

**BAPTISM:** During Mass on the weekends; if outside of Mass, on Saturday or Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with Msgr. Rick Colletti for instructions. Please call the St. Adrian Parish office at 507-483-2317 prior to setting the date of the baptism.

**MARRIAGE:** Please make arrangements at least six months in advance. Your first visit with Msgr. Rick Colletti will be to set the date of your wedding. Please call the St. Adrian Parish Office at (507) 483-2317. Marriage Preparation Course is required



*“Sir, leave it for this year also, and I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future. If not you can cut it down.” ~Luke 13:9*



Diocese of  
Winona-Rochester



*The Lord is kind and merciful.*  
~ Psalm 103

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† *All for the greater glory of God!* †

**Mon 03/25 8:30 AM (A)** † Bill Rupp  
**Tues 03/26 5:30 PM (K)** † Teresa Moser  
**Wed 03/27 8:30 AM (L)** † Cyril Gengler  
**Thurs 03/28 8:30 AM (A)** † Cyril & Isabel Thier  
**Fri 03/29 8:30 AM (W)** † Herb & Loretta Spartz

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Sat 03/30 5:00 PM (L)** † JoAnn Scheffler  
**Sun 03/31 8:30 AM (W)** † Quentin Hoffman  
**Sun 03/31 10:30 AM (A)** † Bud John  
 † Gert Berning

**Confessions:** -Half-hour before weekend Masses

**Catholic Ministry Appeal**



**Goals for 2019**

**St. Adrian:** \$17,860.....\$ 7,940.00  
**St. Anthony:** \$ 7,720.....\$ 2,280.00  
**OLGC:** \$ 8,050.....\$ 1,580.00

**ONLINE GIVING – WEB LINKS**

<http://giving.parishsoft.com/stanthonygiving> ~ St. Anthony  
<http://giving.parishsoft.com/stadriangiving> ~ St. Adrian  
<http://giving.parishsoft.com/olgcgiving> ~ OLGC

**ST. ADRIAN**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 17, 2019- 10:30 AM**

Envelopes: \$3,121.00 ~ Offertory: \$197.00 ~ Utility: \$480.00  
 Flowers: \$225.00 ~ Eastern Europe: \$30.00  
 Online Giving: \$328.24

**Calendar Raffle Winner: March 24, 2019:** Jerry Murphy

**Ministry Schedule: March 31, 2019: 10:30 AM**

**Lectors:** Roxanne Voss, Dave Eickhoff

**Servers:** Brock Henning, Gabby Vortherms, Kaylynn Urdahl

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Steve Ashby, Vern Suedkamp, Terri Elias, Leon Bullerman, Rick Bullerman, Karen Bullerman, Kim Kunkel



**THANK YOU!** Thank you to everyone who attended the KC's Pancake & Sausage Breakfast! We had the best turnout, yet. We appreciate all your support!

**Church Cleaning:** Church cleaning will be **Monday-Wednesday ~ April 8-10**. CCW circle chairpersons will receive a schedule for their circle to clean. Cleaning can be done anytime between 8 am - 8 pm. All CCW members are asked to help or a donation can be made for supplies. Men are also welcome to help Thank you.



**Court Santa Maria #247 Catholic Daughters: A reminder that membership dues are to be paid ASAP.** Please bring to the meeting or mail to Lenore Domeyer 1450 Knollwood #105 Worthington, MN 56187. New members are always welcome! Check out the CDA table downstairs for a packet.

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 17, 2019 - 8:30 AM**

Envelopes: \$1,343.00 ~ Offertory: \$195.00 ~ Flowers: \$120.00  
 Utilities: \$100.00 ~ Online Giving: \$670.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner: March 24, 2019:** Mike Hoffman

**Ministry Schedule: March 31, 2109: 8:30 AM**

**Lector:** Carol Bertrand

**Servers:** Claire Hoffman, Lane Hoffman, Hunter Penning

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Sharon Balster  
 Jim & Joan Joens



**Joint Choir Practice:** Choir practice will begin **Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM** at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church for Holy Saturday Mass. We will also meet on Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> and then plan the other practices from that point on. Please come and share your gift with the choir!

**ST. ANTHONY / ST. KILIAN**

**Sacrificial Giving – March 16, 2019- 5:00 PM**

Envelopes: \$610.00 ~ Offertory: \$126.00 ~ Fuel: \$65.00  
 Church Central & Eastern Europe: \$225.00  
 Online Giving: \$1,085.00

**Calendar Raffle: March 24, 2019:** Andy Scheffler

**Ministry Schedule: March 30, 2019: 5:00 PM**

**Lector:** Lisa Diekmann

**Servers:** Cassidy Madison, Cheyenna John

**Sacristan:** Marge Loosbrock

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Laura Fodness

Steph Diekmann, Shirley Wieneke

**St. Anthony Stations of the Cross** will be prayed on Wednesday, **March 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the church. Please make this part of your Lenten Prayer.



**CDA New Member Gathering:** Do you desire to do more for Christ & the Church? Interested new members are welcome to join other women at a wine & hors d'oeuvre party, **Sunday, March 24 at 2:00 PM** in St. Anthony's Church Basement. (*Please note change of date*) This is a great opportunity for members to introduce the good works of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas.

**St. Kilian Holy Name Society** will hold their annual meeting on **Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>** starting with Mass at **5:30 PM** and Stations of the Cross at 6:00. The meeting will follow in St. Joseph's Hall. The men will serve their famous oyster stew along with chili and other snacks. Please plan to attend this evening of faith, fellowship and great food!





**Food Fight Celebration:** Thank you to everyone who donated! The St. Anthony KCs and CDA are sponsoring a **Baked Potato Bar** following Mass on **Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**. Please join us for an evening of great food, BINGO and great friends!

**St Anthony CCW** meeting will be held on **Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 PM**. Lunch committee is Debbie Wieneke and Lynette Knips. Please join us for our meeting and fellowship.



**St Anthony CCW News:** Ladies of St Anthony, you will be receiving a phone call from our nominating committee, as we need a Secretary and a Vice President. Please consider saying YES and accepting one of these positions when you are contacted. The CCW officers work closely together which makes the job a lot easier!

## FAITH FORMATION 2018 - 2019

**Faith Formation Office:** Faith Formation Office hours are 10-5, M-F. Call Pam at 507-483-2480 or 507-290-0080 or Mary at 507-483-2317 to reserve the ed center for family events.

### Upcoming Faith Formation Calendar

- Wed March 27:** Class Night
- Wed April 3:** Shadow Drama- *St. Anthony* 7:00 PM
- Wed April 10:** Class night- Reconciliation- *St. Adrian*
- Wed April 24:** Class night- Southwest Crisis Center Speaker
- Wed May 1:** Class night- Dee Dee Raap Speaker

## YOUTH MINISTRY



**Mission Week Update:** Due to news that Worthington and surrounding areas were going to take part in a week-long mission week in July, we have decided to scale back our week to one day each month during June, July, and August. **The tentative dates are June 17<sup>th</sup>, July 10<sup>th</sup>, and August 14<sup>th</sup>.** If you or someone you know has a simple home improvement, painting or landscaping job that we can help with, please call Michele Wieneke 507-227-6456 or Shannon Reker 507-329-0392. You are helping others when you let others help you.



The Faith Formation middle school and high school students are again selling **Butter Braids** to raise money to help defray the cost of summer events such as Camp Summit and Steubenville Rochester. Butter Braids are a frozen pastry dough filled with fruit filling in six different flavors, as well as a new "Four Cheese and Herb" loaf that is great served with pasta. The fruit flavors are Blueberry cream cheese, strawberry cream cheese, apple, cherry and raspberry as well as cinnamon and caramel rolls. Cost per braid is \$13.00. Contact the Faith Formation Office 507-483-2480 if you do not have a student to ask about them. **The sale will end on March 27<sup>th</sup> with delivery on April 24<sup>th</sup>.**



**Shadow Drama Stations of the Cross: Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>** Meal starting at 5:30 PM. Shadow Drama starts at 7:00 PM at St. Anthony in Lismore. Please join us for this prayerful expression of the stations of the cross.



**Pathways TEC 71** will be held April 12-14, 2019 in Rochester at Pax Christi Church. This wonderful 3-day retreat follows Jesus life, death and resurrection. See Pam or Shannon for an application.



**Volunteers:** We need volunteers from **Grades 8 – 12** to help serve at the **Worthington Hospice Fundraising Dinner** on **Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM**.

Those people who can help will be serving the dinners to people attending. Supper will be provided. Please contact Monica Dingmann at (507) 220-0519.

## SAVE THE DATE



**Steubenville Rochester:** This fun weekend will take place **July 12-14** in Rochester. Students will get to listen to inspirational speakers, an awesome worship band called SONAR, and experience Adoration in an unforgettable way. Please sign up today! This is for current grade 8-12 students. Registration forms are being sent out with instructions on how to also register online. Please contact Pam or Shannon with any questions.

**Camp Summit:** This 4-day experience takes place at Eagle Bluff near Lanesboro for Grades 5 to 7. **July 29<sup>th</sup>–Aug 1<sup>st</sup>** It is a fun experience filled with lots of activities like rock wall climbing, a high ropes course, archery, and many more fun activities. There is also a time for Mass, Adoration, inspirational speakers, and music. We even end with a dance party! Registration is all online this year. Directions are being mailed out. Contact Shannon if you need more information.

## PARISH LEADERSHIP MEETINGS

**St. Adrian Cluster Pastoral Council Meeting:** The next meeting of the St. Adrian Cluster Pastoral Council is **Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** at **St. Adrian Church**. We will meet in the church at 7:00 PM for Adoration.

**OLGC Finance Council Meeting:** The make-up meeting of the OLGC Finance Council is **Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the school building.

## OF INTEREST TO ALL



**Wednesday Night Adoration:** We have moved to Adrian for the remainder of our faith formation year. Sign-up sheets are available in the back of church. Please come and pray with Jesus for our students and leaders. Adoration will be available from **6:30-8:30 PM**.



**RCIA-** We will meet **Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** at the St. Adrian Ed Center. The topic will be: *The Sacraments of Penance and Reconciliation and of the Anointing of the Sick.*





**Respect Life:** Have you or someone you know suffered a miscarriage? Couples often bear this grief in silence and confusion. The world seems to be telling them that a life was not lost, that a tragedy has not happened. And yet, parents know otherwise. Their hearts and minds cope with grief and sorrow that is no less real for going unaffirmed. The Catholic Church rightly insists on the sanctity of life from the moment of conception, but acknowledges it needs to do a better job of ritualizing the loss of life when a miscarriage does occur. To learn more, see [www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org). Click on [For Your Marriage](#), then [Overcoming Obstacles](#) and then [Miscarriage](#) for articles and resources.

**Attention Women young, old ,and in between!**

According to St. Edith Stein the world doesn't need what women have, it needs what women are! Do you know your worth as a woman in today's world? Are you longing for connection with other women in a faith-centered environment? Would you like to grow in your relationship to Christ? Then **Endow Groups** may be what you are looking for! Come find out what Endow is at one of our relaxing evening events held at each of our parishes. These introductory events are to give you a clear picture of what Endow groups are and help you to see if this is something you would like to be a part of. The evening events will start at **7:00 PM and end at 8:30 PM**.

You need only attend one.

**Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Center Kitchenette on Thursday, March 28.**

**St. Anthony Church Hall on Thursday, April 4.**

**St. Adrian Education Building on Thursday, April 11 (start time at 7:30 PM)**

Bring a friend and enjoy some fellowship with a glass of wine or a cup of coffee, cheese and crackers and chocolate! Direct any questions to Leslie at 483-2317 Ext. 226.



The **St. Columba Spring Dinner** will be on Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> from **10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**, at the St. Columba Hall in Iona. **Serving:** Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Sweetcorn, Coleslaw, Pie & Desserts, and Beverage. Prices: ages 0-3 free, 4-10 \$5 and 11-adult \$10. Take outs and valet parking available. Lots of great raffle prizes! Everyone is welcome!

**Worthington Area Council of Catholic Women:** Do you find yourself in a caregiver role or concerned about your own aging process? Are you interested to learn about Human Trafficking in our area? Worthington Area Council of Catholic Women invites you to attend **"Get to the Heart of the Matter"** on **Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>** from **9:00-2:00 PM** at the Heron Lake Community Center. **Registration is from 8:45-9:00 a.m.** We will have two keynote speakers, catered lunch, and wine tasting, all for \$10. Please send your \$10 and contact information to Barb Hussong, 35746 840th St, Okabena MN 56161

**Catholic Charities Opening:** Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester seeks an Executive Director in its Winona MN office. This position is responsible for the overall design, implementation, and oversight of all social service and social justice programs for the 20 southern counties of Minnesota. Application deadline is April 30. For more information visit [www.ccsomn.org/executive-director/](http://www.ccsomn.org/executive-director/)



## The Pastor's Corner:

The first reading tells us how God shows His mercy to His chosen people by giving them Moses as their leader and liberator. The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob reveals Himself to Moses from the burning bush and assures Moses of His Divine presence with His people and of His awareness of their sufferings in Egypt. Then God reveals His name as Yahweh ("I AM Who AM") and renews His promise to the patriarchs to give them a "land flowing with milk and honey." Today's Gospel explains how God disciplines His people, invites them to repent of their sins, to renew their lives, and to produce the fruits of the Holy Spirit. Citing two tragic events, Jesus exhorts the Jews to repent and reform their lives. With the parable of the barren fig tree, Jesus also reminds them that the merciful God calls his children to bear good fruit by turning our will and life over to God's care which flows into generous service to others.

The past week was an extremely difficult one for many who live in the rural areas of the Midwest. From eastern Colorado through South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota, and western Iowa, snow in some areas and flooding in others have caused severe challenges. It is calving season, and the storms wreaked havoc for ranchers who had to seek dry ground and protection for their livestock.

With the heavy snowfall this winter and warmer temperatures forecasted for the start of spring, there is continued threat of more flooding for all who live along major rivers and tributaries in the Midwest. *Please pray for all of the farmers, ranchers and others living in rural communities who are located in vulnerable areas.*

~ Father Colletti

### Angelus

V. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

**R. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.**

Hail Mary...

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

**R. Be it done unto me according to Thy Word.**

Hail Mary ...

V. And the Word was made flesh.

**R. And dwelt among us.**

Hail Mary ...

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

**R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Let us pray:

*Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts; that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord.*

Luke 1: 26-38; John 1:14; CCC 484-498; YC 479; Compendium, Appendix A, Common Prayers.

