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ADULT LENTEN FAITH ENRICHMENT

*Book Study - Two-Sessions

Pope Francis – Apostolic Exhortation

Gaudete Et Exsultate: *On the Call to Holiness in Today's World* **Two Tuesdays in Lent**–March 19 and March 26, 6:30-7:45pm In the Visitation Commons – *St. Mary's*

Facilitator/Guide: Dr. Greg Sobolewski, SMU Professor of Theology

Fee: \$10.00 (to cover the expense of the book) Registration deadline: March 8 To Register: Call St. Mary's at 452-5656

*DVD Study Series "Mary" by Dr.Sri

Cathedral: Monday 6:30-8:30pm **Wednesday** 9:30-11:30am, or **Monday "Brown Bag"** 12:10 – 12: 40pm.

9 Sessions: 4/01 – 6/05. **Cost:** \$27. **Deadline:** <u>3/18.</u> Register <u>Online</u> at **cascwinona.org** or pick up <u>Forms</u> in Cathedral's Gathering Space & St. Mary's Commons. Contact: Donna 507-454-1296. (See **New Options**: 45 min class & Home Study.)

* "The Wild Goose – Discovering the Holy Spirit"

(Workbook, Discussion, DVDs)

Cathedral: Tuesday 930 – 1130am or 630 – 830pm. 10 Sessions: 04/01 – 06/04. Plus 1-Day Seminar on Sat., 5/18. **Cost:** \$25. **Deadline:** 03/18. Register <u>Online</u> at **cascwinona.org** or pick up <u>Forms</u> in Cathedral's Gathering Space & St. Mary's Commons. Contact: Donna 507-454-1296.

*Genesis to Jesus

St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology is offering their **ONLINE** video Scripture Study "Genesis to Jesus" for **FREE** this Lent beginning Ash Wednesday, March 6. They also have a Participant Workbook you may purchase. Go to **https://stpaulcenter.com/streaming** to sign up for this FREE study.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST, SILENT AUCTION AND BAKE SALE

Next Sunday, February 24

The **Benevolence Pancake Breakfast, Silent Auction and Bake Sale** will be Sunday, February 24, 8:30am to 12:30pm in Marian Hall at St. Marv's Church.



Winona. It includes all you can eat, made from scratch pancakes, ham, fruit and beverage. **Cost is a free will offering.**

ST. MARY'S PARISH 2019 FRIDAY FISH FRIES

"Heavenly Light Beer Battered Cod" March 8 (Troop 13 Scouts) March 15 (with Luck of the Irish evening) March 29 (Teams of Our Lady) April 5 (Cub Scouts) Time: 4:30-7:00 PM



Menu (Cost \$11.00) Batter Fried Fish or Broiled

Batter Fried Fish or Broiled Fish, Baked Potato or French Fries, Cole Slaw, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Milk, Water

Tickets available after Masses and at St. Mary's Parish Office Tickets available at the door too! Carry Outs & Dine In

<u>Desserts & Pop</u> (available for purchase to benefit youth programming)





From the Desk of Fr. McNea

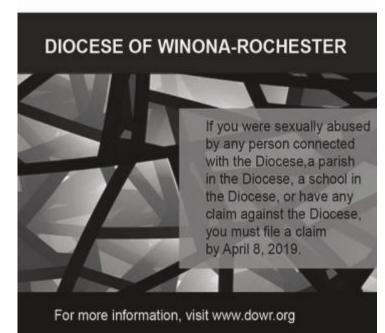
This weekend you are being invited to participate in the 2019 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Hopefully, this past week, you received a letter asking for your participation this year. Our parish

goals for this year are as follows: Cathedral of the Sacred Heart--\$49,250; St. Casimir-\$13,330. Your tremendous generosity last year put both parishes over our goals. That was truly wonderful! Thank you for your past generosity! Please join with me, this year, in making a gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. I am deeply grateful for your continued support and generosity!

While I am on vacation, I am very grateful to Fr. Mulligan and Msgr. Melvin for celebrating our parish Masses and assisting in the various needs of our parish life. Fr. Mulligan will be writing this bulletin column for the next two weeks.

I am also very grateful to Fr. Jason Kern for serving as the Parochial Administrator of St. Mary's Parish, until a new pastor is named. In addition to his other responsibilities as our diocesan vocations director and as a member of the formation faculty of IHM Seminary, I know Fr. Kern will be a wonderful pastoral presence and shepherd during these days of transition for the parish.

United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota In re Diocese of Winona-Rochester, Case No. 18-33707



For U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota information, visit mnb.uscourts.gov

For advice about your rights, contact an attorney



From the Heart of Fr. Kern

Greetings on another snowy winter week! This weekend we welcome Fr. Hugo Montero who recently began working with St. Mary's University as Assistant Vice

President for Mission and Ministry as well as the Director of Hispanic Ministry for the university. Fr. Hugo is a priest of the Archdiocese of St. Paul/MSP. Thank you for your kind welcome of him at our weekend liturgies. Next weekend Fr. Dernek is scheduled to cover the weekend Masses. Then, I will finally be present to give some consistency to our schedule going forward. My continued gratitude for your patience.

This weekend across the Diocese the Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA) 2019 is being launched. Each parish is designated with a yearly goal to reach to support the work of the whole local Church known as the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. Our parish office received a nice letter from Bishop Quinn last week expressing gratitude and congratulations to St. Mary's Parish on reaching our goal in 2018. Your generosity will again be called upon to help us accomplish this year's goal. In working with the staff, we will be announcing the appeal this weekend with a bulletin insert. Once I arrive on weekends we can launch more formally into the appeal. If you did not receive a mailing regarding the CMA appeal, grab an envelope at the Church or stop by the office for more information. Thank you!

WEEKLY REFLECTION

In today's Gospel we hear Luke's version of the Beatitudes. Beatitudes are not rules and regulations, but basic attitudes for Jesus' followers should have in relation to God and others. It calls us to go beyond a minimum requirement mentality of just following the rules. Beatitudes call us to love without limit.

This is a much bigger challenge then just following the rules. This means that we are always called to do more in loving others. This is the difference between a contract and a covenant in marriage. If I just fulfill what is minimally required of a husband in a marriage, I am not much of a husband. Like the covenant relationship in a marriage, I am called to give everything to Jesus Christ. It's not twat we always succeed in this, but a beatitude love of God and neighbor is what we should aspire to.

-Tom Parlin, St. Mary's parishioner

PARISH INFORMATION

Services for Children

Liturgy of the Word. Sunday during 10:30am Mass at St. Mary's Church and Cathedral of the Sacred Heart.

New Parishioners

Come to or call the Parish Office or go online to register.

Hospitalizations

Please notify the parish office directly.

Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Classes are held at St. Casimir Church from 6:15 to 7:30pm. To register for classes or for schedules go to our parish website at **www.cascwiona.org/formation/youth/.**

Wednesday Sessions (Grades 1-9)

February 20—Regular Session February 27—Regular Session March 6—Class and Mass—Ash Wednesday March 13—Regular Session March 20—Regular Session March 27—Regular Session

Sacrament Preparation Confirmation (Grade 10 Youth) February 20–Session Six at St. Mary's

For more information about Faith Formation classes contact Anna at **atherneau@cathedralwinona.org**. For information about confirmation contact Julie in the Faith Formation office at St. Mary's Parish.

CATHEDRAL'S GIFT SHOP

New inventory. Stop by and check it out.

The store is located to the right of the main entrance as you enter the church (Center Street Entrance). Hours are Saturday and Sunday before and after the Masses.

PRAYER REQUESTS

For prayer requests please contact Kathy Foerster at **kathyfoerster@gmail.com** or by calling 507-313-6880.

WEEKLY MASS BROADCASTS

The Cathedral Sunday Mass can be heard at 9:00am on KWNO Channel 1230AM or 98.7FM Radio and can be seen on Wednesday afternoon at 4pm on HBC Channel 20.

The Winona-Rochester Diocese televised Mass can be seen each Sunday on Rochester channel KTTC-TV. Consult your cable listings for correct channel and time.

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STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING

Fiscal Year July 1, 2018–June 30, 2019

Giving July 1, 2018—February 3, 2019 Total Church Support \$416,482 Budgeted Church Support YTD \$427,797

2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Renew Faith, Extend Mercy, Inspire Hope Cathedral Parish Goal: \$49,250

As of: 2/12/2019

Amount Pledged & Received: \$200 Amount Over/(Under) Goal: (\$49,050) Percentage of Goal Received: 0.3%

The appeal begins this weekend. See the bulletin insert highlighting the work of the Church in Southern Minnesota.

In order to reach our parish goal again this year it will take all of us coming together to support this appeal. Thank you for your generosity!

THEOLOGY UNCORKED

Got questions about prayer? Then you'll want to bring them to **Theology Uncorked's** first presentation of the new season, which is on prayer! We'll be welcoming recently-ordained priest of our



diocese, **Fr. Brian Mulligan**, for his talk on prayer and his personal vocation story, **"Pray Like a Pirate!! ARRR!**"

So, grab your hearties, and come enjoy something better than grog at **The Oaks Wine Bar**, 75 W 3rd St, Winona, MN 55987, happening as always on the 4th Thursday of the month, **February 28th, 7pm.**

EGG BAKE BREAKFAST

Today, February 17 After 7:00am & 10:30am Masses Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

Cost: Free Will Offering Menu: Egg Bake, Fruit, Beverages

Proceeds benefit 10 youth and 3 chaperones attending the National Catholic Youth Conference from the Winona Catholic Parishes.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

RCIA - Catechumens and candidates from all five parishes along with WSU meet on Tuesday evenings, (7:00-8:30pm) in the St. Thomas Room at Cathedral of the Sacred Heart.

The topic presentation for February 19: Sacrament of The Eucharist.

For further information at **Cathedral or St. Casimir,** call Anna at 452-4770 x021.

For further information at St. Mary's, call Ann at 452-5656 x3.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER



Sunday, February 24, is St. Mary's Benevolence Pancake Breakfast, Silent Auction and Bake Sale in Marian Hall. Please bring donations for the auction by 3:00pm Saturday, February 23. Bake sale donations

may be brought on Saturday or Sunday. Anyone willing to help call Mary Nix, 507-454-4517.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

First Eucharist (Grade 2 Children) February 27—First Eucharist Activity Night (5:00-7:00pm) March 20—Session Seven

Parents and children attend sessions together from 5:30-6:30pm in the Visitation Commons.

Confirmation (Grade 10 Youth)

February 20—Session Six at St. Mary's (6:30-8:00pm) Visitation Commons

Sunday School (Ages 3-5) during 10:30am Mass February 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Wednesday Sessions (Grades 1-9)

February 20—Regular Session
February 27—Regular Session
March 6—Ash Wednesday Mass at 5:30pm for families
March 13—No Sessions due to Spring Break
March 20—Regular Session
March 27—Regular Session

2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Renew Faith. Extend Mercy. Inspire Hope

This weekend, February 16/17, the Catholic Ministries Appeal is being launched in every parish in the Diocese. You will find a bulletin insert highlighting the areas where the appeal supports the work of the Church in southern Minnesota. Please consider a gift to the Catholic Foundation which raises the money for ministries for the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. In order to reach our parish goal again this year it will take all of us coming together to support this appeal. Thank you for your generosity!

St. Mary's goal for 2019 is \$41,990.

OUR MISSION

We are God's partially faithful, yet wonderfully gifted people. Together we are called to heal, educate and connect all our brothers and sisters to our loving and forgiving God. We believe that this call comes to us in Baptism, and is nourished through the Word, Eucharist, and works of mercy and caring.

LUCK OF THE IRISH FESTIVAL FISH FRY MEAL

March 15, 5:00 – 9:00pm Enjoy an evening of great Fish Meal, Casino Tables, Raffles and Silent Auction. New this year: Best Irish Attire Contest. Please call church office with questions.



WELCOME, FR. JASON KERN!

Bishop John Quinn appointed Father Jason Kern to the office of Parochial Administrator of St. Mary's Parish. He will remain in this capacity until a new pastor is named. Father Kern will be covering pastoral and administrative needs at St. Mary's and will begin offering weekend Masses starting in March. We are thankful for his support during this time of transition.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Contact Linda Angst at 458-1245 for prayer requests or to join the prayer chain.

ST. MARY'S PARISH COUNCILS

Pastoral Council Chair: Kevin O'Laughlin507-201-8586Finance Council Chair: Bob Stein507-454-2146

HOUSEHOLD OF FAITH SUPPORT

July 1, 2018 - February 3, 2019		
Total Church Support	\$332,808	
Budgeted Church Support (year to date)	\$352,333	

July 2018-January	2019
Church Support	\$325,863
Other Income from Operations	96,257
Total Income	\$422,120
Expenses	<u>421,918</u>
Net Income/(Loss) from operations	\$ 202

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING

Fiscal Year July 1, 2018–June 30, 2019

Giving July 1, 2018–February 3, 2	2019
Total Church Support	\$ 95,306
Budgeted Church Support YTD	\$109,202
December 31, 2018	
Income	\$121,506
Expenses	<u>\$120,108</u>
Net Gain/(Loss)	\$1,398

2018 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

St. Casimir Parish Goal: \$13,330

As of: 2/12/2019

Amount Pledged & Received: \$0 Amount Over/(Under) Goal: 0 Percentage of Goal Received: 0%

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PRAYER REQUESTS

For prayer requests or to join the prayer chain please contact: Normagene Pettersen at 452-5601.



THIS WEEK AT ST. CASIMIR

Monday, February 18 1:00pm–Quilters, Stage Area 5:00pm–Serra Club, Church & Church Hall Wednesday, February 20 9:00am–Quilters, Stage Area 6:15pm–Faith Formation, Church (see schedule on pg 3)

COTTER RAFFLE TICKETS

Cotter Raffle tickets are currently available from John Keen. They will be available through the end of March. If interested in purchasing a ticket please contact John at 452-5836.

COFFEE AND DONUTS

Please join us in the church hall after the 9am Mass for coffee, donuts and conversation on Sunday, March 3rd.



Community Announcements

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

Thanks to all who advertise on our back cover. They pay for our bulletin. Please consider doing business with them.

> This week's focus: St. Anne of Winona WNB Financial

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Texts online at: usccb.org/nab



Readings for the week of March 17, 2019 **Sunday**: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14[1a]/Phil 3:17–4:1 or 3:20–4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38 Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31 **Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

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Recently, the annual **March for Life** was held at our state's capital. People from all over the state came to show their support for the over 61 million pre-born babies lost to abortion (nation-wide) and

to pray for the babies that are not safe in their mother's womb. But there is Good News for those hurting from abortion. The **Silent No More** organization released a project called "**Healing the Shockwaves of Abortion**." The aim of Shockwaves is to reach out to those impacted by the loss of a child through abortion: parents, grandparents, siblings, friends, abortion workers, and even the abortionists themselves.

Do you need resources for healing and help? Do you know of others who may need help? See <u>http://</u><u>www.silentnomoreawareness.org/shockwaves/</u> for more information

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

The regular deadline for bulletin announcements is Wednesday by noon, 11 days prior to the publication date. Announcements are to be submitted in writing by mailing or dropping off at the parish offices or by e-mail to: **info@cathedralwinona.org** and **stmarys@wacs1.org**. All items are subject to approval and editing.

Community Announcements

COUPLES FAITH GROUPS FORMING: JOIN TEAMS

Teams of Our Lady small groups strengthen the faith life of married couples. Each Team consists of 4-5 couples who meet monthly to share a meal, prayer, scripture and discussion. Couples of all ages enrich their marriages and spirituality in this worldwide movement. There are currently 12 Teams in the Winona Sector.

For more information, please join us for a short (30 min.) information meeting after the 10:30 mass on February 24th in the St. Francis room at St. Mary's Parish. Childcare will be provided. For questions please feel free to contact Fred and Pat Blacklock @ 507-313-8956 or fpblacklock@hotmail.com.

WINONA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 29-August 2, 2019 Age 4 through Grade 6 St. Mary's Church & School



YOUTH NEWS

Steubenville North Conference—Rochester July 12-14, 2019 Cost: \$355 (Deposit of \$50 due March 14) Grades 9-12

Camp Summit-Eagle Bluff Lanesboro, MN August 5-8, 2019 Cost: \$250 (deposit of \$50 due May 15) Grades 6-8

National Catholic Youth Conference— Indianapolis, IN

November 20-24, 2019 Cost: \$640 (deposit of \$250 due May 1) Grades 9-12



Walk & Wag Fundraiser—Mav 18

Save the date for this fundraiser to help raise funds for the youth events listed above.

Contact Julie in the Faith Formation Office at St. Mary's for more information or to register.

PINE RIDGE MISSION TRIP

July 7-12, 2019

Wanblee, South Dakota

There are two adult spots and one youth spot available for the Pine Ridge Mission trip. The cost is the \$50 deposit per person. The rest of the trip for the participants is paid for by a generous donation gifted to Fr.

Jim. There will be a bucket collection in June to help with transportation costs. Contact Julie in the St. Mary's Parish Office if you would like to go or need more information.

COTTER'S CORNER



Cotter choir students, Colin Cada, Siena Kuehn, and Grace Miller were accepted into the American Choral Director's Association (ACDA) of Minnesota 9-10 grade State Honor Choirs. They performed on February 14 in Minneapolis.

The Music Listening Team of Aidan Carlson, Ceili DeMarais, and Rita Row competed at the state music listening competition at Augsburg College on February 1. They earned their spot at state during the regional competition at



Winona State University. Congratulations to all!

YOUNG AT HEART

The March gathering will be Thursday, March 7th at the Cathedral starting with 12:10pm Mass followed by a lunch including pork loin, mashed potatoes & gravy, carrots, pickled beets, roll and lemon bars. Entertainment for the day will be Mary Jo Baldus, harpist. Reservations required for the lunch and can be made by calling Karen at 457-3671 no later than noon on Monday, March 4th. Cost: \$5. All are welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Februa	ry 18	
7:00am	Cathedral	† Lee Mendyk
Tuesday, Februa	ry 19	
7:00am	Cathedral	Steve & Rondi Tomashek
8:30am	St. Mary's	No Mass
12:10pm	Cathedral	† Tony Zittel
Wednesday, Feb	oruary 20	
7:00am	Cathedral	† Chester Malewicki
8:30am	St. Mary's	† Richard Dennis
12:10pm	Cathedral	† Msgr. Roy Literski
Thursday, Febru	iary 21	
7:00am	Cathedral	† Janice Hock
8:30am	St. Mary's	No Mass
12:10pm	Cathedral	† Helen Burrichter
Friday, February	22	
7:00am	Cathedral	† Al Pierzina
12:10pm	Cathedral	† Nick Glowacki
Saturday, Februa	ary 23	
8:00am	Cathedral	† Vincent & Lorraine Ashelin
4:30pm	St. Mary's	† Grace Besek
5:15pm	Cathedral	† Joseph Regan
Sunday, Februar	'y 24	
7:00am	Cathedral	Cathedral Parish
8:30am	St. Mary's	† Gerald Johnson
9:00am	St. Casimir	† Catherine Slaby
10:30am	Cathedral	† James Schlegel
10:30am	St. Mary's	St. Mary's Parish
7:00pm	Cathedral	St. Casimir Parish

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