

Third Sunday of Lent

March 24, 2019



ALL SAINTS

AREA FAITH COMMUNITY



ST. ANDREW'S
FAIRFAX, MN †

ST. WILLIBRORD'S
GIBBON, MN †

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES
WINTHROP, MN †

SACRED HEART
FRANKLIN, MN

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National Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-422-4453

MARRIAGE PREPARATION:

Please contact Fr. Bruno at least six months ahead of time to plan and prepare for your wedding. No wedding date is final until approved by Fr. Bruno.

BAPTISMS: Please make arrangements for attending a baptism session with Sister Mary Ann anywhere from one to two months prior to the date of the baptism of a child.

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of New Ulm:

1-866-670-5163.

(Confidential Counseling Services and Referral Information)

LITURGY SCHEDULE: In case of a funeral a regular scheduled morning Mass will be canceled that day.

Monday, March 25	NO MASS		
Tuesday, March 26	5:00 PM	Fairfax	+Clarence & Marilyn Wendinger
Wednesday, March 27	8:30 AM	Gibbon	+/Spec Int Living & Deceased Members of St. Willibrord's CCW
Thursday, March 28	5:30 PM	Fairfax	+Lawrence Roiger
	10:15AM	Franklin Nursing Home	+Carol Allen
Friday, March 29	9:30 AM	Winthrop Nursing Home	+Verna Ludewig
Saturday, March 30	3:30 PM	<i>Reconciliation prior to Mass</i>	
	4:00 PM	Gibbon	+Reynold Evenson
	5:45 PM	Franklin	+John Kokesch
Sunday, March 31	8:30 AM	Winthrop	People of the All Saints Area Faith Community
	10:15 AM	Fairfax	+Leo & Regina Jandl

Reflection Questions for the Third Sunday of Lent

How am I like the fig tree that has not borne fruit?

How can I bear fruit in the year ahead?



Readings for the Week of March 24, 2019

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/ 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a, 9a]/ Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/ Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/ Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17

[cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hos 6:6]/ Lk 18:9-14

Next Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [9a]/ 2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Jesus tells us to reform and repent. Time will run out, and no one can ever count on another year. Now is the time!

God's promise to Moses in this week's first reading from the Book of Exodus was that he would free the people of Israel from slavery in the land of Egypt. Now that we are into Lent, we have each probably discovered what sins we are slaves to. It is not slavery in the land of Egypt from which we seek liberation. Rather, it is the sin to which we are beholden day after day that needs to be broken by the power of God.

While fasting from food and drink is often the practice during Lent, it might also be time to fast a bit from some of the noise of our world so that we can have some quiet time for self-reflection. This may be the week to turn off the cell phone or television for a brief time and listen to God speak to our hearts.

"Lord Jesus, have mercy; Christ, have mercy."

The Annunciation of the Lord – March 25. The angel Gabriel visited the Blessed Virgin Mary with the extraordinary news of her role as the mother of God. Even at her young age, she had complete confidence in God's grace and trusted in his wisdom.

Advice for Confession. It can be tempting to approach Confession like it's just another (unpleasant) obligation. In fact, Confession is more than "checking items off the list." It's an encounter with God's mercy.

All Saints Area Faith Community Penance Services

Sunday, March 24 at 2:00 p.m. - Sacred Heart

Sunday, March 31 at 2:00 p.m. - St. Willibrord

Sunday, April 7 at 2:00 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales

Fr. Bruno OSB

AREA PARISH

AREA CALENDAR

AREA PARISH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Mar 25 Mary Peichel, David Herrera, Alison Ahlbrecht, Jose & Gricelda Cardenas Anniv.

Mar 26 Tina Bruns, Madison Hoffmann, Laurie Kaukola

Mar 27 Tyler Mikkelson, Lauryn Mikkelson, Chase Kerkhoff, Quinton Exum

Mar 28 Jim Borth, Tom Brandel, Pat Clobes, Martha Serbus, Breckyn Joehnck, Ann Jutz

Mar 29 Mildred Forst

Mar 30 Mary Ann Dummer, Fred Jutz, Kyler Sjogren, Emmanuel Farias

Mar 31 Pam Osborne, Fran Ziegler

SYMPATHY TO: Julie Albrecht and her family on the death of Tom, husband and father – funeral is Friday at Augustana, Gb, 11:00.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS JERRY GUGGISBERG who passed away on March 10, 2019 at his home in Texas. We offer our sympathy to the family.

LENT ENRICHMENT SESSIONS: There will be an enrichment session offered after the 5:30 p.m. evening Mass in Fairfax and Franklin. Please note the dates and topics:

*Thursday, March 28, St. Andrew – "Is Lent for Me?"

*Tuesday, April 2, Sacred Heart - "Lent: The Call to Listen."



MARCH FOOD DRIVE: This March, we join food shelves, faith communities, businesses, and organizations across Minnesota in acting to end hunger and food insecurity. Please bring nonperishable items for our local food shelf and/or monetary donations throughout March. Together, we can ensure #FoodForAllMN.

"When you pick the food of your land at gathering time, do not pick all the way to the corners of your field. And do not gather the food left on the ground there after you have picked. Do not gather what is left among your vines, or gather the grapes that have fallen. Leave them for those in need and for the stranger." (Leviticus 19:9-10)

HUNGER FACTS: Nearly one in ten Minnesotans experience food insecurity

Food security is "access by all people at all times to enough food for an active, healthy life."

13.8% of children in Minnesota are food insecure.

9.5% of Minnesotans live below the poverty level.



Please Remember in Prayer

Mary Illg

St. Andrew's

Yvonne O'Brien

St. Francis de Sales

Mike Palmer

St. Andrew's

Leyla Ahlbrecht

St. Willibrord's

Ordell Grosam

St. Andrew's

Casey O'Brien

St. Francis de Sales

Francis Schweiss

St. Andrew's

Randy Zollner

St. Francis de Sales

Richard Mathiowetz

St. Andrew's

Orren Rathke

St. Francis de Sales

Paula Wittgraf

St. Willibrord's

Edward Garrahy

St. Andrew's

Doris Prax

St. Andrew's

Janet Evenson

St. Willibrord's

KNOW A SAINT: Hannah (March 25)



In the Gospel of Luke Mary's remarkable hymn of praise names the wonderful events happening in her life. Mary's words echo a similar hymn by Hannah, mother of the prophet, Samuel. Hannah had prayed to God for a child and that if her prayer was answered she would dedicate her son to the service of God. When her prayer was answered with the birth of Samuel she, too, proclaimed, "My soul proclaims the greatness of my God..." Like Mary, Hannah names God as the champion of the oppressed. Her vision of God giving strength to future leaders became realized through Samuel and those who followed him. Samuel went on to serve God and Hannah bore five more children.

CALL TO ACTION

- *"Earth Hour" (3/24) 8:30 pm – 9:30 pm - Around the globe, millions of people, businesses and landmarks set aside this hour every year to switch off their lights and commit to some positive action regarding climate change. Join them this Sunday night!
- *"Farmworker Awareness Week" (3/24 - 3/31) - 85% of our fruits and vegetables are handpicked. There are an estimated 2-3 million men, women and children working in the fields in the United States whose pay and working conditions often do not meet even the most basic standards.
- *"International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination" (3/21) – google "Open Wide Your Hearts" – the new US Catholic Bishops anti-racism resource

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST, Soon, our diocese will take up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection.** Your support of this collection serves **Jesus in disguise** in some of the most marginalized communities in our world. In rural communities in Afghanistan, for example, children have limited access to education because of distance and the danger of commuting to public schools. In a remote village in Ghor, one of the poorest provinces of the country, an estimated 80% of adults are illiterate, and the illiteracy rate is even higher for women. Most villagers are farmers who never attended school. The closest school was too far and the road too dangerous for young children to attend.

But you helped bring a community-based classroom to this remote village. Your generosity made it possible for the children to attend school and has offered them a more hopeful and secure future. Such programs have been implemented across Afghanistan for 15 years and have helped more than 23,000 students build more prosperous lives. Children across Afghanistan, and indeed, the world depend on your support to go to school and have bright futures.

Your support of this collection makes a difference for so many around the globe. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection this year. To learn more about the collection and the people who benefit, please visit www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

Support the collection, and answer the knock of **Jesus in disguise.**

Sincerely yours in Christ, The Most Reverend John M. LeVoir, Bishop of New Ulm

Topic for next week's **THAT MAN IS YOU** men's program

Week 21 - Set Your Mind on the Things Above

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| The Path of Prayer | The Story of Tobias and Sarah |
| Illumination for Tobit and Tobias | Guidance for the Holy Family |
| The Path in the Illuminative Way | Receiving the Light of Scripture |
| The Story of the Rosary | |

2019 ECUMENICAL LENTEN UNITY LUNCHEONS As the Winthrop Community missed our week of Unity Services because of bad weather, we are going to have Ecumenical Lenten Unity Luncheons! Each Wednesday of Lent at 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm (a light lunch at 12:00, a Prayer Service at 12:30) Luncheons will be a Free Will Donation to support the Winthrop Ministerial funds to help local people in need. Hope you can join us!

Wednesday March 27: St. Francis de Sales Catholic

Wednesday April 3: Winthrop Covenant

Wednesday April 10: Faith United Church

THE HOLY LAND DINNER THEATER will be holding their social event on March 30th & April 6th at St. George's Parish Center starting with social hour at 5:00 pm followed by dinner at 6:00 pm. The play this year is "Grandad Steps Out". Purchase tickets for reserved seating by calling Jackie Forst at 507-354-2428. Cost is \$35 per ticket. This is sponsored by the C.O.F., St. Benedict's Court 31018.

JOIN US FOR A SAUERKRAUT, LANDJAEGER & DUMPLING DINNER AND BAKE SALE on Sunday, March 31st at St. Mary's Parish Social Hall in New Ulm from 10:00 am until 12:30 pm.

ST MICHAEL'S CUF MATCHING GRANT RUMMAGE SALE AND LUNCH will be held Friday, April 5th from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm and Saturday, April 6th from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm., bag sale starting at 8:00 am Saturday, at St. Michael's Social Hall in Morgan, which is handicap accessible. Lunch will be served on both days.

DANUBE RIVER CRUISE PLUS MUNICH AND BUDAPEST AND PRAGUE with Fr. Phil Schotzko 13 Day Cruise and Land from Minneapolis on October 26-November 7, 2019. For more information contact Fr. Phil at (507) 381-2374 or phil.schotzko@newulmtel.net. Additional information: check out details at selectinternationaltours.com. Sign up deadline without penalty if April 29th so don't delay.

WEEKLY OFFERING

	St. Andrew's	St. Francis's	St. Willibrord's	Sacred Heart
Adult	1,636.00	1,383.00	930.00	630.00
Student		9.00		7.00
Loose	158.00	28.00	26.00	12.00
Black & Indian Home Missions	92.00		179.00	125.00
Catholic Relief Services			50.00	
Central/Easter Europe		40.00	213.00	5.00
Overseas Appeal		100.00		
Funeral			150.00	
Food Shelf	10.00			
Building		50.00		
Maintenance	195.00			
Catholic Home Missions	10.00			4.00
Votive Lights	68.00		12.00	
Fuel/Maintenance				100.00
TOTAL	\$2,169.00	\$1,610.00	\$1,560.00	\$ 883.00

PRAY FOR OUR

MILITARY: Please continue to pray for the following military personnel who are members of our parish families and are serving full time or active duty in the military: SFC William R. Schmidt, SSG Jeff Ziegler, Kyler J. Rieke, Ryan E Lawrenz, SGT, Sgt. Chris Levinske, Amber Lindberg, Captain Martha Serbus, Sgt Kenneth Coleman, SFC Timothy R. Green, Spc Adam Nosbush, Major Steven Weber, Jackie Rieke and Pvt Jordan Lindmeyer.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday, March 27, 2019: Class, Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Fn, 7:00 pm Fx

March 29-31, 2019: Confirmation Retreat at Broom Tree

Wednesday, April 3, 2019: Ash Wednesday Class, Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm Gb, Fx

Wednesday, April 10, 2019: Class, Mass @ 5:30pm Gb

Saturday & Sunday, April 13 & 14, 2019: 2nd Grade First Communion Centers in Gb

Wednesday, April 17, 2019: Class, 2nd Grade Seder Meal & Practice 5:30 in Fx

Wednesday, April 24, 2019: No Class, End of the year Mass 6:30pm Gb

Saturday, April 27, 2019: First Communion Gb & Fn

Sunday, April 28, 2019: First Communion Wn & Fx

SACRED HEART – FRANKLIN

Saturday, **March 30th-5:45 PM**

Lector: Joel Harmoning **Dist:** Angela Sandgren, Linda Harmoning, Jim Koupal **Servers:** Megan & Nathan Sandgren **Cross:** Tommy Ochs **Ushers:** Chris & Lori Hacker **Gifts:** Jim & Amy Koupal

Saturday, **April 6th-5:45 PM**

Lector: Katie Joehcnk **Dist:** Katie Joehcnk, Jeff Distad, Tom Lorang **Servers:** Zachary Sandgren, Grace Sullivan **Cross:** Vincent Ochs **Ushers:** Tim Sullivan, Bill Radermacher **Gifts:** Tom & Molly Lorang

Saturday, **April 13th-5:45 PM Palm Sunday**

Lector: Shiela Robinson, Tim Sullivan **Dist:** Lori Hacker, Shiela Robinson, Deacon Roger **Servers:** Shyann Koupal, Bella Harmoning **Cross:** Katelyn Lorang **Ushers:** Joel Harmoning, Kevin Fox **Gifts:** Peggy & Ron Louisiana

This week's winner of \$100.00 is Katie Fox of Franklin.

MASS CHANGE: March 26th no longer works for a Mass at 5:30 pm at Sacred Heart Church. Mark your calendar for **Tuesday, April 2, 5:30 pm Mass**, followed by an adult enrichment session.

REMEMBER WE HAVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS - Wednesday March 27th.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DATES: March 30, April 13, 27 and none in May.

PLEASE JOIN US IN HONORING ADAM CRAIN AND MELANIE ROULANAITIS for their wedding shower on April 6th, 2019. The shower will be hosted at 1:30 pm at the Caboose Room (Franklin Depot) 343 2nd Ave. Franklin MN. Parents of the couple are Pat and Linda Crain and Richard and Diana Linsmeier. The Couple is registered at: Macy's, Target and Bed Bath and Beyond.



ST. WILLIBRORD'S – GIBBON

Saturday, **March 30th**-4:00 PM

Lector: Jerome Petersen **Commentator:** Alan Neyers **Dist:** Jeannine Grosam, Steve Grosam, Vickie Dreier **Servers:** Jessica & Abby Willegal **Ushers:** Rick Klement, Chad Klement, Jerome Rubischko **Gifts:** Roger & Karen Holm

Saturday, **April 6th**-4:00 PM

Lector: Gail Herschman **Commentator:** Jessica Willegal **Dist:** Connie Tautges, Charlene Forst, Rose Forst **Servers:** Taylor Haas, Brianna Roche **Ushers:** Davis Biebl, Clete Krzmarzick, James Theis **Gifts:** Brett & Shannon Howe

Saturday, **April 13th**-4:00 PM

Lector: Melvin Neyers **Commentator:** Daryl Kokesch **Dist:** Mavis Lindmeyer, Genny Neyers, Geneva Klover **Servers:** Kylie Unger, Lily Hanson **Oil Bearers:** Harlie Rubischko, George Schweiss, Kathy Bruns **Ushers:** Davis Biebl, Clete Krzmarzick, James Theis **Gifts:** Jay & Sandra Howe

SYMPATHY TO: Bernie Sauter, whose 89-year-old mother died March 17th.

FR. BRUNO WILL SHARE ON THE VILLAGE NEAR HIS MONASTERY IN INDIA after the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Wednesday, March 27th. We had so much fun with Fr. Bruno speaking to us last fall at our CCW meeting, that we had to rebook him again for this spring! The parish is welcome to come and have coffee and rolls and listen to Fr. Bruno share about life in the village in India where his monastery is located, their poverty, and lack of water in the village. Our Spring CCW meeting will follow the presentation. The CCW meeting will last for about one hour and all women of the parish are invited to attend.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be held immediately following the morning Mass in Gibbon on Wednesday April 3rd. All are welcome to stay for this beautiful devotion to Our Lord.

LIGHTHOUSE TALKS – CD's from the Augustine Institute featuring famous Catholic Evangelists, are being provided as a FREE-lending library at St. Willibrord's, courtesy of Council of Catholic Women (CCW). They are available to anyone in the AFC to borrow and return in a timely manner. There is a display in the entryway of the church, with a sign out sheet (sign out the CD's by number, not CD name). Please make use of these inspiring talks on a wide variety of issues related to our faith! Future announcements will feature topics of several of the CDs. Featured this week are CD#32 – "*Confessions of a Megapastor*" – How I Discovered the Hidden Treasures of the Catholic Church, by Allen Hunt; CD#33 – "*Why I am Catholic*" – "When I could be anything else", by Patrick Madrid and CD#34 – "*God's Family and Ours*" The Church and the Trinity, by Dr. Scott Hahn. There are 50 different, very interesting topics – check them out!

THANK YOU FROM CUF! We would like to thank all who supported our Matching Grant Lasagna Supper in so many ways. Many thanks to all who donated raffle prizes, who purchased raffle tickets and the men who helped sell them. A heartfelt thank you to all who donated food, including the nice variety of desserts, and those who worked hours in preparing the food and dining room. Also, a big thank you to the NCYC or Stubenville Youth, parents and spouses that helped serve. We appreciated everyone who helped reach our goal for the Matching Grant, even with all the snow and ice!!!
Thanks so much!

CUF MATCHING GRANT RAFFLE -WINNERS

\$50 Donated by CUF	Tom Lindmeyer	\$50 Donated by James Mayer	Melvin Neyers
\$50 Donated by Mike Rein	Carol Haas	\$50 Donated by Davis Biebl	Sue Lauwagie
\$25 Donated by Leon & Bev Stadtherr	Steve Herschman	\$25 Donated by Delores Klement	Brad Kiecker
\$25 Donated by Lorraine Bastian	Randy & Kathy Bruns	\$25 Donated by Ron & Barb Bastian	Lorraine Bastian
\$25 Donated by Berny Berger	Joan Eckert	\$25 Donated by Charlene & Don Forst	Davis Biebl
\$50 Donated by Joan Eckert	Pete Schweiss	\$30 Donated by Cletus Krzmarzick	Kevin Lauwagie
\$25 Donated by Shirley Lauwagie	LeAnn Byro	Set of Grilling Tools – Anonymous	George Wendinger

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES – WINTHROP

Sunday, **March 31st**-8:30 AM

Lector: Mary Nelson **Dist:** Pete & Marianne Machaiek, Che May **Servers:** Madyson Steele, Derek Steele **Cross:** Logan Steele **Gifts:** Donovan & Susi Steele **Ushers:** Gary & Mary Renner, Barb Pagel, Mike Rein

Sunday, **April 7th**-8:30 AM

Lector: Dave Schauer **Dist:** Tom Witucki, Pam Osborne, Brent Lang **Servers:** Kaylee & Logan Felska **Gifts:** Leon Lang, Ron Hillesheim **Ushers:** Lyle & Shari Muth, Jean Groehler, Mike Rein

Sunday, **April 14th**-8:30 AM

Lector: Barb Pagel **Dist:** Deacon Roger, Kevin & Sue Lauwagie **Servers:** Miah Busse, Madyson Steele, Logan Steele **Gifts:** Nick & Mary Jo Krueger Family **Oil Bearers:** Megan Schmidt, Derek Steele, Lorraine Ravnaas **Ushers:** Lyle & Shari Muth, Jean Groehler, Mike Rein

DURING THE MONTH OF MARCH THE KC'S OF WINTHROP AND GAYLORD 7051 will have a table set up for a baby shower. Please donate cash, clothing or baby items, proceeds will be going to Birthright of Hutchinson. Thank you for donating.

COFFEE AND DONUTS There will be coffee and donuts/treats following Sunday Masses during March and April. Free will donation. Proceeds during March will be to benefit Food for Kidz and MN Foodshare. Also, non-perishable food items will be collected. Thank you very much in advance of your generosity! Your Social Concerns Committee: Barb and Mary

ST. ANDREW'S – FAIRFAX

Sunday, **March 31st**-10:15 AM

Lector: Cindy Rieke **Commentator:** Jan Simonsen **Dist:** LeRoy Schweiss, Richard Frank, Brian Wortz **Servers:** Zach, Kayln & Ely Hellendrung **Ushers:** Mike Vait, Dennis Weinzetl, Jason Weinzetl, Pat Schreiner **Gifts:** Frank & Desiree Ziegler **Visit the Sick:** Barb Freitag

Sunday, **April 7th**-10:15 AM

Lector: Mike Beranek **Commentator:** Jody Busch **Dist:** Jolene Palmer, Mary Ann Dummer, Agnes Wendinger **Servers:** Ashley & Isabelle Vos, Kaden Weir **Ushers:** Brenda Frank, George Wendinger, Jim Prax, Tom Nachreiner **Gifts:** Michael & Barbara Beranek **Visit the Sick:** Agnes Wendinger

Sunday, **April 14th**-10:15 AM

Lector: Agnes Kiecker **Commentator:** Pat Buboltz **Dist:** Margaret Liebl, Desiree Ziegler, Karen Bastian **Servers:** Allen & Julia Schweiss, Bernardo Davila **Ushers:** Francis Schweiss, Dave Borth, Randy Boehm, Kevin Schweiss **Gifts:** Maury & Mary Bleess **Visit the Sick:** Sandy Hellendrung

CUSTODIANS NEEDED: We have recently been notified that Brian Weir will be retiring from his position as custodian for the St. Andrew's Parish. Interested applicants should contact Ross Nachreiner at 507-430-3406 or email at ar_nachreiner@yahoo.com. Position is open until filled but it is the goal of the church to have this position filled by the end of March. Total hours per week are dependent on activities within the church (average 4-6/week). Work hours are flexible. We want to thank Brian for his time and dedication over the past year.

ALL MOTHERS, GRANDMOTHERS, AUNTS, SPIRITUAL MOTHERS AND GODMOTHERS are cordially invited to join the Christian Mother's organization. We meet the 1st Thursday of the month following the 8:30 am mass. Please come join us for prayer, fellowship, rolls and coffee. There are pamphlets with more information in the back of the church.

FAIRFAX BLOODMOBILE Tuesday March 26th from 12:30 to 6:30 at Prairie Lutheran School. Please call Barb Freitag for an appointment or any questions - 507-426-7759. Please leave a message. Thank You!

CUF BRUNCH FOR MEMBERS has been moved to March 31st following the 10:15 Mass. **CUF MEETING** will be on March 26th @ 6:00 starting with supper.

FUNFEST: We are in need of new Chair persons for this August's Fun Fest. Please consider saying yes. You can contact Ross Nachreiner at (507) 430-3406.

ST. ANN'S FUNERAL GROUP 6: Linda Turbes, Gayle Clobes

ORGAN - The organ at St. Andrew's is over 75 years old and is in need of a major fix. The issue is electrical. A number of keys already don't respond and the problem continues to get worse. Our options are either to abandon it or get it fixed. A bid has been secured from Allan Moe, the person who services our organ. It will cost \$55,000 to get done what needs to be done. Before the Administrative Council will give the "go" for this project, it needs to know if it has the support of the congregation. We need to have you pledge your support. Do Not pledge more than can afford. No pledge will be interpreted as not supporting this need. Your response can either be placed in the collection basket or sent to the parish office. If the response is positive, work could begin sometime around the Fall of 2020. The organ is probably the most desirable instrument for church music. Please consider supporting this project! Thank you.

My Pledge to Support the Repair of the Organ at St. Andrew's

Name _____ Amount \$ _____

EASTER FLOWERS & ENVIRONMENT

If you wish to make a donation for Easter flowers/environment in memory of deceased loved ones you can use the form below. Detach the form from the bulletin and place in an envelope marked with YOUR parish. The form can be dropped in the collection basket. All forms received by **Tuesday, April 16th** will be printed in the Easter bulletin. Requests can also be emailed to the Parish office –ffgw@centurytel.net. **For those who collect the money** please send the names to the Parish office **BY** April 16th
Thanks!

DONOR NAME: _____

PARISH: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

