

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

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ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH HINCKLEY, MN

Office Hours:
Tuesday 9am – Noon

TO MAKE A GIFT



ST. LUKE'S CHURCH SANDSTONE, MN

Office Hours
Tuesday 9 am - Noon

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MASS SCHEDULE 6/1-6/7)

Monday	8:30am	SP
	+ Martin Vesel & Margot	
Tuesday	8:30am	SL
	+ Marie Watrin	
Wednesday	8:30am	SP
	+ Monica Janel Martinez	
Thursday	8:30am	SL
	Celebrant Intentions	
Friday	6:30pm	SP
	+ David Williams	
1 st Saturday	9:00am	SL
	5:00pm	SP
	+ Bette Jarvis	
Sunday	8:30 am	SP
	Parishioners	
	10:30 am	SL
	+ Rich Watrin	

ADORATION/EXPOSITION

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

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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

Communion Antiphon:

Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father. - Galatians 4:6

WELCOME

Welcome to St. Patrick's & St. Luke's Parishes. Thank you for coming today! We're happy to have you with us. If you would like to join our parish family, or 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.

TRAVELING THIS SUMMER? To find Mass times, go to www.masstimes.org or call 1-858-207-6277 and then just follow the prompts. Masstimes.org has the Mass times for nearly every Church in the country.

FROM THE PASTOR

This week, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, which I've heard referred to as "a preacher's nightmare." That term was often in reference to the fact that we're ultimately trying to explain the Blessed Trinity, who is ultimately mysterious. The reality of the Trinity is that we, as humans, have neither the words nor the concepts to adequately explain the mystery of God's Triune-Unity. In all honesty, it was tempting to have Deacon Jim offer the homilies this weekend so that I wouldn't have to tax my brain!

That being said, with regards to the Blessed Trinity there's so much we can say while there's simultaneously so much remains ultimately mysterious to us. Mysterious in the sense that we can't fully comprehend or explain the reality of the Trinity, nor can we fully explain the mystery. I've often thought this to be a good thing in the sense that we'll never completely mine the depths of God's goodness and love. This side of eternity, we can always grow with the hope

that one day, we will be immersed fully in His goodness in Heaven in the Beatific Vision.

So, let's start with the basics that come to us from Scripture and Tradition. God has revealed Himself as one God in three persons. To the modern mind, this is something that doesn't entirely "make sense." In the early Church, bishops and theologians wrestled with the reality as well. Essentially, after years of debate, it was settled that we believe in One God in Three Persons. The assumption was that smarter and holier folks would come along later and have a better way to explain. We're still waiting.

But, we can safely say that the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are all equally God, but are not the same person, nor are they all parts that added up equal God. In all honesty, it's probably easier to say who and what God is not as evidenced by the various heretical views that gained notoriety in the early Church. Interestingly, every time the Church has said that something is not true about the Trinity and declared various heresies, she has simultaneously grown deeper in her understanding of the Divine mystery.

In the early Church, there was debate between various "schools" of theology. Some would emphasize the one-ness of God while others would emphasize the three-ness. Throughout much debate, our belief in One God in Three Persons would emerge, noting that when a school of thought overemphasizes either the Trinity or Unity to the exclusion of the other is when someone falls into a heretical view.

We know that there is one God and that through the Scriptures, He revealed Himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Much of the debate and discussion in the early Church was focused on settling the tension between God's unity and tri-unity. When the early bishops and theologians came to the current formulation of the teaching on the Trinity, none was particularly happy with it. But they had hope that with further prayer and study, better explanations would emerge organically while building on what had come before.

On the plus side, what we do know and say about the Blessed Trinity is helpful in our understanding of the mysterious nature of God. We can spend an entire lifetime just thinking about who God is and entering more fully into the Divine mystery. We also know that the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit don't operate independent of each other. When we call on person of the Trinity, all three rise up in answer to our prayers. Whenever we're at Mass, God is at work in a hidden and mysterious way.

While I could reflect extensively, it seems that it's good for us to have something a little more concrete, especially when it comes to our lives of faith and prayer. The Christian faith really is an invitation and an opportunity for us to enter more deeply into the life of the Trinity! Prayer, as a relationship with God, is an immersion into the life of the Blessed Trinity, so when we pray, we're really entering into the mystery of God's infinite love and goodness. While we do converse and chat with Him, we're doing much more than that; we're being drawn in to the inner life of the Blessed Trinity. It's my hope and prayer, that throughout this week, we all take a few extra minutes to be immersed in prayer and be simply enjoy a little time in His presence.

--Pope St. John Paul II, pray for us--

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY, FINLAYSON

The cemetery committee would like to remind others about grave decorations:

May 1-June 30: Any item in good taste and within baptismal dignity is allowed to decorate a grave.

June 30- Oct 1: Only flowers or decorations placed & securely anchored in a container, attached to a memorial are allowed on graves.

Thanksgiving - April 1: Christmas wreaths/greens may be put on graves. All will be removed after April 1 & disposed of.

NON.ALLOWABLE:

Glass objects are not permitted on or around any memorial for safety reasons.

No food or beverages can be left on graves.

Planting of trees, shrubs bushes & in-ground flowers are not permitted.

Mementos, candles, or LIGHTING DEVICES are not permitted.

No permanent benches, chairs, or statues shall be permitted in the cemetery at any time, nor may they

be used as memorials.

Cemetery grave lots are easements with burial privileges but do not constitute property ownership.

Nancy Liebelt 320-216-5166

Pete Miller 320-279-3808

Dennis Liebelt 320-233-7460

BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

Options for Women in Sandstone will be having its annual medical fund raiser involving the baby bottles. They can be returned anytime, just drop them in the collection basket. They provide many medical services & resources. 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.

ARE YOU HOMEBOUND?

We regularly bring Holy Communion to those in our parish who are homebound. If you or someone you know is homebound, please call and let us know, and we will visit them.

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. It will be helpful if you could do so soon before we update our parish records for the coming year.

BULLETIN ITEMS are due by 10 AM on Tuesday. Please call your parish secretary, or email: saintpatricksmn@gmail.com or saintlukesmn@gmail.com (**SP MINISTRY SCHEDULE INFO** is due by 9 AM on the 15th for the next month.)

MASS INTENTIONS

The stipend for a Mass is \$10 per Mass. If a check is written, it should be made out to St Luke's or St Patrick's. Please give the name of the person, whether 'deceased' or 'living', and your name. Then 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



Jen Kordiak, Youth Director 320-385-0503 or

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* Please see our website for upcoming & current youth activities.

***TOTUS TUUS** Summer program @SP

July 13th -17th M – F K – 6th - **AM** program

July 12th -16th Su – Th 7 –12th - **PM** program

6-8th graders – Camp Survive still has a few openings left. For the last week of July & first week of August. These won't last long. Registration for this week long Catholic Summer Camp by Father Mike Schmitz is for the Duluth Diocesan residents & can be found on their website. Cost \$470.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

"We wanted to know that they receive with joy – what touches them deeply – and what remains only at the head level, because we want to hand on something that enriches their heart and their life as well as their mind. Certainly, it is necessary to know things, yet we should know with our heart, if I may use "heart" in the biblical sense, meaning our whole self." - Sophia Cavaletti

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

"If you want to be relieved of your burdens and infirmities, keep your eyes on the slain, consumed Lamb." (St. Catherine of Siena)

Eucharistic Adoration is available on Thursdays and Fridays in our parishes. You can always just show up for a short visit. Better yet, we invite you to commit to a Holy Hour each week, even if that's just for a "season", as we are always looking for more adorers to fill time slots. Contact Ali at 651-500-0448 (St. Luke's: Thursdays 9 am-8 pm) or Alice at 320-384-6406 (St. Patrick's: 7 am-6:15 pm Fridays) to arrange a time.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 6 - 7

ST. PATRICK'S

LECTOR

5:00 PM Kathy Reiser
8:30 AM Mark Sanford

MHC

5:00 PM Chris Opsahl
8:30 AM Jonathan Horbacz

SERVERS

5:00 PM Peyton Erickson
Charlotte Bork
Leo Horbacz

8:30 AM Krystell Mancilla
Rolando Mancilla
Leilany Mancilla

ST LUKE'S

LECTOR

Dan Watrin

MHC

Bev Carlin

SERVERS

Natalie Christopherson
Jonathan Becker

USHERS

Ludwig Family

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

ST PATRICK'S PARISH

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STEWARDSHIP

St. Patrick's

5/23 + 5/24

Adult \$1,025.00

Special \$89.00

Auto Giving \$1,620.00 (April)

MINISTRY APPEAL: \$ Collected to date: \$14,119
Goal \$31,656 Needed: \$17,537 to reach the goal

St. Luke's

5/24

Adult \$617.00

Special \$133.00

Auto Giving \$85.00

MINISTRY APPEAL: \$ Collected to date: \$
Goal \$18,135 Needed: \$ to reach the goal

MEETING NOTICES

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

CHOIR PRACTICE Mondays 7-8pm **SP**

FAMILY CHOIR PRACTICE off for the summer **SP**

ST LUKE'S YOUTH CHOIR Wednesdays - 7-8pm **SL**

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. Julie 320-279-2707

"In this life our lot is not to enjoy God, but to do his holy will."

-St. Teresa of Avila

PRAYER LIST

NAMES WILL BE ON PRAYER LIST FOR ONE MONTH

(You may resubmit if need be)

St. Patrick's: JoAnn Lee, Andra Cekalla, Darwin Church, Amber-Rose Kordiak, Lester Klar, George Watrin, Pat Lee, Clarence Gimpl, Ron Nistler, Marge Fagerstrom, Roger Ratke, Mary Price, Deb Prenovost

St. Luke's: Mary Roberts, Mark Becker, Alison Judd, Dan Becker, Judy Williams, Alaina Becker, Bonnie Vander Schaegan, Kathy Jensen, Kathy Swegle, Mary Schaaf

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 William Fider
2 - Fr Charles Flynn
3 - Fr David Forsman
4 - Fr Thomas Foster
5 - Fr Charles Friebohle
6 - Fr Ronald Gagne
7 - Fr Thomas Galarneault

For our pastor, Fr. McKusky; Deacon Jim Mostek; Sr. Maria Semper Virgo (Ellie) Dutcher; our Prayer Advocate Sister Donna Schroeder. Seminarists: Zavior Frank, John Paul Narog, Christopher Gadacz, Timothy Muturi, Benjamin Sundlie, George Frederickson, Hunter Messner, Evan Hansen, Cristian Karakash, Adam Lokken, Ethan Pond 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. saintpatricksmn@gmail.com or saintlukesmn@gmail.com