on **Wednesday, March 11th** with **supper beginning at 6:30 PM** and the **presentation at 7:00 PM** at **St. Leo Catholic Church in Pipestone**. **Guest speaker Marta Portillo** is a Catholic who worked with her fellow Salvadorians during the civil war there. She was a community leader and catechist among the rural indigenous populations in the countryside of El Salvador in the time of Romero. Contact St. Leo Parish Office (507) 825-3152 for more information.



St. Mary's School in Worthington Kindergarten Roundup is this **Wednesday, March 11th**. There are **two sessions** to choose from, 11:00 to 12:00 PM and 6:00 to 7:00 PM. We invite you to come and see what an education based in the faith has to offer. You will meet our staff, take a tour of the school, and get information about our flexible payment program and financial aid. Any questions call 507-376-5236.



Little Blessings Preschool at St. Mary's School in Worthington Open House is **Wednesday, March 18th**. There are **two sessions** to choose from, 11:00 to 12:00 PM and 6:00 to 7:00 PM. Families who register at Open House will receive \$50 off their registration fee. Any questions call 507-376-5236.

Nondenominational Widow's Ministry will meet **Monday, March 9th** at **1:00 PM** at First United Methodist Church, 408 11th St., Worthington. Note time change! Soups and crackers will be served. Phil Benson, from Benson Funeral Homes, will speak on Pre-planning funeral services.

The Pastor's Corner:

Our scripture readings for this 2nd Sunday of Lent are about transformation. Abram, a pagan patriarch, will transform into a believer in the one God. His name will be transformed from Abram to Abraham and his small family into a great nation. All Abram has to do is to obey the Lord God's command, and he does so. St. Paul's second letter to Timothy, explains the type of Lenten transformation expected of us. We are transformed when we recognize the hand of a loving, providing and disciplining God behind all our hardships, pain and suffering and try our best to grow in holiness by cooperating with the grace of God given to us through Jesus and his Gospel. In the Transfiguration story in today's Gospel, Jesus is revealed as a glorious figure, superior to Moses and Elijah. The primary purpose of Jesus' Transfiguration was to allow Jesus to consult his Heavenly Father in order to ascertain His plan for His Son's suffering, death and Resurrection. The secondary aim was to make his chosen disciples aware of Jesus' Divine glory, so that they might discard their worldly ambitions and dreams of a conquering political Messiah and might be strengthened in their time of trial. On the mountain, Jesus is identified by the Heavenly Voice as the Son of God.

We will follow this recommendation from the Diocese of Winona-Rochester: each parish will suspend the distribution of the Precious Blood as well as the shaking of hands at the Sign of Peace. If your parish has the custom of holding hands during the Lord's Prayer, this should be discontinued as well.

We welcome Fr. John Fischer to our parishes this weekend as he shares with us the work of *Cross Catholic Ministry*. Thank you for being with us this 2nd Sunday of Lent, Fr. John!
~ Father Colletti

*Do not lose your inward peace
for anything whatsoever
Even if your whole world seems upset.
Commend all to God
and then lie still
and be at rest in God's bosom
Whatever happens abide steadfast
in the determination to cling simply to God.
Trusting in God's eternal love for you.
~Saint Francis de Sales*

