

The Churches of St. Bernard and St. Bridget



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Parish Office

Location	116 4 th Ave SE Stewartville, MN 55976
Office Hours	Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 2:30 pm
Phone	(507) 533-8257

January 13, 2019

The Baptism of the Lord January 13, 2019

Parish Registration: Registration forms are in the kiosk at St. Bernard's, online or visit the parish office.

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30am -2:30pm

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday mornings 10am

Becoming Catholic: Contact Fr. Wilmot or Mary Brouillard mkbrouill@gmail.com 533-6596 at St. Bernard's or Sandy Woodruff 282-3854 at St. Bridget's.

St. Bridget's Adoration: Mondays 1-10pm. Church doors will be locked at 5pm, so knock to be let in.

St. Bernard's Adoration: Tuesdays 4am-Wednesdays 9pm. Church doors will be locked from 8pm-5am on Tuesdays. If you wish to stop by for Adoration, use the doorbell on the main entrance doors.

Confessions: Saturdays at St. Bernard's 4-4:30pm.
Sundays at St. Bridget's 7:45-8:15am

Baptism: First-time parents are required to take a Pre Jordan Baptism Class. Contact the office for details.

Marriage: Make an appointment at least six months prior to the anticipated date. You may call earlier for availability of dates.

Pastor's Visit & Sick Calls: If you would like a Communion visit, call the office.

Homebound: If you would like a Communion Minister to bring Communion to you or a family member at home, assisted living or the Care Center on Sunday mornings, contact Jan Owen 533-4964

Estate Plans: Have you remembered St. Bernard's or St. Bridget's in your will?

Catholic Cancer Support Group: Meets every 3rd Tuesday at 7pm in the library at St. Bernard's.

Prayer Group: Wednesdays 9:30-10:30am in the library at St. Bernard's.

Health & Wellness: Mondays at St Bridget's rectory from 5:30-6:30pm

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Tuesday, January 15

St Bridget 8:30 am Chuck & Jeanne Pearson+

Wednesday, January 16

St Bernard 8:00 am Mike Foster+

Thursday, January 17

St Bernard 8:00 am Special Intention for M

Friday, January 18

St Bernard 8:00 am Eleanor Eischeid+
Care Center 9:15 am Mike Kean+

Saturday, January 19

St Bernard 5:00 pm For our parishes

Sunday, January 20

St Bridget 8:30 am Jeanette Carlson+
St Bernard 10:00 am Todd Kujath+

Liturgical Ministers for Next Weekend

Saturday, Jan 19 St. Bernard – 5:00 pm

Greeter: Pat Koenigs

Servers: needed

Lector: Nick Konrady

EMC: Judy Bunde, Emily Kiefer, Jean Peterson, Rose Steinman

Ushers: Dave Bunde, Dick Koenigs, Dan Pyan, Ken Trisko

Sunday, Jan 20 St. Bridget – 8:30 am

Server: Eli Araoz

Lector: Bill Kuisle

EMC: Jim Kuisle, Karen Sheehan, Mike Sheehan

Sunday, Jan 20 St. Bernard – 10:00 am

Greeter: Janet Speltz

Servers: needed

Lector: Kristine Claeys

EMC: Mary Claeys, Karen Greenslade, Rob Miller, Pat Robey, Janet Speltz, Karen Volkart

Ushers: Jad Mayer, Andy Moore, Wayne Volkart

Note of Thanks from Fr. Wilmot: I have to say I was surprised at the amazing turn out on Sunday and the amount of the gifts and kind words I received. I will write something longer later but for now - thank you all so, so much. I miss you all already and remember you are always welcome here. My prayers are with you and with Fr. Connolly as he begins his ministry with you. Blessings. Fr.W.

Rectory address 1310 N. 7th St.

Lake City, MN 55041. No landline yet so my phone number will be the parish's 651 345 4134

Stewardship of Treasure

Church Support ending January 6

Adult & Children Envelopes, Holy Days

St. Bernard's

Amount Rec'd	\$ 6,976.67
Amount Budgeted	\$ 5,574.38
YTD Received	\$173,725.98
YTD Budgeted	\$153,461.26
Over Budget	\$ 20,264.72 +

St. Bridget's

Amount Rec'd	\$ 2737.50
Amount Budgeted	\$ 2,567.36
YTD Received	\$ 84,146.24
YTD Budgeted	\$ 71,886.08
Over Budget	\$ 12,260.16 +

Our Parishes

Welcome: A warm welcome to Fr. Kevin Connolly and to Fr. Tom Loomis. Thank you, thank you, for your ministry to our parishes!

* Contact information is on the front cover of the bulletin.



Please Note: For the time being, St Bernard's will be locked when office hours end at 2:30pm on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Quilting Group: The next gathering will be held Thursday, January 24, from 1:00-3:30pm at St Bernard's. Anyone interested in sewing and quilting, join us!

Religious Education

Regular Classes: Wednesday, January 16
4th graders and a parent will be going to the Care Center Wednesday, January 16 for Card Bingo from 6:30-7:30pm. Please go directly to the Care Center.

Mark your Calendar: Totus Tuus is set for July 7-12.

St Bridget

Choir: Music ministry on Sunday, Jan 20. Meet for practice at 7:45am.

St Bernard

Lost & Found: Found during Christmas - large silver hoop earring and a necklace with a pink heart. Call the office.

Adult Choir: Music ministry Sunday, January 20. Practice at 8:50am

Men: Meatball making will be held Saturday, January 26. Plan now to help with a shift. The Spaghetti Dinner will be held April 9.

From the family of Gene Peters: As Gene continues down this journey of ALS, we are requesting help serving him lunch during the week (between 11 and noon). We have created a Community under the name 'Gene Peters' on the *Lots of Helping Hands* website: <https://lotsahelpinghands.com>. The site will ask you to create an account. If you create an account, any updates from our family will be sent to you via email. If you DO NOT wish to create an account, we have created a generic Log In and password (kristinapeters79@gmail.com - Password: HelpingGene52) This will get you into the website and allow you to see the calendar postings where requests for help have been made. Please contact Gene 507-951-1462 or Laura 507-421-6557 to set up times to visit. It can be difficult to get to the door, so it's easier if times of visits are known. We would like to say thank you to the church community. You have been an amazing blessing to our family. We don't know where we'd be without your prayers and support. - The Peters Family

Around the Area

Mugs & Muffins: All women are invited to this social event on Saturday, January 12 from 9:30-11am in the fellowship hall at St John's Lutheran Church, Stewartville. Bring a mug! This is primarily an opportunity for women from the community to get together and maybe make a new friend.

DivorceCare: If you or someone you know is hurting from the effects of a marital separation or divorce, we are now accepting registrations for a DivorceCare program. The first of thirteen sessions begins Thursday, January 24 and meets weekly from 6:30-8:30 pm at Pax Christi Catholic Church in Rochester. Cost of the program workbook is \$15. You may register with Dick Frost by email at: finehire2@gmail.com For an overview of the program, visit www.divorcecare.org

Kiddie Corner



ASKING	BAPTIZE	BAPTIZED
BAPTIZING	BELOVED	COMING
DOVE	FILLED	FIRE
HEARTS	HOLYSPIRIT	JESUS
JOHN	MIGHTIER	PEOPLE
SON	WATER	