

Welcome to the Catholic Churches of

# ST. CASIMIR & ST. PATRICK

Saint Paul, Minnesota

APRIL 19, 2026 ✕ THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the Eleven and those with them who were saying, “The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!” Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way. - Lk 24:33-35

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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**



## A Grace-Filled Jubilee in Rome: The 200th Anniversary of the Approbation of Oblate Constitutions and Rules (p.1)

Dear Friends and Parishioners,

This year, as we celebrate the Bicentennial Jubilee of the papal approval of the Constitutions and Rules of the Congregation of the Missionary Oblates, I had the privilege of making a pilgrimage to Rome. Over the next five issues of our Parish Bulletin, I would like to share with you my experiences and spiritual reflections from that visit to the Eternal City in February. I hope you, who are in some way members of our Oblate Associate family, will find them especially meaningful as we journey together through this 2026 Jubilee Year.

In Rome this February I had the grace to take part in something truly extraordinary. Together with my brothers, the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate, we celebrated the 200th anniversary of the approval of our Constitutions and Rules which took place in that city on February 17, 1826. It was a time filled with deep joy and gratitude—toward God and toward all the people who have been part of our missionary history. There



With our Superior General, Father Luis Ignacio Rois Alonso "Chicho", O.M.I.

were so many other Oblate Fathers and Brothers, even Missionary Oblate Sisters, along with members of the O.M.I. Charismatic Family who gathered from all corners of the world, like Pakistan, Bangladesh, Japan, Australia, Denmark, Germany, Poland, Spain, Cameroon, Chad, South Africa, Canada, Mexico, Uruguay, Chile and three of us from the U.S. - the Provincial Fr. Ray Cook, O.M.I., Fr. David Uribe, O.M.I., and myself from St. Paul, Minnesota. It was a powerful reminder that our Congregation is truly universal.

Standing among them, I felt part of something much bigger—a historic and deeply communal moment. Glory to Jesus and honor to the Immaculate!  
*(to be continued...)*

Fr. Cyprian Czop, O.M.I.

### St. Patrick's Pancake Breakfast Update

St. Patrick's pancake breakfast, held March 22, served 95 meals with a donation to St. Patrick of \$500. The event was chaired by Wayne Heaser with four Knights from Transfiguration helping. During the event, a candidate from St. Casimir, Jeff Vogel, and one from St. Patrick, Paul Mordorski, signed up to join the Knights of Columbus. Jeff alone joined the Knights on April 7. John Girgen made pancakes and Dave Piehowski made scrambled eggs. Thank you to everyone who volunteered and joined us!

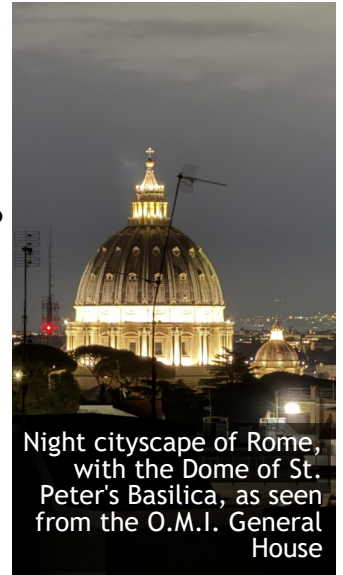


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Night cityscape of Rome, with the Dome of St. Peter's Basilica, as seen from the O.M.I. General House

## St. Casimir Councils News

St. Casimir Finance Council has three new members: Pete Barrett, Emily Danich, and Paul Morales. We are very grateful to them for generously accepting this responsibility and ministry on behalf of our Parish Community!

St. Casimir Pastoral Council is seeking two new members. If interested, please see Fr. Cyprian or call the Parish Office.

## Pastoral Council Meeting

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

## Parish Offices Closed

The Parish Offices will be closed April 22 & 23.

## Catholic Home Missions Appeal

Your support for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal strengthens the Church at home. Prayerfully consider supporting this collection at Mass, April 25 & 26.

## 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.

## Thaj Txi Ntuj Hmoob ✕ St. Patrick's Hmong Mass

Hmong Mass is Sunday, April 26 at 12:00 PM at St. Patrick.

	Lectors	EMHC	Servers
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
5/2 4:00 PM St. Casimir	Stan Wiatros	Jane Persoon H Jim Tschida	Sandy Conroy Cindy Pasiuk
5/3 9:00 AM St. Casimir	Bridget Troxel	Mary Degel H Sue Vanyo	Elizabeth Morales Parker Troxel Colin Troxel
5/3 10:45 AM St. Patrick	Sia Lo		Guadalupe, Bruce, Blade, Francis

## 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 18 — St. Casimir	May 2 — St. Casimir
April 25 — St. Patrick	May 9 — St. Patrick

## 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, 4/18 — St. Casimir**

4:00 PM — † Vicky Persoon

**Sunday, 4/19**

**St. Casimir**

9:00 AM — † Robert Herzog

**St. Patrick**

10:45 AM — † Judy Schneider

**Tuesday, 4/21 — St. Casimir**

7:30 AM — † Vicky Persoon

**Wednesday, 4/22 — St. Patrick**

8:30 AM — † Louis Price

**Thursday, 4/23 — St. Casimir**

7:30 AM — † Joanne Lewis

**Friday, 4/24 — St. Patrick**

8:30 AM — Donald Harvey

**Saturday, 4/25 — St. Patrick**

4:00 PM — † Anthony Kuefler

**Sunday, 4/26**

**St. Casimir**

9:00 AM — † Donald Clagherty

**St. Patrick**

10:45 AM — Shirley Cressy

12:00 PM — Parishioners of  
St. Patrick & St. Casimir

## Readings for the Week

**Sunday 4/19:** Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

**Monday 4/20:** Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

**Tuesday 4/21:** Acts 7:51-8:1a/ Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

**Wednesday 4/22:** Acts 8:1b-8/ Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

**Thursday 4/23:** Acts 8:26-40/ Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

**Friday 4/24:** Acts 9:1-20/ Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

**Saturday 4/25:** 1 Pt 5:5b-14/ Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

## St. Casimir Sanctuary Lamp

Anonymous

## Collection Reports

St. Casimir	\$4,904.25
St. Patrick	\$1,003.00

## Deceased People of the Parish

**Vicky Persoon**

**David Mueller**

**Joanne Hjelle**

**Lao Lue Moua**

**Tom Schwietz**

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.*