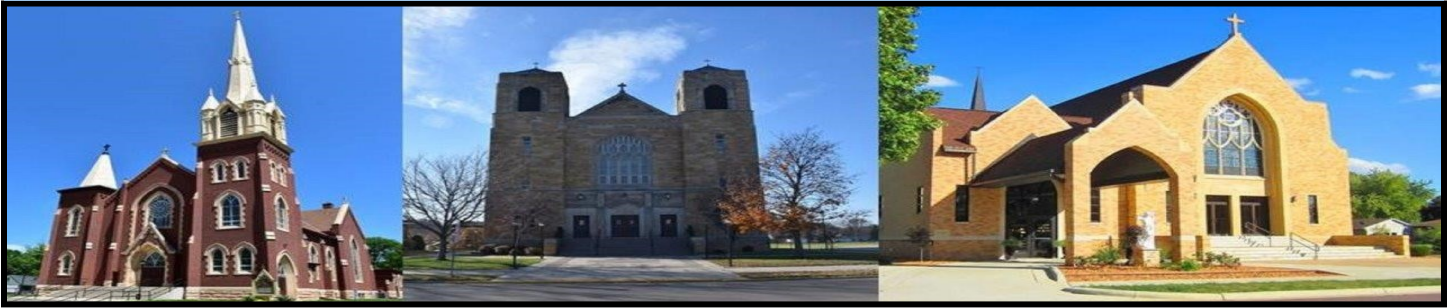


June 9, 2024 | 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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 & intentions - June 11-16 2023

<u>11</u>	Tues	5:30 pm	Wells	+Kas Greenfield
<u>12</u>	Wed	8:30 am	Easton	+Patty Adams Family
<u>13</u>	Thurs	8:30 am	Minnesota Lake	+Michael McCallum
<u>14</u>	Fri	8:30 am	Wells	+Barbara Garver Family
<u>15</u>	Sat.	5:00 pm	Minnesota Lake	+LaRue Staloch
<u>16</u>	Sun	8:00 am	Wells	+Martina Narravo
<u>16</u>	Sun	10:00 am	Easton	+Ray +Joan & +Bill Becker

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.

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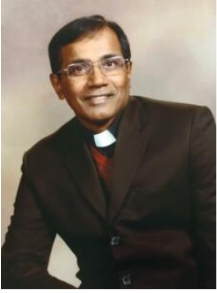
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Submit Intentions to Parish Coordinator

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- Triston Father
- Steve Sonnek
- Sue Sonnek
- Sheila Runquist
- Dennis Thisius
- Teresa Berry
- Chuck Evan
- Dawn Russ-Cory
- Dace Smith
- Craig Sonnek
- Zach Fendrich
- Charlie Kalis
- John Volz
- Steve Stenzel
- Betty Thisius
- Jeanne Miller
- Don Yokiel
- Koltun Kunz
- Ken Tibodeau
- Gary Bach
- Jan Stenzel
- Tiffany Sonnek
- Mike Redig
- Nancy Dylla
- Dave Sonnek
- Jerome Leesch
- Jan Willette
- Dale and Marg Sonnek
- Colton Smith

PRAYER & WORSHIP



10th Ordinary Sunday-Bulletin Message, June 9, 2024-B Cycle

Readings: Genesis 3:9-15 2; Cor. 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35

There are situations in life when we might hesitate to grow spiritually in Christ. There are obstacles that interfere with our spiritual values. Yes, there are obstacles in life when we come face to face to stumbling blocks.

What are stumbling blocks? In the Sacred Scriptures, the stumbling block is anything that leads to sin.

The readings of this weekend's liturgy have perfect examples of stumbling blocks. We hear how Eve was a stumbling block to Adam's salvation. Adam trusted the woman that God gave him, and she betrayed him. Once she had sinned by eating the apple, she knew that she had done wrong. Having experienced guilt, she tricked Adam into entering the life of sin. One's spouse can become a stumbling block in life.

The Second Letter to the Corinthians tells us that the lack of perseverance in faith and hope is a stumbling block to our spiritual growth.

Gospel also speaks of stumbling blocks. There are those who falsely accuse others. Jesus was accused of casting out demons by the power of the ruler of the demons. Those who obstruct the work of God, any kind of work of God.

Parents who refuse to take the time to raise their children in their living faith, including taking them to Church on Sundays and Holy Days, are creating a stumbling block to their own salvation. Another stumbling block in one's salvation is "whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit, can never have forgiveness."

Family members, parents, and children, who are constantly fighting with one another, who are constantly yelling at each other, who are constantly abusing other members of the family, such behaviors are stumbling blocks to the harmony of the family. Such stumbling blocks can only lead to the deterioration of the psychological well-being of individual members of the house.

Jesus said, "if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand." If we are followers of Christ and claim to be for God, then we cannot be against God. We cannot serve two masters. Either we are with God, or we are not with God. The choice is ours. ~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

LITURGICAL ROLES - June 16, 2024

Minnesota Lake	Wells	EASTON
Saturday 5:00 pm	Sunday 8:00 am	SUNDAY 10:00 am
SERVERS	Carson Mullery Gavin Chirpich Colton Mullery	Claire Schimek Sophia Schimek
LECTOR	Bernard Steinhauer	Cheryl Warmka
Organist	Connie Stenzel	Mary Kayser
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Scott Bute Adam Henning Larry Brand	Don Linder Nancy Linder Ryan Strom
USHERS	Rick Mueller Mark Schmitz Mark Ignaszewski Randy Feist	Dean Warmka Tom Warmka Tyler Sonnek
SACRISTANS		
ROSARY	Lea Nowak	Dianne Rauenhorst



Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: O God, from whom all good things come, grant that we, who call on you in our need, may at your prompting discern what is right, and by your guidance do it. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

This week's readings:
Genesis 3:9-15 2; Cor. 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35
Next week's readings:
Ezekiel 17: 2; Cor. 5:6-10. Mark 4:26-34

CHURCH SUPPORT			
	Minnesota Lake	Wells	Easton
Needed	\$ 1,925	\$ 5,519	\$ 2,500
Given	\$ 86,270.14	\$ 230,909.00	\$ 144,281.08
Budget	\$ 92,400.00	\$ 248,009.00	\$ 122,500.00

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2024		
	Parish Goal	\$ Received
Minnesota Lake	\$7,965	\$8,073 (\$408.00 over Goal)
Wells	\$21,089	\$12,068
Easton	\$10,683	\$10,578

“The Eucharist, memorial of Christ’s Passover, is by its nature the bearer of the eternal and the infinite in human history.”
 Pope St. John Paul—

Adoration Schedule



Monthly Schedule for Adoration

1st Sat.-Easton - 11:00 am -Noon
 2nd Sat.-MN Lake-11:00 am -Noon
 3rd Sat. - Wells; 10:00 am -12:00 pm
 Confessions 11:00 am to Noon

Note: on June 8th No Adoration in Minnesota Lake, due to the ordination of Deacon Brian Klein in Winona.

INSIDE OUR PARISHES

Minnesota Lake

JUNE 8th, 2024

There will not be Adoration on June 8th in Minnesota Lake due to Deacon Brian Klein's Ordination in Winona.

FR.PRATAP HOURS FOR MINNESOTA LAKE Fr Pratap will be making himself available for our parishioners of St. John the Baptist at the rectory on **Thursdays** from 8:15 am to 5:00 pm.

LITURGY ROLES: There is a sign up sheet on the counter in the main entrance of the Church for various ministry roles. If you do not see a sign up sheet for the ministry you are interested in, please call Rhonda at 507-380-8591.



Jesus came home with his disciples. Again the crowd gathered, making it impossible for them even to eat.

When his relatives heard of this they set out to seize him, for they said, "He is out of his mind." The scribes who had come from Jerusalem said, "He is possessed by Beelzebul," and "By the prince of demons he drives out de-mons."

Wells

TUESDAY, JUNE 18

Wells will not be having Mass on Tuesday, June 18 due to Ministry Days of Winona. The rectory will also be closed Tuesday and Wednesday, June 18-19

FR.PRATAP HOURS FOR WELLS

Fr Pratap is available for our Tri-Parish members at the Wells rectory on Tuesdays from noon and Fridays following 8:30 am Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY OF EVRY MONTH

The first Friday of every month following Mass, is Adoration and Confessions up to 10:30 am in Wells. If anyone is interested in continuing adoration from 10:00 to Noon. There is a sign-up sheet in the Handicap entrance, please be responsible for being in attendance for the scheduled time you sign up for.

ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration for the Tri-parish will resume weekly 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 away for a while and pray at any time. All are invited. For more information, please call the Tri-parish office at 507 553 5391 from 8:00-2:00 or leave a message.

VOLUNTEER

Experience Adventures in Ministry and grow in your Congregation

Easton

MCCW

Due to some personal reason, I am needing to step down as MCCW President immediately. I am looking for someone to take over the President position as there is currently not a Vice President. If you are interested or have questions about what is involved, please contact me. If no one is willing to volunteer, our MCCW group could be put in a position of having to fold. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Angie Doyle, 507-525-3686

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

OLMC will not be having Mass or Adoration on Wednesday, June 19 due to Ministry Days in Winona.

FR.PRATAP HOURS FOR EASTON

Fr Pratap will be making himself available for our parishioners of OLMC at the rectory on **Wednesday's** from 8:15 am to 5:00 pm.

LITURGY ROLES: Looking to become more involved in church? Please contact Sue Cory or Fr. Pratap if you would be interested in helping out with the Rosary, Readings, altar servers, ushering, Eucharist ministers, lectors, or contribution steward.



NOTES FOR ALL PARISHES

Adoration and Confessions

First Friday of every month, followed by Mass adoration and confessions. 10:30 am. St. Casimir in Wells.

If anyone is interested in continuing adoration from 10:00 to Noon. Sign up sheet will be in the entrance of St. Casimir's Church, you will be responsible to be an attendance for the times you sign up. 10:30 to 11:30, half hour incumbents

ST. CASIMIR SCHOOL

We are excited to extend an invitation to parents with children in preschool-sixth grade for the coming school year to consider enrollment at SCCS. St. Casimir's is a Christ-centered faith community where we pray, learn and celebrate together. With Christ as model and guide, we strive to develop academic excellence integrated with the truths and values of the Gospels.

To enroll your child, please contact the school at [507-553-5822](tel:507-553-5822) or at casimir@bevcomm.net. We hope your family will soon join the SCCS family!

JUNE 18 & 19

Due to Ministry Days on June 18 & 19 there will not be Mass in Wells, Tuesday, June 18 and Wednesday June 19 in Easton. The Wells office will be also be closed, June 18 & 19.

PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS AND ROME

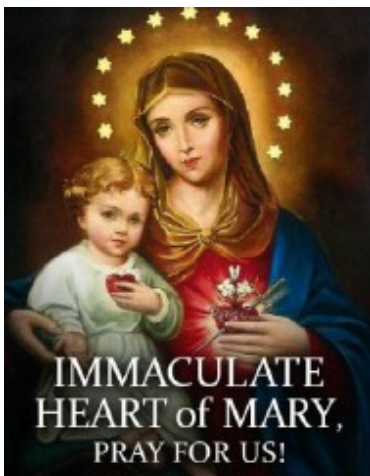
Consider visiting the cities of Paris, Lourdes, Rome, and Assisi. This is an opportunity to explore the rich Catholic tradition of these places and experience the miracles of our Faith. If you are planning to take part in the tour, please sign up as soon as possible. The tour is scheduled for May 6—17, 2025. Sign-up forms are in the brochures at entrances of your church.

MASS STIPENDS

Increase of Mass stipends. The decree is effective July 1, 2024 to which a Mass intention is attached is ten (10) dollars. The 2024-2025 Compensation Policy for Priest will reflect this decree. Any intentions made prior to July 1, 2024 will be honored according to the number of Masses intended with the original offering. All Masses celebrated after July 1, 2024 will be afforded the stipend at the new rate.

The Most Reverend Robert Barron

Bishop of Winona-Rochester



The Immaculate Heart of Mary is a rescue for sinners.

The salvation for all of us is the Immaculate Heart of Mary. However, this path raises many questions, because Mary, like all of us, is a creation and a Human being, not God. We must forget about it, let alone blur the impassable border between the Creator and creation.

The heart of Mary is described as Immaculate, because we can look at the immaculateness of the Heart of Mary in two aspects: preservation from original sin and giving fullness of grace and extraordinary holiness. The first of them finds its biblical justification in the announcement of the total hostility between Satan and the Woman whose offspring will destroy the head of the serpent.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

We are grateful to God for the abundant blessings and graces poured out upon our 2023-2024

Faith Formation year. It was an honor this past year to serve:

79 total students in Grades 1-11, including:

13 new students

47 total families, including:

9 new families fully enrolled

10 First Communion students

15 Pre-Confirmation students

Parents

"Parents have the first responsibility for the education of their children." CCC #2223

The catechism teaches us that the home is the first encounter of the virtues and witness to the love of God. The church and her ministries are honored to support parents in that role! We walk the journey of faith together. Many thanks to the parents for their faithfulness in bringing their children to class each week.

Sacramental Preparations

We are grateful to all the parents who joined us in sacramental preparations of our young people. The parents themselves attended sessions created to draw us more deeply into the mysteries of our sacraments through video, discussions, art, saint quotes, music, and prayer. Together with the students, parents participated in retreats and rehearsals.

Faith Formation Team

13 catechists

2 hospitality helpers

1 substitute

We are so grateful for our dedicated team of faith formation volunteers who so generously sacrificed their time each week to share their love of the Catholic faith with our students!

Many thanks to the following:

Dorothy Wach, Monica (Bute) Miller, Linda Enser, JoAnn Schroeder, Heather Obermeyer, Stephanie Kayser, Kayla Huper, Jessica Yokiel, Arnie Stenzel, Dianne Rauenhorst, Andrew Bach, Scott Bute, Lisa Bute, Lea Nowak, Mary Merritt, and Christy Ignaszewski.

Faith Community

We offer you, our parishioners, a heart-felt thank you for your continued and generous support of our programs! We couldn't do it without you!

Leadership

It is with great eagerness that we welcome the guidance of Fr. Pratap as he leads us into the 2024-2025 Faith Formation year in a few short months! Please pray for us! The planning has already begun!

