

Welcome to the Catholic Churches of

# ST. CASIMIR & ST. PATRICK

Saint Paul, Minnesota

FEBRUARY 1, 2026 ✕ FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying:  
“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God...” - Mt 5:1-12

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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**



### The Pope's Prayer Intention for February :

#### For children with incurable diseases.

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

### Presentation of the Lord

On February 2nd, the Church joyfully celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, also known as Candlemas. This special day commemorates when Mary and Joseph brought the infant Jesus to the Temple, where He was recognized as the Light of the World. It is a beautiful reminder of Christ's presence among us and our call to bear His light to others.

We also mark the World Day of Consecrated Life, honoring all those who have dedicated their lives to God through religious vows. Let us give thanks for the witness of sisters, brothers, and priests who serve our Church and let us pray for an increase in vocations. May we all be inspired to offer our lives in joyful service to Christ and His people.

### Altar & Rosary

Altar & Rosary meeting will be held Tuesday, February 3 at the Crooked Pint Ale House at 6:30 PM. Dinner reservations for current members and for any other ladies that have interest, please contact Alexandra 651-774-7475. Location is 1724 Adolphus St in Maplewood, NW corner of Larpenteur and 35W.

### St. Patrick's Friendship Sunday

St. Patrick's Friendship Sunday is February 8 after Mass in the Parish Hall. Come and join us for coffee and a treat!

### Catholic Services Appeal begins February 7 & 8

The song "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" says it all. As followers of Christ, we are called to serve, to love. Jesus' ministry involved both preaching, as we see in this week's Gospel with the Sermon on the Mount, and service. There are many, many accounts of Jesus giving sight to the blind, healing the lame, and resurrecting the dead. Our faith, too, is one of prayer and of action. We attend Mass and sit with the Scripture, and we offer Christ's consolation to the poor and marginalized, provide companionship to the lonely, and share our talents with our parish community.

We "are the light of the world." When Jesus says our "light must shine before others" and instructs us to not "put it under a bushel basket," he wants us to reveal God's goodness to those we meet and bring others to the Father. This isn't bragging about our good deeds to massage our egos or boost our self-importance in the eyes of others. It's about being an active participant in building the Kingdom of God on Earth.

We do good works to glorify God and carry out Jesus' mission today. Good works could be as simple as sharing a meal with an elderly neighbor who has just lost her husband. It could be donating canned goods to the local Cub Scout's food drive. Or we could live our faith by making a gift to the Catholic Services Appeal and be a light for those who need to feel God's goodness.

### Urgent! New telephone number for St. Casimir office!

There is a new St. Casimir office phone number. Please, note, there was a mistake in last week's announcements and printed cards. The correct number is:

**651-888-8050**



#### Catholic Church of Saint Casimir

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## Ash Wednesday—February 18

St. Patrick Mass 8:30 am | St. Casimir Mass 7 pm

### Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross are every Friday during Lent, beginning February 20.

St. Patrick 9am | St. Casimir 3pm

### St. Patrick's Rice Bowl Collection

Join our faith community February 18 through April 5—and more than 12,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your CRS Rice Bowl in Church. During the 40 days of Lent, we will reflect on how hunger and malnutrition affect our human family, and on the need to take action to end this global injustice. Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) to learn more.

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

Hmong Mass is Sunday, February 22 at 12:00 PM at St. Patrick.

|                             | Lectors        | EMHC                            | Servers  |
|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|
| 1/31 4:00 PM<br>St. Casimir | Stan Wiatros   | Jane Persoon H<br>Jim Tschida   | Sandy Conroy<br>Cindy Pasiuk                         |
| 2/1 9:00 AM<br>St. Casimir  | Bridget Troxel | Kathy Wickard H<br>Sue Vanyo    | Dawn Zamora<br>Miguel Zamora<br>Parker Troxel        |
| 2/1 10:45 AM<br>St. Patrick | Gary Heaser    |                                 | Guadalupe, Bruce,<br>Blade, Francis                  |
| 2/7 4:00 PM<br>St. Patrick  | Dave Pellowski |                                 |  |
| 2/8 9:00 AM<br>St. Casimir  | Nancy Moberg   | Judy Barrett H<br>Julie Morales | Miguel Zamora<br>Elizabeth Morales<br>Joseph Morales |
| 2/8 10:45 AM<br>St. Patrick | Hillary Lor    |                                 | Angelina, Christian,<br>Vincent, Mason               |

### Rosary Vigil for February

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| Kathy Domeier | 770.6793 |
| Betty Herzog  | 774.5410 |
| Jan Leguil    | 256.8893 |
| Jane Persoon  | 776.5887 |
| Vicky Persoon | 776.3247 |

### 4:00 PM Saturday Masses

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| January 31 — St. Casimir | February 14 — St. Casimir |
| February 7 — St. Patrick | February 21 — St. Patrick |

### Please Pray for....

Maureen Donnelly Blustein, Wayne Craig, Deryl Cunningham, Brittany Dimmick, John D., Cathy Fischer, Don Harvey, Mike Klausing, Stephen Lauinger, Monica Lorang, Marlene Lynch, Mike McCann, Craig O'Brien, David Piskorski, Stephanie Pommier, Dan Printon, Konrad Pylak, Randy R., Patrick Ricci, Elzbieta Sawczuk, Mike Schaffer, Raymond Scheller, MaryLou Schmitz, Geraldine Shaw, 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, 1/31 — St. Casimir**

4:00 PM — † Richard Hoff

**Sunday, 2/1**

**St. Casimir**

9:00 AM — Altar & Rosary Members  
(living & deceased)

**St. Patrick**

10:45 AM — † Eugene Vogel

**Tuesday, 2/3 — St. Casimir**

7:30 AM — † Rita E. Jalonack

**Wednesday, 2/4 — St. Patrick**

8:30 AM — Stephen Lauinger

**Thursday, 2/5 — St. Casimir**

7:30 AM — † Michael Nohre

**Friday, 2/6 — St. Patrick**

8:30 AM — For the People of  
St. Patrick & St. Casimir

**Saturday, 2/7 — St. Patrick**

4:00 PM — † Claude & Regina Kinzel

**Sunday, 2/8**

**St. Casimir**

9:00 AM — † Joanne Lewis

**St. Patrick**

10:45 AM — † Katherine & John R.  
Scheller

### Readings for the Week

**Sunday 2/1:** Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps  
146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10/1 Cor 1:26-31/  
Mt 5:1-12a

**Monday 2/2:** Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8,  
9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-  
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**Tuesday 2/3:** 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24  
-25a, 30-19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk  
5:21-43

**Wednesday 2/4:** 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps  
32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6

**Thursday 2/5:** 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1  
Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk  
6:7-13

**Friday 2/6:** Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47  
and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29

**Saturday 2/7:** 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps  
119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

### St. Casimir Sanctuary Lamp

Anonymous

### Collection Reports

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| St. Casimir | \$1,512.00 |
| St. Patrick | \$6,995.00 |