

June 29, 2025 | SS. Peter and Paul, Apostles Sunday



Our Lady of Mount Carmel | 27 Main Street, Easton, MN 56025 | Sunday Mass 10:00 am
St. Casimir Church | 320 2nd Ave SW, Wells MN. 56097 | Sunday Mass: 8:00 am
St. John the Baptist Church | P.O. Box 158, Minnesota Lake, MN 56068 | Mass: 5:00 pm

Mass Schedule and Intentions July 1-2 and 5-6, 2025

<u>1</u>	Tues.	5:30 pm	Wells	+Marvin Schultz
<u>2</u>	Wed.	7:00 am	Easton	+Dale Bleess
<u>5</u>	Sat.	5:00 pm	Minn. Lake	+Jerry and +Adeline James
<u>6</u>	Sun.	8:00 am	Wells	+For the living & Deceased members of the Judson and Marie Manwarren Family
<u>6</u>	Sun.	10:00 am	Easton	+Sister Mary Owen Stevermer

Every Saturday: 4:30 pm Confessions before Mass

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY THE ROSARY 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO MASSES: Minnesota Lake— Thurs. and Sat.; Easton —Wed. and Sun.; Wells—Tues. Fri. and Sun. Rosary is always prayed every night of the year at 7:30 pm, at St. Casimir.

Know that Fr. Pratap includes all of us in his daily prayers and private Mass intentions. If a Mass is cancelled, Fr. Pratap will include that scheduled Mass Intention at his private daily Mass. If you prefer it be rescheduled, please let Father or your respective parish office know.

Tri Parish Prayer Intentions:

Triston Father	Todd Schuster	Mike Redig
Steve Sonnek	Dace Smith	Dave Sonnek
Sue Sonnek	Craig Sonnek	Jan Stenzel
Sheila Runquist	Zach Fendrich	Colette Caeli
Teresa Berry	Charlie Kalis	Drees
Chuck Evan	Don Yokiel	Richard Stenzel
Rosemary Larson	Koltun Kunz	Mary Stevermer
Ann Ehrich	Ken Tibodeau	Tiffany Sonnek
Steve Warmka	Colton Smith	Jackie Guibert
Quentin Staloch	Tyler Doyle	Darrin Hueper
Grace Drager	Jane Swehla	Katie Ascherman
Sharon Obermeyer	Frank Diaz	Norbert Yokiel
Donnie Becker	Cathy Pluym	Grant Supalla
Vincent Schultz	Jan Elmer	Mark Woitas
		Carol Gregor

PARISH PRIEST

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul-Sunday, June 29, 2025

Readings: Acts 12:1-11; Psalm 34:2-9; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

Today the Church celebrates the feast of Saints Peter and Paul. This is one of the principal holy days of the liturgical year that takes precedence when it falls on a Sunday. It reflects the important events in the lives and ministries of these two great apostles.

Peter and Paul were great men. It is common in preaching to hear about Peter's failures, his weaknesses and false steps, which the Gospels make no attempt to hide. And we first meet Paul, of course, when he is persecuting the Church. Peter and Paul were both flawed men, but nonetheless they are great men.

In fact, one of the things that makes them both great is that they acknowledge their flaws. Practically, the first words out of Simon Peter's mouth in the Gospel of Luke are, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man" (Lk 5:8). In one of his letters, Paul claims to boast in his weakness (2 Cor 12:9).

The Lord does the building. He gives Simon the fisherman a new name and a new identity, and he reorients the life of Paul in every way on the road to Damascus.

Peter and Paul were unique in the role they were called to play in the foundation of the Church. The Lord invites all of us to the same greatness, whatever the specifics of our mission here on earth may be. We are called to be saints, to let go of ourselves and let Jesus live in us.

There are always people ready to persecute both the leaders and the members of the Church. King Herod Agrippa was one-such tyrant, with no regard for justice. Members of the Church are always ready to pray for one another and especially for their leaders. God always assigns angels to watch over His Church and protect her members, and sometimes this aid is dramatic.

By divine institution, the Church has sacred ministers called clerics. The first of these "clerics" were the apostles, to whom Christ gave a share in His Saving Mission with power to act in His person.

Christ made Peter the Church's visible head. "The bishop of the Church of Rome, successor to St. Peter, is 'head of the college of bishops, the Vicar of Christ and the shepherd of the universal Church on earth'. "The Pope enjoys, by divine institution, 'supreme, full, immediate, and universal power in the care of souls'".

"The Bishops, established by the Holy Spirit, succeed the apostles. They are 'the visible source and foundation of unity in their own Churches of the diocese'.

"Helped by the priests, their co-workers, and by the deacons, the bishops have the duty of authentically teaching the faith, celebrating divine worship, above all the Eucharist, and guiding their Churches as true priests. Their responsibility also includes concern for all the Churches, with and under the Pope." ~Fr. Pratap

SACRAMENTAL LIFE



MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Contact the priest 6 to 12 months in advance of the date of marriage to fill out the forms, to do FOCCUS Test and to attend Marriage Prep Mentoring Sessions. Fr. Pratap is seeking married couples who are practicing Catholics, and have children, who would be willing to volunteer to help prepare our engaged couples for marriage. Please contact Fr. Pratap at 507-226-4536, or your parish office, if interested.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Contact the parish office a month in advance to fill out the form and to attend Baptism Mentoring Sessions.

LITURGICAL LIFE

SUNDAY July 6, 2025

Minnesota Lake	WELLS	EASTON
Sat 5:00 pm	Sunday 8:00 am	Sunday 10:00 am
SERVERS	Clara Bushlack Leona Bushlack Tillea Goette Abby Chirpich	Cameron Linder Spencer Schultz Riley Stevermer
SACRISTAN	Lea Nowak	Dianne Rauenhorst
LECTOR	Mark and Lea Nowak	Nancy Linder
ORGANIST	Connie Stenzel	Mary Kayser
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Scott Bute Joanne Haugh Adam Henning	Doug Ascheman Jeff Rath Yvonne Cory Joyce Eastvold
USHERS	John Tibodeau Mark Schmitz Rick Mueller Harold Goeden	Logan Strom Bernie Schultz Dean Schimek
ROSARY	Scott Bute	Jack Schimek
Shepherd's Inn	Linda Esner	
MONEY COUNTERS	Team 2	

*Parkview Care Center Mass,
Every 3rd Friday of the month at 10:00 am*

Adoration



Eucharistic Adoration for the Tri-Parish at St. Casimir, Wednesday at 9:00 pm through Thursday 10:00 pm. You are invited to sign up for a weekly hour or just come for a while and pray anytime. All are invited. For more information, please call the Tri-Parish office at 507-553-5391

St. Casimir's families or persons who would like to bring up gifts please let me know, and I can sign you up. Call 507-553-5391 or let Arnie Stenzel or Lea Nowak know.

Next week's readings:
Isaiah 66:10-14c;
Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

IN OUR PRAYERS: Recently departed;

Whenever any of our parish members of families in need of special prayers, please call and we will begin our prayer lines for any need-give only details you wish. OLMC- Sue Cory 507-787-2598, STJB- Rhonda Drager 507-462-3627, and Barb Stenzel 507-553-3805.

FAITH COMMUNITY GENEROUS GIVING

	Weekly	Year to Date	Annual Budget
Minnesota Lake	\$726.00	\$85,437.34	\$108,846.75
Wells	\$2,270.00	\$346,430.15	
Easton	\$1,519.00	\$141,299.48	\$131,500.00

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2025

Minnesota Lake	\$1,900.00	Goal \$8119
Wells	\$10,531.00	Goal \$20,793
Easton	\$12,768.75	\$2,085.75 over goal!

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NOTES FOR ALL PARISHES

OLMC , MASS TIME CHANGE

On Wednesday , July 2, Mass will be at 7:00 am.

There will be no Masses on July 3rd and 4th in our Tri-Parish. The weekend Masses will be celebrated by Fr. Peter Klein.

OLMC STEEPLE

Re-dedication meeting will be held on Sunday, June 29 at OLMC after Mass in Madonna Hall. All are welcome to attend.

SENIOR STATUS

Dear Deacon Gene Paul, as you are granted a Senior Status by Bishop Robert Barren, in the Diocese of Winona/Rochester , effective from July 1, 2025, our Tri-Parish congratulates you for the wonderful gift you are and your dedicated service in the last 20 years. We assure you our continued prayers and support.

WELLS FLY-IN

Sunday , June 29, Wells Fly-In, Drive-in breakfast and car show. Wells Municipal Airport, 2 miles west of Wells on Highway 109. Serving pancakes, French toast, eggs to order, sausage, coffee and beverages. 7:30 am to Noon. Airplane rides will be available for a fee.

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY MASS: September 6

This year Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Barron at 10:00 am on Saturday, September 6 at St. Rose of Lima in Lewiston. Couples are asked to register here: <https://www.dowr.org/event-details/3779>.

SCRIP INVENTORY

With the closing of the school, we need to sell the remaining scrip cards. Here are the cards we have available. Stop in the Wells rectory to purchase.

PRODUCT NAME	AMOUNT	QUANTITY AVAILABLE
Cold Stone Creamery	\$10	2
Cub	\$100	2
Gap/Athleta/Banana Rep/Old Navy	\$25	4
Hallmark	\$25	1
LL Bean	\$25	1
Total Wine & More	\$25	4
Ulta Beauty	\$25	3
Under Armour	\$25	2



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