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**ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH
ST. MONICA CATHOLIC CHURCH -AFTON**

March 22, 2026

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Fr. Don Geyman

Mass Schedule

TUESDAY Mar. 24
4:30pm +Vincent Bandurski
Phyllis Braidwood

THURSDAY Mar. 26
9:00am +Pat & Tom Brown
Bill Smillie
*Confession 9:30am

SATURDAY Mar. 28
4:00pm Special intention
Carol Pickard
*Confession 3-3:30pm

SUNDAY Mar. 29
11:00am Parishioners of
St. Monica and St. Paul

*On the 5th Sunday of
Lent we are asked to
trust in God's promise.
Even in sorrow or loss,
He can raise us up.*

Mass Times

TUESDAY: 4:30pm
THURSDAY: 9:00am
Confession 9:30am

SATURDAY: 4:00pm
Confession 3-3:30pm

SUNDAY: 11:00am

Adoration every Thursday
10a—4p

WHEN I AM
LIFTED UP FROM
THE EARTH, I WILL
DRAW EVERYONE
TO MYSELF.
~JOHN 12:32

*Fifth Sunday
of Lent*



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HE CRIED OUT IN A LOUD VOICE, "LAZARUS, COME OUT!"

John 11:43

Help us to remove our judgment of the sins and failings of others. Mold our hearts after Your Sacred Heart, O Lord. A heart filled with patience, compassion, and understanding for our brothers and sisters.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

LET US PRAY THAT NATIONS MOVE TOWARD EFFECTIVE DISARMAMENT, AND THAT WORLD LEADERS CHOOSE THE PATH OF DIALOGUE AND DIPLOMACY INSTEAD OF VIOLENCE



POPE LEO XIV

Prayer for Vocations

Heavenly Father, Bless our Diocese with an abundance of priests and seminarians who radiate Your love; religious sisters who choose you as their spouse; devoted deacons who inspire us to greater service; faithful husbands and wives who reflect Christ's love for the Church; and single men and women who love you above all else. Open our hearts to the whisper of Your voice and the transforming power of Your grace. Amen



Fridays @ 3pm throughout Lent

ST. IGNATIUS HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Lenten Penance Services Palm Sunday St. Ignatius @ 1pm

Holy Thursday @ 6pm Good Friday @ 1pm Easter Sunday @ 9am & 11am

When we put our problems in God's hands, He puts his peace in our hearts.



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If schools are closed due the weather conditions..morning mass will be canceled.



The Annunciation of the Lord
Feast day March 25th.

Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name him Jesus.

Heavenly Father, please comfort and strengthen those who are struggling. Guide them with your love and provide for their needs, both seen and unseen. Amen

Our Food Bank Collection is the first full weekend of each month. All non-perishable food items & personal items are welcome. Please drop-off at the Church or the Parish Hall. Unused/unopened only

Sacraments

Baptisms:
Marriages:
Please call the Parish Office to schedule. Couples requesting marriage must call at least six months in advance.
Confirmation OCIA(RCIA)
Interested in becoming a Roman Catholic or to inquire about our faith ..please call the Parish office.

OCIA /Faith Formation
Registration forms in back of Church.



Faith Formation Sundays 9:45-10:45am in the Church Hall.

Office Hours
Open Tues/Weds/Thurs 9a-2p
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Bible Study Mondays @ 6pm
St. Paul hall

Sessions will be split between a brief history followed by discussion of the readings for that week's Sunday mass, emphasizing context. A lecture is not intended. Rather, to encourage participation of attendees, a Q&A format will be fostered. The New American Bible, from which all mass readings are taken, will be the main but not sole reference.

ST. MONICA/AFTON WILL BE RECITING THE ROSARY ON THE 1ST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH @ 11:30a.....FOLLOWED BY A POTLUCK LUNCH. EVERYONE IS WELCOME...PLEASE BRING A DISH TO PASS! 3/27...Stations of the Cross

Heal your servants, O Lord, who are sick, and who put their trust in you. Send them help, O Lord, and comfort them from your holy place. Amen

Week at a glance

Mon@6pm Bible Study-Hall
Tue@8pm AA(rm 1)Hall
Thurs@10am-4pm Adoration
Fri@3pm Stations of the Cross
4-7pm Parish Fish Fry
8pm AA(rm 1) Hall

Marian Candle
Our Lady (Blue Candle)

Week of March 22nd

Keri Sullivan

If you are interested in sponsoring a candle, the cost is five dollars and burns for one week...please contact the office.



ST. PAUL PARISH FISH FRY



Friday Mar. 27th
4-7pm

ALL YOU CAN EAT
Fried or steamed Cod, hush puppies, baked potato, mac & cheese, coleslaw, rolls, desserts & beverages!!
Also 50/50 raffle /drawing
\$18 per adult
\$10 per child
6 and under free
Take out orders \$15

PLOW, SHOVEL, SNOWBLOW, SALT ...REPEAT!

Thank you to a few good men that showed up through the epic snow storm we received. We are blessed to have you.

Thank you all for giving so generously to the Food Bank.

Readings for the week of Mar. 22nd

Mon: Dn13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62/Jn8:1-11

Tues: Nm21:4-9/Jn8:21-30

Weds: Is7:10-14;8:10/Lk1:26-38

Thurs: Gn17:3-9/Jn8:51-59

Fri: Jer20:10-13/Jn10:31-42

Sat: Ez37:21-28/Jn11:45-56

Sun: Is50:4-7/Ps22:8-9,17-18,19-20,23-24/Phil2:6-11/Mt26:14-27-66

ST. PAUL-ST. MONICA HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



March 31st
Chrism Mass
@11:00am Gaylord

April 2nd
Holy Thursday
@6:00pm

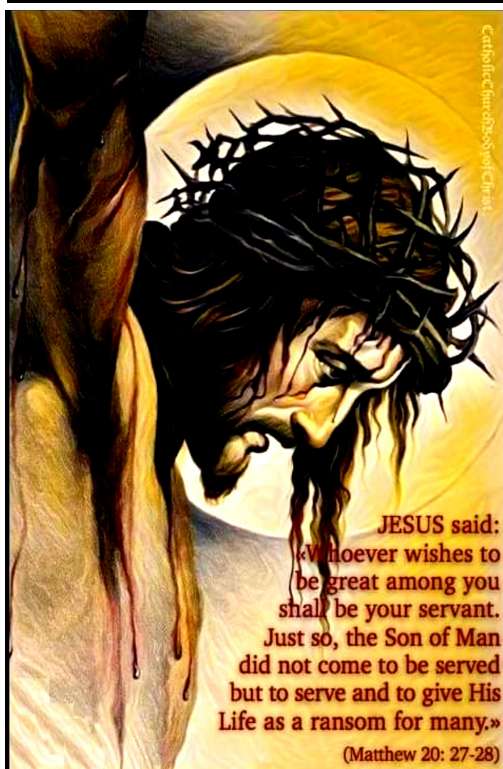
April 3rd
Good Friday
@1:00pm

April 4th
Easter Vigil
@ 8:00pm

April 5th
Easter Sunday
The Resurrection of the Lord
@11:00am

Those in need of our prayers...

Roger Bendel	Alfred Drago III	Vicki Giessinger	Denise Harris	Mark McGuiness	Macie Stowe
Ron Bischer	Elvin Eagleson	Alberta Gaber	Rodney Harris	Ellen McGuire	Dave Tesmer
Dorothy Brama	Marie Freely	Vicki Goscinski	Donna Harrison	Brittany Maynard	Bob Turner
Jim Burkhardt	Jackie Fry	Joe Gotz	Kiera Janeczka	Crystal Monthei	Calvin Wertz
Evelyn Canales	Bill Ellenberger	Lareesa Haggerty	Lori LaLonde	Alina Nemarundwe	Maci White
Lowell Cousino	Scott Ellenberger	Alissa Hanel	Daniel Lawler	Braxton Porter	Chloe Walker
Klydeigh Curtis	Brianne Giddis		Margaret Lawler	Bentley Shann	Daniel Yopez
Kay Dowker	Donna Giessinger		Marv/Chery Lemmon		



JESUS said: Whoever wishes to be great among you shall be your servant. Just so, the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give His Life as a ransom for many. (Matthew 20: 27-28)