

*Twenty-Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time*  
*October 9, 2011*

**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.



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**SAINT ADRIAN**  
**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

**SAINT ANTHONY**  
**SAINT KILIAN**

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## Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tues 8:30 a.m. (L) Rosella Lenz  
Wed 8:30 a.m. (K) Tom Hoffman  
Thurs 8:30 a.m. (A) Jake & Lauretta Scheidt  
Fri 8:30 a.m. (W) NO MASS  
Sat 5:00 p.m. (L) Parishioners  
Sat 7:00 p.m. (K) Bob Kemper Family  
Sun 8:30 a.m. (W) Loren Bullerman  
Sun 10:30 a.m. (A) Lawrence & Bernice Cook

## Word & Communion

Thurs. 8:30 AM (L)

## Sacrament of Confession

Half- hour before weekend Masses

## St. Adrian

### Sacrificial Giving – October 2, 2011

Amount needed per weekend.....\$3,844.00  
Amount given.....\$2,291.55

### **Ministry Schedule: October 16, 2011: 10:30 a.m.**

Readers: Stacie Elias & Steven Berkenpas  
Servers: Elizabeth Thier & Elissa Thier

### **Calendar Raffle Winner:** Frank Van Horsen

CCW will not be serving at the Nursing Home on Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup>.

CCW will meet on Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall. Lunch Committee: Karen Bullerman & Karen Sachen

**CCW News:** We are in the processes of updating our CCW booklets and we are in need of phone numbers, address, and e-mails. In the past years, many people have switched to cell phones and no longer have land lines. Please contact Lori Lonneman, CCW President, at 483-2311 or by e-mail [gophers@iw.net](mailto:gophers@iw.net) with your information as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation.

**It is time to start looking** at our contributions to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. St. Adrian parish was given a goal of \$14,200. So far we have paid \$4,040 of that goal. As you can see, we have a considerable amount to go before this is paid by the end of the year. Whatever does not get paid by individual donors has to be paid with parish funds. Please pay what you can out of your generosity.

**Rental of the St. Adrian Education Building** will be done through Pam Konz in the Faith Formation Office. Call 483-2480 or 483-2835 when you would like to rent the building for family events, wedding showers and other gatherings.

**Pastoral Council** meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 15, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Rectory.

**Parish Finance Council** meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 17, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Rectory.

## Our Lady of Good Counsel

### Sacrificial Giving – October 2, 2011

Amount needed per weekend..... \$2,106.00  
Amount given..... \$1,738.00

### **Ministry Schedule: October 16, 2011: 8:30 a.m.**

Reader: Carolyn Penning  
Servers: Taylor Schettler & Nicholas Newman  
Eucharistic Ministers: CDA Members

### **Calendar Raffle Winner:** James Joens Sr.

**Our Lady of Good Counsel, Wilmont** Fall Dinner is this Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup> serving from 11:00 to 1:00. BBQ ribs, garlic potatoes, corn, hot apple slices, buns and dessert. Events during the day, Big Ticket, Silent Auction, Quilt Chances, Bake Sale.

**Court Madonna #839 Wilmont** will hold our monthly meeting on October 11, 2011 at 7:30 pm at St. Killian Catholic School. LaVonne Slater will serve lunch. Please note that this meeting will be in St. Killian this month.

**Catholic Daughters of America #839, Wilmont** will host a brunch in celebration of CDA Sunday on Sunday October 16, 2011 following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. We will be serving Egg Bake, Fruit cup, rolls, coffee cake, juice and coffee. Everyone is invited! Gummi Bears will also be handed out after Mass, for a donation. The donations from this State CDA project will go to a Minnesota Habitat for Humanity Home. Help support this very important project!

**Once again Our Lady of Good Counsel** parish will be accepting grain donations. Please organize a way for area farmers to donate grain to our parish.

**Parish Finance Council** meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 25, 2011 at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Center.

**Pastoral Council** meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 6, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

## *St. Anthony*

### **Sacrificial Giving – October 1, 2011**

Amount needed per weekend..... \$1,296.00  
Amount given..... \$ 867.00

**Calendar Raffle Winner:** Ray & Bette LeBrun

### **Ministry Schedule: October 15, 2011: 5:00 p.m.**

Reader: Deb Lutmer  
Servers: Christina Loonan & Aileen Tweet  
Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Ann Loosbrock, Mary Metz,  
Roxanne Kemper

**Cemetery Notes:** Please remove all decorations and flowers from gravesites for fall clean-up and preparation of grounds for the winter. Thank you.

**CD of A, Court St. Bernard** will meet on Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the church basement. October is National Domestic Violence Month and Ravette Loonan will be speaking on this subject. Lunch Committee: Stephani Diekmann (chairperson) and Ruth Lorang.

**Gummi Bear Weekend:** St. Anthony's CDA is having their annual fundraiser for Habitat For Humanity, next weekend. Please give generously.

**Rosary:** Beginning, Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> the rosary will be prayed at 6:30 p.m. in the church, Monday-Friday for the month of October. Everyone is welcome to join us in prayer.

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

## *St. Kilian*

### **Sacrificial Giving – October 1, 2011**

\$660.00 (5 Envelopes)

### **Ministry Schedule: October 15, 2011: 7:00 p.m.**

Reader: Marge Loosbrock  
Servers: Joseph Brake & Dalton Jeffers  
Eucharistic Ministers: Jerry & Julie Brake,  
Anna Mae Fuerstenberg

**Carrot Cleaning:** We will be cleaning carrots on Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30 a.m. (Unit II). If you have carrots to donate, please contact Arlys at 472-8486.

**Baptismal Welcome!** We welcome Hazel Elaine Brake (the daughter of David & Amelia) and Mason Leo Brake (the son of Jordan & Kelli) who were baptized last Saturday and Sunday at St. Kilian Parish. We pray for both families as they continue their journey of faith with the children.

## *OF INTEREST TO ALL*

**Parish Office hours:** The parish office will be closed on Thursday October 13<sup>th</sup>. Please have your articles for the bulletin in on Tuesday October 11<sup>th</sup> by noon. The bulletin will be published on Wednesday.

**4-Parish Music Planning** will take place on Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Adrian Education Center.

**Protecting God's Children (Virtus) Awareness Session** for all catechists and staff will take place on Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM at St. Adrian Education Center. This program replaces "Safe & Sacred" and is required by the Diocese of Winona for employees and those who work with our children. Please pre-register by going online to: [www.Virtus.org](http://www.Virtus.org). For more information, please contact Pam Konz or Roxanne Kemper.

**Release Time classes for grades 1-4** began last week in Adrian. Grade 4 will meet on Thursdays at 2:00. Grade 1 will meet on Friday at 10:00 a.m.; grade 2 at 12:00; and grade 3 at 2:00 p.m... If you would like to help with teaching a class please call Pam at 483-2480.

**The Middle School Youth Festival** will be held on Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at the Adrian Elementary School. This is for all student's grades 6-8. They gather for Fun, Food and with Friends! Registration is at 12:30, although pre-registration is required to get the t-shirt. This year Dave Rinaldi will be speaking on the subject of chastity titled "*Sex is NOT a Dirty Word!*" Mass, pizza and a dance are included in the day. Cost is \$20.00. Watch for the registration form in the mail.

**October Ministry Schedules** for St. Kilian, St. Anthony and Our Lady of Good Counsel are located at the entrance of church. Please pick up your copy. You may also view all 4-parish ministry schedules on line at [www.frontiernet.net/~stadrian](http://www.frontiernet.net/~stadrian).

To our God, glory forever and ever!

**Catechists are needed!** The calendar has been set for the year and now it's time for catechists to let us know that they are interested in teaching- again or for the first time! Release Time classes for grades 1-4 have been set for Thursday at 2:00 pm for 4<sup>th</sup> grade, and Friday at 10:00 am for first grade, at 12 noon for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and at 2:00 pm for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. Grades 5-11 meet on Wednesday nights, and still need catechists. Our first class night will be October 26<sup>th</sup>.

**The Faith Formation Calendar** on the web-site has been updated for the current months! Check it out!

**Book of Remembrance:** You are invited to *Print* the names of family and friends who have died and who you wish to remember in this book. These names will be read at the All Souls Day Masses on Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30 p.m. at St. Anthony's and 7:30 p.m. at St. Adrian. We will continue to remember, in a special way, those who have died this past year. Everyone is welcome!

**Gummi Bear Weekend:** Minnesota Catholic Daughters and Habitat for Humanity have developed a partnership to build homes and support the effort of a Habitat for Humanity House to be built in Minnesota, with an estimated annual grant of \$10,000. The funding of this grant is made possible by the annual Gummi Bear fund raising project conducted by local CD of A courts. Please be generous with your donation on Gummi Bear Sunday, October 15/16<sup>th</sup>.

**St. Mary's Church, Worthington,** will have its annual Fall Dinner and Festival on Sunday, October 30th. A turkey/pork dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Adults \$8 and children (ages 10 and under) \$4. Activities include Big Ticket, Silent Auction, Parade of Purses, Children's Games, Crafts, Country Store, Shopping Cart Raffle, Baked Goods and Candy Booth, Grab Bag, Bingo, Fair Trade Booth.

**Recycle your empty ink** cartridges in the box at the west end of St. Adrian Church.

## **Evangelization & Education...**

The readings for the last few weeks nail the essence of our faith. We see words of encouragement and hope especially in the words which St. Paul writes to the Philippians. He wants all to know that life in Jesus Christ brings great joy. That is what it is truly all about; joy beyond our wildest imagination. Unfortunately, some can never know this joy completely, because they do not know the faith. Sometimes the faithful do not always have the right opportunities to know the faith. I want to make sure that the faith which is being taught and lived out in our parishes is nothing less than authentically Roman Catholic.

Questions about the faith come to me in many different ways. Often, whenever people feel they have my ear, I will get a rapidly asked question which does not always communicate what the inquisitor intends to ask. A question asked in haste can lead to an answer made in haste. Pretty soon defense mechanisms start kicking in and the dialogue turns emotive rather than reasonable. It is out of this experience that I have decided to hold adult faith formation evenings where there is a controlled and structured setting where I can answer some of the good questions about the faith in a public way so that others who may be wondering the same thing can hear the answer as well. The questions will be chosen from a list of frequently asked questions, and the top ten most oft chose questions will be answered at a faith formation evening. This will give me time to prepare an answer so that I am not just answering on the fly, because let's face it; anything can happen at the spur of the moment. I want to give you not only the right answer but the best answer. I will explain more about the process in the future, for now, just know that I am interested in hearing and answering your questions about the faith.

Our faith is rich with information needed for our salvation. I know Catholics of genius caliber who were not raised Catholic, but found the Catholic faith by way of intellectual sleuthing. Captivated by the wealth of study involved, they never find an end to the new discoveries; that brings them great joy. I want you to know that joy of discovering your faith too.

Peace,

Fr. Timothy J. Hall

