

**JUNE 1, 2025**

# ASCENSION OF THE LORD

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

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### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

**HINCKLEY, MN**

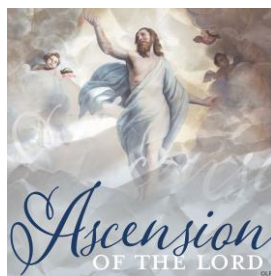
Office Hours:  
Wednesday 9 am – Noon



### 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

Fr. Joseph Sirba Pastor  
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Nancy Bennett Music Director SL  
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### MASS SCHEDULE (6/2 – 6/8)

Monday	8:30am	SP
	Bette Jarvis	
Tuesday	8:30am	SL
	+ George & Marie Watrin	
Wednesday	8:30am	SP
	Ed Hattenberger	
Thursday	8:30am	SL
	Celebrant Intentions	
Friday	6:30 pm	SP
	+ Marie Opsahl	
Saturday	5:00 pm	SP
	+ Robert Worlickey	
Sunday	8:30 am	SP
	Parishioners	
	10:30 am	SL
	+ Bill Niedzielski	

### 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:

Behold, I am with you always, even to  
The end of the age, alleluia.

- Matthew 28:20

## **FROM THE PASTOR**

### **SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION**

The Solemnity of the Ascension commemorates Christ's return to His Father in heaven forty days after Jesus rose from the dead. In Minnesota, this feast is celebrated on the Seventh Sunday of Easter. Some other regions in the Country celebrate it on Ascension Thursday. We should imitate Jesus in all things, and this great feast reminds us that just as Jesus returned to the Father, we too should look forward to that day when God calls us home. Since heaven is our home, don't fall so much in love with your earthly home that you fail to look forward to heaven and to that time when you too will ascend to our Father in heaven.

### **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. When Jesus appeared to Saint Margaret Mary, He made several promises to her. 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. He also promised 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 also being highly recommended). This coming Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, is the first Friday of the month. Why not start the nine First Fridays beginning this Friday. Mass that day will be at Saint Patrick's at 6:30pm.

### **TRAVELING THIS SUMMER?**

Looking for when and where Mass is on your travels? There is an easy way to find out. Go to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org). Masstimes.org has the Mass times for every Church in the country.

### **PARISH GARAGE SALES**

June 14<sup>th</sup> is the Pine County Garage Sale date. Both Saint Luke's and Saint Patrick's have accumulated things we don't need. We will be having garage sales on that date to get rid of some of these things, and we need volunteers to help run the sales. Let me know if you can help.

### **ARE YOU REGISTERED IN THE PARISH?**

If you are new to our area, or if you are a summer parishioner and consider this your spiritual home during the summer months, please join us and become part of our parish family. We value your time, treasure and talents. Contact the parish office to get a parish census form.

### **DIOCESE OF DULUTH MINISTRIES APPEAL**

The Ministries Appeal focuses on the shared ministries of the Diocese of Duluth, things that no single parish can support by itself. We join together in following our mission of living a life of healing, hope, joy and abundance. Please offer your prayers for all of the ministries in need of our assistance and make a generous donation to the 2025 Ministries Appeal.

### **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 me and let me know, and I will visit them.

### **Adoration Intentions:**

#### **Holy Father' monthly intention:**

That the people of the world might grow in compassion for those who are suffering and in need.

#### **Parish monthly intention:**

That we might all grow in our love and devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

## **PARISH ARK SMALL GROUPS**

### **St Patrick's**

#### **MILITIA OF THE IMMACULATA (open to all)**

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 1<sup>st</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 11<sup>th</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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 6<sup>th</sup>. Contact: Barb Rabe 612-390-8532.

#### **SUNDAY EVENING GROUP (open to all)**

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at 7pm. Contact: TBD.

#### **PATERFAMILIAS CATHOLICA GROUP (dads with young children)**

Meets in the Faith Sharing Room on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday at 7pm. Contact: Father Sirba

## St Luke's

### **MENS CLUB** (men of all ages from both parishes)

Meets in the Rectory on the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

### 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

### FATHER'S OPEN HOUSE/RETIREMENT PARTY

Please join us at St Patrick's on Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup> 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 25<sup>th</sup>. Any questions or anything to add, please call Lana Nolan at 651-357-3480.

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

## ST LUKE'S

### CHRIS FOODSTAND FUNDRAISER

St. Luke's will be running the Chris's Foods BBQ food stand June 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> & June 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> as a fundraiser for our parish's five youth & chaperones to participate in the Duluth Diocese's Youth Service Trip. It will be open Friday 10-6pm & Saturday 10-3pm or later if busy. Come enjoy some tasty grilled burgers and yummy homemade treats while supporting our local youth!

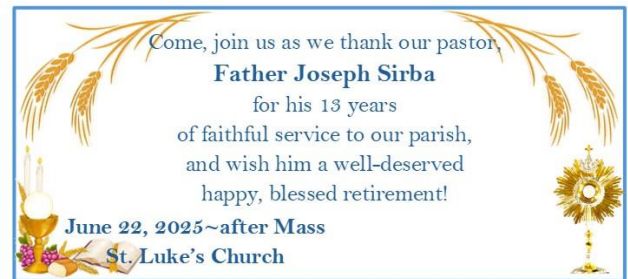
The Youth will start their 5 day journey by packing food at Feed my starving Children, then helping at a historical church site in

IL, & visit the National Shrine of St. Therese. We will burn off some energy at six flags & then attend the weekend long Steubenville Youth Conference Joliet at the Benedictine University in Lisle, Illinois. We will be traveling with Fr. Michael Schmitz, who will be a speaker at the conference.

### **\*\*\* HELP NEEDED\*\*\***

+We need donations of popular baked goodies to be sold at the stand! These can be placed in the fridge at St. Luke's the Thursday prior & will be picked up that evening by 7pm (June 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>). Please let Jenny McClain know if you can help with baking some treats or if you can volunteer working at the stand. There are a few shifts open. Contact Jenny McClain at 320-362-0245.

Donations can also be sent to St. Luke's with the memo 'Steubenville'.



### ADORERS NEEDED

Saint Luke's needs Adorers who can come to spend an hour in prayer before our Lord on a weekly basis. The hour that needs to be filled is from 2:00pm to 3:00pm on Thursdays. Could you make a commitment to do this for a year? Please call Ali Judd at 651-500-0448 if you can take one of these hours or would like more information.



**Jen Kordiak, Youth Director 320-385-0503 or [jen11kordiak@gmail.com](mailto: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 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9am - 2pm and run thru Friday.

>Those finishing 7-12th grade

TEENS - Sunday June 22nd- Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>, 6pm – 8:30pm.

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

Family rates apply. \$15 per child with a cap of \$50.

Please text Jen Kordiak 320-385-0503 or email at [jkordiak11@icloud.com](mailto:jkordiak11@icloud.com)

We are also taking donations of snacks for the weeks.

### PRAYERS

Please pray for our students going on the mission trip to Steubenville in Joliet, Illinois this June.

We would love to pray for you.

We will have a box at the back of the church to take your prayer requests. The teens will be praying for your specific intentions at the Holy sites that week.



## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 7 - 8

### ST. PATRICK'S

#### LECTOR

5:00 PM Sue Dutcher  
8:30 AM Michelle Kelash

#### MHC

5:00 PM Deacon Jim  
8:30 AM Deacon Jim

#### SERVERS

5:00 PM Gwen Brackenbury  
Alex Brackenbury  
Christopherson

8:30 AM Krystell Mancilla  
Rolando Mancilla

### ST. LUKE'S

#### LECTOR

Kathy Jensen

#### MHC

Deacon Jim

#### SERVERS

Jack Gaede  
Natailie

#### USHERS

Kayla & Mary

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

### ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

#### FINANCE COUNCIL

##### Treasurer Trustee:

Barb Rabe 320-390-8532

##### Secretary Trustee:

**Dick Prenovost** 320-384-0207

Chuck Dillenburg  
Ed Hattenberger  
Galen Kelash  
Kari Dutcher  
Father Sirba

#### Women's Group

Lana Nolan 320-322-5164

#### Knights of Columbus

Michael Bramer 715-558-1084  
Ed Hattenberger 320-384-7785

#### Militia of the Immaculata

Janice Gustafson 320-245-2566

#### Lay Carmelites

Kathy Worlickey 320-775-5929  
Gail Von Rueden 320-384-7305

### ST. LUKE'S PARISH

#### FINANCE COUNCIL

##### Treasurer Trustee

Mike Bennett 320-245-2370

##### Trustee

Matt Watrin 320-245-2090

Nancy Liebelt  
Matt Ludwig  
Chad Johnson  
Carie Olstead

#### WOMEN'S GUILD

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

5/24 + 5/25 [ 87 + 172 ]

Adult \$2,163.00      Plate \$735.86  
Ministry Appeals \$      Special \$58.85  
Auto Giving \$

### St. Luke's

5/11 + 5/18 + 5/26 [150 + 100 + ]

Adult \$ 1,356.00 + \$688.00 + \$827.00  
Plate \$ 196.73 + \$112.50 + \$245.00  
Ministry Appeals \$150      Special \$0  
Auto Giving \$35.00 + \$235.-00 + \$85.00

## 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

*"Love Our Lady and make her loved; always recite the Rosary and recite it as often as possible."*

— Padre Pio

## PRAYER LIST

NAMES WILL BE ON PRAYER LIST FOR ONE MONTH

(You may resubmit if need be)

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

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

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:**

June      1 - Fr Brandon Moravitz  
             2 - Deacon Jim Mostek  
             3 - Fr Dale Nau  
             4 - Fr Kuriakose Nediakala  
             5 - Fr Nicholas Nelson  
             6 - Fr Scott Padrnos  
             7 - Fr Michael Patullo

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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