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Saint Anthony, Westbrook  
 Immaculate Heart of Mary, Currie  
 Saint Gabriel, Fulda  
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MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SATURDAY NOVEMBER 07 – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2020 – YEAR A

<b>Saturday Evening</b>	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Nov 07</b>	Bernice Reiter †	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Nov 08</b>	Gary Holden†	<b>Saint Gabriel Church</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>Nov 08</b>	Parishioners	<b>Saint Anthony Church</b>
Monday Morning		Nov 09	NO MASS	
Tuesday Morning	Private Mass	Nov 10	Barbara Finkel Drealan	Maple Lawn Nursing Home
Wednesday Morning	8:30	Nov 11	Lavonne Iverson †	Saint Anthony Church
Thursday Morning	8:30	Nov 12	Int of Catholic Daughters	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Friday Morning	8:30	Nov 13	Lang Nguyen †	Saint Gabriel Church
<b>Saturday Evening</b>	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Nov 14</b>	Parishioners	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b>	<b>8:30</b>	<b>Nov 15</b>	Hank Lenards †	<b>Saint Gabriel Church</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b>	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Nov 15</b>	Peg Shaughnessy Olsem†	<b>Saint Anthony Church</b>

**FROM THE DESK OF MONSIGNOR HEITING**

**BE PREPARED!**

In Saint Matthew’s gospel for the 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, we hear Jesus tell the disciples the parable of the ten virgins – five who were wise; five who were foolish – all awaiting the arrival of the bridegroom at the wedding feast. All of the women had to be prepared for they knew not the day nor the hour when the bridegroom would come. The message for all of us is clear. Jesus is the bridegroom; all of us are the ones awaiting His arrival. Since we “know neither the day nor the hour” when Jesus will come, we must be prepared. We prepare to meet Jesus each day as we find Him in one another, and we also prepare to meet Jesus on that special day when we are called home.

**ARE YOU CONFUSED?**

There has been some confusion and much speculation lately (largely in the media) over comments that Pope Francis made recently about homosexual couples living in civil unions. The pope’s comments had nothing to do with the stand of the Catholic church on the Sacrament of Marriage; that is, that a valid sacramental marriage exists only between one man and one woman. Since the sacramentality of marriage is of divine origin, even the pope can’t change it. The Holy Father was expressing a private opinion (not speaking on behalf of the Church) regarding possible legal protection for homosexual couples living in civil unions. Cardinal Raymond Burke gives what I consider a very thorough explanation of this question. To see what the cardinal has to say, go to: [cardinal.burke/presentations](http://cardinal.burke/presentations)

**PARISH CLUSTER WISHES...**

Congratulations and prayers to Brady Christopher Krueger and Sara Marie (Kramer) Krueger on the baptism of their son, Bennett Christopher Krueger, on November 1, 2020 at Saint Anthony Parish in Westbrook.

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**TRI-PARISH WEBSITE** ...Go to: [www.triparishcfw.org](http://www.triparishcfw.org)

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**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES and TRI-PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Surviving the Holidays GriefShare: a nondenominational seminar, is especially for people who are grieving a loved one’s death. Practical, hope-inspiring ideas include surviving social and family events, dealing with emotions and creating new traditions while honoring your loved one’s legacy. It will be presented Sunday, Nov. 15, 2:00-3:30 pm in Holy Redeemer Church Gathering Area, Marshall, MN. For more information, call **Dorothy** at **507-401-0601** or church office at **532-5711**.

**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

**Financial Support for Oct 31, 2020** Adult: \$1,015.00 Plate: \$121.00 Donations: \$25.00

**Liturgical Roles for Nov 14, 2020**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>
11/14	Abby Overman	Tim Rignell Mark Gervais	Francis Biesanz	Kim Olafson

\*\*\*\***Note: If you are unable to attend Mass on your assigned date, please find your own replacement**\*\*\*\*

**BULLETIN:** Patty LeClaire (507-763-3873) or [triparish@live.com](mailto:triparish@live.com) **Announcements due by Thursday Noon**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN OUR PARISH?** Please contact Kris Rignell (608-406-0224).

**PARISH AREA CALENDAR:** Romane Dold (763-3207)

**PARISH PHOTO BULLETIN BOARD:** If you have a family member who has received the sacrament of Baptism, First Holy Communion or Matrimony and have a photo to share for the bulletin board please contact Mary Arnold at **507 828-7930**. Photos will be returned

**FUNERAL LUNCHEONS:** Contact Becky Luft (760-0052), Patti Dold (763-3207) or Deb Johnson (760-0990)

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Contact Myrna Surprenant at (629-4344) to add a prayer request or to be a part of the prayer chain.

**COMMUNION FOR THE ILL, HOSPITALIZED, OR HOMEBOUND:** Contact Beverly Schreier (836-6073), Julie Hanson (763-3818), Marcia Schreier (763-3817) or Marianne Ankrum (629-3047) if you or someone you know would like to receive holy Eucharist.

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FROM THE DESK OF Dawn Kopperud, DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS ED (DRE)  
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**Faith Formation: Watch your email for update on the 2020-2021 classes**

**Mission Trip/Heartwork camp- July 17-24 2021 Pittsburg PA - ask Dawn for more information!**

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**St. Mary's Calendar Raffle Winners:** Oct 30 - \$100 Tom & Julie Dolan; Nov 6 -\$100 Dr. Richard Brown

**SOCK DONATION:** The Catholic Daughters of court St. Theresa of IHM is collecting socks again this fall. During this difficult time many families are struggling. Donate a pair or package to help local families. The socks will be given to local food shelves for distribution. Baskets are placed in both entrances of the church for your convenience or contact any Catholic Daughter to donate. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**IN MEMORY:** The IHM Graduating class of 1942 lost two of its classmates recently:

Corine Mary Illg Reiter passed away at the age of 96 on October 31, 2020. Corine was a life-long member of IHM Parish and was a housekeeper at the rectory for about 20 years. She and her husband, John, operated a locker and grocery store in town for many years. A private family service was held at IHM Church on Thursday afternoon on November 5, 2020, followed by burial in IHM Calvary Cemetery. May she rest in peace. (A card was received that Corine wrote prior to her passing which read: *'To my dear IHM Family...you have been such a wonderful part of my life. May God bless all of you. Love, Corine Reiter'*)

Edwin 'Eddie' Charles Miller passed away on November 2 at the age of 96. Ed grew up in the Currie area and was a member of the IHM church, farming southwest of Currie until moving to Slayton. He was a WWII Veteran and a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus. A private family service was held at St. Ann's Cemetery in Slayton on Friday, November 6, 2020. May he rest in peace.

**BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:** Catholic Charities baby bottle campaign is under way. Pick up a bottle to help Mother and Child Assistance Fund to help women who are considering adoption and/parenting with financial assistance. the funds help women and children right here in Southern Minnesota. Pick up a bottle, fill it with change and return it to church. if you are unable to pick up a bottle, mail a donation to Catholic Charities Baby Bottle Campaign, PO Box 379, Winona, Mn. 55987

**ST MARY'S SCHOOL CHOCOLATE SALES** – St. Mary's is currently selling World's Finest Chocolate. Items include \$2 boxes of Milk Chocolate Almonds, Mints, Caramels, and Raisins; \$5 box of Dark Chocolate Almonds; \$6 box of Dark Chocolate; \$7 items Chocolate Covered Pretzels, Peanut Butter Bears, Pecan Clusters and Cashew Clusters. We also have a variety of bars for \$1. Families will be selling after church. If we do not catch you in church please reach out and we will stop by. Thank you for your continued support of St. Mary's School students!

## SAINT ANTHONY CHURCH

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**Financial Support for Oct. 25, 2020:** Adult: \$.00 Plate: \$.00 Diocesan Appeal: \$5340 (\$540 over goal)

### **Liturgical Roles:**

Date

Lector

Eucharistic Minister

**PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19:** If you are not feeling well, please do not come to Mass. Symptoms can include shortness of breath, cough, fever, chills, headache, muscle pain, sore throat, loss of smell or taste.

**PARISH CONNECTIONS:** Check out our webpage for updates on parish events ([www.triparishcfw.org/westbrook](http://www.triparishcfw.org/westbrook)) and follow us on facebook, St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

To submit an announcement to the bulletin, leave a message at St. Anthony's (274-5946) or Joyce Vortherms (507-822-4318) by Wednesday noon each week or submit via e-mail to [triparish@live.com](mailto:triparish@live.com).

**COMMITMENT TO PRAYER:** We receive strength we never knew we had when others are praying for us. Let your church family pray you through those times when it seems too much to bear alone, especially during Covid-19. Call Joyce to place your request on the parish prayer chain. (507-822-4318)

**BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:** Once again we ask you to participate in Catholic Charities' Baby Bottle Campaign. Please take a baby bottle home and fill it with your loose change during the month of October, "Respect Life" month. This will go toward supporting women who are choosing adoption or parenting rather than abortion. Or you may mail in a donation to St. Anthony's (with memo – Baby Bottle) Thank you for your support.

**CHURCH CLEANING:** We will be gathering names of those in the parish who are willing to assist with church cleaning. Please call Joyce to put your name on for weekly vacuuming and dusting or sign up on the bulletin board in the back of church. If you would like to coordinate this ministry, let Joyce know. (507-822-4318).

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES TO BEGIN:** The 2020-2021 Confirmation Classes will begin on Wednesday, November 11. The location will be determined at a later date.