

# TRIPARISH CATHOLIC CHURCHES



*Our Lady of Mt Carmel (OLMC)*

27 Main Street

Easton, MN 56025

*Saint Casimir (STC)*

320 2nd Ave SW

Wells, MN 56097

*Saint John the Baptist (STJB)*

100 Park Street N.

Minnesota Lake, MN 56068

Pastor: Rev. Greg Havel

507-553-5391

## **Adoration**

*Eucharistic Adoration for the Tri-parish will resume weekly at St. Casimir Church*

**Wednesday** at 9:00 pm

through **Thursday** 10:00 pm.

## 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sunday October 24, 2021**

<b>*Monday,</b>	<b>October 25</b>	
No Mass		STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Tuesday,</b>	<b>October 26</b>	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Wednesday,</b>	<b>October 27</b>	
Mass	8:30 am	OLMC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Thursday,</b>	<b>October 28</b>	
Mass	8:30 am	STJB
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Friday,</b>	<b>October 29</b>	
Mass	8:30 am	STC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Saturday,</b>	<b>October 30</b>	
Reconciliation	8:30 am	STC
Reconciliation	9:30 am	OLMC
Reconciliation	4:00 pm	STJB
Mass	5:00 pm	STJB
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Sunday,</b>	<b>October 31</b>	
<i>Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>		
Mass	8:00 am	STC
Mass	10:00 am	OLMC
Rosary	7:30 pm	STC

<b>*Monday,</b>	<b>November 1</b>	
<b>All Saints Day Mass 5:00pm STC</b>		

## From Fr. Havel...

It was an act of faith that led Bartimaeus, the blind beggar, to cry out to Jesus saying, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me." Even though other people rebuked him and told him to be quiet he yelled out again, "Son of David, have pity on me." Recognizing Jesus as his savior, as the only one who could bring healing to his blindness, Bartimaeus would not be turned away. Jesus, hearing Bartimaeus' plea called him and healed him.

We too are reminded to recognize Jesus as our Lord and Savior. Come Lord Jesus and heal our blindness that we may recognize the gift of God's love and healing power. May God truly hear as we like Bartimaeus, cry out Jesus, son of David, have pity on us!

~Fr. Greg

**You will find a letter in the bulletin from Bishop Quinn announcing the settlement of the sexual abuse lawsuits against the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. Please join in prayer with Bishop Quinn in praying for all victims of abuse.**

**Recently departed: Hunter Wright,  
Bill Stokman**

**In Our Prayers-Soldiers Overseas**

**Troy Haugh, Nick Father**

## Tri-Parish Announcements

### OLMC Bulletin Announcements

**Mass Servers:** Fr. Havel will be having a training session after mass on Sunday, October 24 for any new servers as well as our experienced servers. Please be sure to mark your calendars and attend this important meeting for the ministry of the Mass.

**OLMC MCCW** Quarterly Meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 26, 2021, at 7:00 pm in Madonna Hall. All are welcome to attend.

### STC Mission Quilt Assembly

Each Monday at 9:00 am we come together to quilt in the Church basement. We welcome everyone to come join the fun as they piece together brightly colored squares of fabric. It's very gratifying and new friendships are made. Quilters have the biggest hearts, the kindest dispositions, enormous talent and lots of love. These quilts are donated to **Mission Relief Programs**. Questions call 553-3419

### Active Aging Program

The Active Aging Program's, Catholic Charities of Southern Minnesota, is offering a free Exercise Program for older Adults, designed to improve strength, balance and flexibility **Stay Active and Independent for Life (SAIL)** meets two mornings per week. You will perform exercises including warm-up, low impact cardio movement, strength training, balance and cool-down stretching. A trained volunteer leader facilitates the class and offers health education tip each week. The **SAIL Exercise Program** meets at Alden Municipal Hall, 174 North Broadway Mondays and Thursdays 9:00-10:00 am. Walk-in registration. Ongoing program-all welcome. For more information Call Marlene at 507-450-1518, Mlevine@ccsomm.org

### Prayer Requests of the Tri-Parish

*Let us always remember the sick and all those in need of prayer, especially:* Mary McCallum, Bruce Woitas, Katie Ascherman, Cassandra Walser, Jerome Goette, Jean Stenzel, Zach Fendrich, Triston Father, Mike Redig, Louise Giese, Mark Haler, Janet Yokiel, Dale Sonnek, Butch Becker, Gayle Redig, Jay Johnson, Jim Bute, Marge Bute, David Stadheim, Dick Esser, Ardean Schultz, Leshaine Sonnek, Evelyn (Haugh) Wallace, Abe Subia, Larry & Barb Quillin, Cletus Rath *and for all our service men & women of the armed forces.*

Whenever any of our parish members or families are in need of special prayers, please call and we will begin our prayer lines for any need-give only the details you wish. OLMC- Peggy Linder 787-2575 or Linda Swehla 787-2434, STJB- Rhonda Drager at 462-3627 or STJB Parish Office at 462-3636, STC- Barb Stenzel at 553-3805.

Mass Schedule & Intentions					
Mon	10/25	No Mass			
Tues	10/26	STC	†Rita Neubauer	8:30 a.m.	
Wed	10/27	OLMC	†Fred Cole	8:30 a.m.	
Thurs	10/28	STJB	†Daisy Bach	8:30 a.m.	
Fri	10/29	STC	†Marlene Staloch	8:30 a.m.	
Sat	10/30	STJB	†Frank Wingen	5:00 p.m.	
Sun	10/31	STC	†Living & Deceased members of the Knights of Columbus	8:00 a.m.	
Sun	10/31	OLMC	†Jerry Paul & †Karel Paul	10:00a.m.	

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

On Oct. 14, 2021, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota confirmed a Plan of Reorganization for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. This plan was jointly submitted by the Diocese and the Committee of Unsecured Creditors, who represent the survivors of sexual abuse.

I want to express my deepest apology to the survivors of sexual abuse in the Church. You trusted those who were to keep you safe and they betrayed that trust. When that trust was placed in a priest who took away your innocence, that experience was deeply devastating and traumatic. I am deeply sorry. My prayers are joined to countless others, as we commend you for your bravery and ask the Lord to bring you healing and wholeness.

After seeing so much pain and suffering in the lives of the survivors, the Diocese of Winona-Rochester is resolved to maintain a safe environment in every parish, Catholic school, and related institution by insisting on training for every priest, deacon, religious, teacher, employee, and volunteer, who has contact with underage persons or vulnerable adults. We are committed to staying vigilant because training has opened our eyes both to identifying the signs of grooming behaviors with minors and to reporting concerns about possible abuse to law enforcement.

I remain very grateful to our Catholic Community across the twenty countries of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. You have taught me to be hope-filled amid the challenges of the clergy scandals in the Church and to remain committed to seeking justice for the survivors of sexual abuse. You taught me to remain anchored with a deep faith in Jesus Christ and be sustained by His presence in the Eucharist.

Blessed are you for being committed to the great good done by the Church through the ministries of education, healthcare, and service to the poor.

Blessed are you for affirming your pastors and priests and for helping them and me, your bishop, to seek the holiness of Jesus Christ.

Blessed are you for your lives of Christian witness and faithfulness to the Gospel.

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Rev. John M Quinn

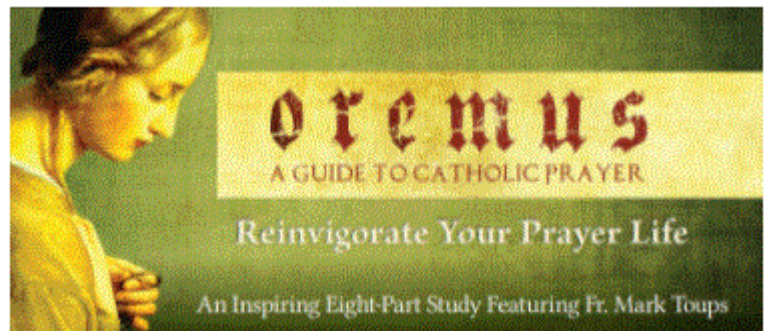
Bishop of Winona-Rochester

## Save the Date! Rescheduled to October 27th

### An 8 Week study on Prayer

Become more aware of God's close presence. Learn to overcome distractions and dryness. As you grow closer to God, you will also grow in your relationship with those around you.

Join us beginning **Wednesday October 27th** at 6:30 pm in St. Casimir Church Hall. Please pre-register so materials will be available to you. Contact Lisa by email, phone, or text at [faithstc33@gmail.com](mailto:faithstc33@gmail.com) or 507-383-5895.



### **Weekly Contributions as of October 15**

OLMC--Amount needed weekly.....\$2,452.00  
Amount needed to date.....\$39,232.00  
Amount given to date..... \$39,931.10

STC— Amount needed weekly.....\$5,127.00  
Amount needed to date.....\$82,032.00  
Amount given to date.....\$75,020.93

STJB—Amount needed weekly.....\$1,700.00  
Amount needed to date.....\$27,200.00  
Amount given to date.....\$21,548.45

Online giving is available at the website: [olmcstcstjb.org](http://olmcstcstjb.org) or [triparishsouth.com](http://triparishsouth.com). Click on the Online Giving logo on the main page under the calendar for the parish you'd like to donate to. It can be one-time or recurring.

### **Catholic Ministry Appeal**

**OLMC** Goal \$10,000.00

Amount received/pledged- \$6,088.00

% Given— 58.38%

# donors— 24

**STC** Goal—\$20,885.00

Amount received/pledged— \$16,603.00

% Given— 79.31%

# donors— 57

**STJB** Goal \$7,404.00

Amount received/pledged- \$4,610.00

% Given— 62%

# donors- 14

### **TriParish Directory**

Fr. Greg Havel .....507-553-5391  
Deacon Gene Paul.....507-854-3676  
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(Tri-Parish Catholic Faith Community of OLMC, STC & STJB)

### **Our Lady of Mount Carmel**

Email.....[olmc@bevcomm.net](mailto:olmc@bevcomm.net)  
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Administrative Assistant.....Sue Cory  
Cemetery.....Don Linder  
Faith Formation.....Chris Schultz  
Music.....Mary Kayser

### **St. Casimir**

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Bookkeeper.....Kay Herman  
Cemetery.....Tom Schindler  
Faith Formation.....Lisa Bute  
Liturgical Music Coordinator.....Connie Stenzel

### **St. John the Baptist**

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Cemetery.....Bob Drager

### **St. Casimir's School**

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Principal.....Diane Edwards  
Secretary.....Teresa Chirpich  
Website.....[stcasimirsschool.net](http://stcasimirsschool.net)

***Office Hours Vary***

*Scrip is available! Please call 553-5391  
Email: [scasimir@bevcomm.net](mailto:scasimir@bevcomm.net). Or stop  
into the Church Office.*

*If you would like Holy Communion brought to  
you , please call the Church office 553-5391.*