## **Blessed Trinity Parish**

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Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

## St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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Mass Schedule/Intentions				
Sun. 3/26	8:00 am Meppen - Genevieve Phillip (Month's Mind)			
	9:30 am Hardin - Doug Robeen			
	5:00 pm Hardin - NO MASS			
Mon. 3/27	7:00 am Hardin - NO MASS			
Tues. 3/28	6:00 pm Meppen - Darleen Twichell			
Wed. 3/29	8:30 am Hardin - Constance Frazier Mansfield			
Thu. 3/30	7:00 am Hardin - Garrett & Jeanine Hagen			
	9:30 am Nursing Home - Gene Simon			
Fri. 3/31	8:30 am Brussels - Clarence Mossman			
Sat. 4/1	8:00 am Batchtown - Glenn Pohlman			
•	4:00 pm Kampsville - Ralph & Opal Becker			
	6:30 pm Brussels - Tony & Kate Rose Family			
Sun. 4/2	8:00 am Meppen - Deceased Priests of the Diocese			
	9:30 am Hardin - Barbara Powers			

#### **Confessions**

Mon- Fri.: One half hour prior to Mass; continuing for 15 minutes Saturday: 3:15-3:30 pm - Kampsville and 5:30-6:00 pm - Brussels

5:00 pm Hardin - For the People

Monday - 6:30 am - 6:45 am; Thursday 6:30 am - 6:45 am; Tuesday 5:30 pm - 5:45 pm; Friday 8:00 am - 8:15 am; Wednesday 8:00 am - 8:15 am; Saturday 3:15 - 3:30 pm;

Additional times the two weekends prior to Easter as follows: Saturday, April 1 & 8, 2:30-3:30 at Kampsville Sunday, April 2 & 9, starting at 1:00 until all are heard at Meppen

#### Parish Staff & Boards

**Deacon** - Dcn. Mike Hagen, 576-8009, mikehagen73@yahoo.com **Office Managers** -

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BT Pastoral Council - Mike Wrigley - 2nd Tuesday 7:00 pm

St. Mary Advisory Board - 4th Tuesday 7:00 pm

SFA Finance Council - Dick Lieber - 3rd Tuesday 8:00 pm

SFA Pastoral Council - Brad Vacca - 3rd Tuesday 7:00 pm

St. Norbert Advisory Board - 1st Tuesday 7:00 pm

#### **Upcoming Events**

Mar 31 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry

Mar 31 - SMS Vendor Open House at Brussels Legion, 5-7pm

Apr 1 - Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts Workshop, St. Joseph's Hall, 9-3

Apr 1 - SMS Aluminum Can Drive, 8am-12

Apr 7 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry

Apr 7 - SNS Kids Quarter Auction

Apr 9 - Presentation on the Shroud of Turin, St. Joseph's Hall, 2-4pm

Apr 29 - Calhoun for Life Quarter Auction

June 11-16 - Totus Tuus (Catholic Summer Youth Camp)

#### The Sacraments and Our Parish Life

<u>Parish Membership</u> We would like every adult to be properly registered in the parish. Please call the parish for the registration form. Please let us know if you change your address.

<u>Matrimony</u> Couples should contact Fr. Roberts no less than 6 months prior to the anticipated date. One person in the couple must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.

Baptisms Baptism should be received within a month after your child's birth. Baptisms can be celebrated after Mass on any Sunday of the year. A sacramental preparation program for parents is held prior to baptism. These classes are held quarterly. Please register to attend this class prior to the birth of your child. It is necessary for both parents to participate.

Anointing of the Sick/Home Visits If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or in need of a visit and Holy Communion, please contact the church office or Fr. Roberts.

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown. 24 Hour Adoration begins at 7:00am Tuesday and concludes on Friday at 9:00pm.

<u>PSR Enrollment</u>—Families new to PSR should contact Angie Goode at 618-410-9152 or Kari Fraley at 653-4440.

#### Please pray for

Annette Alberson, John Baalman, Norman Baalman, Philip Baalman, Liam Batten, Harold Becker, David Benz, Lester Benz, Charlie Bichsel, Rosemary Bick, Tanner Bick, Grace Elizabeth Brady, Geneva Breden, Norma Bright, Ray Brundies, Marissa Buchanan, Parker Calbreath, Kennedy Cooper, Dennis Droege, Patty Friedel, Danny Fuller, Roberta Fuller, Sarah Funk, Jim Godar, Norbert Godar, Penny Gress, Herman Hagen, Elda Hayn, Cindy Herrmann, Tom Hill, Paul Hoemmen, Christine Hornberger, Debbie Ilges, Gary Jackson, Susan Jansen, Allen Johnson, Katelyn Johns, Mary Kallal, Mike Kinder, Shelley Kinder, Rosemary Klemme, Ellen Klocke, Bob Klunk, Alfred Kronable, Short Lorsbach, Jean Lorton, Brian Marshall, Elizabeth McCasland, Shirley McCauley, Paul & Betty McGinnis, Kim Meyer, Hayley Miller, Michelle Montonage, Todd Mueller, Samantha Niezgodski, Lane Oden, Sara Orf, Harvey Phillips Sr., Cheston Pickett, Debbie Pluester, Paul Pluester, Susan Pohlman, Rheta Poore, Rick Randazzo, Raymond Remrey, Otto Retzer, Eleanor Robeen, Noah Rogers, Carter Rose, Jordan Roth, Kurt Roth, Catherine Schleeper, Don Schneider Jr., Darlene Seiferman, Jerry Siemer, Bob Sievers, Alice Snyders, Jo Ann Snyders, Paige Snyders, Mike Stelbrink, Dave Stenbeck, Eleanor Tepen, Mary Tepen, Helen Vetter, Bernie Wallendorf, Gus Wallendorf, Gary Watson, Margaret Wester, Ed Whitehead, Cindy Wieneke, Bruce Williams, Steve Woelfel and for those for whom we have promised to pray.

# Stewardship of Treasure March 11 & 12, 2017

<b>Blessed Trinity</b>	Actual	Budget		
Reg. Collection	\$2320.00	\$3326.92		
Year to Date	\$92379.14	\$123096.04		
Amount Under/	Weekly	(1006.92)		
Over Budget	Year to Date	(30716.90)		
School Support \$0.00	<b>Envelopes Sent</b>	363 Used 70		

Actual	Budget	
\$2847.00	\$3078.85	
\$102728.40	\$113917.45	
Weekly	(231.85)	
Year to Date	(11189.05)	
Envelopes Sent 282	Used	60
	\$2847.00 \$102728.40 Weekly Year to Date	\$2847.00 \$3078.85 \$102728.40 \$113917.45 Weekly (231.85) Year to Date (11189.05)

March 26, 2017 Fourth Sunday of Lent

Pastor: Rev. Don J. Roberts

Rectory: 883-2309

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

<u>Special Collection</u> There is a special collection for "Catholic Relief Services" this weekend, March 25-26.

St.Joseph's Altar Society will meet on Monday, April 3 at 7pm. Hostesses are Karen Droege and Mary Droege.
St Mary's Altar Society will meet on Thursday, April 6 at 7pm because of the Legion Fish Fry on Friday, April 7.
Hostesses will be Yevon Ristich and Maggie Wester.
Discussion regarding the spring DCCW meeting and the May Dinner will be on the agenda. Members are reminded to bring 2 dozen cookies to SMS for the reception after

<u>Meppen Picnic Committee</u> will meet Tuesday, April 25 at 7pm at the church hall.

Confirmation on Wednesday, March 22 at 6:30.

<u>St. Mary Picnic Committee</u> will meet on Wednesday, April 26 at 7pm at St. Mary Church Hall. All Heads of Stands are asked to attend.

<u>Anyone who would like to donate</u> a large chest freezer in good condition for St. Mary Picnic, please contact Jeff Kiel at 883-2240 or Karen Kinder at 883-2614.

<u>St. Norbert's:</u> If you want to buy a memorial Easter lily leave in the back of church the week prior to Easter with your name on it.

#### St. Francis of Assisi Parish Spring Dinner Raffle WINNERS:

\$150 - Gene Sagez
 \$100 - Jacob Brannon
 \$250

3. \$100 - Zack Hurley

4. \$50 - Jason Wieneke

5. \$50 - Mr. & Mrs. Ed Benz

6. \$50 - SNS Grades 6-8

7. \$25 - Becky Watters

8. \$25 - Mike Kiel

9. \$25 - Pennie Pohlman

10. \$25 - Eleanor Robeen

**Easter Triduum Servers Practice** There will be practice for SFA's servers for the Easter services on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday at 10:00am at Kampsville.



#### **Holy Thursday**

6:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper at Kampsville

#### **Good Friday**

1:00pm Stations of the Cross with Confessions following until all are heard at Meppen

6:30pm Memorial of the Lord's Passion at Kampsville

#### **Holy Saturday**

9:00pm Easter Vigil Mass at Kampsville

#### **Easter Sunday**

6:30am Mass at Brussels

8:00am Mass at Meppen

9:30am Mass at Hardin

11:00am Mass at Michael

## Adult Faith Formation News

Presentation on the Shroud of Turin

There will be a special presentation on the Shroud of Turin at St. Joseph's Hall in Meppen on April 9 (Palm Sunday) from 2-4pm. The Shroud is widely believed to have been Jesus' burial cloth and reveals much about his suffering. Our speaker will be Mr. John Schulte of the Archdiocese of St. Louis. There is no charge, but a free will offering will be taken up.

#### **Lenten Regulations**

- **1. Abstinence**—Everyone 14 years of age and over is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.
- 2. Fast—Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 is required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On these two days of fast and abstinence, only one full meatless meal is permitted. Two other meatless meals sufficient to maintain strength may be taken according to each person's needs, but together these two should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids (including milk and fruit juices) are allowed.
- **3.** To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is seriously sinful.

#### **LENTEN SCHEDULE 2017**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Fridays, 6:30pm at Hardin & Brussels.

**PENANCE:** Mon.- Fri.: One half hour prior to Mass, continuing for 15 minutes. Saturday: 3:15-3:30pm at Kampsville and 5:45-6:00pm at Brussels.

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

All are invited to visit our dear Lord in the Blessed Sacrament at St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown every Tuesday beginning at 8am and continuing through Friday until 9pm.

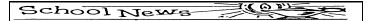


March 31 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry April 7 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry

#### Stations of the Cross

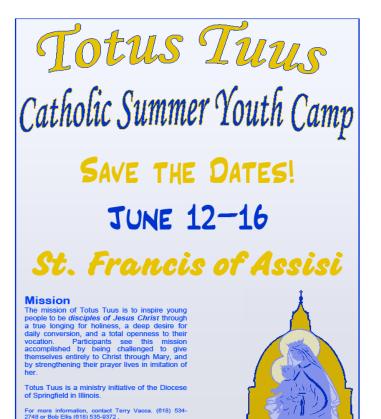
During all the Fridays of Lent, Blessed Trinity and St. Francis of Assisi will have the Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm at St. Mary's Church and St. Norbert's Church.

RCIA Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who wants to know what it means to become Catholic? Know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Confirmation & Communion? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions & seek understanding. Classes are on Thursdays at 7pm at St. Joseph's Hall in Meppen. Anyone already Catholic is welcome to attend any class or all classes to refresh their knowledge. The next class will be March 30.



#### St. Mary School

- \* SMS Vendor Open House on March 31, 5-7pm at the Brussels Legion. Vendors include Style Dots, Pampered Chef, Thirty One, Younique, Stella & Dot and Scentsy. Rewards from these vendors are used to purchase items for Game Night. If you would like to order but not able to attend or for more information, contact Charlene Friedel at 883-2518 or Colleen Baalman at 396-0023.
- \* SMS 8th grade class will be having an aluminum can drive on April 1 in the St. Mary Church parking lot from 8am-12 noon.



#### St. Norbert School

- \* Congratulations to the students invited to attend the SIUE Science Fair.
- \* St. Norbert students are hosting weekly Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 9am. Our church community is welcome to attend.
- \* Grades 5-8 will be presenting their Modern Woodman speeches to the school on March 31.
- \* Spring Pictures will be taken March 31 for SNS and Montessori.
- \* Modern Woodman School Level Competition on April 4, 6:30pm at SNS.
- \* Stations of the Cross on April 7, 9am at St. Norbert Cemetery.
- \* Kids Quarter Auction on April 7, 5:30pm at SNS.
- \* No School on Holy Thursday, April 13.
- \* No School on Good Friday, April 14.
- \* School resumes on April 19.
- \* Weather Bash at Bush Stadium for Grades 6-8.
- \* Spring Band Concert is April 23 at 2pm.
- \* Regional Modern Woodman Speech Contest will be on April 25, hosted by SNS at the Calhoun High School Auditorium.
- \* Earth Day field trip for Grades K-8 on April 27.
- \* First Communion practice on May 3, 3:30-4:30 at St. Anselm's church.
- \* First Communion will be on May 7 at St. Anselm's, mass will begin at 9:45am.
- \* No School for Second Grade on May 8.
- \* May Crowning on May 10.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE							
	4:00 pm April 1 Kampsville	6:30 pm April 1 Brussels	8:00 am April 2 Meppen	9:30 am April 2 Hardin	5:00 pm April 2 Hardin		
Servers:	Volunteer	Corree Snyders, Alyssa Bonner, Mary Baalman	Ty Bick, Hope Smith, Delani Klaas	Holly Baalman, Carter Haug, Steven Margherio	Volunteer		
Lectors:	John Baltisberger	Judy Burch	Maureen Tepen	Jim Hughart	Volunteer		
Ushers:	J. Ewen, J. Stelbrink	Ed Kiel, Kevin Kinder	Jim Twichell, David Droege	Tom Lorsbach, Curt Peters	Volunteer		
Offertory:		M/M Roger Rose	Jason & Georgia Klocke Family	Mary & Ben Buchanan			
Extra-Ordinary Ministers:	M.A. Ringhausen, J. Clendenny, T. Droste	Karen Kinder, JoAnn Nolte, Mary Lee Rose	Janet Droege, Pat & Vera Droege	M/M Hughart, V. Tepen, Phil Gress, Marian Hagen	Volunteer		

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