

Welcome to the Catholic Churches of

ST. CASIMIR & ST. PATRICK

Saint Paul, Minnesota

APRIL 12, 2026 ✕ SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them. Jesus came, although the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:26-27

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St. Casimir Mass Schedule

- **Saturday 4:00pm**
|Confessions 3:30-3:50pm
(Alternating with St. Patrick)
- **Sunday 9:00am**
|Confessions 8:30-8:50am
- **Sunday KaRen Mass 11:00am**
- **Tuesday 7:30am**
- **Thursday 7:30am**
|Adoration, Confessions 8-9am

St. Patrick Mass Schedule

- **Saturday 4:00pm**
|Confessions 3:30-3:50pm
(Alternating with St. Casimir)
- **Saturday 7:00pm** (Neocatechumenal Eucharist in Chapel)
- **Sunday 10:45am**
- **Hmong Mass last Sunday of month 12:00pm**
- **Wednesday 8:30am**
|Adoration, Confessions 9-10am
- **Friday 8:30am** in Chapel

St. Casimir Office Hours
Monday **11am-4pm**
Tuesday-Thursday **10am-4pm**
Friday **9am-4pm**

St. Patrick Office Hours
Monday **9-10:30am**
Tuesday-Thursday **9-9:30am**

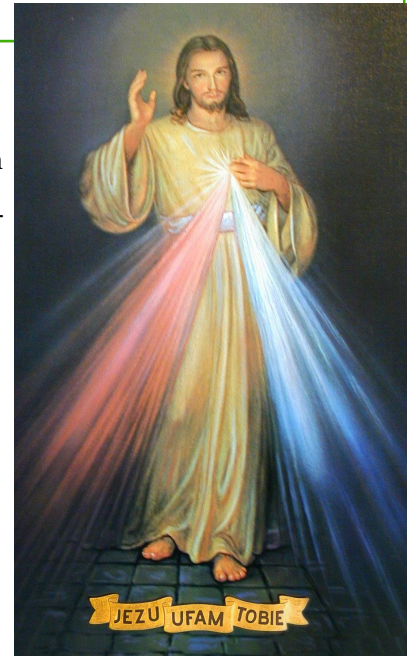


St. Patrick's Friendship Sunday

St. Patrick's Friendship Sunday is today, April 12
after 10:45 am Mass in the Parish Hall.
Come and join us for coffee and a treat!

"Jesus, I trust in you!"

The Second Sunday of Easter in the Catholic calendar has been called, since April 30, 2000, the "Divine Mercy Sunday". On that day, on St. Peter's Square in the Vatican, Pope St. John Paul II canonized Sister Faustina Kowalska (1905-1938), an uneducated Polish nun who had received a special message of God's Mercy during multiple apparitions of Jesus to her at the beginning of the 20th century. Obedient to her spiritual director, Blessed Fr. Michael Sopocko, she wrote down the contents of her visions in the "Diary," which, for many today, remains a mystical textbook of the Divine Mercy devotion. Speaking of Sr. Faustina and the importance of the message contained in her "Diary," St. John Paul II called her "the great apostle of Divine Mercy in our time." St. Faustina Kowalska gave to the Church notable forms of this Divine Mercy devotion: the Chaplet, the Novena, the Hour of Mercy and the Painting of Merciful Jesus with the inscription: "Jesus, I trust in you!"



The idea and devotion of Divine Mercy is not new in the Catholic Tradition, of course. The Bible frequently speaks of God's mercy and love that is greater than people's sins. Many Old Testament figures, such as Abraham, Moses, and David, invoked the mercy of God. Psalms are prayers that praise Divine mercy, like today's Psalm 118: *Let the house of Israel say, "His mercy endures forever." / Let those who fear the Lord say, "His mercy endures forever."* Jesus, in his multiple parables, spoke of the Father's mercy, like in the parable of the prodigal son, of the lost sheep, or of the good Samaritan, to name a few. His very Passion, Death, and Resurrection is one great act of his Mercy. The fruit of this mercy is the gift of the paschal sacrament of reconciliation given to the Church, as we hear in today's Gospel: *The risen Jesus breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained"* (John 20:22-23).

The Church, through administering the sacraments and through her teachings, brings the depths of God's mercy to the faithful. One of the most notable Church documents on the theme of Divine Mercy is the encyclical *Dives in misericordia* (*Rich in mercy*, 11/30/1980) by St. John Paul II.

The Divine Mercy message is one we can call to mind simply by remembering ABC:

A - Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

B - Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

C - Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that all the graces of His mercy can only be received by our trust. The more we open the door of our hearts and lives to Him with trust, the more we can receive. (thedivinemercy.org)



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Pastoral Council Meetings

St. Casimir-Tuesday, April 14 at 6:30 pm.

St. Patrick-Tuesday, April 21 at 6:30 pm.

Thaj Txi Ntuj Hmoob ✕ **St. Patrick's Hmong Mass**
Hmong Mass is Sunday, April 26 at 12:00 PM at St. Patrick.

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive

Stop after Mass on April 25 and 26 to get a sweet treat from the Fr. Finley Knights of Columbus. Proceeds benefit Special Olympics MN, Valley Friendship Club, and other groups supporting people with developmental disabilities.



St. Casimir February Financial Report

	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Income:	\$657,786.00	\$431,672.00
Expense:	\$555,954.00	\$471,245.00
	\$101,832.00	(\$39,573.00)

St. Patrick February Financial Report

	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Income:	\$84,646.00	\$170,713.00
Expense:	\$157,652.00	\$158,041.00
	(\$73,006.00)	\$12,672.00

	Lectors	EMHC	Servers
4/18 4:00 PM St. Casimir	Mike Nilsson	Dave Klemann H Dyann Klemann	Sandy Conroy Cindy Pasiuk
4/19 9:00 AM St. Casimir	Nancy Moberg	Kathy Wickard H Mary Degel	Miguel Zamora Dawn Zamora Colin Troxel
4/19 10:45 AM St. Patrick	Sia Lo		Guadalupe, Bruce, Blade, Francis
4/25 4:00 PM St. Patrick	Dave Pellowski		
4/26 9:00 AM St. Casimir	Julie Morales	Judy Barrett H Sue Vanyo	Joseph Morales Elizabeth Morales Parker Troxel
4/26 10:45 AM St. Patrick	Gary Heaser		Angelina, Christian, Vincent, Mason

Rosary Vigil for April

Dyann Klemann	771.3676	Doris Lesny	774.7585
Karen Zimlich	771.6206	Sandy Conroy	436.1041
Marilyn Litschke	578.1564		

4:00 PM Saturday Masses

April 11 – St. Patrick	April 25 – St. Patrick
April 18 – St. Casimir	May 2 – St. Casimir

Please Pray for....

Maureen Donnelly Blustein, Kim Canciance, Wayne Craig, Deryl Cunningham, Corrine Cylkowski, Brittany Dimmick, John D., Cathy Fischer, Don Harvey, Mike Klausung, Stephen Lauinger, Don Lewis, Monica Lorang, Marlene Lynch, Mike McCann, Craig O'Brien, Cindy Pasiuk, David Piskorski, Stephanie Pommier, Dan Printon, Konrad Pylak, Randy R., Patrick Ricci, Elzbieta Sawczuk, Mike Schaffer, Raymond Scheller, MaryLou Schmitz, Geraldine Shaw, Terrie Sherrick, John Sieberer, Nathan Wenner, Jim & Gwen West.

Prayer Chain

If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please call Sue Vanyo **651-485-3877** or Carol Johnson **651-269-3894**.

Victim/Survivor Abuse Assistance 651-291-4497

Mass Intentions

Saturday, 4/11 – St. Patrick

4:00 PM – † Evelyn Soderberg

Sunday, 4/12

St. Casimir

9:00 AM – † Joanne Lewis

St. Patrick

10:45 AM – † Ray Scheller

Tuesday, 4/14 – St. Casimir

7:30 AM – † Vicky Persoon

Wednesday, 4/15 – St. Patrick

8:30 AM – † Mary Alice & Bernice Mordorski

Thursday, 4/16 – St. Casimir

7:30 AM – Parishioners of St. Casimir & St. Patrick

Friday, 4/17 – St. Patrick

8:30 AM – † Dennis Cusick

Saturday, 4/18 – St. Casimir

4:00 PM – † Vicky Persoon

Sunday, 4/19

St. Casimir

9:00 AM – † Robert Herzog

St. Patrick

10:45 AM – † Judy Schneider

Readings for the Week

Sunday 4/12: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

Monday 4/13: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday 4/14: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday 4/15: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday 4/16: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday 4/17: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday 4/18: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

St. Casimir Sanctuary Lamp

Anonymous

Collection Reports

St. Casimir	\$10,999.97
St. Patrick	\$5,812.00