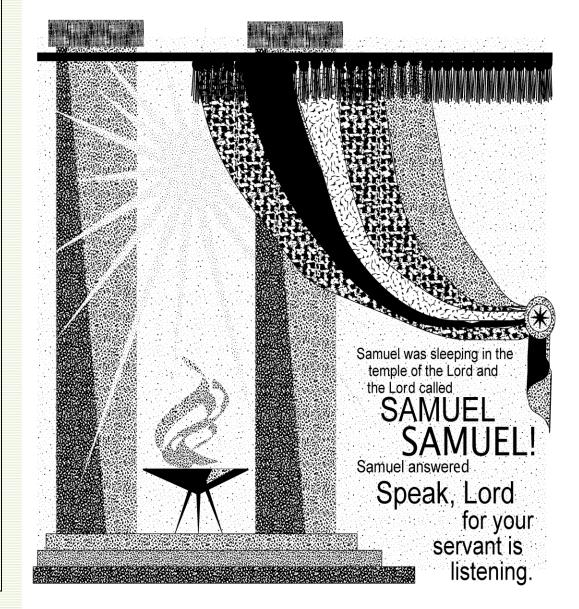
Second Sunday of Ordinary Time January 15, 2012

BAPTISM

During Mass on the weekends outside of Lent. If outside of Mass, Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with either Fr. **Timothy Hall or Roxanne Kemper for** instructions. Please call either the St. Adrian **Rectory Office at (507)** 483-2317 or St. Anthony **Rectory Office at (507)** 472-8262 prior to setting the date of the baptism.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements for Marriage must be made at least six months in advance. Your initial visit will be with Fr. Timothy Hall (507) 483-2317. Subsequent meetings, including theology & spirituality will be lead by Fr. Hall. Relationship skills and liturgy will be lead by Roxanne Kemper, Pastoral Assistant.



SAINT ADRIAN OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

SAINT ANTHONY SAINT KILIAN

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tues.	8:30 AM	(L) Cletus Spieker
Wed.	8:30 AM	(A) John Wieneke
Thurs.	8:30 AM	(A) Lorraine Sinclair
Fri.	8:30 AM	(W) Leo & Catherine Persing
Sat.	5:00 PM	(L) Cathy LeBrun
Sat.	7:00 PM	(K) Parishioners
Sun.	8:30 AM	(W) Bud Kuhl
Sun.	10:30 AM	(A) Richard & Janet Klein

Sacrament of Confession

Half- hour before weekend Masses

St. Adrian

Sacrificial Giving – January 8, 2012

Amount needed per weekend	\$3,844.00
Amount given	\$5,137.00

Ministry Schedule January 22, 2012: 10:30 AM Readers: Meredith Vaselaar & Austyn Thier Servers: Mitchell Wagner & Justin Elias

Calendar Raffle Winner: Cindy R. Bullerman

The St. Joseph Society of St. Adrian Church will be serving a soup and sandwich dinner following Mass on Sunday, January 22^{nd} in conjunction with the Ministry Fair. No cost- free-will donation.

CDA Court Santa Maria #247 will meet on Thursday, January 19th in the Church Hall. Lunch Committee: Rosie Heitkamp & Mary Carol Lutmer.

Year End Finances: Thank you for your generous

support of St. Adrian. We will be sending out contributions reports by January 31st. If you need yours sooner for any reason please contact Shannon Reker by phone 483-2319, (507-329-0392-Cell) or email <u>staacct@frontier.com</u> between 10 AM – 5 PM Monday – Friday. Thank you!

Parish Finance Council will meet on Thursday, January 19, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Rectory.

Pastoral Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 20, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Rectory.

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Sacrificial Giving – January 8, 2012

Amount needed per weekend	\$2,106.00
Amount given	\$1,535.00

Ministry Schedule: January 22, 2012: 8:30 AM

Reader: Gary Sieve Servers: Marty Slater & Kurt Christians Eucharistic Ministers: Kevin & Teri Spartz, JoAnn Burkard

Calendar Raffle Winner: Nicole Burkard

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Coffee Rolls: OLGC School Fund families will be serving coffee and rolls after 8:30 AM Mass during the month of January.

Pastoral Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 7, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center.

Parish Finance Council will meet on Tuesday, May 8, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center.

For Sale: MTD Snow Blower – 8 H.P., 26 inch cutelectric start. Asking price is \$250.00. If interested please call Our Lady of Good Counsel Church at 507-926-5197 or Whitey Jueneman at 507-926-5917.

St. Anthony

Sacrificial Giving – January 7, 2012

Amount needed per weekend	\$1,296.00
Amount given	\$3,657.00

Ministry Schedule: January 21, 2012: 5:00 PM

Reader: Lisa Diekmann Servers: Jake Diekmann (D) & Mitchell Veld Eucharistic Ministers: Tom Diekmann, Carrie Simmons, Stephani Diekmann

Calendar Raffle Winner: Douglas Loosbrock

Word & Communion: There will be no prayer services until further notice.

Knights of Columbus will meet on Monday, January 23rd at 7:30 PM in the church basement.

Knights of Columbus will be hosting the Annual Scholarship meal of their delicious scrambled eggs, sausage & hash-browns next Saturday evening, January 21st after the 5:00 PM Mass. All proceeds benefit the scholarship fund. Everyone is invited. **2012 Super Bowl** squares are available. Please contact Bruce Loosbrock for more information.

Mark Your Calendars for the **CCW Annual Soup Supper** on Saturday, February 4th, following the 5:00 PM Mass. Group 4 will be serving. All workers from Groups, 1, 2 and 3 should mail your donation of \$25.00 to Ruth Lorang. Non-workers are asked to mail \$10.00 to her as soon as possible. Thank you.

2012 Church Support Envelopes are in the back of church. Please pick up your box of envelopes and for any family members. Please note that some envelope numbers were changed this year. Please be sure to use your new envelopes beginning January 1st. Thank you.

Fund-Raiser: Please place your clean, aluminum cans for recycling, from those holiday gatherings, in the wagon located in the parking lot. All proceeds go towards general maintenance.

St. Kilian

Sacrificial Giving – January 7, 2012

\$285.00 (5 Envelopes)

Ministry Schedule: January 14, 2012 7:00 PM Reader: Lois Engels Servers: Courtney Vaske & Samantha Moulton Eucharistic Ministers: Kelli Brake, Vonnie Sieve, Anna Mae Fuerstenberg

St. Kilian CCW Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 17th at 7:00 PM in the school. We will be discussing the Spring Dinner, School Cleaning, and the Ministry Fair. We are also looking ahead for next year's officers. Please search your heart and volunteer!

Winter Weekday Mass: Just a reminder that there will be no Wednesday morning Mass in January. Weekday Mass will begin again in Lent.

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Christmas Flower & Decoration Donations: Thank you to the many families who donated. The memorials are listed at the entrances of the church.

A Collection for the Church in Latin America & the Communications Apostolate will be taken next weekend. Please share your blessings and contribute generously. Please use the attached envelope. There will not be a second collection. **4-Parish Class night for grades 5-11** will be on Wednesdays, January 18th and 25th at 7:30 PM. Both St. Adrian and Our Lady of Good Counsel will have class on these nights.

The 4-Parish 11th grade and sponsors (or a parent) will meet on Sunday, January 22nd at 1:30 PM at the St. Adrian Education Center. Please bring your Bible to class. Class will last until 3:00.

Faith Formation Tuition is due for students grade 1-11 at \$25.00 per child. Please send your payment to your home parish for grades 5-11 and to St. Adrian for grades 1-4. Thank you to everyone who has already done this.

We are beginning the first Catholic Movie Night on January 15th at 4:00 PM at St. Adrian Church. The movie will be "The Scarlet and the Black" starring Gregory Peck and Christopher Plummer. The true story of Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty (Gregory Peck), a courageous Irish priest working in the Vatican during the German occupation. O'Flaherty devotes all his time and energy to hiding refugees and allied POW's from the Nazis, building a network of hundreds of people to help him with his efforts. O'Flaherty's activities are known by the German Gestapo chief Colonel Kappler (Christopher Plummer) and he has given orders to have the priest captured or killed if seen outside the Vatican walls. Come see this classic display of courageous righteousness; redemption and renewal!

4-Parish Music Sing-Along: We invite all cantors, choir members, organists and musicians to our second evening of preparation for the revised Roman Missal on Monday, January 16th at 7:00 PM in St. Anthony Church. We will discusses our successes, as well as any challenges, we may be experiencing with the revised music. In preparation for Lent, we will sing through the new Chant Mass. Refreshments will be served. All parish musicians are invited!

4-Parish Ministry Fair: Be ready next weekend, January 21st/22nd, when our 4-parishes will be having a ministry fair, following each Mass. Material will be available on the various liturgical ministries, as well as parish organizations. Sign-up sheets will be available for all new volunteers. If you are unable to attend your home parish that weekend, you will be able to register at any of the 4-parishes. Door prizes will be awarded to a new participate from each of the ministries! Remember your free-will offering at each parish for the meal/luncheon served in conjunction with the ministry fair. Everyone is invited! **The St. Adrian Education Office will** be closed on Monday, January 16th and Thursday the 19th for DRE meetings.

Senior Parents: Baccalaureate will be held for our graduates at the 4-Parishes on the weekend of May 5th and 6th. Please keep these dates in mind as you begin planning those graduation parties.

Worthington Area CCW Meeting will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at St. Mary's Parish in Worthington, MN beginning with a 10:00 AM brunch. The meeting will be held at the school. All women are invited and encourage to attend! If you wish to car pool, please contact your local CCW officers.

January Ministry Schedules for the parishes of St. Anthony, St. Kilian and Our Lady of Good Counsel are located at the entrance of church. Please pick up your copy. Schedules are also available on line at www.frontiernet.net/~stadrian.

Pathways TEC Retreat February 18-20, 2012- Teens (age 16 and up) and adults are invited to attend Pathways Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) weekend to be held at St Leo's Church in Pipestone. Sponsored by the Diocese of Winona and affiliated with National TEC, Pathways TEC is a dynamic, life-giving experience centered in the Paschal Mystery filled with music, inspiring talks, praise and worship. TEC provides an opportunity for ongoing growth in faith and prayer and promotes involvement in the life and mission of the Church. Applications are available on the TEC website www.pathwaystec.org. and in the Faith Formation Offices. Call TEC Coordinator Mary White at 507-280-0197, Pam Konz at 483-2580 or Leslie Slater at 926-5197 for more information.

Respect Life - A society is truly human when without reservations it protects and respects the dignity of every person from conception until the moment of his or her natural death. However, should it decide to "get rid" of its members in the greatest need of protection, ... it would be behaving in a profoundly inhuman and also distorted manner with regard to the equality — obvious to every person of good will — of the dignity of all people, in all the stages of life. ~Pope Benedict XVI, Address to the Hon. Reinhard Schweppe, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Holy See, November 7, 2011

The Adrian Senior Dining Center is looking for volunteers to deliver Meals on Wheels Monday – Friday starting at 10:45 AM until finished. If interested contact Kathy Henning at 483-2484. *"When I was hungry you gave me to eat." MT 25:35.* Will you answer the call?

From The Pastor's Desk...

We are well on our way into the New Year. We tend to get bogged down and we make life more complicated than it needs to be. Here are a few simple things for us all to remember:

- Life isn't fair, but it is still good.
- Life is too short to waste time hating someone.
- Don't take yourself so seriously. No one else does.
- You don't have to win every argument. Agree to disagree.
- When it comes to chocolate, resistance is futile.
- Make peace with the past so it doesn't haunt the present.
- If a relationship has to be a secret, you shouldn't be in it.
- Everything can change in the blink of an eye. But don't worry: God doesn't blink.
- You can get through almost anything if you just stay put in today.
- Over prepare, and then go with the flow.
- No one is in charge of your happiness except you.
- A question to ask: "In five years, will this matter?"
- · Always choose life.
- · Forgive everyone everything.
- What other people think of you is none of your business.
- However good or bad a situation is, it will change.
- Your job won't take care of you when you are sick: your family will.
- Believe in miracles.
- God loves you for who you are, not because of anything you did or didn't do.
- Your children get only one childhood: do it right.
- Read the psalms. They cover every human emotion.
- God is good and miracles are waiting everywhere.
- Envy is a waste of time. You are a wondrous creation.
- Take a deep breath. It calms the mind.
- Life isn't tied with a bow, but it is still a gift.
- All that truly matters in the end is that you have loved and are loved.

Fr. Timothy J. Hall

