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**Welcome to our Tri-Parish Community!**

Rev. Mr. Rick Scherping, Deacon

Visitors are always welcome at our celebrations. For information about our three parish communities or about Sacred Heart School, please contact the Tri-Parish Office at 320-836-2143 or visit our websites, [Sacredheartfreeport.org](http://Sacredheartfreeport.org), [Newmunichchurch.org](http://Newmunichchurch.org), or [Strosachurch.org](http://Strosachurch.org). Parish bulletins and calendars are available on-line at our Tri-parish websites. **Weekly Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Thursday before 9:00 AM.** Please e-mail announcements/correspondence to [triparish@albanytel.com](mailto:triparish@albanytel.com) or send to: Tri-parish Office, 106 3rd Ave N E, Freeport MN 56331-0155.

**From the Pastor...**

**Ash Wednesday Schedule for Blessing of Ashes and Mass**  
**Wed, Feb. 18**    8:15am    Sacred Heart, Freeport  
                          3:30pm    St. Rose of Lima, St. Rosa  
                          8:00pm    Immaculate Conception NM

- ▶ Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence.
- ▶ All Lenten Fridays are days of abstinence.
- ▶ Fasting for those age 18 to 59 means one full meal + two lighter ones.
- ▶ Abstinence for those over 14 years of age means not eating meat.
- ▶ One is not bound to fast if health or the ability to work is affected.

✝ The *St. Cloud Visitor* this week has an excellent insert entitled **LENT 2015**, with lots of information about Lenten practices and opportunities to PRAY, FAST AND GIVE in our diocese.

✝ In addition to our traditional Lenten programs such as the Rice Bowl and the Catholic Relief Services Collection (March 22), we will once again join the Lions Clubs and other area churches and organizations in raising funds and packing FOOD FOR KIDZ at the Community Center on March 28. More information next week.

✝ There are also some special individual resources available at the back of our churches. The Liturgical Press at the Abbey has given us free issues of *Give Us This Day* for the month of February and we have also purchased copies of *The Word Among Us* so that you can have the daily mass texts and commentaries for each day of Lent to reflect on and to prepare for daily or Sunday mass.

✝ Deacon Rick will have Stations of the Cross and a Communion Service in one of our parishes each Friday, while I will have Stations of the Cross followed by the Mass in one of the other two. Watch the bulletin for the rotation schedule.

**At Mass last weekend**, we heard Bishop Kettler ask for our support of the 2015 Annual Diocesan Appeal. Our help is needed because, while the Offices and Ministries of the Diocese of Saint Cloud serve our parishes and the propel of God in many ways, they are not self-supporting—they aren't businesses.

Immaculate Conception, Sacred Heart and St. Rose of Lima

| Tri-Parish Mass Schedule, March 1 to June 30, 2015 |        |                                    |
|--|--------|------------------------------------|
| Saturdays  | 4:00pm | Sacred Heart, Freeport             |
|  | 8:00pm | St. Rose of Lima, St. Rosa         |
| Sundays  | 9:00am | Immaculate Conception, New Munich  |
|  | 9:30am | <b>St. Rose of Lima, St. Rosa*</b> |

*\*Except on March 22, 1st Communion Sunday at St. Rosa, when the mass will be at 10:30am instead, because of previous plans.*

are our parishes, and we all do love them. Remember, however, that the Diocese of Saint Cloud is our Church throughout all sixteen counties, and Bishop Kettler is our Shepherd. I want to lend my voice to our Bishop's call, and urge you to respond generously to the 2015 Annual Diocesan Appeal.

**G**rant Distribution Awarded to Sacred Heart  
*I am pleased to announce that Sacred Heart parish, will be receiving a check for Sacred Heart School in the amount of \$1,793.57.* This week the Catholic Foundation – Diocese of Saint Cloud sent checks to the 28 Catholic grade schools within the diocese, amounting to a total of \$52,514.00. The distribution was made from a permanent endowment established by the *Living the Promise* capital campaign. Funds received are to be used for scholarship and tuition assistance. The amount of each check represents a per capita share of the total distribution. Please consider The Catholic Foundation's *Living the Promise* endowments when planning your annual stewardship or as part of your estate planning process.

**From Deacon Rick...**

**Valentine's Dinner for widows and widowers:**  
 Invitations have been sent out to all widows and widowers of the parishes of St. Rose of Lima, Immaculate Conception and Sacred Heart for a festive Valentine's Dinner on Saturday, February 28, 2015. The event begins at 5pm in the Sacred Heart Church basement in Freeport with a social, followed by a meal and dessert! We look forward to celebrating a Valentine's Dinner with each of you! If you know of someone who is a widow or widower from one of these three parishes and *did not* receive an invitation please contact June or Dcn Rick ph. 836-2635.

**Annual Safe Environment Report:** The St. Cloud Diocese requires each parish to complete an annual update on all "Paid and Volunteer" staff. Letters referring to the report with directions on how to complete the report were sent out this past week. Everyone is required to read the documents in steps 2 & 3. **Only new Volunteers and paid staff are required to fill out the forms at the end of each document. If you are already a paid staff or a volunteer (prior to the year 2014) the only form you have to fill out and complete is "Step 5."** When finished with the first 4 steps fill out the questionnaire in "step 5" then click on the submit button. If you are a volunteer/paid staff and did not receive a letter or have difficulty getting on line OR have any questions... please contact June or Dcn Rick. (836-2635).

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle B, Weekdays-Year I February 15, 2015

## Masses at Freeport

February 16 - 22, 2015

Mo 8:15am Communion Service  
Tu 8:15am Communion Service  
**We 8:15am Ashes/Mass** †Walter Pinky Thelen  
Th 8:15am Communion Service  
Fr 8:15am †Rosemary Rueter  
Sa 4:00pm †Leo Borgerding

### Sacred Heart Parish Events

Su 2-15 7:00pm "500" Card Party  
Tu 2-17 7:00pm Parish Choir Rehearsal  
Fr 2-20 9:00am Eucharistic Adoration  
Fr 2-20 8:00pm 4-H Meeting in church bsmt  
Su 2-22 10:00am Confirmation Class  
Su 2-22 1-3pm Confirm. Class Bingo Party  
Su 2-22 7:00pm Harmony Practice  
Fr 2-27 3:30pm Teen Bible Study  
Fr 2-27 8:00pm 4-H Meeting in church bsmt  
Sa 2-28 5:00pm ♥♥ Meal-Widows/Widowers  
Sa 3-7 9:00am Annual Christian Women Mtg  
Su 3-15 8:30am Freeport Lions Breakfast

**"500" Card Party** Sunday, February 15, at 7:00 pm in the church basement. Lunch Workers: Gene & Marlene Blommel.

**Annual Christian Women Meeting** Saturday, March 7, at 9:00 am. All parish women are invited. Come share in new ideas and events along with the election of new officers. Questions? Call Kathy Pung, Christian Women President 320-249-6385.

**Interested In Singing?** Sacred Heart Parish Choir invites you to join us in song for the Lenten/Easter season. Come to our rehearsal Tuesday, Feb. 17, 7pm-8pm. It's a great time to start something new. The Choir sings for masses throughout the year but no rehearsals May-October. Questions? Call Jeanne Bonfig at 320-493-0622.

**Parish Choir Rehearsal Schedule** Tuesday, February 17 and 24, March 3, 10, 17 and 24 at 7:00 pm. Parish choir sings at 4:00 pm mass on February 21.

**Freeport Lions Breakfast**, serving pancakes, sausage, potatoes, eggs, toppings, beverages. **Sunday, March 15** 8:30am-12:30pm in Church Basement. Tickets: advance \$7 (available from Lion members, Charlies Café, Ackies PI, Corner Pub) At the Door \$7.50, Children 5-12 \$3, under 5 FREE. Proceeds will go to Freeport Community Projects.

## Masses at New Munich

February 16 - 22, 2015

**We 8:00pm Mass and Ashes**  
†Winnifred Koopmeiners  
Th 8:15am †Mary Ann Barten  
Fr 8:00pm **Stations/ Mass** †Mary Ann Barten  
Su 9:00am For the Members of our 3 Parishes

### Immaculate Conception Events

Su 2-15 8:00am Valentine Brunch  
We 2-18 7:00pm Teen Bible Study  
Th 2-19 5:00pm Baptism  
Sa 2-21 4:30pm Widowed Persons Supper  
Su 2-22 7:00pm Harmony Practice—FR  
Su 3-1 7:30pm "500" Card Party  
Su 3-8 8:30 am Christian Women Bake Sale  
Su 3-8 8:30am New Munich Lions Breakfast

### Valentine Brunch This Sunday, Feb. 15

The youth of our parish will be hosting a Valentine Brunch in the church basement from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. All are welcome.

**"500" Card Party** Sunday, March 1 at 7:30 pm in the church basement.

**Quilters** We still quilt on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. We would like to see more quilters come down and help. If you can't quilt we are looking for volunteers to bring a meal for those who are quilting.

**CUF Youth Grades 7 - 12** interested in attending the tri-parish outing to the Skatin Place on February 27, please contact Teri Klaphake at 837-5400 by Feb. 25. CUF will pay the \$8 fee for CUF youth members.

**New Munich Lions Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Sunday, March 8.** serving eggs, applesauce, cinnamon bread, assorted toppings and beverage, 8:30am to 12:30pm in the Church basement. Tickets \$8.00. Proceeds go to the Eyesight & Hearing Preservation, Leader Dog, L.C.I.F., and Local Community Projects.

**Christian Women Bake Sale** Immaculate Conception Christian Women will hold a bake sale in conjunction with the New Munich Lions Breakfast on March 8.

## Masses at St. Rosa

February 16 - 22, 2015

Tu 8:00am ††Christ & Bertha Engelmeyer  
**We 3:30pm Ashes and Mass** †Dorine Hoppe  
**Fr 8:00pm Stations and Communion Service**  
Sa 8:00pm †Sylvester Salzl  
Su 10:30am Intention of James & Joyce Terwey

### St. Rose of Lima Parish Events

Tu 2-17 9:00am Quilting  
Fr 2-20 7:00pm Teen Bible Study  
Su 2-22 11:30am Church Social After Mass  
Su 2-22 7:00pm Harmony Practice—FR  
Tu 2-24 9:00am Quilting  
We 2-25 7:30pm Confirmation Class  
We 2-25 8:30pm Millwood Township Meeting  
Su 3-1 10:30am St. Loretta's Mission Meeting

**Quilting: Tuesdays 9am**, Feb. 17, Group 3. All are welcome. Lunch will be served.

**Adult Choir** is always accepting new members. Anyone 9th grade on up is welcome. A choir schedule will be on the bulletin board in the back of church, or contact Sarah (320)256-5009 with any questions.

**St. Loretta's Mission Meeting** Sunday, March 1 in the church basement after the 9:30am Mass. New members are welcome. Looking for new ideas! Coffee and muffins will be served.

**Parish Wish List** There are several items our parish needs that are not in our budget. Would anyone care to be their donor? See Fr. Roger for more information.

**BACK PACK LEAF BLOWER:** Ambrose has tried out this powerful back-pack leaf blower that can easily blast away up to six inches of snow. It worked just great this past snow, and he found it work on steps—no shoveling, and it took him less than half an hour. Cost would be under \$500.

**CHALICES AND COMMUNION BOWLS** Our present chalices are quite small and not very deep. The Precious Blood can easily be spilled. The Communion bowls are barely hold enough hosts for the Eucharistic Minister. Beautiful ceramic chalices and bowls are made by one of the sisters at St. Benedict's Monastery in St Joseph. Cost would be about \$75 to \$85 each. A donor for one cup and bowl has already come forward!

**Happy Birthday, Fr Art!** Fr. Arthur Hoppe will celebrate his 94th<sup>d</sup> birthday this Thursday, February 26. His address: Parkview Center #117, 125 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue N W, Melrose MN 56352, phone (320) 256-2954.

### Jaycee Soup/Chili Cook Off

St. Rosa Jaycees are sponsoring a Soup/Chili Cook Off at All Stars and Linda B's on February 28 from 5:00-7:00 pm. If you would like to enter a soup/chili, you can sign up at either bar or call Jodi at 320-290-2456. Please join us for a night of taste testing homemade soup/chili and vote for your favorites! All proceeds benefit the St. Rosa Community Park.

## Tri-Parish News

### Ministers for Sacred Heart

Saturday, February 21, 4:00PM  
USHERS: Kenneth Goebel, Gopher Meyer, Harry Kerfeld, Ron Bertram, Mark Middendorf, Pete Heidgerken  
LECTOR: Ron Rieland  
SERVERS: Vanessa Pung, Tyler Scherping  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: \*Kathy Welle, Ed Job, Dana Overman Dale Overman, Allen Notch  
CHILDRENS LITURGY: Mary Prax-Williams  
SACRISTAN: Norb Overman  
WEEKDAY ROSARY: Edward Job  
FRIDAY BENEDECTION: Deacon Rick  
CHURCH CLEANING: Bev Scherping, Myrna Notch

### Ministers for Imm. Conception

Sunday, February 22 9:00am  
USHERS: William Nathe, Elmer Wolbeck, Tom Neal, Dennis Thull  
LECTOR: Linda Schmiesing  
SERVERS: Rose Heinen, Abby Heinen  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: \*Les Zink, Linda Schmiesing, Jim Schmiesing, Sheila Thull, Shirley Worms, Judy Gabel  
DAILY MASS LECTOR: Les Zink

## Tri-Parish News

DAILY MASS E.M.: Bernice Zink  
DAILY MASS SACRISTAN: Les Zink  
CHURCH CLEANERS FOR FEBRUARY:  
Georgine Nathe, Marlene Pflipsen, Mary Zink, Kelly Thielen

### Ministers for St. Rose of Lima

Saturday, February 21, 8:00pm

USHERS: Tom Toenyan, Joseph Wiechman, Kurt Hrdering  
LECTOR: Kally Herdering  
SERVERS: Ashley Herdering, Chris Herdering  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Corey Herdering, Mary Sand, Kayla Herdering, Katie Hellermann  
SACRISTAN: JoAnnHartung

### Sunday, February 22, 10:30am

USHERS: John Von Wahlde, Claude Toenyan, Matt Toenyan  
LECTOR: Sandy Von Wahlde  
SERVERS: Jeron Wiechman, Loren Herkenhoff  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Megan Herdering, Sheila Hellermann, Diane Herkenhoff, Lillian Amzen  
ROSARY: Claude Toenyan Family  
SACRISTAN: Sheila Hellermann

## Tri-Parish News

### ◆◆◆◆◆ St. Rose of Lima ◆◆◆◆◆

Adult Env. 2,223.00 Plate 76.00  
Visitor 221.00 Wish List 400.00  
**Total \$ 2,920.00**

### ◆◆◆ Immaculate Conception ◆◆◆

Adult Env. 1,338.00 Plate 117.25  
Visitor 353.00 **Total \$ 1,808.25**

### ◆◆◆◆◆ Sacred Heart ◆◆◆◆◆

Adult Env. 2,223.00 Plate 100.40  
Visitor 366.00 Votive 156.00  
School Support 50.00 Christmas 50.00  
**Total \$ 2,945.40**

## The Scriptures This Week

Lectionary readings at [www.nccbuscc.org](http://www.nccbuscc.org)

Mo Gn 4:1-15, 25 Mk 8:11-13

Tu Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10 Mk 8:14-21

Ash Wednesday

2 Cor 5:20—6:2 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Th Dt 30:15-20 Lk 9:22-25

Fr Is 58:1-9a Mt 9:14-15

Sa Is 58:9b-14 Lk 5:27-32

Next Sunday Gn 9:8-15

1 Pt 3:18-22 Mk 1:12-15

## Tri-Parish Prayer Requests...

Please call the Tri-parish office to be added to this list.

**For the Sick:** Ken Klaphake, Esther Steinemann, Richard Rademacher, Eleanor Niehoff, Jim (JT) Terwey, Joan Schlicht, Ashtyn Fiedler, Rose Funk, Shirley Heidgerken, Arlene Arnzen, Lloyd Butkowski, Bernice Scherping, Frances Borgerding, Marcella Briol,

**Contact Persons for Prayer Line Requests:**

◆ Sacred Heart - - - - - Marcella Briol 836-2611

◆ Immaculate Concept. - Bernice Zink 837-5321

◆ St. Rose of Lima - - - Kayla Hartung 333-8461

## Harmony

**Practice:** Sunday, Feb. 22 at 7pm, Freeport

**Sing:** Saturday, February 28 at 4pm Freeport

## Have You Bought Your Tickets

for the 2015 Catholic Schools Raffle sponsored by Catholic United Financial? Tickets are available from any Sacred Heart School family or in the school office. Just \$5 will give you a chance to win a 2015 Ford Escape or \$25,000, plus a fine list of other prizes. All the money from the sale of the raffle tickets stays at Sacred Heart School.

## Kindergarten Registration/Information Meeting

Parents of prospective kindergarten students for the 2015-16 school year are invited to attend this meeting on Thursday, February 26 at 7:00pm in the Kindergarten Room. We will discuss our programs at SHS, give you an idea of what a day might be like in Kindergarten and answer questions you may have about tuition, fundraising, busing, etc. Registration materials will be available.

**Mark your calendars** for a Spring Sacred Heart School Rummage Sale Saturday, April 25. Sorry, but we can't accept items before Sunday, April 18.

## Tri-Parish Faith Formation, Youth Ministry, Sacred Heart School

### Tri-Parish Youth Ministry/Faith Formation Director:

Kristen Herdering (also Sacred Heart Rel Ed) 249-3032

### Religious Education Coordinators:

Immaculate Conception: Rita Revermann 845-2967

St. Rose of Lima: Kayla Hartung 333-8461

## Youth Group

◆ **Ignite** is THIS Sunday night for grades 9-12! Meet in the Freeport parking lot at 5:00 pm and go to Holy Family School in Sauk Centre for games, small groups, and youth Mass. John Holdvogt will be out speaker this week! Come check it out!

◆ **Lenten Teen Bible Study:** Join Kristen and other teens in going deeper this Lent. Go through the 2015 LifeTeen Lent Companion (provided) and dive into what it means to follow Christ, even to the cross. Snacks, Games and Fellowship in store! Open to grades 7-12. Meeting times/locations: (Church basement in each parish)

\*February 18 (Ash Wednesday)- 7:00 pm New Munich (before 8:00 Mass)

\*February 20, Friday- 7:00-8:00 pm St. Rosa

\*February 27, Friday- 3:30-4:30 pm Freeport

\*March 6, Friday- 3:30-4:30 pm New Munich

\*March 13, Friday- 7:00-8:00 pm St. Rosa

\*March 20, Friday- 3:30-4:30 pm Freeport

\*March 26, Thurs- 7:00-8:00pm New Munich

\*April 1, Wednesday- 7:00-8:00 pm Freeport (with Easter Egg Dying Service Project)

◆ **Skatin' Place- February 27** Grades 7-12 are invited to the Skatin' Place in St. Cloud. Meet in the Freeport parking lot at 5:00 pm, return around 9:30 pm. Cost is \$16 general admission, \$8 for those who've worked a 2013-14 fundraiser. Includes wristband with admission, regular skates, unlimited pizza, pop, and laser tag. Deadline for registration is Wednesday, February 25. Forms can be found on bulletin boards or on the Tri-Parish Youth Group Facebook page. Don't miss out!

◆ Youth in grades 8-11 are invited to the **National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC)** in Indianapolis, November 19-21. Contact Kristen for more details.

◆ **Join Tri-Parish Youth Group on Facebook** to stay informed about events, share photos, make prayer request, download registration forms and more! Follow us on [Twitter@TriParish\\_YG](https://twitter.com/TriParish_YG).

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**BWCA Bound this Summer?** If you are interested in leading or joining a BWCA canoe trip this summer and have a preferred date our route, please contact Fr. Roger so we can get permits while there are still some good choices available.

## Tri-Parish Faith Formation/Rel Ed

◆ **NO CLASS** Wednesday, February 18, Ash Wednesday. Please attend mass with your family

◆ **New Munich Grades 1-6** resume on Wednesday, March 4.

◆ **St. Rosa Grades 1-6** resume on Wednesday, February 25.

◆ **Tri-parish 7th, and 8th grade** students and parents meet Wednesday, February 25 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm in the Sacred Heart church basement.

◆ **Tri-parish 9th grade** students meet Wednesday, February 25 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm in the Sacred Heart school basement.

◆ **Tri-parish 10th grade** students meet Wednesday, February 25 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm in the Sacred Heart school auditorium.

## 11th Grade Confirmation

◆ **Bingo Service Project** - Student will work for the Bingo Party on Sunday, February 22 at Sacred Heart. They should be there by 11 am and finish around 4 pm.

◆ **Next Class** Wednesday, February 25, 7:30—9:00 pm, St. Rosa church basement. Discuss Session #3 with your sponsor.

◆ **Letter to the Priest** - due March 11

◆ **Lenten Focus** - PRAY

◆ **Confirmation** - Sunday, May 3, at 2:00 pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Melrose.

## Sacred Heart School *Kathy Welle*

♥ **Presidents' Day** - School will be in session. (Weather Make-Up Day)

♥ Sacred Heart Students and Staff will attend the 8:15am **Ash Wednesday Mass** on Wednesday, February 18.

♥ Grades 3-6, their teachers and parent chaperones will be going **skiing at Andes Tower Hills** near Alexandria on Thursday, February 19. We wish them a safe trip and cooperative weather.

## Loot for Learning (SCRIP) Program

Support Sacred Heart School with your day to day shopping through SCRIP. Order online at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com). Order forms are also available on the church bulletin boards or in the school office. Next order dates: Tuesday, February 24.

**40 Days For Life** Ash Wednesday, February 18 through March 29. This pro-life effort consists of: \*40 days of prayer and fasting, \*40 days of peaceful vigil and \*40 days of community outreach. We pray for God's help to end abortion. The Vigil is held at Planned Parenthood in St. Cloud Monday thru Friday 7am-7pm. For information, call Marilou Sommers at 320-363-4895.

🔗 **Question of the Week:** Please reflect on the following questions:

**Question for Children:** What do you want to ask Jesus to do for you?

**Question for Youth:** How has Jesus touched your life? How are you changed because of that touch?

**Question for Adults:** Name a time when you experienced Jesus' healing touch.

## Taize' Prayer With The Crosiers

Join the Crosier Fathers/Brothers this Lent for Taize' Prayer at St. Mary's Cathedral in St. Cloud. Friday, Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13 and 20 for contemplative prayer around the Cross. The one hour service begins at 7:00pm and includes the ritual blessing with the relic of St. Odilia.

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## 📅 🕒 **Community Calendar** 🕒 📅

**Nursing Assistant Classes** Mother of Mercy Campus of Care is offering Nurs-  
ing Assistant Classes on our campus. Tuition Paid. Call today 320-845-2195.

**February 14, Saturday** Freeport Lions Bar Bingo at 1:30 pm at the Ackies.

**February 15, Sunday** New Munich Lions Bingo 1:30 pm, Shady's Bar & Grill  
**February 15, Sunday** Quilt Bingo, Hand Stitched Quilts. 1:00 pm St. Mary's  
Church, Upsala. 20 games for \$10 Blackout Extra. Free Lunch served after.

**February 17 & 18, Tuesday & Wednesday** Town and Country Players present  
Cotton Patch Gospel. A bluegrass musical about Jesus, according to Matthew at  
7:00 pm in the Melrose auditorium. Contact Marit 320-491-1478 for more info.

**February 18, Wednesday**, Chicken dinner with all the trimmings. Freeport  
Community Center. Serving from 4:30 to 7:30 pm.

**February 20, Friday** St. John the Baptist Parish, Colledgeville Fish Fry. Serving  
from 4:30 - 7:30 pm. Adults \$10 Children (ages 5-10) \$5, children under 5 eat  
free. Handicap accessible & take-outs available.

**February 20, Thursday**, Free Vision Screening 10:00 am - 12:00 pm by ap-  
pointment at Mother of Mercy Campus of Care, Albany. Please call Tracy at 845  
-2195 to schedule an appointment.

**February 21, Saturday** St. Francis: Beyond the Birdbath. A Reflection on Je-  
sus, St. Francis and the Goodness of You! Sessions looking at our faith life in a  
distinctive way using Scripture, the life of St. Francis of Assisi, and our own  
experiences. Presenter: Geri Dietz, MA, Minister of Associates of Franciscan  
Sisters of Little Falls. This Day of Reflection will be held at St. Mary of Mt.  
Carmel Church in Long Prairie from 9:00 am - 2:30 pm. Cost \$10 send check  
with registration to: Debbie Sauer, 24006 Imperial Rd; Long Prairie, MN 56347  
or call 320-732-2597.

**February 22, Sunday** CUF Matching Grant Fundraiser Breakfast 9am-12:30 in  
the St. Francis of Assisi church basement, St. Francis. Free Will Offering.

**February 23, Monday** The Fight Back Project (Free Community Event). A true  
story of courage and persistence that saved a life. 6:30 - 8:30 pm Albany Area  
High School Theatre.

## **Our Tri-Parish Cluster Information**

### Area Code 320 for all phones

#### Tri-Parish & Freeport Phone Numbers

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Tri-Parish Office/Rectorry    | 836-2143 |
| Cell Phone-Fr. Roger          | 248-6681 |
| Parish Office FAX             | 836-2142 |
| Freeport Church Basement      | 836-2129 |
| Deacon Rick —Home             | 836-2635 |
| Sacred Heart School           | 836-2591 |
| Sacred Heart School FAX       | 836-2514 |
| Kristen Herdering, Youth Min. | 249-3032 |

#### New Munich Phone Numbers

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Religious Ed (Rita Revermann) | 845-2967 |
| New Munich Church Basement    | 837-5217 |

#### St. Rosa of Lima Phone Numbers

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Religious Ed Office, kitchen | 836-2537 |
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#### St. Cloud Diocese Website:

[www.stclouddiocese.org](http://www.stclouddiocese.org)

### *Celebrating The Sacraments*

**Baptism:** Call Fr. Roger or Deacon  
Rick to arrange for pre-Baptismal prepa-  
ration and/or the celebration of Baptism.

**Reconciliation:** Celebrated individually  
15 minutes before weekday morning  
masses, before Saturday evening masses,  
or by appointment (call Fr. Roger).

**Weddings:** Couples must contact pastor  
at least 6 months prior to planned wed-  
ding date to plan marriage preparation.

**Communal Anointing of the Sick** is  
celebrated twice a year. Call the Parish  
Office to arrange for individual anoint-  
ing of the homebound or hospitalized.

### **ALee Photography**

Amy Herkenhoff-Terres  
320.267.0909  
FREEPORT MN  
[www.aleephotography.com](http://www.aleephotography.com)

### **Pep's Pork**

Jim and Helen Poepping  
[www.pepspork.com](http://www.pepspork.com)  
[info@pepspork.com](mailto:info@pepspork.com)  
PH 320-987-3368

### **Catholic United Financial**

Life Ins, IRA's, and Annuities  
Disability Insurance  
Dave Ehlert, FIC 320-836-2617  
E-mail: [dehlert@catholicunited.org](mailto:dehlert@catholicunited.org)

### **Rudy's Country Store**

Rudy & Jane Tretter  
Gas / Bait / Tackle / ATM / Groceries  
320-836-2583  
St. Rosa, MN

# February, 2015

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| Sun  | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu  | Fri  | Sat   |
|--|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| <p><b>1</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>9:00 am-NM</b><br/><b>10:30 am-SR</b></p> <p>7:30 pm CW Card Party—<br/>NM</p>  | <p><b>2</b></p>   | <p><b>3</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:00 am-SR</b></p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p>  | <p><b>4</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p>  | <p><b>5</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-NM</b></p>  | <p><b>6</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p> <p>4-H Meeting<br/>8:00 pm - FR</p>  | <p><b>7</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>4:00 pm-FR</b><br/><b>8:00 pm-SR</b></p> <p>2:00 pm Stangler/<br/>Fleischhacker Wed-<br/>ding—FR</p>         |
| <p><b>8</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>9:00 am-NM</b><br/><b>10:30 am-SR</b></p> <p><b>1:00 pm</b> Pelican Peak 4-H<br/>Meeting—SR</p> <p><b>7:00 pm</b> CUF Meeting—<br/>NM</p>               | <p><b>9</b></p>   | <p><b>10</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:00 am-SR</b></p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p> <p>7:00 pm New Mu-<br/>nich Mutual Fire<br/>Insurance Meeting—<br/>NM</p> | <p><b>11</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p>   | <p><b>12</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-NM</b></p> | <p><b>13</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p> <p>4-H Meeting<br/>8:00 pm - FR</p>   | <p><b>14</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>4:00 pm-FR</b><br/><b>8:00 pm-SR</b></p>  |
| <p><b>15</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>9:00 am-NM</b><br/><b>10:30 am-SR</b></p> <p>8:00 am - Noon New<br/>Munich Valentine Brunch<br/>- NM</p> <p><b>7:00 pm "500" Card<br/>Party—FR</b></p> | <p><b>16</b></p>  | <p><b>17</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:00 am-SR</b></p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p>   | <p><b>18</b><br/>Ash Wednesday<br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b><br/><b>3:30 pm-SR</b><br/><b>8:00 pm-NM</b></p> <p><b>7:00 pm</b> Tri-Parish<br/>Teen Bible Study—<br/>NM</p> | <p><b>19</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-NM</b></p> | <p><b>20</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p> <p><b>8:00 pm-NM</b><br/>Stations &amp; Mass</p> <p><b>7:00 pm</b> Tri-<br/>Parish Teen Bible<br/>Study—SR</p> <p>4-H Meeting<br/>8:00 pm - FR</p>  | <p><b>21</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>4:00 pm-FR</b><br/><b>8:00 pm-SR</b></p> <p><b>4:30 pm - Valentine<br/>Meal Widows/<br/>Widowers—NM</b></p> |
| <p><b>22</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>9:00 am-NM</b><br/><b>10:30 am-SR</b></p> <p><b>1:00 pm</b> Tri-Parish<br/>Confirmation Class<br/>Bingo Party til 6:00 pm<br/>in FR</p>                | <p><b>23</b><br/>8:30 pm Mill-<br/>wood Township<br/>Meeting—SR</p> | <p><b>24</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:00 am-SR</b></p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p> <p>8:30 pm Millwood<br/>Township Meet-<br/>ing—SR</p>                     | <p><b>25</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p>   | <p><b>26</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-NM</b></p> | <p><b>27</b><br/>Mass at<br/><b>8:15 am-FR</b></p> <p><b>8:00 pm-FR</b><br/>Stations &amp; Mass</p> <p><b>8:00 pm-NM</b><br/>Stations &amp; Comm.<br/>Service</p> <p><b>3:30 pm</b> Tri-<br/>Parish Teen Bible<br/>Study—FR</p> <p>4-H Meeting</p> | <p><b>28</b><br/>Masses at<br/><b>4:00 pm-FR</b><br/><b>8:00 pm-SR</b></p> <p><b>5:00 pm</b> Valentine<br/>Meal Widows/<br/>Widowers—FR</p>   |

# March, 2015

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| Sun  | Mon | Tue  | Wed                         | Thu                         | Fri                                       | Sat   |
|--|-----|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|---|
| <p>1<br/>Masses at<br/>9:00 am-NM<br/>9:30 am-SR</p> <p>8:00 pm-FR<br/>CUF Meeting</p> <p>10:00 am CUF Communion Breakfast—NM</p> <p>10:30 am-SR<br/>St. Loretta's Mission Mtg</p> | 2   | <p>3<br/>Mass at<br/>8:00 am-SR</p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p>   | 4<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR  | 5<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM  | 6<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR                | 7<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR  |
| <p>8<br/>Masses at<br/>9:00 am-NM<br/>9:30 am-SR</p> <p>7:00 am New Munich Lions Breakfast—NM</p>  | 9   | <p>10<br/>Mass at<br/>8:00 am-SR</p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p> <p>1:00 pm Millwood Township Meeting—SR</p>                          | 11<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR | 12<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM | 13<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR               | 14<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR |
| <p>15<br/>Masses at<br/>9:00 am-NM<br/>9:30 am-SR</p> <p>8:30 am Freeport Lions Breakfast—FR</p> <p>10:30 am First Communion Mass—FR</p> <p>7:00 pm "500" Card Party—FR</p>        | 16  | <p>17<br/>Mass at<br/>8:00 am-SR</p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p>  | 18<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR | 19<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM | 20<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br>8:00 pm-NM | 21<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR |
| <p>22<br/>Masses at<br/>9:00 am-NM (First Communion Mass)<br/>10:30 am-SR (First Communion Mass)</p> <p>11:30am-4:30pm - SR Family Gathering</p>                                   | 23  | <p>24<br/>Mass at<br/>8:00 am-SR</p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p> <p>7:30-9:00pm - SR Confirmation Glass Upstairs &amp; Downstairs</p> | 25<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR | 26<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM | 27<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR | 28<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR |
| <p>29<br/>Masses at<br/>9:00 am-NM<br/>9:30 am-SR</p>  | 30  | <p>31<br/>Mass at<br/>8:00 am-SR</p> <p>9:00 am Quilting-SR</p> <p>8:30 pm Millwood Township Meeting—SR</p>                          |                             |                             |   | <p>Food For Kidz—Tri-Parish Event</p>       |

# April, 2015

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| Sun  | Mon | Tue                         | Wed   | Thu   | Fri  | Sat  |
|--|-----|-----------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|  |     |                             | 1<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br><br>7:00 pm Tri-Parish Teen Bible Study & Easter Egg Dying Service Project—FR | 2<br>Holy Thursday Mass<br>4:00 pm-SR<br>8:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-NM | 3<br>Good Friday Services<br>1:00 pm-SR<br>3:00 pm-NM<br>8:00 pm-FR            | 4<br>Holy Saturday Masses at<br>8:30 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR   |
| 5<br>Easter Sunday Masses at<br>9:00 am-NM<br>9:30 am-SR<br>10:30 am-FR<br><br>7:30 pm Christian Women Card Party—NM | 6   | 7<br>Mass at<br>8:00 am-SR  | 8<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR  | 9<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM  | 10<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br><br>8:00 pm 4-H Meeting—FR                      | 11<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR<br><br>4:00 pm Christian Women Mother/Daughter Luncheon—FR |
| 12<br>Masses at<br>9:00 am-NM<br>9:30 am-SR  | 13  | 14<br>Mass at<br>8:00 am-SR | 15<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR   | 16<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM                                       | 17<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br>8:00 pm 4-H Meeting—FR<br>Deutschfest Set-up—FR | 18<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR<br><br>3:30pm St. Joseph's Society Deutschfest—FR          |
| 19<br>Masses at<br>9:00 am-NM<br>9:30 am-SR<br><br>7:00 pm "500" Card Party—FR                                       | 20  | 21<br>Mass at<br>8:00 am-SR | 22<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR   | 23<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM                                       | 24<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR<br><br>8:00 pm 4-H Meet-                           | 25<br>Masses at<br>4:00 pm-FR<br>8:00 pm-SR<br><br>8:00 am Spring Rummage Sale—FR                      |
| 26<br>Masses at<br>9:00 am-NM<br>9:30 am-SR  | 27  | 28<br>Mass at<br>8:00 am-SR | 29<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-FR   | 30<br>Mass at<br>8:15 am-NM                                       |  |  |

← Rummage Sale Set-Up - FR →