

MAY 25, 2025

6th 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



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.

PARISH STAFF

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MASS SCHEDULE (5/26 – 6/1)

Monday	8:30am	SP
	Celebrant Intentions	
Tuesday	8:30am	SL
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Wednesday	8:30am	SP
	+ Fritz & Elaine Kuhlman	
Thursday	8:30am	SL
	+ Bill & Marge Niedzielski	
Friday	6:30 pm	SP
	+ Stanley & Marie Opsahl	
Saturday	5:00 pm	SP
	+ Dave Williams	
Sunday	8:30 am	SP
	10:30 am	SL
	Parishioners	

ADORATION/EXPOSITION

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

If you love me, keep my commandments,
Says the Lord, and I will ask the Father
and he will send you another Paraclete,
to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

- John 14:15-16

FROM THE PASTOR

SACRED HEART DEVOTIONS

Traditionally, the month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The heart has always been a sign of love, and the Sacred Heart of Jesus is a symbol of our Lord's love for us. Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus grew with our Lord's appearance to Saint Margaret Mary in 1675. At that time, Jesus showed her an image of His Sacred Heart on fire with love for us and crowned with the thorns of our sins. Saint Margaret Mary wrote, "He showed me that it was His great desire to be loved by men and to save them from the path of ruin into which Satan hurls such crowds of them ... He promised that wherever His image should be exposed with a view to showing it special honor, He would pour forth His blessings and graces." One of the promises Jesus made was that He would grant the grace of final repentance to all those who would receive Holy Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months (confession being highly recommended). Jesus promised that His heart would be their refuge at that last hour. So, during the coming month of June, include some devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in your daily prayers. Also, why not start the nine First Fridays beginning on June 6th which is the next First Friday. Mass that day will be at Saint Patrick's at 6:30pm.

MEMORIAL DAY

As we observe Memorial Day this coming Monday, we recall all those who gave their lives in service to our country. Since the Declaration of Independence was signed 249 years ago, our nation has been involved in many armed conflicts, and many of these wars were about the defense, not only of our nation, but of other nations who were under unjust attack. In these wars, many in military service gave their lives for us. It's important that we remember them. They died so that we might live in the free nation we have today, and for their ultimate sacrifice, we should be profoundly grateful. So then, let us never forget what our liberty has cost, and let us remember to say a prayer for these brave men who died so that we might be free.

OUR CEMETERIES

At this time of year, we think of our departed loved ones and offer prayers for the repose of their souls. We also visit their graves as a way of keeping them close to us. That said, we seldom think about who cares for our cemeteries. Some cemeteries are managed by government entities such as Fort Snelling National Cemetery. However, most cemeteries are managed by a volunteer cemetery board which is responsible for care of the grounds and arranging burials. Saint Joseph's Cemetery in Finlayson is our local Catholic Cemetery. You can make a donation by using the envelope in your Saint Luke's packet or by writing a check to Saint Joseph's Cemetery and dropping it in the collection basket. Also, if you are interested in serving on the board, let me know. In Hinckley, the primary local cemetery is Rosehill Cemetery. Many of our loved ones are buried there. The volunteer Cemetery Board does a wonderful job caring for the grounds. Brochures at the church entrances have information on how you can support the cemetery. Donations can be made to Rosehill Cemetery Association, PO Box 15, Hinckley, MN 55037.

PARISH GARAGE SALES

June 14th is the Pine County Garage Sale date. Both Saint Luke's and Saint Patrick's have accumulated things we don't need. We need volunteers from both parishes to run garage sales on that date to help get rid of some of these things. Could you help? Let me know.

Adoration Intentions:

For our new Holy Father:

For our new pope, that he may carry out his office as successor to Saint Peter with courage and fidelity to apostolic tradition.

Parish monthly intention:

For a greater devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and for God's blessings on parish ark.

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)

Book Club will be meeting next on Wednesday, June 11th at 6pm at Barb Johnson's house. We will be continuing our discussion on the first portion of the book "*Champions of the Rosary*" by Donald H. Calloway, MIC. Please join us for prayer and conversation. Contact Kelly Lenzen at 320-267-5526 with any questions.

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)

The group will be off for the summer. Will start again September 6th. 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. Please join us during Lent as we begin the Letter to the Hebrews.

Contact: Chuck Dillenburg 320-629-3105

MOMS GROUP (moms with young children)

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

PATERFAMILIAS CATHOLICA GROUP (dads with young children) Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 3rd Friday at 7pm. Contact: Father Sirba

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)
This group is done for the summer, will start again in September. 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

ST. MONICA CLUB – OPEN TO ALL (focused on families who are away from the Catholic Church) Meets on the last Saturday of the month at 9:00am in the basement of St Lukes. Please contact Nancy Mostek @ 763-226-5103.

YOUTH CHOIR (open to students grades 4 to 12)
St. Luke's Youth Choir is done for the school year. Will resume in September.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

BULLETIN ITEMS

Information for the coming bulletin is due by 10am Wednesdays. Please call your parish secretary or email us at saintpatricksmn@gmail.com.

PRAYER LISTS

Prayer lists will be reviewed and updated every month. We will be removing names from the bulletin prayer list after about a month. You may call or email the secretaries to add them to the list again.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

St Patrick's schedule requests are due by the 15th for the next month's schedule.

MONEY COUNTERS

We are in need of someone to stay after Sunday mass to help count the church offerings about once a month. Contact the office with questions or if interested.

BABY BOTTLE FUND RAISER

Options for Women in Sandstone will be having its annual fundraiser involving the baby bottles. They provide many medical services & resources. They will be passed out this weekend. Will you help support the center? The Center serves the communities in the Sandstone, Finlayson, Askov, Hinckley, Willow River & Rutledge area. The center's needs are ongoing. Phone number is 320-216-7633.

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. You may put in the collection or mail to:

St Patrick's mark '**Attention M Bramer**'. or mail it to St. Patrick's, PO Box 490, Hinckley, MN 55037.

St Luke's, mark '**Attention N Mostek**' or mail it to St Luke's, P.O. Box 644, Sandstone, MN 55072

ST PATRICK'S

THANK YOU CLEANING CREW

A huge thank you to the crew that tackled the cleaning of our church kitchen this week. These people generously gave of their time & hard work.

FATHER'S OPEN HOUSE/RETIREMENT PARTY

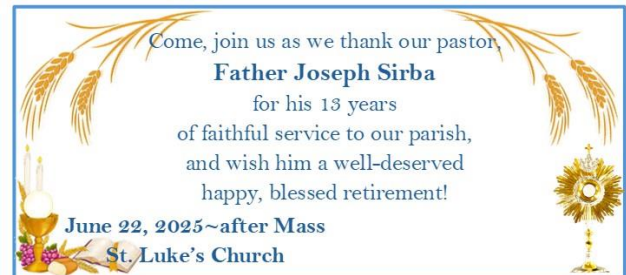
Please join us at St Patrick's on Sunday, June 29th from 1-3pm to celebrate Fr Sirba as he starts his new venture. If you have any pictures you want to display, you can drop them off. You can also send digital pictures to our email. Deadline is Wednesday, June 25th. Any questions or anything to add, please call Lana Nolan at 651-357-3480.

**The next DONUT SUNDAY is Sunday, June 15th.
Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.
Come & enjoy the fun & fellowship!**

ST LUKE'S

YOUTH CHOIR THANK YOU

Thank you to the St Luke's Youth Choir for their dedication in bringing their beautiful voices to our parish. We will take a break for the summer and start up again in September. Additional students in grades 4-12 are encouraged to join at that time.



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

Registration for Totus Tuus at St Patrick's is beginning!

>For those who have finished k-6th grade will begin:
Monday June 23rd at 9am - 2pm and run thru Friday.

>Those finishing 7-12th grade

TEENS - Sunday June 22nd- Thursday 26th, 6pm - 9pm.

We will have a small fee to cover food and activities.

Family rates apply. \$20 per child with a cap of \$60.

Please text or email Jen Kordiak-

320-385-0503.+ jkordiak11@icloud.com

CAMP SURVIVE Wk 1 - July 21 – 25,
Wk 2 -July 28 - August 1.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

May 31 – June 1

ST. PATRICK'S

LECTOR

5:00 PM Mark Sanford

8:30 AM Lisa Hodena

MHC

5:00 PM Chris Opsahl

8:30 AM Denise Degerstrom

SERVERS

5:00 PM Gwen Brackenbury
Chloe Cotter

8:30 AM George Watrin
Josef Justen

ST LUKE'S

LECTOR

MHC

SERVERS

USHERS
Family

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

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

FINANCE COUNCIL

Treasurer Trustee:

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Secretary Trustee:

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Ed Hattenberger

Galen Kelash

Kari Dutcher

Father Sirba

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Matt Ludwig

Chad Johnson

Carie Olstead

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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

5/17 + 5/18 [74 + 143]

Adult \$1,536.00

Ministry Appeals \$

Auto Giving \$

Plate \$303.25

Special \$

St. Luke's

5/18 [100]

Adult \$ N/A

Ministry Appeals \$

Auto Giving \$

Plate \$ NA

Special \$

MEETING NOTICES

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

CHOIR PRACTICE Wednesdays 5-6pm SP

FAMILY CHOIR PRACTICE Wednesdays 4:45-5:15pm 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

"While the world changes, the cross stands firm."

— St. Bruno

PRAYER LIST

NAMES WILL BE ON PRAYER LIST FOR ONE MONTH

(You may resubmit if need be)

St. Patrick's: Marge Fagerstrom, Rose Westmoreland, Fr Con, Deb Prenovost, Darwin Church, Natasha Starr, Amber-Rose Kordiak, Pat Lee, Mona Klar, Kieran Kloss, Arnie Cekalla, Ed Hattenberger,

St. Luke's: Mark Becker, Alison Judd, Alice Watrin, Alaina Becker, Bonnie Vander Schaegan, Kathy Jensen, Rich Watrin, Darlene Merimonte, Josephine Voldrich, Mary Roberts, Diana Ristamaki, Dave Ristamaki

Pray for the home-bound and for all those in nursing homes and 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 and protect us.

Please pray for our diocesan priests and our parish deacons:

May 25 - Fr Peter Lambert
26 - Fr Timothy Lange
27 - Fr Steven Langenbrunner
28 - Fr Michael Lyons
29 - Fr Kristoffer McKusky
30 - Fr Babu Mandagiri
31 - Fr Matthew Miller

For our pastor, Fr. Sirba; Deacon Jim Mostek; Sr. Maria Semper Virgo (Ellie) Dutcher; our Prayer Advocate Sister Donna Schroeder. Seminarians: Deacon Jacob Tschida, Deacon Philip Mayer, Zavior Frank, John Paul Narog, Michael Fitzpatrick, Benjamin Sundlie, Nolan Thiesse, Hunter Messner, Christopher Gadacz, Evan Hansen, Grant Sharstrom, Riley Sykes 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 I can call you if I 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.*

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