

Mass Intentions

**Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri., & Sat. – NO MASS
Sunday - 10:30 a.m. – Myron Pirkl †**

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Lec – David Miller
EM – Bruce Kubicek
Cup – Gordy Spinler & Tom Wencil
Servers – Tim Boecker & Julia Borchert
Gifts – Jow Wondra Family
Ushers – John Styndl & LeRoy Schroeder
Music – Combo Rosary - Marie Kubicek

Next Sunday Father Klein will give the Anointing and Healing of the Sick during the Mass.

10-7-07 - Adult - \$711, Off. - \$32.30 Youth - \$1

SCHOOL NEWS:

School Giving Calendar Winner:

October 14 – Kristin Paul, Shakope, MN

There will be **no school** at St. Isidore’s School on Wednesday, Thursday & Friday of this week.

Bishop Bernard Harrington will celebrate Mass with St. Isidore’s school children on Friday, October 26th at 9:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church, Litomysl. Everyone is welcome. A reception will follow the Mass.

Faith Formation

There will be NO Faith Formation Classes **this Wednesday evening.**

There **will be classes** October 24th, 9th & 10th graders please bring a parent or sponsor along on October 24th.

No classes on October 31st.

St. Theodore’s Parish in Albert Lea will host **Pathways TEC #45 October 19-21** ~ The 3 day TEC (Teens Encounter Christ) retreat is open to young people ages 16 and up. Adults are welcome. The retreat begins on Friday morning and ends on Sunday afternoon. The 3 days unfold an exciting presentation of the paschal mystery of Jesus Christ, as participants journey through DIE Day, RISE Day, and GO Day. For a brochure or more information, call Troy Anderson at 363-1701, or e-mail yorte21@hotmail.com.

Ho-Down Dance – Sunday, October 28th, 3-5:30 p.m. in the church basement. Come enjoy the fun & laughter. Open to all youth & only \$1 to attend. Prizes will be awarded to ‘best dressed’ cowboys & cowgirls. Supper will also be provided with a free-will donation. Parents are also encouraged to attend. Check fliers at church entrances for more details or contact Troy Anderson at 363-1701.

October is Respect Life Month – Please pray each & every day that LIFE be protected from Conception to Natural Death in this country of ours.

Father Klein writes...

I was very saddened this past week to receive a letter of resignation from Deacon Jim Hunt. So you know the reason, you should read the letter too: *“Most especially since our son Sean died on June 17th, it has become increasingly more difficult for Val & me to remain so far away from the rest of our children & grandchildren; it is therefore with deep sorrow that I resign the position of Pastoral Associate here at Sacred Heart effective October 15, 2007. I wish to extend my deepest gratitude for all you have done for us since we came in February & also especially to the parishioners of Sacred Heart & Holy Trinity for the way they so warmly welcomed us into their family.”*

This relationship was so good—personally, pastorally & parishes-wide, how could I not be disappointed? I have been grateful for Deacon Jim’s personal zeal, his spiritual life, his pastoral initiative, his personalism, his catechetical dept, his attentiveness to Holy Trinity & his collaboration with Deacon Pat Fagan at St. Joe’s. He has helped me be a better pastor. More than that, he raised the level of pastoral care & increased the vitality of Sacred Heart & Holy Trinity generally. And this is our 1st interest.

Priesthood Sunday October 28

On October 28th we celebrate Priesthood Sunday, which is a day on which we express our appreciation for all that our priests and deacons do for us. Think about it, they deliver the gifts that God gave to His Church; the gift of the Eucharist, the gift of forgiveness, the gift of the sacraments, they teach God’s messages, and the list goes on. Have you thought about what it would be like if there were no Priests? The Owatonna Area Serra Club joins Serra Clubs across the United States in helping to observe a special day when we honor our priests & deacons. As part of our Owatonna celebration of Priesthood Sunday, we ask all parishioners to send a spiritual bouquet of prayers to one or all of our Owatonna clergy: Fr. Peter Klein, Fr. Edward Mountain, Fr. Jon Moore, Fr. Edward McGrath & Rev. Mr. Patrick Fagan. A spiritual bouquet can be a card or note with your prayers, support, gratitude, and appreciation. No monetary gifts are needed. Send your card/note directly to the Priest & Deacon, or they may be dropped in the collection basket on October 28th. **Let’s join together and make Priesthood Sunday a very special day for our Priests & Deacon.**

Congratulations to Brent Seykora & Traci Oeltjenbruns who will be married at Litomysl on Saturday. May they have many happy, blessed years together in God’s Love.

21st Annual MCCL Christmas Wreath fundraiser is underway. Please support your local pro-life chapter & order yours in the next 2 weeks. Please call Rose Ann Kubicek @ 451-6616 to place your order. Pick up time – Sunday, Nov. 18th

Catholic Daughters Ct. 1180 will meet Wed., Oct. 17th at the Sacred Heart Parish Ctr. Program will begin at 7:00 p.m. with Fr. Robert Sipe who will talk about the Apostleship of the Sea. Remember to bring Ditty Bags & coats. See Newsette for details. Rosary & meeting will follow.