

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

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PASTOR'S PEN

Greetings in Christ Jesus!

In today's gospel we hear Jesus telling his disciples, 'If anyone loves me, he will keep my word and my Father will love him and we shall come to make our home with him.' The Father and his Son Jesus want to be at home with us.

They want us to be at home with them. And lest we might think that the Holy Spirit is being left out, we shall recall that, as St Paul wrote, our bodies are the temples of the Holy Spirit who dwells in us.

And this on a permanent basis, so that wherever we are God will be part of the action of our lives. God is no intruder. He does not force himself into the intimacy of our personal lives.

Remember what is said of Jesus? Look, I am standing at the door knocking. If one of you hears me calling and opens the door, I will come in and share a meal at that person's side. (Rev 3:20)

Jesus respects our privacy, but he would welcome our hospitality. Ours is the freedom to ignore his knocking. Or, after opening the door to him for a while, we could always push him on his way. Or we could make him at home with us.

Here we are talking about self-giving rather than self-seeking. Surely, we all know of those in families and religious communities who are preoccupied with themselves and their own agendas. They use the facilities but have little use for others unless they can be of use to them!

For us, to live according to the expectations of Jesus is exceedingly demanding. It would be a mistake to see this as dry obedience. Rather, it is our loving response to the God who loves us.

We have to be willing to allow God to take over the home that is our individual self, rather than expect God to conform to our scheme of things.

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 **PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE**

Sunday, June 5th, Mass will be at 4 PM. There will be no 5 PM Saturday Mass or 9 AM Sunday Mass at St. Patricks. There will be 11 AM Mass at Holy Rosary. At the 4 PM 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 meal 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! Please keep Jeff in your prayers these last few weeks before ordination.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We will be having vacation bible school at our parish Sunday, June 12th, from 10 AM-4 PM. Lunch, snacks, fun, and fellowship will be provided. Please register your child by emailing Karen at stpatrickshallock@gmail.com

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, June 12th, Mass will be at 4 PM with the parish picnic to follow. There will be no 5 PM Saturday Mass or 9 AM Sunday Mass at St. Patricks. There will be 11 AM Mass at Holy Rosary. This will be Jeff's first Mass as a Deacon and we will celebrate at the picnic afterwards.

WELCOME BREAKFAST

There will be coffee and goodies served after Mass on Sunday, July 10th, to welcome Father Joshy Mathew to our parish. All are welcome to join.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please continue to keep the Confirmation class in your prayers.

Confirmation Class (June 5th):

Morgan Bergeron, Hayden Olsonawski, & Avery Wiese

ST. TERESA OF CALCUTTA & ST. JOHN PAUL 2 CAMP

The St. Teresa of Calcutta Camp is for youth entering grades 9 & 10. It is June 19th-23rd. St. John Paul 2 Camp is for youth entering grades 7 & 8. It is July 17th-21st. Both camps are held at Oak Hills College in Bemidji, MN. The cost is \$325 per person (family rates are available). For more information visit:

<https://www.crookston.org/toccamp> for St. Teresa of Calcutta Camp and www.crookston.org/jp2camp St. John Paul 2 Camp

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY May 22nd
 Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock Alex Hunt
 Holy Mass 11:00 AM Lancaster Pro Populo

SUNDAY May 29th
 Holy Mass 9:00 AM Hallock Courtney Olsonawski
 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 18th.

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.

PRIEST ASSIGNMENTS

Father Maschio has been assigned to St. Francis de Sales in Moorhead and Father Joshy Mathew, MSFS has been assigned to St. Patrick's and Holy Rosary beginning July 1st.

NURSING HOME ROSARY SCHEDULE

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

Dave Fertig

Gloria Dziengel

Kayla (Sjostrand) Thompson

Virginia Coffield

James Sorenson

Scott Flatland Jr.

Judy Dziengel

Deceased Loved Ones

Dorothy Barber

Vi Bakken

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 29th 9:00 AM St. Patrick
 Sacristan: Jerry Olsonawski
 Servers: Wesley & Jasper Sugden
 Commentator: Kathy Nelson
 Lector: Hank Noel
 EMHC: VeAnn Green
 Usher: Mike Green & Hugh Hunt
 Money Counters: Keith Urbaniak & Volunteer

Sunday May 29th 11:00 AM Holy Rosary
 Ministers: Volunteers

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Have you heard about the Eucharistic Revival that is set to begin June 19th on the Feast of Corpus Christi? Our own Bishop Cozzens is leading this nationwide revival! If you haven't heard about it, check out the website: <https://eucharisticrevival.org> There are videos on various topics and you can learn about what is planned for the three year cycle. Locally, as we begin our Diocesan Year of the National Eucharistic Revival, Bishop Cozzens invites all the Catholics of the diocese (especially families!) to join him June 19, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, and Fathers Day, at St. Philip's in Bemidji, for Mass at 1 PM, followed by a Eucharistic Procession at 2 PM. The procession will travel along the lake and return to the church for an ice cream social at 3:30. If you have any questions, Jeff Reese is a member of the diocesan committee for the Eucharistic Revival.

CONGRATULATIONS

St. Patrick's and Holy Rosary would like to wish Ozzie Meyer-Rice the best of luck and God's blessings as he graduates Friday from Lancaster School. He is planning to attend the University of Jamestown in the fall.

BULLETIN BITS - 6th Sunday of Easter

"...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

(JOHN 14:27)

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

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:	\$ 1,734.34	\$1,844.00