

# 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,  
 What does it mean to be Easter people? As soon as Mary Magdalene realized that it was Jesus not the gardener, she couldn't control her joy. She ran to the disciples and shared this great news that the Lord has risen from the dead. The disciples from Emmaus who recognized the Risen Lord when he broke the bread and gave them, they went back to Jerusalem in a hurry to share this good news. We can keep enlisting many more such incidents. What is common in all such experiences? The moment they came close and being touched by the Risen Lord, a new hope has awoken in them. This new hope gave them the courage to go out and share this good news with everyone. Their joy in the Risen Lord was uncontrollable that they could not contain it but share that with everyone. That is the key to our Christian life as we go out to live the gospel every day. We are Easter people filled with joy through encountering the Risen Christ. No fear, no worries, no hesitations but live with joy. The joy of recognizing the presence of the Risen Lord in our hearts and share that joy with everyone we meet on a particular day. We should not appear like people coming from a funeral. If we are always so sad and cloudy then where is the true joy of living in the Risen Lord? Be joyful in the Lord and spread that joy everywhere.  
 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:

### ADDITIONAL DONATIONS:

Andy & Johanna Olsonawski  
 Walter Kalka  
 Jan Stanlake  
 Robert Muir  
 Suzette Muir  
 Mary Pietruszewski  
 Turgeon Family  
 Vonasek Family

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

Thank you to all who so generously donated for the Easter flowers. The church looked so beautiful!

## CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL

Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Right now, over 40% of dioceses in the United States are considered mission territory because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work in their communities. Your donations support programs, such as religious education, seminary formation, and lay ministry training, to build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. Find more information at [www.usccb.org/home-missions](http://www.usccb.org/home-missions).

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**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*

**MONDAY** April 29<sup>th</sup>  
 NO MASS

**TUESDAY** April 30<sup>th</sup>  
 Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
 Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Christine Dziengel

**WEDNESDAY** May 1<sup>st</sup>  
 Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
 Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Stan A Stancyk

**THURSDAY** May 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 Morning Prayer 7:45 AM Hallock  
 Holy Mass 8:00 AM Hallock \*Jan Stanlake

**FRIDAY** May 3<sup>rd</sup> **NURSING HOME**  
 Holy Mass 10:00 AM Hallock \*Pete Dziengel

**SATURDAY** May 4<sup>th</sup>  
 Rosary 4:35 PM Lancaster  
 Holy Mass 5:00 PM Lancaster \*Richard Peterson  
*Confessions one half hour before Mass*

**SUNDAY** May 5<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, May 1<sup>st</sup> at 8:45 am at the Cedars Apartments (formerly Heritage Apartments) gathering space.

## 'NO GREATER LOVE' BIBLE STUDY

This study group will meet one more time, on Thursday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick's Church basement.

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST

**Saturday** May 4<sup>th</sup> 5:00 PM Holy Rosary  
 Servers: April Weleksi  
 Commentator: Brian Masloski  
 Lector: Brian Weleski  
 EMHC: Lori Masloski & Teresa Weleski  
 Ushers: Rodney & Ann Potrament  
 Gifts: Jean Lyberg & Irene Wallenberg

**Sunday** May 5<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM Saint Patrick  
 Servers: Wesley Sugden, Avery Wiese  
 Noah Olson  
 Commentator: Becky Ingeman  
 Lector: Carol Olsonawski  
 EMHC: Jeff Reese, Alicia Anderson  
 Amy Turgeon  
 Ushers: Mike Green & Ron Anderson  
 Money Counters: Keith Urbaniak & Ron Anderson  
 Hosts: Hunts/Wiese/Blaze

## Prayer List

Those who are Sick, Struggling, Recovering  
 Kristen (Hunter) Erickson (Ken and Kathy)  
 Heather Thoennes  
 Catherine Klegstad  
 Elmer Hungate  
 Sophie Olsonawski  
 Andi Olsonawski  
 Betty Lockman  
 Adam Henry  
 Kendra (Hunter) Wentworth  
 Eleanor Kraska  
 Mary Barron  
 Mary Ann Schmiedeberg  
 Cathy Cleem  
 Iver Cleem  
 Wensil & Merietta Jacobs  
 Renee Nelson  
 Janet Olsonawski

## Deceased Loved Ones

Jovie Jean Defrang  
 Adeline Loeffler  
 Floyd Neuschwander  
 Jan Stanlake  
 Cassandra Flatland  
 Hudson Jones  
 Cooper Jones  
 Christine Dziengel  
 Lorraine Olsonawski

*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.