

# Ash Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>

We will celebrate Mass with Ashes here at St. Lawrence-Newman at 12:10 pm, 5:30 pm, & 7:30 pm

## On Campus Services

**Ecumenical Liturgy of the Word with Ashes at 12:10 pm**  
Coffman Union, Room 330

**Mass with Ashes at 4 pm**  
St. Paul Campus (Underground Lounge) (across from the Bookstore)

**Mass with Ashes at 5 pm**  
West Bank Campus—Blegen Hall (Room 110)

**Mass with Ashes at 8 pm** Coffman Union (Coffman Theater)



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### Sunday and Weekday Eucharist

**Sunday — 8 and 10 am & 7 and 9 pm**  
**Weekdays — 12:10 pm**  
**Saturday — 9 am**

**Mass on Campus Wednesday, February 22**  
**See Ash Wednesday schedule**

### Reconciliation (Confessions)

Saturdays at 9:30 am, or by appointment.  
Communal penance services are held during Advent and Lent.

### Baptism

Infant Baptisms are celebrated each month (except during Lent).  
Call the Parish Office for the dates, and for the dates of the required baptism preparation workshop.

### Matrimony

Call the Parish Office at least six months prior to marriage.

### Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick is celebrated at the 12:10 p.m. Mass on the first Friday of the month; and by appointment.

### Communion, Hospital and Sick Calls

Please inform one of the priests or campus ministers if you know someone who is ill in hospital or at home.

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## Weekly Lenten Activities

As we prepare for the celebration of Easter, please take advantage of some of the following Lenten opportunities:



### Monday-Friday

**Daily Mass** 12:10 pm

### Saturday

**Daily Mass** 9 am

**Confessions** 9:30 am

### Monday

**Journey of Faith** (February 20 and 27) 6 pm

### Tuesday

**Lectio Divina and Centering Prayer** 7 pm

### Wednesday

**Coffman Series** (Mass and discussions) 4 pm

### Thursday

**Eucharistic Adoration** 12:40—5:10 pm

### Friday

**Stations of the Cross** 12:45 pm

**Busy Person's Retreat** February 26-March 3

**Spring Break Mission Trip** March 10-17

**All Night Lenten Prayer Vigil** March 30-31

**Lenten Communal Penance Service** April 2 7 pm

## 2012 Catholic Services Appeal

*Many are the promises of God*

The Catholic Services Appeal will be conducted in our parish next weekend. Your support of the CSA brings God's hope, love, and "His Promise" to countless of our brothers and sisters in our Archdiocese. Please be generous. Remember, no gift is too large or too small. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many individuals.



*Please pray for the repose  
of the soul of*

*Henry Stahlmann*

(father of Ruth Gangl)  
who died last week.

As we pray for Henry, let us also  
pray for his family and friends.

### **Giving Envelopes Now Available at Church**

In an effort to cut costs considerably, your giving envelopes will no longer be delivered to your home.

Your March/April packet is available today on a table in the Gathering Space.

## Bake Sale on March 4<sup>th</sup>

On Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> we will have a bake sale  
after the 8 and 10 am Masses.

The proceeds will be used to support the Spring Break Mission Trip.

Your contribution of baked goods for this event will be appreciated!

Questions? Contact Teri Danckwart (tdanckwart@gmail.com or  
612.789.2544),

or Betty Davidson (betty@umn.edu).



## Next Sunday Is PRETZEL SUNDAY!



Do you know why pretzels are associated with Lent? Ask a CCY kid for the answer.

They will be making pretzels-from-scratch next Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm in the Social Hall, and will share them with you after the Sunday morning Masses. Don't worry, there will be the regular menu of doughnuts available, too!



## *Swing Dance!*

### **Swing's the Thing!**

Join us for a night of food, fun, and dancing.  
Come early for lessons.



**Friday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 7-11 pm  
in the Social Hall and gym**

Cost: \$5 and a food shelf donation

## **Busy Person's Retreat**

**Opening Session on Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup>  
5:00-6:30 pm**

Make time in Lent for Prayer and Reflection in your own personal retreat for Busy People — just one hour a day for four days!

Journey and explore your spirituality in one-on-one time with a Spiritual Director.  
To register contact Amanda Steepleton, [asteepleton@umncatholic.org](mailto:asteepleton@umncatholic.org)

## **Operation Rice Bowl**

This Lent, our faith community will join millions of Catholics across the country by participating in Catholic Relief Services' Operation Rice Bowl. You are invited to pick up a Rice Bowl packet (in the Gathering Space) and join in this simple yet powerful Lenten practice. Operation Rice Bowl invites us to pray with our faith communities, fast in solidarity with those who are hungry, learn about our brothers and sisters around the world, and give sacrificial contributions to help those in need.

75% of CRS' Operation Rice Bowl donations help fund development programs designed to increase food security around the world; 25% supports hunger and poverty alleviation efforts within the United States.

***Birthdays This Week***



**February 20** Colleen Person, Anna Durtsche  
 Lauren Jome, Martha Radtke  
**February 22** Bryan Lao, Bryan Sowieja  
**February 24** Lucie Johnson  
**February 26** Barb Preese, Paul Gangl, Jesica Kurus

**Please Pray** for the following people who are ill, and for those who care for them:

Kristina Becker, Derek Brakob, Ann Brown, Kenny Buschette  
 Vern Chelte, Owen Chiu, Joan Culver, Janet Davis  
 Weston Davis, Tom Daley, Marsha Dickerson Connie Domino  
 Betty Eichhorn, Sonia Ellison, Roger Elo, Joan Erickson  
 Kathy Ferrara, Heidi Erickson, Theresa Gregg, Rosalie Hallin  
 Lou Hammer, Julia Hanna, Keith Harlston James Harrold  
 Dennis Hughes, Matthew Impett, Paul Klempka  
 Richard Klempka, Susan Kraus, James LaTourneau  
 Marcie Locken, David Mernin, Anna Mirocha, Chet Mirocha  
 Kinney Misterek, Phyllis Mother, Heidi Ostrander  
 Gordon Pederson, Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Ben Rank  
 Christina Robinson, Quinn Seymour, Kathy Mullins Tomlinson  
 Pat Tillman, Amanda Tweeter, Volker Family  
 Timothy Witkowski, Joyce Witkowski, Peggy Witte  
 Steve Witte, April Wylie, Herman Yates

***Please pray for the repose of the soul of***



***Yvonne Murphy***

(sister of Audrey Almo), who recently died.

As we pray for Yvonne, let us also pray for her family and friends.

**Our Parish Financial Stewardship**

Last week your stewardship gifts were \$3,089.69  
 (\$2,555.69, Sunday; \$384.00, HELP;  
 \$150.00, Annual Paulist Appeal)

Thank you so much for your continuing support of St. Lawrence-Newman Center, and of our shared mission to the University of Minnesota and the Twin Cities area.

**Loaves & Fishes**

**Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 5 pm at St. Stephen's**

Mark your calendars to come out to help with this wonderful outreach opportunity.

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, Feb. 19** 8 am Mary Schneider 10 am Jim Clemens  
 7 pm For Our Parishioners 9 pm For All Students  
**Monday, February 20** Mary Schneider  
**Tuesday, February 21** Peter Damien Pelletier  
**Wednesday, February 22** 12:10 +Deacon Paul Carlson  
 5:30 +Martin Kroening  
 7:30 For Our Parishioners  
**Thursday, February 23** Communion Service  
**Friday, February 24** +Richard Thue  
**Saturday, February 25** Gordy and Lois Skinner  
**Sunday, Feb. 26** 8 am +Gemma Yoon 10 am Chet Mirocha  
 7 pm For Our Parishioners 9 pm For All Students

**Scripture Readings for the Week**

**Monday** James 3:13-18 Mark 9:14-29  
**Tuesday** James 4:1-10 Mark 9:30-37

**Ash Wednesday**

Joel 2:12-18 Responsorial Psalm: 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14, 17  
 2 Corinthians 5:20—6:2 Gospel: Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday** Deuteronomy 30:15-20 Luke 9:22-25  
**Friday** Isaiah 58:1-9a Matthew 9:14-15  
**Saturday** Isaiah 58:9b-14 Luke 5:27-32

**Sunday, February 26**

Genesis 9:8-15 Responsorial Psalm: 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
 1 Peter 3:18-22 Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

**Women's Book Club**

**Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm in the Gathering Space**

The book chosen to read for February is

The Hiding Place, by Corrie ten Boom

**On the Calendar This Week**

**Today** CCY, 11 am, Gathering space  
 RCIA, 12:00, Room E  
**Monday** Baptism Meeting, 4 pm, Church  
 Journey of Faith, 6 pm, Gathering Space  
 Parish Pastoral Council, 6:30 pm, Room E  
 Volleyball, 7:30 pm, Gym  
**Tuesday** Parish Finance Council, 6:30 pm, Room E  
 Lectio-Centering Prayer, 7 pm, Room B  
**Wednesday** CCW, 9 am, Social Hall  
 Children's Choir, 7 pm  
**Thursday** Adoration, 12:40-5:10 pm  
**Friday** Swing Dance, 7 pm, Social Hall  
**Saturday** CCY, 10 am, Social Hall

**On Campus**

See St. Lawrence-Newman Ash Wednesday schedule.

## Confirmation Congratulations

We give thanks to God for our three Confirmation candidates, **Matthew Blake, Mary Liz Deitchler,** and **Megan Hobbs**, who were confirmed last Sunday by Bishop Lee Piche at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Confirmation is one of the three sacraments of Christian initiation. In this sacrament, through prayers, laying on of hands, and anointing with chrism, these candidates were strengthened by the Holy Spirit to profess more boldly their faith and actively live out their Christian profession in the world.

## Journey of Faith

- Haven't studied your faith since Confirmation?
- Looking for an adult view of Catholic belief and practice?
- Review and renew your faith by centering it on Jesus and his Gospel.
- Enter into Lent with evenings of reflection, learning, and prayer.

Sign up on the signup sheet in our Gathering Space or register with Fr. Bob O'Donnell (odon0105@umn.edu). If you aren't able to register, just come!

**Format:** Monday evenings, February 13, 20, and 27, from 6:00-8:30 pm, with a light supper at 6 pm, followed by prayer, presentations, personal reflection, and questions (with breaks!).

**February 20:** Church and Sacraments

**February 27:** Prayer, Christian Living, God's Kingdom

*Join us even if you missed the first night!*

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

This past Sunday, we celebrated the **Rite of Welcoming** where our community formally *welcomed* **Bruce Kleven, Rory Theis, Jennifer Vollman,** and **Katona Udeani** at the 10 am Mass, and **Danny Bellamy, Scott Malone,** and **Steffon Swenson** at the 7 pm Mass. We are also guiding **Duane Hubbs, Jill Hubbs,** and **Kelly Wischnewski**, who will be welcomed today at their home parish, Church of the Holy Cross. These folks are already baptized Christians and are exploring full communion with the Catholic Church. Now entering a period of formation called the catechumenate, they will mature in Catholic faith and conversion through immersion in our community's life of prayer, Scripture, faith formation, and service. Please keep these candidates in your prayers and when you see them, ask them, "Why Catholic?" and see if their answers match your own experience or open your eyes to something new.

## Our First Communion Children

The following children in the St. Lawrence-Newman Children's Faith Formation program will make their first Communion on Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>:



**Margaret Altmann, Tea Dekker, Isabel Kraabel, Jessica Kurus, Josie Sweet, Nikki Thomas,** and **Grace Travis.**

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

***Wanted: your favorite recipes to be included in a 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary St. Lawrence-Newman cookbook!***



As part of the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the parish being celebrated throughout 2012, we will be publishing a new parish cookbook.

Recipes can be submitted to [recipes@umncatholic.org](mailto:recipes@umncatholic.org) or given to Rebekah in the parish office. Optional *Recipe Collection Sheets* are available in the Gathering Space or by request to [recipes@umncatholic.org](mailto:recipes@umncatholic.org), but recipes can be submitted in any format. Just be sure to include your phone number or e-mail address in case we have questions.

**Please submit your recipes by March 1.**

***Are you an artist? Art or design major?***

We are seeking designs for the cover of our 125th anniversary cookbook. The person whose design is selected will be acknowledged in the cookbook and will receive one free copy.

**Deadline for design submission: March 9.**

For further information, contact Nancy Novack, 612.789.0504; [djnovack@comcast.net](mailto:djnovack@comcast.net).



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## Traditional Lenten Practices

Throughout Lent, Catholics are encouraged to observe the 3-fold discipline of fasting, almsgiving, and prayer to prepare for Easter. During all the Fridays of Lent, Catholics 14 years and older traditionally abstain from meat. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59 traditionally abstain and fast. These practices are not to self-punish or to promote religious pride, but to be powerful reminders of the call to holiness and unity, as they, in varied ways, remind folks of the sacrifice and love of Christ, our sharing in the poverty of most people in the world, a call to simplicity, a call to respect creation with a smaller carbon footprint, and many other spiritual insights. Also don't forget to pick up your *Operation Rice Bowl* mite box, to help remember our less fortunate brothers and sisters throughout Lent.