

APRIL 21, 2024

4th SUNDAY OF EASTER

ST. PATRICK'S & ST. LUKE'S PARISHES

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ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH HINCKLEY, MN

Office Hours:
Wednesday 9 am – Noon



ST. LUKE'S CHURCH SANDSTONE, MN

Office Hours
Tuesday 9am - Noon



PARISH STAFF

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612-390-8769	

MASS SCHEDULE (4/22 – 4/28)

Monday	8:30am	SP
+ Henry & Marie Hickle		
Tuesday	8:30am	SL
Celebrant Intentions		
Wednesday	8:30am	SP
+ George & Bessie Hornik		
Thursday	8:30am	SL
Celebrant Intentions		
Friday	6:30m	SP
Jack Ohlsen		
Saturday	5:00pm	SP
Special Intention		
Sunday	8:30 am	SP
Parishioners		
10:30 am		SL
Marissa Henshaw		

ADORATION/EXPOSITION

Thursday	9am – 8pm	SL
Friday	7am - 6:15 pm	SP

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday	5-6:15 pm	SP
Saturday	10-11 am	SL
Saturday	4-4:45 pm	SP
Sunday	8-8:20 am	SP

Communion Antiphon:

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down His life for his sheep and willingly died for His flock, alleluia

WELCOME

Welcome to St. Patrick's and St. Luke's Parishes, and thank you for coming today! Whether you're a familiar face, or from another part of our Diocese or state, we're happy to have you with us. If you would like to join our parish family, or if you have any questions about what we have to offer here at St. Patrick's or St. Luke's, please don't hesitate to call us.

FROM THE PASTOR

CONFIRMATION THIS WEDNESDAY

Bishop Daniel Felton will be here with us this coming Wednesday to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. This will be at 6:30 p.m. at Saint Luke's. Fourteen of our young people & one adult will be confirmed at that time. Please keep them in your prayers over the next several days. All are welcome to attend & join us for this great celebration. There will be a reception after Mass where you can meet Bishop Daniel. Light refreshments will be served.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Saint Luke's will be having First Holy Communion next Sunday, April 28th. Please keep our young people in your prayers as they make their final preparations for this most important Sacrament.

MINISTRIES APPEAL (Formerly UCA)

The kickoff for the Ministries Appeal (formerly UCA) is now just two weeks away. Additional materials were sent to you this week with more information about the changes in this year's appeal. The Ministries Appeal (UCA) unifies our efforts across the Diocese to support critical Church services & ministries beyond our individual parishes. You can go to our Diocesan website: dioceseduluth.org/the-ministries-appeal to learn more about the great work being done, all of which is made possible by your donations to the Ministries Appeal (UCA).

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

We have Eucharistic Adoration at Saint Luke's on Thursdays from 9 am. to 8 pm. each week and at Saint Patrick's on Fridays from 7 am. to 6:15 pm. When you are in town, make it a point to stop at Church & pray before the Blessed Sacrament for a time. Also, if you are able, sign up for an hour each week. Finally, we need some help. When the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, there must be someone present at all times. Currently, we need someone for Saint Luke's who can rotate into the 12:00 noon to 1:00 pm. time period for Thursday Adoration. The commitment would be for one or two months at a time. If you would be willing to commit on a rotating basis this would be a great opportunity. Call or text Ali at (651) 500-0448.

GOOGLE PROMOTES ABORTION & CENSORING PRO-LIFE CONTENT

The world's largest search engine, Google, has been promoting pro-abortion content & suppressing pro-life information. This is according to a recent study in the Media Research Center's Free Speech America. The study found that a Google search for the word "pregnancy" directed users to Planned Parenthood, while the same search on other search engines (such as Bing and DuckDuckGo) would direct users to more neutral sites, such as Heathline or the Mayo Clinic. Content about women who have regretted their abortions was buried at the bottom of Google's search results. Google has banned Live Action's pro-life ads about the abortion pill reversal. Also, Google & YouTube (which is owned by Google) have repeatedly censored pro-life content from sites such as LifeSiteNews, EWTN, Created Equal, Life Issues Institute, & Live Action. They do this by flagging

content with labels such as "medical misinformation" or by burying pro-life sources deep in search results while putting pro-abortion content at the top. (Source: Life Issues Institute "Big Tech Pushes Women toward Abortion" Nov. 9. 2023).

Adoration Intentions:

Holy Father' monthly intention:

That the dignity & value of women be recognized in every culture & that the discrimination they experience in various parts of the world may end.

Parish monthly intention:

For our Young People who will be Confirmed or who are making their First Holy Communion that they might grow in love & knowledge of Christ & His Holy Catholic Church.

PARISH ARK SMALL GROUPS

St Patrick's

MILITIA OF THE IMMACULATA (open to all)

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 1st Friday from 3:40 - 5:00pm. Contact: Janice Gustafson 320-245-2566

LAY CARMELITES (open to all)

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 3rd Monday at 9am. Contact: Gail Von Rueden 320-384-7305 or Kathy Worlickey 320-775-5929

BOOK CLUB (women of all ages)

For the months of February & March, we will be reading "The Life of Faustina Kowalska" by Sister Sophia Michalenko, C.M.G.T. We will meet at Joni Nelson's home on **Friday, April 19th at 7pm.** to discuss the book after praying the rosary. **See the change of date.** Hope to see you there. Contact: Kelly Lenzen 320-267-5526

WEDNESDAY MORNING PEACE & PRAYER GROUP

(open to all) Meets in the Parish Hall every Wednesday after Mass Contact: Kathy Worlickey 320-775-5929

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP (single high school graduates)

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 2nd & 4th Fridays at 7pm. Contact: Father Sirba 320-384-6313

SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST GROUP (open to all)

Meets in the Parish Hall on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays from 7:30 to 8:30am. Contact: Barb Rabe 612-390-8532

SUNDAY EVENING GROUP (open to all)

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 2nd & 4th Sundays from 6 - 7pm. Contact: Chuck Dillenburg 320-629-3105

MOMS GROUP (moms with young children)

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on 1st Friday at 7pm.

TBDPATERFAMILIAS CATHOLICA GROUP

(dads with young children) Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 3rd Friday at 7pm. Contact: Nate Beaufeuax 952-838-5896

St Luke's

MENS CLUB (men of all ages from both parishes)

Meets in the Rectory on the 2nd Tuesday at 5pm.

Contact: Deacon Jim Mostek 952-221-1183

TUESDAY MORNING GROUP (open to all)

Bible study done for the season.

No meeting until after Labor Day.

Contact: Mike Swegle 218-343-5640

SUNDAY EVENING GROUP (open to all) Meets in the Rectory on the 1st & 3rd Sundays from 6 to 7pm.

Contact: Tim McClain 320-207-8370

SPANISH LANGUAGE GROUP (open to all)

Meets in the Rectory on the last Saturday from 9 - 10am.

Contact: Deacon Jim Mostek 952-221-1183

YOUTH CHOIR (open to students grades 4 to 12)

Meets in the Church before Family Faith Formation from

5 - 5:30pm. Contact: Nancy Bennett 612-390-8769

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE ARE LOOKING FOR ADULT VOLUNTEERS

Looking for our core team to help during our Totus Tuus. Please call Jen for info or to sign up.

Contact Jen Kordiak, youth director 320-385-0503.

ARE YOU HOMEBOUND? I regularly bring Holy Communion to those in our parish who are homebound. If you or someone you know is homebound, please call and let me know, and I will visit them.

BULLETIN ITEMS are due by 10 AM on **Wednesdays**. Please call your parish secretary, or email us at: saintlukes@scicable.com or saintpatricks@scicable.com. (Saint Patrick's MINISTRY SCHEDULE INFO is due by the 15th for the next month.)

ARE YOU REGISTERED IN THE PARISH? If you are new to our area, please join us and become part of our parish family. Contact the parish office to get a census form.

ST. PATRICK'S

MASS INTENTIONS The stipend for a Mass is **\$10** per Mass. If a check is written, it should be made out to Father Sirba. Please give the name of the person, whether 'deceased' or 'living', and your name, and put in an envelope marked '**Attention M Bramer**'. You can drop this in collection or mail it to St. Patrick's, PO Box 490, Hinckley, MN 55037.

DONUT SUNDAY: Today, **Sunday, April 21st**, sponsored by the Youth after mass at St Patrick's. Come & join and enjoy the fun & fellowship.

ST LUKE'S

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2024 First Communion Pictures



Jen Kordiak, Youth Director 320-385-0503 or jen11kordiak@gmail.com

**2024 CAMP SURVIVE DATES: WEEK 1: July 22-26
WEEK 2: July 29-Aug 2**

Camp Survive is open to students that have completed grades 6-8 prior to the start of camp. Pre-registration is required immediately. A private email will be sent to parents on April 15th in order to register their child for camp.

Let Jen Kordiak know, APAP 320-385-0503

**CATHOLIC FAMILY CAMP July 28-30
2024 Fun & Faith had by All
Big Sandy Camp in McGregor**

WE ARE LOOKING FOR ADULT VOLUNTEERS for our core team to help during our Totus Tuus. Please call Jen for info or to sign up.

TOTUS TUUS will be coming this summer on **June 15-21st!** More info to follow.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

April 27 - 28

ST PATRICK'S

LECTOR

5:00pm Kevin Bitton
8:30am Gail VonRueden

MHC

5:00pm Chris Opsahl
8:30am Dick Prenovost

SERVERS

5:00pm Gwen Brackenbury
James Brackenbury
Alex Brackenbury

8:30am Brennan Erickson
Peyton Erickson
Josef Justin

ST LUKE'S

LECTOR

Joan Hoverson

MHC

Deacon Jim

SERVERS

Ilsa Watrin
Paul Gaede

USHERS:

Dan Watrin Family

ST PATRICK'S & ST. LUKE'S PARISH CONTACTS

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

FINANCE COUNCIL

Treasurer Trustee:

Barb Rabe 320-384-6168

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Trustee

Matt Watrin 320-245-2090

Nancy Liebelt

Matt Ludwig

Chad Johnson

Carrie Olstead

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Deb Ludwig 320-245-2487

MEN'S CLUB

Deacon Jim 952-221-1183

St. Joseph Cemetery, Finlayson

Nancy Liebelt 320-216-5166

Dave Auchter 612-390-6640

Dennis Liebelt 320-216-5166

Pete Miller 320-279-3808

ATTENDANCE AND STEWARDSHIP

St. Patrick's

4/13 + 4/14 [82 - 165]

Adult \$2,381.00

Plate \$346.04

Ministry Appeals \$370.00

Special \$

Auto Giving \$

St. Luke's

4/14 [78]

Adult \$915.00

Plate \$221.00

Ministry Appeals \$65.00

Special \$302.00

Auto Giving \$180.00

MEETING NOTICES

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (5101) 7 pm, 2nd Monday **SP** or SL

CHOIR PRACTICE Wednesdays, 5:15 – 6:15 pm **SP**

Family Choir Practice Wednesdays 5:00 – 5:30pm **SP**

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: HINCKLEY Saturdays, 8 pm, at First Lutheran Church. Bron, 384-0770; or Annette, 320-336-9177.

SANDSTONE Saturdays, 10:30am & Sundays, 7 pm at city hall. Bonnie 320-216-5475;

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP 7 pm on last Monday of the month, North Pine Government Center. **(CHANGE OF LOCATION)** Julie 320-279-2707

"Be a Catholic: When you kneel before an altar, do it in such a way that others may be able to recognize that you know before whom you kneel."

–St. Maximilian Kolbe

PRAYER LIST

NAMES WILL BE ON PRAYER LIST FOR ONE MONTH

(You may resubmit if need be)

St. Patrick's: Logan Hovanetz, Hayden Erickson & family, Gail VonRueden, Amber Rose Koridak, Mary Odegard, Steve Marudas, Kieran Kloss, Jeanne Holmes, Pat Lee, Linda Philipps

>St. Luke's: Bonnie Vander Schaegan, LaVerna (Toots) Becker, Darlene Merimonte, Josephine Voldrich, Marge Steppa, Mag Sebald, Marie Watrin, Dennis Pinoitti, Roy Sebald, Alice Watrin, Sue Breska

Pray for those home-bound & those in nursing homes & continue to pray for those who have been on the prayer list in the past.

Please pray for all those in the military & their families.

Pray for all those whose job it is to serve & protect us.

Please pray for our diocesan priests & our parish

deacons:

April
21 - Fr Thomas Foster
22 - Fr William Fournier
23 - Fr Charles Friebohle
24 - Fr Paul Fruth
25 - Fr Ronald Gagne
26 - Fr Thomas Galarneault
27 - Fr Michael Garry

For our pastor, Fr. Sirba; Deacon Jim Mostek; Sr. Maria Semper Virgo (Ellie) Dutcher; our Prayer Advocate Sister Donna Schroeder. Seminarians: Blake Ducharme, Michael Fitzpatrick, Zavior Franck, Charles Gibeau, Isaac Golen, Hunter Messner, John Paul Narog, David Ringhand, Benjamin Sundie, Nolan Thiesse, Jacob Tschida and all priests, deacons & religious of our diocese.

*To add a name to the prayer list call 384-6313 ext. 3 or send email. **Please give me your name and phone number so we can call you if we have questions.** If the person is other than a **close** family member, ask the person's permission to add them to the prayer list before you submit their name.*
saintpatricks@scicable.com or saintlukes@scicable.com