

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

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PASTOR'S PEN

Greetings in Christ Jesus!

In this Sunday's Gospel we hear that when Peter recognized the Lord, he got out of the boat and 'sprang into the sea'. At this point in time, we still have that joy of the Vigil, of the Easter alleluia, and it's easy to identify with Peter's excitement.

After Peter's excitement comes the calm, a certain normality resumes, even in the presence of the risen Lord. The disciples and Jesus have breakfast, just as we have gone on doing the normal things of life. But of course, this is no ordinary breakfast.

If we cast our minds back, we remember that we watched Peter deny Christ three times. Here, he makes three professions of love, three confirmations of his faith. I wonder if we can identify ourselves with Peter's Easter journey.

We're people who, on some occasions, have denied the Lord. We have said and done things which say, 'I do not know Him', rather than 'I love him'. Here we are now, in Eastertide, and we too have the chance to put right our past wrongs, by saying that we love the Lord.

When Peter says yes to Jesus, he's immediately given a mission. Likewise, part of the growth for us as Christians is not just that we stop denying the Lord in various ways but also that we say that we love the Lord and that we act out that love, by accepting the mission that Christ gives us.

But the mission might take us to places that we would rather not go. It is clear from today's Gospel that Peter will be required to undergo a similar death to the one which Jesus suffered.

Perhaps the most striking thing about this passage is not found in Peter's confession with his tongue, but in his actions when he recognizes the Lord, in the fact that he got out of the boat and 'sprang into the sea.'

The mission of the whole Church is to be fishers of men, drawing people of every nation to Christ, to gather together his scattered sheep and feed them. Our unity in Christ is celebrated in the Eucharist, which was foreshadowed in the meal on the shore.

Fr.Maschio.

25th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Bishop Cozzens will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving on Tuesday, May 24th, at 6:30 PM at the Cathedral in Crookston. Light refreshments will follow the Mass.

CONFIRMATION

Sunday, June 5th, at the 9 AM Mass we will be celebrating the Confirmation of Morgan Bergeron, Hayden Olsonawski, and Avery Wiese. Bishop Cozzens will be presiding. The Ladies' Guild will be hosting a breakfast after Mass to celebrate. All are welcome to attend.

DIACONATE ORDINATION

Jeff Reese's Diaconate ordination will be Saturday, June 11th, at 10 AM at the Cathedral in Crookston. Jeff would love to see lots of familiar faces at the ordination!

MISSING

Does anyone know where the big picture of the church model is that used to be downstairs? It disappeared after the last beautification meeting and has not reappeared.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please continue to keep the Confirmation class & those preparing for marriage in your prayers.

Confirmation Class (June 5th):

Morgan Bergeron, Hayden Olsonawski, & Avery Wiese

Those to be married (May 20th):

Grant Masloski & Hope Sele

PERFECT FIT CAMPAIGN

This weekend the Bishop has asked for a video to be played about the Perfect Fit Campaign at all parishes. If you missed the video or would like to go back and watch it again here is the link information:
<https://www.crookston.org/perfectfit>

Picture of First Communicants: Father Maschio, Sebastian Tila, Nicolette Gubbels, Tiernan Reid, and Karen Gubbels (Photo by Megan Sugden)



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY May 1st
 Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock Paisley Olsonawski
 Holy Mass 11:00 AM Lancaster Pro Populo

SUNDAY May 8th
 Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock Katie Urbaniak
 Holy Mass 11:00 AM Lancaster Pro Populo

There will not be any Masses Monday- Saturday while Father Maschio is gone from April 25th-June 3rd. Saturday Masses resume on Saturday, June 4th.

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.

FATHER'S LEAVE

Father Maschio will be gone April 25th-June 3rd. Father William McDermott will be filling in for Father when he is gone. He is a retired priest from the Fargo Diocese. He lives in Bathgate, ND. All non-emergencies please leave a message on the parish phone & Karen will get back to you when she is in.

NURSING HOME ROSARY SCHEDULE

Friday, May 6th 10 AM - Hank and Judy Noel
 Friday, May 13th 10 AM - Cindy Urbaniak
 Friday, May 20th 10 AM - Hank and Judy Noel
 Friday, May 27th 10 AM - Cindy Urbaniak
 Friday, June 3rd 10 AM - Jerry and Carol Olsonawski

MEALS ON WHEELS

Our parish has an opportunity to serve our community by delivering meals to area seniors during the month of May. There is a sign up sheet on the table in the entry of the church. Please write your name and phone number on an available spot. Volunteers will need to be at the Hallock Senior Center at 11:30 AM to start deliveries.

PRAYER LIST

Those who are Sick, Struggling, Recovering

Sophie Olsonawski
 Eleanor Kraska
 Cathy Cleem
 Iver Cleem
 Janet Olsonawski
 Jeanette Forfang
 Kim Short
 LeRoy Vonasek
 Renee Stewart
 Ruth Hennen
 Dorothy Barber
 Dave Fertig
 Gloria Dziengel
 Kayla (Sjostrand) Thompson
 Virginia Coffield
 James Sorenson
 Scott Flatland Jr.
 Judy Dziengel

Deceased Loved Ones

Dustin Kukowski
 Daniel Ingeman
 Kathryn Earnest
 Mona Fertig
 Veronica Lubarski
 Brian Weleski
 Charlie Anderson
 Raymond Masloski
 Elmer Hungate
 Paul Olsonawski

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

LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST

Sunday May 8th 9:00 AM St. Patrick
 Sacristan: Hank Noel
 Servers: Wesley & Jasper Sugden
 Commentator: Ron Anderson
 Lector: Gloria Cedergren
 Usher: Dennis Olsonawski & Phil Muir
 Money Counters: Hugh Hunt & Jerry Olsonawski
 Coffee Hosts: Freidts, Lindegards, & Muirs

Sunday May 8th 11:00 AM Holy Rosary
 Ministers: Volunteers

CHILD ABUSE AWARENESS/PREVENTION MONTH

Did you know...What is happening in the diocese to protect children?

- Training is provided for all adults and youth to identify warning signs and develop strategies for maintaining a safe environment for all.
- A designated Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to receive reports and accompany victims through their journey.
- A volunteer independent Review Board assists the bishop in the review of cases and makes recommendations for moving forward.
- A Safe Environment Coordinator assists parish and school personnel with training and background screenings for anyone who may have access to children.
- An audit is conducted by an independent firm to evaluate implementation of the Charter for the
- Protection of Children and Young People. Findings are incorporated with those of other dioceses and made available in an Annual Report.

Easter Morning at Holy Rosary



ST. PATRICK'S MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT

2021 Charitable Contributions:

	APRIL	MARCH
In-Church Contributions:	\$10,974.26	\$ 5,169.00
On-Line Contributions:	\$ 1,433.47	\$1,532.00

HOLY ROSARY MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT

	APRIL	MARCH
In-Church Contributions:		\$1,844.00