



“Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.”

~Luke 19:28-40

# The Catholic Communities of Holdingford, St. Anna, and St. Wendel

## All Saints, Holdingford Immaculate Conception, St. Anna St. Columbkille, St. Wendel

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord  
April 10, 2022

### Central Office in Holdingford

Hours: Mon.-Wed. 10 to 3, Thurs. 1 to 5

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**Confession Times:** Before daily Mass  
And by appointment

**Marriage:** Couples are to begin preparation 6-12 months in advance and **must** call the Central Office to meet with Father Gregory **before setting a date.** Diocesan Marriage Preparation Classes are required.

**Baptism:** Call the Central Office to schedule Baptism.

**Shut-Ins:** Please call us.

**New Parishioners:** Please introduce yourself to Father after Mass and call the Central Office. If you are leaving our parishes please call the central office so we can update our census. Thank you.

**Address:**

**P.O. Box 308**

**Holdingford, MN 56340**



Confirmation Class March 20, 2022 at All Saints-St. Hedwig's, Holdingford



### Matching Grant Breakfast Today!

Catholic United Financial and the St. Joseph Council is sponsoring a Matching Grant Breakfast and Quilt Raffle

**Palm Sunday, April 10th**

**All Saints - St. Mary's, Holdingford**

Ham, sausage, pancakes, eggs & fresh baked caramel rolls will be served!

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Free will offering**

Proceeds for the religious education program.



Eggs

Pancakes



Caramel rolls

Quilt Raffle



# Evangelization Corner

~Kristin Molitor

## HOW TO MAKE THE MOST OF HOLY WEEK? 5 WAYS TO LIVE IT WELL

01 MEDITATE ON THE PASSION  
Meditate on the Passion using passages in the Bible, the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, etc.

02 TRY TO BE SILENT  
Avoid listening to music or attending parties or celebrations. Make sure to keep your conversations as sober as possible.

03 MAKE AN EXTRA SACRIFICE  
In addition to fasting and abstinence on Friday, make another small sacrifice.

04 ATTEND THE LITURGIES  
Try to attend all of the liturgies and invite your family and friends.

05 KEEP ALL DISTRACTIONS AWAY  
Keep away from distractions like your cell phone, videos, etc.

#HOLYWEEK



*If you suffer with Him, you will reign with Him. If you cry with Him, you will have joy with Him. If you die with Him on the Cross of tribulation, you will possess the eternal dwelling place in the splendor of the saints. And your name, written in the Book of Life, will be glorious among men.” – St. Clare*



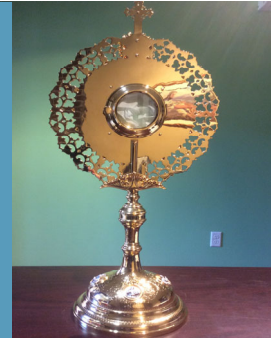
### The Healing Power of God

Remember in prayer all who are in need of the Lord's healing and strength especially:

Teckla Scegura, Lee Larkey, Arnold Voss, Theresa Johannes, Fr. Gregory, Jerome Young, David Fischer, Idella Moore, Tom Studniski, Loren Philippi, Ardith Mosier, Mickey Jeffers, Carol Kuklok, Ambrose Gertken, Bonnie Weitalla, Laverne Woidylla, Allan Warzecha, Al Maslowski, Frances Breth, David Platz, Jr., Pat Euteneuer, Kim Roth-Koning, Si Koning, Casey Tschida Nancy Bieniek, Eugene Piechowski, Dave & Anita Scegura, Cathy Adolph

## Eucharistic Adoration

Cluster Adoration  
Every Monday and after  
weekday Masses  
12 noon to 8 p.m.  
All Saints – St. Mary's



Proudly Airing Relevant Radio™

**Listen to the Rosary** led by Fr. Gregory and Fr. Mark Stang on KASM 1150 AM at 6:00 p.m. daily.

**Listen to Fr. Gregory's Rural Life Radio Show** on KYES 1180 or 93.5 FM at 8:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Friday.

Protect us Lord  
as we stay awake  
watch over us as  
we sleep.  
That awake we  
may keep watch  
with Christ and  
asleep, rest in  
His peace.

### Night Prayer

Join Fr. Gregory in prayer most nights at 9:00 p.m. on his Facebook page. We are averaging over 125 families each night. You can ask for a request that Father keeps in his prayers. Night Prayer is added to our webpage the next day to watch anytime.

### Please pray for a Secretary

**Job Opening: Holdingford Parish Secretary**  
Applications and a job description for the 20hr/week position are available in the Central Office. Please let Fr. Gregory know if you are interested.



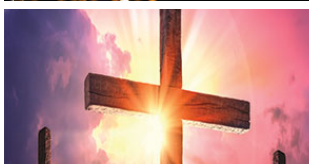
All Saints-St. Hedwig's  
7:00 p.m. with  
Adoration until  
11:00 p.m.



St. Columbkille  
12 noon (outside?)  
All Saints-St. Mary's  
3:00 p.m.



Immaculate Conception  
8:15 p.m.  
Wine & Cheese to follow



Arban 6:30 a.m. outdoor  
St. Columbkille 8:15 a.m.  
Immaculate Conception  
10:15 a.m.

## News Events

### Tenebrae - A Tradition at St. Mary's Cathedral

Everyone is welcome at St. Mary's Cathedral in St. Cloud on Good Friday evening, April 15, at 8:00 pm for Tenebrae, which is Latin for shadows or darkness. At this event, participants will experience the gradual extinction of all lights in the church, symbolizing the temporary triumph of the prince of darkness over the Light of the World, and loud noises created at the end of the service by the assembly and ministers, suggesting the earthquake described in the Passion Narratives. This is a truly moving experience for the entire family.

### Are you being called?

#### We need a new secretary!

We ask for your patience with phone calls and questions we do not have a secretary and it may take Father some time to get back to you.

#### Confirmation Director needed

Please prayerfully consider if you are called to be the Confirmation Director for next year. Father loves teaching but then can't visit the other classes.

### Holy Week Volunteers Needed

Palm Sunday: April 10

Help needed for the Matching Grant Breakfast. Volunteers can contact: Patty Becker 291-6582

Holy Thursday: April 14 All Saints St. Hedwig's

12 people are needed for the 'washing of the feet'-any age, man or woman. Servers from any parish may serve on Holy Thursday. Go to your own sacristy and bring your serving outfit with you.

Notify Bob Jarnot: 293-0506

Holy Saturday: April 16 Immaculate Conception

Pray for Jordan Traut who will be Confirmed!

Volunteers needed for readers-can be from any parish or from the surrounding area. Call Dawn Wenderski

Volunteers needed to build the fire. Contact Fr. Gregory

Volunteers needed for the Wine & Cheese Reception. Contact: Brenda Dobis 241-6962.

\*Remember to have your Easter Baskets with you to be blessed after Saturday and Sunday Masses.

\*Don't forget your bells for Holy Thursday, Holy Saturday and Sunday.

### Life is Messy

Please join the Christian Women to hear Kristin Molitor speak on the book, *Life is Messy* on Tuesday, April 19th 2022 at 6:00 pm. Hospitality following in The Gathering Space at St. Benedict's Church in Avon.

### Be a Listener for our Catholic Church?

Pope Francis is asking that our parishes find "listeners" to help us in a group or one-on-one settings. *What will a listener do?* A one-on-one listener will host conversations with individuals about their experience of the Catholic Church and submit summary notes to the diocese. A group listener will facilitate a group experience that includes prayer, silence, individual reflection, small group conversation, and large group sharing. Training is provided and one opportunity will take place April 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm at St Mary's in Upsala or online sign-up: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/stdiosynodlisteners> Our diocesan goal is to listen 12,000 people in the next two months. Please contact your ACC council members if you have any questions.



## Weekly Readings

**Monday:** Is 42:1-7/ Jn 12:1-11

**Tuesday:** Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

**Wednesday:** Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25

**Thursday:** Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

**Friday:** Is 52:13-53/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42

**Saturday:** Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ex 14:15-15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15,32-4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Rom 6:3-11/Lk 24:1-12

**Sunday:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9/or Lk 24:1-12

### Early Bulletin Due Dates

Bulletin Date	Due by
April 17th	Friday, April 8th

Please send announcements to: [bulletin@tworiverscatholic.com](mailto:bulletin@tworiverscatholic.com)



May Eternal Rest

Be granted to:

Janice Young Pauly

Burial will be a later date in Arban.

*He died for us  
so that we may live!*



## Weekly Offering

### Financial Contributions

PARISH INCOME

**April 3, 2022**

AS \$	Unavailable due to an early
IC \$	bulletin deadline.
SC \$	

**Thank you for your generosity!**

"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." ~Luke 12:34

# Parish News & Events

## All Saints

### Building Committee

Great News! We have chosen an Architect! It takes 2 to 6 months for the final drawing. Come Holy Spirit Come! There will be two open meetings with the Architect in the near future. Let us pray for unity and for the Holy Spirit to guide us.

The next phase of building is about more prayer and fundraising. Beginning in May you will notice a New Building Fund envelope twice a month in your contribution packets.

### Christian Mothers/Rosary Sodality

Bake Sale: It's Back! April 16th at 9 a.m. until sold out! Donated goods can be dropped off the Friday before.

Meeting: April 25th at All Saints- St. Mary's at 7:00 p.m. starting with the Rosary!

## Immaculate Conception

### Parish Bazaar News

Our parish bazaar will be held on Sunday, June 26, 2022.

Prize donations are needed for:

Cash Raffle: \$25 or greater from businesses and individuals.

Contact Brenda Dobis 241-6962 by April 18th.

Country Store: Canned goods, candles, jewelry, jelly & plants.

Kids Games: Suitable for children –coloring books, crayons, markers, reading books, Summer items: bubbles, sunglasses, sand pail sets, beach and water toys.

Silent Auction: Gift Certificates, Large hand crafted items: dish towels, wood items etc. Contact Pat Schmainda 420-6774.

Please bring our Country Store, Kids Games and silent Auction donations to the church basement before or after the 10am Sunday morning Mass. Please label your donations 'Bazaar prizes'. If you are unable to bring them at this time, please contact Pat Schmainda 420-6774 to make other arrangements. Thank you for your generosity!

## St. Columbkille

### Learn to Quilt

Any ladies wanting to quilt or learn how to quilt, please come to the St. Columbkille Church starting Sunday April 3rd. There will be a quilt set up in the basement. It will be there until done. Contact: Linda Ertl @363-4944. Everyone is welcome!

## All Cluster

### Jesus the Glory of God Conference April 23

Catholic Charismatic Renewal is excited to announce an upcoming Conference on April 23 in Oakdale MN. *Praise of Jesus* centers on our relationship with the creator of the universe who lives in us, inhabits our praise and *chooses* to be with us. Contact Kristin Molitor: evangelist@tworiverscatholic.com More information at [www.ccro-msp.org](http://www.ccro-msp.org). This Conference is available onsite or online.

## All Cluster continued

### Women's Group Schedule

April 18, 2022

10:30 a.m. at All Saints - St. Mary's Basement in Holdingford

7:00 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Faith Formation Building in St. Anna

### Discipleship Quad

Would you like to grow in your relationship with Jesus in new and unexpected ways? You're invited to prayerfully consider joining a Discipleship Quad! A Discipleship Quad is a group of four people who journey together as disciples through weekly gatherings of fellowship, ongoing conversion, and learning.

### For information about Women's Group or

Discipleship Quads: Kristin Molitor 228-0105

[evangelist@tworiverscatholic.com](mailto:evangelist@tworiverscatholic.com).

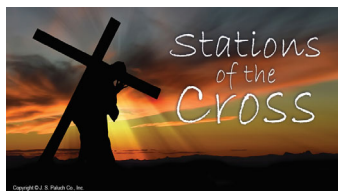
### Rural Catholic Singles Group

Join us for prayer, topical information, discussions and social activities for single people ages 19-59 who are looking for connections with other singles. We meet on the second Saturday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at All Saints-St. Mary's basement in Holdingford. Next Meeting/topics are:

April 9th: Catholic Dating and

May 14th: Synod Listening Session -all singles please attend to share your hopes and needs for our Church and yourselves as a Single Catholic so our Church can know and be able to respond. Any single person may attend this session, you don't need to join the group to share your thoughts on this topic.

Contact Janel @320-290-2877 for more information.




**Pilgrimage**: Take up you Cross and Follow Me. All that are able are welcome and encouraged to join us from 9-10:30 am on Good

Friday at the Arban site. We will walk (hopefully on a path through the woods), pray, meditate, reflect, sing and recite the 14 Stations of the Cross at intervals along the way. Wear good walking shoes (boots), and dress for the weather. Bring a Stations booklet if you have one. And if you wish, you can bring a Crucifix or a Cross of your own to carry. Any questions contact: Art or Rene Harlander 746-2581.

### Way of the Cross

Gather in the upper church of St. Mary's Cathedral in St. Cloud, 3:00 pm, Good Friday to commemorate Christ's Passion and road to Calvary. We will process around the lake George and return to the cathedral for the concluding prayer and blessing.

Praise Jesus in Adoration!

<i>Mass Schedule</i>		
Mon. April 11	8:00 a.m. St. Columbkille with Adoration & Stations	† Jerome Schindler
Tues. April 12	No Mass	
Wed. April 13	8:00 a.m. All Saints-St. Mary's Adoration & Stations	† Lloyd Fedor
Thurs. April 14	<i>Holy Thursday</i> 7:00 p.m. All Saints-St. Hedwig's-Adoration until 11:00 p.m.	† Peggy Prosocki
Fri. April 15	<i>Good Friday</i> 12 noon St. Columbkille (Outdoor?) 3:00 p.m. All Saints-St. Mary's	
Sat. April 16	<i>Holy Saturday</i> 8:15 p.m. Immaculate Conception	For the People
Sun. April 17	<i>Easter Sunday</i> 6:30 a.m. Arban (Outdoor) 8:15 a.m. St. Columbkille 10:15 a.m. Immaculate Conception	† Aloys Meyer † Paul Ripplinger Living and deceased members of the Christian Mothers

## Family Faith Formation & GIFFT (*Generations In Family Faith Together*)



IT'S VERY SIMPLE:

**Almsgiving**  
IS TO LOVE OTHERS

**Fasting**  
IS TO LOVE YOURSELF

**Prayer**  
IS TO LOVE GOD

**LENT**  
IS ALL ABOUT *love*



### First Communion Weekend April 23/24

Please pray for our students,  
as they prepare to receive Jesus!



Upcoming EPIC Youth Nights:

April 20th, 27th  
May 4th, (No Epic April 13th or May 11th)

### EPIC Every Person In Christ

Everyone is enjoying the games, prayer and discussions!  
Join us on Wednesdays after Faith Formation for  
**grades 6-12 from 7:45-8:30 p.m. at**  
**All Saints-St. Hedwig's Basement in Holdingford.**  
Students from ANY parish may attend.  
You are welcome to attend even if you haven't tried it yet.  
**WE WANT YOU HERE!**

Questions: Kyle VanOverbeke-Youth Minister  
youthminister@tworiverscatholic.com

#### Things to do to prepare your heart for the Easter Triduum

- \*Pray for others especially those you find hard to pray for.
- \*Go to Confession!
- \*Sacrifice a treat (coffee, dessert) and give that money to the poor.
- \*Make a meal for a neighbor in need.
- \*Give away an outfit or item that you still really like.
- \* Have you done the Stations of the Cross yet? #Friday#Arban#9am



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**Thank you and blessings for a good day!**