

# St. Patrick's Church Hallock, MN & Holy Rosary Mission Lancaster, MN

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## FROM FATHER ILLANGO - HEART TO HEART CHAT

My dear friends in Christ,  
The joy of Easter springs from the Risen Lord. A historical event that defied all natural phenomena that someone buried in a tomb rose to life on the third day. If Jesus did not rise from the dead, our faith has no meaning. Our Christian Faith could be rendered futile. But, He has risen and that reignites our faith. Our human experiences crucify and humiliate our faith deep within. Sometimes we are discouraged easily and even our faith is disillusioned. Those are the moments when the Risen Lord invites us to go to Galilee. Why does he ask his disciples to do that? That is where, the faith of the disciples was so alive on fire. They witnessed every sign he did and truly believed that he is the Messiah. Their desire to follow him as faithful disciples was so powerful and vibrant in their hearts in Galilee. That is why Jesus asked them to go back to their initial dreams and hopes in the Lord. When you go back to your true hopes of faith, then your faith in the Lord becomes alive. You recall all the words Jesus spoke to you. The words that promise that there is a life beyond this present existence. A new heaven and a new earth is waiting for each one of us, when we are willing to follow the Risen Lord. He is transforming our earthly life and making it anew every day. Joy and peace be in your hearts. Happy Easter and many blessings to each one of you.  
Your brother in Christ,  
Fr. Xavier Ilango

## MEALS ON WHEELS

St. Patrick's parish has volunteered to deliver Meals on Wheels in Hallock during the month of May. It takes a short amount of time and brings such joy to those you deliver to. Please consider taking a day! All you have to do is contact the parish office at [stpatrickshallock@gmail.com](mailto:stpatrickshallock@gmail.com) and say YES or sign yourself up on the sheet in the entry of the church! We'd like to have several people, especially families with children, to take part in this service to the community - don't be shy!

## FIRST COMMUNION

First Communion will be held on Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Patrick's. Those receiving their First Communion are Jocelyn Olson, Blake Kuznia and Aiden Wiese.

There will be a breakfast served in their honor after the Mass in the church basement. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

Money given for Easter flowers thus far have been donated in memory of or in honor of the following people:

Verne & Sarah Hunt  
Earl Hunt  
Paul Hunt  
Doris & Vernon Robb  
Dennis Blazejewski  
Valentine & Emilie Blazejewski  
Robert Muir  
Delores Sinclair  
Florence & Stanley Urbaniak  
Mary Louise & Louis Deere  
Clem & Christine Dziengel  
Ed & Jean Schindler  
Pete Dziengel  
Anton Olsonawski  
David & Clara Judd  
Tessie Dahlman  
Catherine Klegstad  
Ray & Nellie Culkins  
Kevin Hunter  
Steven & Helen Uscensky  
Lewis & Viva Hunter  
Verona Karboviak  
John Karboviak  
Lyn Karboviak  
Deceased Family Member of Bruce & Michelle Steen  
Lorraine Olsonawski  
Richard Peterson  
Tom Ahmann  
Allison & Clare Hunt

## MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY - GRADES 6 - 8

The 2019 Middle School Youth Rally will be held April 28 from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. at Fosston High School in Fosston, Minnesota. Youth in grades six through eight and their leaders are invited to join in a day of praise and worship, keynote presentations, Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass, dinner and games. This year, with the theme "Follow Me", the Middle School Youth Rally will expand on the call of being a disciple of Jesus and what it means to follow him. Continuing in the spirit of the Convocation of Parish Leaders held last November, the rally will help equip and empower youth to be lifelong disciples of Jesus. The keynote speakers, the are four young men from the Twin Cities area whose ministry focuses on centering life around faith, fellowship and fitness. Sean Healy, John Lucke, Jacob Mischke and Eric Bromback create a weekly podcast and daily social media posts to address common concerns facing young men today. Local musician, Dusty Njaa will lead worship throughout the event. Njaa grew up in northern Minnesota and served with NET Ministries after high school. He lives in Moorhead and helps with Moorhead Catholic Campus Ministries and leads worship for various parish events. He has also served as a musician at St. John Paul II Middle School Camp. Contact your youth minister or pastor to register for the event.

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**HOLY SATURDAY** April 20<sup>th</sup>  
Holy Mass 8:30 PM Hallock \*Dorothy Jirschele

**EASTER SUNDAY** April 21<sup>st</sup>  
Rosary 8:35 AM Hallock  
Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock \*Pro Populo

Rosary 10:05 AM Lancaster  
Holy Mass 10:30 AM Lancaster \*David Gorski  
*Confessions one half hour before Mass*

**MONDAY** April 22<sup>nd</sup>  
NO MASS

**TUESDAY** April 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Maris Birznicks

**WEDNESDAY** April 24<sup>th</sup>  
Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Jean Schindler

**THURSDAY** April 25<sup>th</sup>  
Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Kenny Hennen

**FRIDAY** April 26<sup>th</sup> **NURSING HOME**  
Holy Mass 10:00 AM Hallock \*Anton Olsonawski

**SATURDAY** April 27<sup>th</sup>  
Rosary 4:35 PM Lancaster  
Holy Mass 5:00 PM Lancaster  
\*Grandchildren of Iver & Cathy Cleem  
*Confessions one half hour before Mass*

**SUNDAY** April 28<sup>th</sup>  
Rosary 8:35 AM Hallock  
Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock \*Pro Populo  
*Confessions one half hour before Mass*

*Masses can be requested from the parish at anytime, for the living or the dead, or for any good intention. A \$5 offering is customary for each request.*

## ADORATION

We will continue to have adoration on Wednesdays from 8:30 am until 5:30 pm. There are signup sheets in a binder in the entry of St. Patrick's for the coming weeks of adoration. Please sign up so we can be sure all the times are covered. If you are unable to keep your scheduled time, please find a replacement.

## 'MISSIONARY DICIPLESHP' BIBLE STUDY

This group will meet on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:45 am at the Cedars Apartments (formerly Heritage Apartments) gathering space.

## 'NO GREATER LOVE' BIBLE STUDY

This study group will meet two more times, on Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick's Church basement, April 25<sup>th</sup> and May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST

**Saturday** April 27<sup>th</sup> 5:00 PM Holy Rosary  
Servers: April Weleksi  
Commentator: Earl Karboviak  
Lector: Kathy Nelson  
EMHC: Chuck Olsonoski & Teresa Weleski  
Ushers: John & Ginger LeDoux  
Gifts: Randy & Lori Masloski

**Sunday** April 28<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM Saint Patrick  
Servers: Morgan & Rylee Bergeron  
Asher Olsonawski  
Commentator: Ron Anderson  
Lector: Ray Hunt  
EMHC: Jerry & Carol Olsonawski  
Becky Ingeman  
Ushers: Mike Klegstad & Hugh Hunt  
Money Counters: Keith Urbaniak & Hugh Hunt

## Prayer List

### Those who are Sick, Struggling, Recovering

Kristen (Hunter) Erickson (Ken and Kathy)  
Kenny Neuschwander  
Heather Thoennes  
Catherine Klegstad  
Elmer Hungate  
Sophie Olsonawski  
Andi Olsonawski  
Betty Lockman  
Jovie Jean Defrang  
Adam Henry  
Kendra (Hunter) Wentworth  
Eleanor Kraska  
Mary Barron  
Mary Ann Schmiedeberg  
Cathy Cleem  
Iver Cleem  
Wensil & Merietta Jacobs

### Deceased Loved Ones

Adeline Loeffler  
Floyd Neuschwander  
Jan Stanlake  
Cassandra Flatland  
Hudson Jones  
Cooper Jones  
Christine Dziengel

*Email the parish office with those you would like listed above for prayer each month.*

### CHURCH CLEANING

Joni Friedt and Nola Lindegard have volunteered to clean the church in April. We are still needing someone to clean in May.