

# Blessed Trinity Parish

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# St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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## Mass Schedule/Intentions

### This Sunday, April 2

8:00 am Meppen— Deceased Priests of Diocese

9:30 am Hardin— Barbara Powers

5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Mon. 7:00 am Hardin— Jim Ringhausen

Tues. 6:00 pm Meppen— NO MASS

Wed. 8:30 am Hardin— Memorial Association

Thu. 7:00 am Hardin— NO MASS

9:30 am Nursing Home— NO MASS

6:30 pm Brussels—Floyd & Leola Kirn

Fri. 8:30 am Brussels — NO MASS

1:00 pm Meppen—Stations and Confession

6:30 pm Brussels—Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

Sat. 8:00 am Batchtown— NO MASS

4:00 pm Kampsville— NO MASS

8:00 pm Brussels— Aloys & Bob Fuhler

### Next Sunday, April 9

6:00 am Kampsville— For the People

8:00 am Meppen— Jack & Betty Maher

9:30 am Hardin— Homer Gansz

11:00 am Michael— Norbert A. Godar Jr.

5:00 pm Hardin— NO MASS

## 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

Deacon - Mike Hagen, 618-971-2391, [mikehagen73@yahoo.com](mailto:mikehagen73@yahoo.com)

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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](http://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.

Cecilia Mueller (12)

Jim Hughart (12)

Mike Wieneke (12)

Cindy Klunk (12)

Jeff Schobernd (9)

Connor Gilman (9)

Jerry Meyer (9)

Jacob, Rachel & baby Becker (8)

Ellen Klocke (7)

Angela Roades (7)

Debra Helton (7)

Lorraine Hillen (6)

Raymond Sievers (6)

Steve Moeller (6)

Elda Hayn (6)

Paulette Hartman (5)

Pam Presgraye (5)

Teddy Baalman (3)

Gary Gress (3)

Jeanette Sagez (3)

Anna Mae Griffin (2)

Kelly Holste (1)

## Looking Ahead

April 3—St. Norbert Altar Society Meeting

April 3—St. Barbara Altar Society Meeting

April 10—Bible Study at St. Mary Hall, 6:30pm

April 11—St. Anselm Altar Society Meeting



## Announcements

**Special Collections:** There will be a special collection for the Holy Land on Good Friday, April 7 and for the Seminarians on Easter Sunday, April 9.

**CRS Rice Bowl** Please remember to turn in your Rice Bowl donation sometime during Holy Week.

**Easter Flowers** Anyone wanting to donate an Easter Lily or other spring flower/plant, please bring to church before Good Friday, April 7th.

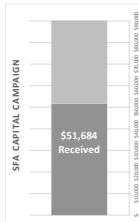
**St. Norbert Altar Society** will meet on Monday, April 3 at 1pm in the parish office. Hostess will be Joyce Simon.

**St. Barbara Altar Society** will meet on Monday, April 3 at 7pm. Hostess will be Kathy Wallendorf.

**There will be Eucharistic Adoration** at St. Norbert Church on Wednesday, April 5. Exposition will take place immediately following the 8:30am Mass and close with benediction at 12:45pm.

**St. Anselm Altar Society** will meet on Tuesday, April 11 at 6pm in the hall. Hostess will be Jody Yaeger.

**St. Francis of Assisi will have a second collection again this weekend**, April 1-2, for the parish Capital Campaign. We have collected \$51,684 (57%) of our \$90,000 goal. We urge your generosity as we strive to meet our goal.



### SANCTUARY LIGHTS



The votive intentions for the week of April 2

St. Mary (s)(a) - First Communicants and newly Confirmed  
St. Norbert—Louis & Jason Sagez

### Additional Lenten Penance Schedule

Sunday, April 2 - Meppen starting at 1:00pm  
Friday, April 7 - Meppen following Stations of the Cross at 1:00 pm

#### **Holy Thursday, April 6**

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

#### **Good Friday, April 7**

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

6:30pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at Brussels

#### **Holy Saturday, April 8**

8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass at Brussels

#### **Easter Sunday, April 9**

6:00am Mass at Kampsville

8:00am Mass at Meppen

9:30am Mass at Hardin

11:00am Mass at Michael

## A Letter from the Bishop

Dear Friends in Christ,

We look forward to the liturgical celebrations of Holy Week, through which the Lord draws us more fully into the mystery of His death and resurrection.

I am writing to ask your financial support for two collections to be taken in all our parishes during these coming days - the Holy Land Collection and the Seminarian Collection, to be taken up correspondingly during the Good Friday service, and then the Easter Vigil Liturgy and Easter Sunday Masses.

Each year, the Holy Father asks each Catholic parish around the world to take up a Good Friday Collection. The purpose of the collection is to keep a Christian presence in the Holy Land. The Collection supports the work of the Franciscans as they maintain the sacred shrines, minister to the parishes, provide formation and education in the communities and schools, and care for the basic needs of people in the Holy Land. Supporting the Holy Land collection offers hope in a region where political, religious, and military challenges are continual threats to the Christian community.

The Seminarian Collection will help our diocese to educate and form future priests. Our diocese has been blessed with an increasing number of young men who have generously said yes to God's call. We now have 16 seminarians. You can take a personal role in their formation with a generous gift in the special Easter collection.

With best wishes and prayers for a blessed Holy Week and Easter, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki  
Bishop of Springfield in Illinois

### The Road to Emmaus

Ever wonder what the first Easter Sunday was like?  
Join us for a verse-by-verse walk through of Luke's account of the disciples who met Christ on the Road to Emmaus on that Resurrection Day.

April 10 at 6:30pm at St. Mary's Hall in Brussels



### Stewardship of Treasure

March 19, 2023

#### **Blessed Trinity Collections (Envelopes: 38 of 355)**

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 1,957.00	\$ 3,700.00	\$ (1,743.00)
YTD	\$ 133,349.00	\$ 140,600.00	\$ (7,251.00)
School	\$ -		

#### **St. Francis of Assisi Collections (Envelopes: 65 of 257)**

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 5,981.00	\$ 3,740.00	\$ 2,241.00
YTD	\$ 158,628.44	\$ 142,120.00	\$ 16,508.44
STF	\$ 230.00		

### St. Vincent de Paul Needs Your Help!

You will notice in St. Norbert and St. Anselm vestibules a collection bin for needed shelf stable items for the Hardin SVDP pantry. Soon there will be lists as well indicating items of urgent need. The items making up these lists may change from time to time, depending on what we receive from other organizations. Volunteers will transport these items as needed to the pantry. Thank you in advance for helping your neighbor in need!

### St. Vincent de Paul Society of Calhoun County

*Wondering what non-perishable food to donate?  
What hygiene items would be helpful to donate?*

#### Non-Perishable Food

Canned Items:

Fruits/Vegetables/Potatoes  
Beans/Meat/Chicken/Tuna  
Chili/Tomato Sauce/Diced  
Tomatoes/Pasta Sauce/Soup  
Broth/Gravy  
Mac & Cheese/Ramen Noodles  
Pasta  
Potato/Rice/Noodle Sides/Stuffing  
Dry Beans/Rice  
Cereals/Oatmeal/Breakfast Bars  
Pancake Mix  
Crackers/Cookies/Snacks  
Coffee/Tea/Juice  
Peanut Butter/Jelly  
Baking Mix/Baking Items/Oil (small plastic)  
Jello/Pudding  
Condiments/Salad Dressing/Syrup  
Flour/Sugar (less than 4 or 5 lbs.)  
Baby Food/Juice

#### Hygiene Items (New)

Shampoo/Conditioner (2 in 1)  
Deodorant  
Toothpaste/Toothbrush  
Bar Soap  
Toilet Paper (small packs)  
Liquid Dish Soap (small bottle)  
Facial Tissue  
Cleaning Products (small size)  
Laundry Detergent (small size-pods or liquid)  
Kitchen Trash Bags (small pack)

Please, no expired dates on products marked "Use by", "Expires", or "Sell by".

Donations may be dropped in church baskets  
Thank You!

## School News

### St. Mary School

www.stmarysbrussels.org

- April 6-10 - Easter Break
- April 14 - Grandparents/Special Friend Day Celebration at Brussels Legion Hall at 1:30pm
- SMS BOGO Book Fair April 24 - 28. All are welcome to stop by!
- May 4 - SMS School Speech Contest at 6:30pm in the auditorium

### St. Norbert School

- SNS is doing a Cash Calendar Fundraiser. Let a SNS Family know if you would like a chance to win a \$1,000.
- April 5 - Last Supper Reenactment
- April 5 - 1:15 Dismissal (No Bus)
- April 6 & 7 - No School (Holy Thursday & Good Friday)
- April 10 - No School (Easter Monday)
- The school is running low on copy paper. If you would like to make a donation for this or other items needed, please check out our Amazon wish list... <https://a.co/02ITbba>
- Montessori Wish List: paper towels, hand soap, Clorox wipes, paper plates.

### TRIDUUM PRAYER

Almighty God, you gather your Church in solemn celebration of the mystery of our Redemption. Open our hearts and minds as we remember the dying and the rising of Jesus so that we may appreciate more deeply the mystery of our own baptism. May these days remind us that we are not alone in our suffering nor without hope. May the joy we share strengthen us to be witnesses of the Gospel throughout the year. We ask this in the name of your Son and our Lord, Jesus Christ. AMEN

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	<i>6:30pm April 6 Brussels</i>	<i>6:30pm April 7 Brussels</i>	<i>8:00pm April 8 Brussels</i>	<i>6:00am April 9 Kampsville</i>	<i>8:00am April 9 Meppen</i>	<i>9:30am April 9 Hardin</i>	<i>11:00am April 9 Michael</i>
<b>Servers:</b>	TBD	TBD	TBD	Volunteers	Camryn Klaas, Allie Franke, Bryant Friedel	Volunteers	Volunteers
<b>Lectors:</b>	Scott Maag	Yvonne Nolte	Yvonne Macauley Mary Lee Rose	Jeanie Clendenny	Maureen Tepen	Patrick Simon	Kathy Brackett
<b>Ushers:</b>		Cliff & Greg Nolte	Bill Schulte & Mike Wrigley	Bill Klunk & Ralph Becker	Carl & Aaron Kiel	Joe Friedel & Caleb Goode	Luke Fraley & Volunteer
<b>Offertory:</b>						Shirley Gansz & JoAnn Holland	
<b>Extra-Ordinary Ministers:</b>				John Baltisberger	Kathy Sievers	Lisa Kallal	Mary Gilman

## 2023 Memorial Association

Gale, Marilyn & Dick Aulabaugh  
 Albert, Vernie & Ronald Baalman  
 Harry, Margaret, & Alfred Baalman  
 Joe & Helen Baalman Family  
 Mark B. Baalman  
 Paul Baalman  
 Lowell & Mary Bailey  
 John & Elsie Baltisberger & Roy Jacobs  
 Alvina & Barbara Beaty  
 Ralph & Opal Becker Family  
 Arch & Anita Beers  
 Henry & Rose M. Behrens  
 Raphael Behrens Family  
 Kenny Bick  
 Lawrence and Sally Bick Family  
 Joe, Bev & Mark Bowers  
 Leslie & Mary Breden  
 Frank & Rosalie Brice  
 Henry & Virginia Burch  
 Ray & Gertie Cappel  
 Charles, Sr & Berniece Carnes Family  
 Hubert & Margie Devine & Janice Sherman  
 Wm. & Mary Droege Family  
 Edna & Harold Eberlin  
 Ray, Dorothy, & David Eberlin  
 Ed & Emma Flanigan & Norbert Tepen  
 Lawrence & Emma Flanigan  
 Henry & Anna Fortschneider  
 Joe, Norma & Barney Fortschneider  
 Craig Franke  
 Edmund & Florence Friedel  
 Joseph P. Friedel  
 Wayne & Roseann Friedel  
 Aloys & Robert Fuhler

Henry & Dorothy Fuhler Family  
 Cletus & Esther German Family  
 Bill & Irene Godar Family  
 Norbert & Mary J. Godar Family  
 Norbert & Todd Gotway  
 Arthur (Bud) Gress  
 LeRoy, Bret and Tim Hagen  
 Auburn L. Hager  
 Oscar F. Haug  
 Melvin & Geneva Heffington  
 Elmer & Miriam Held  
 Clem & Irene Hillen & Jacob Hagen  
 Pete, Dolores & Randy Hillen  
 Paul, Helen, & Bobby Hoemmen  
 Joe & Sue Hurley Family  
 Tobias, Jr., Beatrice & Kenny Kamp  
 Dale & Erma Dell Kiel  
 Elmer & Lois Kiel  
 Sandy Kiel  
 James & Judy Kinder  
 Floyd, Leola & Bob Kirn  
 Alvie & Sabina Klaas Family  
 Leonard & Bernice Klocke Family  
 Raymond Klocke  
 Peter & Lillian Klunk Family  
 Henry & Mary Kronable  
 Wilma Krysl & Barb VanDoren  
 Bill & Sue Lorschach  
 Tom Lorschach  
 William F. Lorschach Family  
 Jim Macauley  
 Michael G. Margherio  
 Fred McGee Family

Ray and Marge Menke  
 Everette, Martin, Marie & Leland Meyer  
 Harrell Miller Family  
 Elmer & Emma Moennig & Emily Kiel  
 Francis, Valeria & Gary Moses  
 Paul & Marie Mossman  
 Orville Mueller  
 August, Evie, Allen & Larry Nolte  
 Charles Nolte  
 John & Theresa Nolte Family  
 Ben, Ida, Tony, Irene & Mary Pluester  
 Amy & Roger Pohlman  
 Bob & Lorraine Pohlman Family  
 Vince Pohlman  
 Albert & Dora Ringhausen Family  
 James A. Ringhausen  
 Eleanor & Curtis Robeen Sr.  
 Doug, Mike & Michael Robeen  
 Louis & Eleanor Robeen  
 Mary Carol Robeen  
 Vince & Virginia Robeen  
 Dale Roberts  
 Deborah Roberts  
 Maurice Roberts  
 Richard & Margaret Roberts  
 Charles & David Rose & Eileen Reeves  
 Robert H. "Bob" Rose  
 Paul Sr., Lenora & Paul Jr. Rose  
 Jason, Louis & Laura Sagez  
 Alfred & Izella Schleeper  
 Charles Schleeper  
 Hubert & Dorothy Schleeper  
 Leo, Estelle, Leo B., Toby & Carol Schleeper  
 Edward & Laura Schmidt

George & Mary Alice Schmidt  
 Henry, Bertha & John Schulte  
 Don & Lucille Seiferman  
 Megan Ann Sibley  
 Edmond & Martha Sievers  
 Ferdinand, Caroline & Bob Sievers  
 Joe, Clara & Randy Sievers  
 Stanley & Clara Sievers  
 Charles Snyder  
 Connie & Bernie Snyders  
 Jacob & Luvena Snyders Family  
 Raphael & Phyllis Snyders  
 Vince, Agnes & Otto Snyders  
 Ed & Bernadette Wittmond Stelbrink  
 Irene Wittmond Steiner  
 Albert & Leona Stumpf  
 Jerome & Gene Stumpf  
 Matt & Irene Telkamp Family  
 Art & David Tepen  
 Cletus & Jane Tepen  
 Elmer and Rosalie Tepen  
 Harry & Doris Tepen  
 Steve & Herman Tepen  
 Bill Titus  
 Norman & Joyce Titus  
 Elizabeth "Liz" Toppmeyer & Lydia Carnes  
 Darleen Twichell  
 Rodney & Gus Wallendorf  
 Chasity Wickenhauser  
 Carl & Zelora Wittmond  
 Charles & Caroline Wittmond  
 Edward & Elsa Wittmond  
 Leontine Wittmond Wolf  
 Victor H. Yaeger Family

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