

Blessed Trinity Parish

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Mass Schedule/Intentions

This Sunday, March 5

8:00 am Meppen— Kenny Bick

9:30 am Hardin— Deceased Priests of Diocese

5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Mon. 7:00 am Hardin— For the People

Tues. 6:00 pm Meppen— Liz Toppmeyer & Lydia Carnes

Wed. 8:30 am Hardin— For the People

Thu. 7:00 am Hardin— Carol Robeen (1 Yr, Anniv)

9:30 am Nursing Home— For the People

Fri. 8:30 am Brussels— Barb Toppmeyer

Sat. 8:00 am Batchtown— Floyd & Leola Kirn

4:00 pm Kampsville— Norman Titus

6:30 pm Brussels— Henry, Bertha, & John Schulte

Next Sunday, March 12

8:00 am Meppen— James Moses

9:30 am Hardin— Steve Tepen

5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Confessions

Sunday	7:30-7:45 AM	Meppen
Monday	6:30-6:45 AM	Hardin
Tuesday	5:30-5:45 PM	Meppen
Wednesday	8:00-8:15 AM	Hardin
Thursday	6:30-6:45 AM	Hardin
Friday	8:00-8:15 AM	Brussels
Saturday	3:15-3:30 PM	Kampsville
	5:45-6:00 PM	Brussels

Parish Staff & Boards

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St. Vincent de Paul—3rd Thurs 6:30; Brad Vacca 314-608-9302

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Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday @ 7 pm

St. Mary Advisory Board—4th Tuesday @ 7 pm

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St. Norbert Advisory Board—1st Tuesday @ 7 pm

The Sacraments and Our Parish Life

Parish Membership—Call or stop by either parish office. For St. Francis of Assisi, you may visit www.sfacalhoun.com and click on *Join Our Parish*.

Matrimony—Please contact the office at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date. One person in the couple must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.

Baptisms—Baptisms may be celebrated after Mass any Sunday of the year and should occur within a month of birth. Prior to your child's birth, both parents must register for our Baptism Program, and attend before the baptism. These are held at the Hardin office quarterly, with the next one on Friday, June 2, at 6:30pm.

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

Eucharistic Adoration—Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please contact Lisa Vogel at 618-883-2200.

PSR—We meet on Wednesday evenings, 6-7:15pm. If you are new, we welcome you to call or stop by either office.

Please Pray for the Sick

Names will remain on the *Pray for the Sick* list for 12 weeks then are automatically deleted. To be included on this list, contact either parish office by phone or email.

Charles & Carol Foiles (11)	Jerry Meyer (5)
Kelly Holste (11)	Jacob, Rachel & baby Becker (4)
Justin Vetter Middendorf (10)	Ellen Klocke (3)
Rosemary Bick (10)	Angela Roades (3)
Anna Mae Griffin (10)	Debra Helton (3)
Joe Sievers, Jr. (9)	Lorraine Hillen (2)
Cecilia Mueller (8)	Raymond Sievers (8)
Jim Hughart (8)	Steve Moeller (2)
Mike Wieneke (8)	Elda Hayn (2)
Cindy Klunk (8)	Paulette Hartman (1)
Jeff Schobernd (5)	Pam Presgraye (1)
Connor Gilman (5)	

Looking Ahead

February 27 - March 13 — Bible Study St. Mary Hall

March 10, 11, & 12 — Koinonia at St. Joseph Hall

March 13—St. Norbert Altar Society 1 PM

March 14—St. Anselm Altar Society Meeting, 6 PM

March 14—St. Barbara Picnic Meeting 6 PM

March 18—St. Anselm Easter Ham Bingo

April 1—Calhoun For Life Quarter Auction

Announcements

St. Barbara's Altar Society will meet March 6 at 7 p.m.
The hostess is Irene Wallendorf.

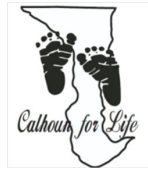
St. Norbert's Altar Society will meet March 13 at 1 p.m.
The hostess is JoAnn Holland.

St. Anselm Altar Society will meet on Tuesday, March 14 at 6pm in the Hall.

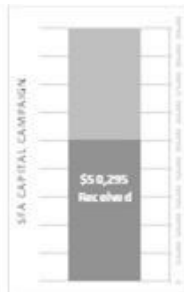
Jerseyville Deanery DCCW will meet Wed., March 8th at St. Joseph Church in Benld, IL. Registration (\$6 includes lunch) will begin at 8:30am. Mass at 9am followed by the Rosary.

St. Barbara's Picnic Committee will be meeting Tuesday March 14th @ 6:00pm. All Parishioners are encouraged to attend to welcome all ideas and recommendations to make this year's picnic a success.

Calhoun For Life will host their Quarter Auction on Saturday, April 1, 2023 K.C. Hall in Hardin. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. and the Quarter Auction will begin at 7:00 p.m. In addition to the Quarter Auction, there will be a silent auction, 50/50 drawing, card draws, and wonderful food and drinks for sale.



St. Francis of Assisi will have a second collection again next weekend, March 11 & 12 for the parish Capital Campaign. We have collected \$50,295 (56%) of our \$90,000 goal. We urge your generosity as we strive to meet our goal.



LENTEN FISH FRIES



March 24 — Legion Post 685 Fish Fry @ Brussels Legion

March 31 — Legion Post 685 Fish Fry @ Brussels Legion

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 Church and St. Norbert Church.
St. Mary's School students will have the Stations on
Wednesdays at 1:30 pm and invite you to attend.

A Letter from the Bishop

Dear Friends in Christ,

Catholic Charities in our diocese has a rich history of providing vital services and hope to God's people in need. Throughout its long 97-year history, Catholic Charities has remained open as staff and volunteers serve on the front lines to bring relief and advocate for the poor, sick, hungry, and weary every day. Because of your continued prayers and generosity, thousands of people every year receive help with basic needs such as food, clothing, medicine, rent, utilities and dental care as well as professional services in social work, counseling, guardianship and legal assistance. They are treated with dignity and respect and provided a path to hope and healing. Catholic Charities is able to continue these services through the ongoing generosity of people like you - donors, staff, volunteers, board members, and organizations coming together to support the mission. Thank you for your continued support of Catholic Charities to ensure God's love and mercy is extended to all of his children. During the weekend of March 4/ 5, 2023, the annual collection for Catholic Charities will again be held in our deaneries. This year, I challenge you to continue to support Catholic Charities as they continue to be the hands and feet of Jesus to our neighbors in need.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Thomas J. Paprocki
Bishop of Springfield in Illinois

St. Anselm Altar Society's Cemetery Game Night

March 18 at St. Anselm's Hall

Doors open at 5pm. Games begin at 6pm.

20 games — Prizes: Ham
Chicken & dumplings, chicken salad, hot dogs
and dessert will be served.

Stewardship of Treasure

February 19, 2023

Blessed Trinity Collections (Envelopes: 63 of 327)

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 2,986.00	\$ 3,700.00	\$ (714.00)
YTD	\$ 119,778.00	\$ 125,800.00	\$ (6,022.00)
School	\$ 40.00		

St. Francis of Assisi Collections (Envelopes: 62 of 257)

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 6,412.00	\$ 3,740.00	\$ 2,672.00
YTD	\$ 140,922.74	\$ 127,160.00	\$ 13,762.74
STF	\$ 285.00		

Bible Study
Holy is His Name

Video series by Dr. Scott Hahn
Each Wednesday, February 22- April 5
6:00-7:15pm at SFA parish office

Come join us for this bible study course about history of holiness in the Church and how to become holy. Anyone welcome. The course is free of charge and includes study guides. No need to register and no requirement to attend all sessions, although attendance for the complete course would be most beneficial.

Conversion: Following the Call of Christ

Mondays Feb 27th to Mar 13th

6:30-7:30 pm *** St. Mary's Hall in Brussels

Join us for this short (but powerful) series in which Bishop Barron explores conversion in the life of six great biblical figures as a lesson and model for all Christians who desire a closer relationship with Christ. Hint: they were six ordinary people, just like you, who were met by Jesus where they were and called to a better life through Him. Perfect for Lent.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of March 5th



St. Mary (A) - Vince & Cecilia Stahl
(S) - Ervin Nolte

St. Anselm—Curtis & Eleanor Robeen
St. Norbert—Jason Sagez

The March Military Mass will be Thursday, March 9, 2023, at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Alton at 6:00 PM. Join us to pray for active Military service members, veterans both living and deceased and their families and our country!

School News

St. Mary School

www.stmarysbrussels.org

- The students at SMS would like to invite you to join them Wednesdays at 1:30pm for the Stations of the Cross during the Lenten season.
- During Lent we will also be collecting personal hygiene items for Calhoun's St. Vincent DePaul. If you would like to donate, please drop off items at the school or office porch.
- The 5th-8th graders will be competing in our annual science fair Wednesday, March 16th at 6:30 pm in the SMS auditorium. The Mad Science Guy of St. Louis will be here as well. All are invited to attend this fun-filled evening.
- Thank you to the parents, students, family & friends who supported our color games fundraiser during CSW. We were able to donate \$700 to Calhoun's St. Vincent DePaul.

Congratulations to the following St. Mary's students for passing server training with Father Roberts! Your school and parish are so proud of your effort and dedication to your faith.

Drew Friedel - son of Neal & Charlene
Elizabeth Friedel - daughter of Steven & Rachael
Lorelei Hartman - daughter of Andy & Rachel
Alayna Lockwood—daughter of William & Bethany

St. Norbert School

- March 6 – No School (Casmir Pulaski Day)
- March 8 – End of 3rd Quarter
- Thank you to all who supported our Fish Fry!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	4:00pm March 11 Kampsville	6:30pm March 11 Brussels	8:00am March 12 Meppen	9:30am March 12 Hardin	5:00pm March 12 Hardin
Servers:	Volunteers	Jayleigh Droege, Anna Eberlin, Lorelei Hartman	Lacy & Riley Pohlman Jasmine Ennis	Volunteers	Volunteers
Lectors:	Jeannie Clendenny	Judy Burch	Denise Bick	Maria Carmody	Volunteer
Ushers:	Bill Klunk Ralph Becker	Bill Held Greg Klaas	Wayne Baalman Greg Pohlman	Joe Friedel Caleb Goode	Volunteers
Offertory:				Shirley Gansz JoAnn Holland	Volunteers
Extra-Ordinary Ministers:	John Baltisberger	Joan Held	Kate Sievers	Bob Ellis	

2023 Memorial Association

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