

All Are Welcome Here!

If you are feeling displaced from
your parish closing, know
all are welcome here.
We are excited to meet you!

Central Office in Holdingford

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Confession Times: Before daily Mass
and by appointment.

Marriage: Couples are to begin
preparation 6-12 months in advance
and must call the Central Office to
meet with Father Gregory **before**
setting a date. Diocesan Marriage
Preparation Classes are required.

Baptism: Call the Central Office to
schedule Baptism.

New Parishioners: Please introduce
yourself to Father after Mass and call
the Central Office. If you are leaving our
parishes, please call the central office so
we can update our census. Thank you!

Address: Central Office
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The Catholic Communities of Holdingford, St. Anna and St. Wendel

*All Saints, Holdingford
Immaculate Conception, St. Anna
St. Columbkille, St. Wendel*

*Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 12, 2026*



Join us for Adoration:

July 11th, after the parade until

9:00 p.m. at

All Saints-St. Mary's.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Every Monday at

All Saints

from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Come encounter our

Eucharistic Lord!

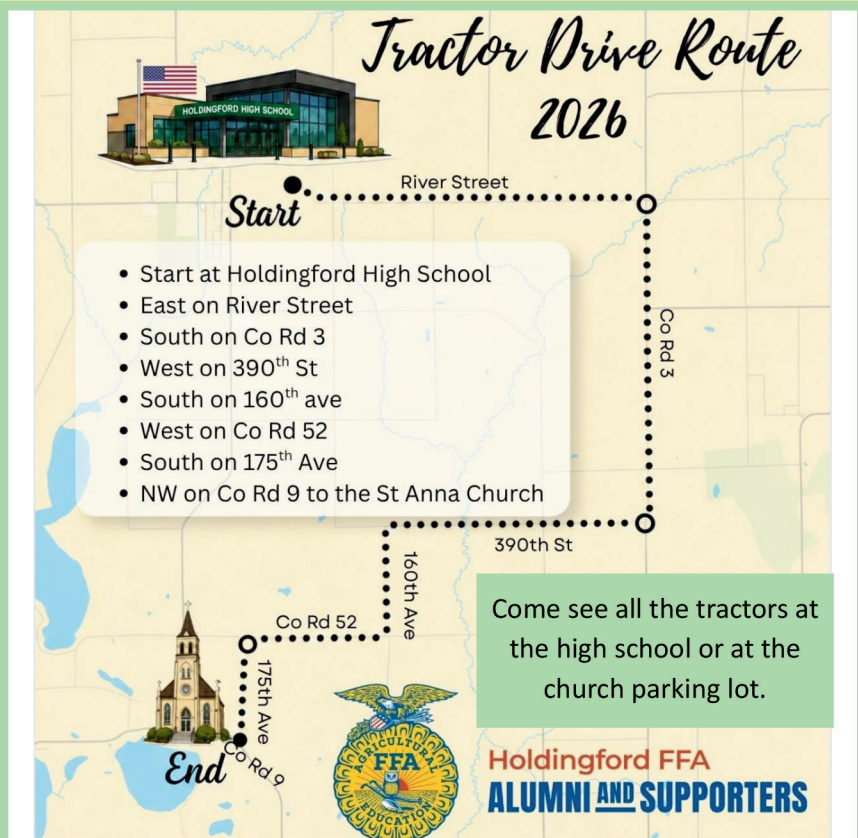
Ways To Spend Time With God During Adoration:

Silent Prayer: Listen for God's guidance.

Spiritual Reading: Read the Bible.

Personal Devotions: Pray the rosary, journal, engage in thanksgiving.

Benediction: A formal closing ceremony often concluding periods of Exposition.



New Evangelization Corner

Doug Herbek

Feast Day of Saints Zelig and Louis Martin

(the Resurrection on Sunday always takes precedence over the saints of the day, so this Sunday is being celebrated as the 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time even though July 12 is the feast of Zelig and Louis Martin)



"It is necessary that the heroic becomes daily and that the daily becomes heroic."
- Saint Zelig Martin

Parents can be saintly, sacrificing for their children with great love. We see such devoted family service by Saints Zelig and Louis Martin. Married in 1858, they had nine children. Four died in infancy, while the remaining five entered consecrated religious life, including Saint Therese of Lisieux, and Leonie Martin, who is being considered for canonization. During their marriage, Zelig and Louis attended daily Mass, prayed, fasted, visited those who were elderly and sick, and welcomed impoverished persons into their home. They lived their faith simply and humbly, nourishing their children's faith, becoming outstanding models for Christian spouses.¹

Pondering Zelig and Louis Martin as I approach August 5, my last day as Youth Minister and Evangelist, I'm recalling how all the young people at our EPIC Youth Night have taught me through



¹ littleflower.org

through their examples of prayerfulness, and how they value their relationships with their parents who nurture them in their faith. After this summer, as I continue my Master's of Divinity degree at Saint John's University, when I think of Two Rivers Catholic Community, I'll be reminded that through our simple yet profound choices, we can all respond to the call to holiness.

And I'll miss you!

Prayer Lines



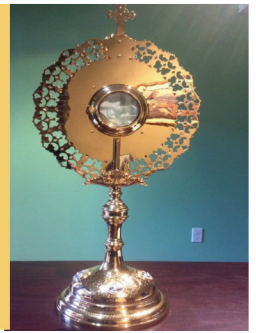
Claude Opatz, Jackie Tempel, Brenda Dobis, Mary Doll, Donnie Wentland, Josh Wentland, Carol Kuklok, Curt Johannes, George Platz Sr., Jeff Symanietz, and Mike Hennen.

Call the Parish Office if you would like to be added to the prayer list and are in need of a blessing before a surgery, need prayer due to illness, are homebound and would like to receive Communion, or if you need a bulletin mailed to you.

Eucharistic Adoration

All Cluster Adoration
is every Monday at

All Saints-St. Hedwig's
from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Come encounter our
Eucharistic Lord!



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11:00 p.m. Friday.

Protect us Lord as
we stay awake.
Watch over us as
we sleep.
That awake we
may keep watch
with Christ and
asleep, rest in
His peace.

Night Prayer

Join Fr. Gregory in prayer
most nights at 9:00 p.m. on
his Facebook page. We are
averaging 1000 views each
night. You can ask for a
request that Father keeps in
his prayers. Night Prayer is
added to our webpage the
next day to watch anytime.
www.tworiverscatholic.com

Louis and Zelig's Miscarriage Ministry:

is available in our parish community. Please contact
parish office if in need of this ministry.
(320)228-0105

Key Patrons and Intercessors

- **The Martin Family:** Zelig Martin famously expressed her enduring hope in the face of child loss by stating, "We shall find our little ones again up above". They lost four of their own nine children in infancy. Their lives are a source of profound comfort and hope, inspiring ministries that help grieving families rely on their faith.
- **St. Catherine of Sweden:** Known as the patroness of miscarriage.



All Saints: Call or text

Joan Frie (320)241-3264

Val Hommerding (320)746-9921

Immaculate Conception: Call or text

Marissa Studniski (507)848-1104

St. Columbkille: Call or text

Susan Opatz (320) 363-8160

News & Events

Healing the Roots: 7-Day Interior Renewal Journey

Day 1: Name the Sin-But Don't Stop There

Day 2: Expose the Root Wound

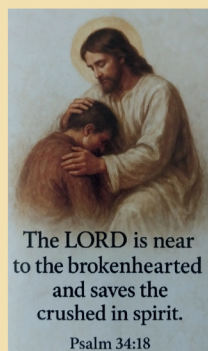
Day 3: Identify the Lie (False Identity)

Day 4: Receive Forgiveness & Forgive Others

Day 5: Claim the Truth (True Identity)

Day 6: Renounce the Behavior and Break Agreement

Day 7: Rebuild with Virtue roadtopurity.com



A note from Fr. David Ahiahornu:

I am a priest from the Diocese of Keta-Akatsi in Ghana.

I was ordained in Ghana on July 17, 1999 and this July 17th marks my 27th Anniversary of priesthood. I thank God for giving me the opportunity to join you on that weekend for the Mission Appeal for my Diocese and to celebrate my Priestly Anniversary with you.

I am currently working in the Archdiocese of Chicago as a Chaplain at the University of Chicago Medicine, Hyde Park.

I look forward to visiting your parish from July 18-20 and preaching the Masses.

Diocesan Youth Council:

For youth going into grades 9-12. Youth council provides input and helps plan diocesan sponsored youth ministry events. The DYC meets about seven times a year, helping set themes, workshops, schedules and formats for youth events. Contact Bradley Revermann with questions. He is from St. Columbkille and has attended.

Applications due July 20th.

Please encourage your youth to apply at

forms.gle/uMstAwdwb1RowD4RB

Readings *of the Week*

Monday: Is 1:10-17/

Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/

Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/

Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/

Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/

Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/
Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/

Is 38:10, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5/

Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/

Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16/Rom 8:26-27/

Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30



Humane Vitae Mass

Award Reception Honoring

Tom & Meg Klecker

**Thursday, July 23, at 7:00 p.m. in the
Cathedral of Saint Mary, St. Cloud**

Monthly Online Giving

Parish income: June 2026

AS \$ 3,671.00

IC \$ 3,365.00

SC \$ 1,840.00

Weekly Offering

Parish income: June 21, 2026

AS \$ 2,665.00

IC \$ 703.00

SC \$ 1,160.55

**Thank you for your generosity!
"For where your treasure is, there
also will your heart be." ~Lk 12:34**



Corn Maze:

Thank you and blessings to the volunteers that came together to start working on the corn maze. More volunteer opportunities to come on this fun community project. Looking forward to the fun we will have with this maze.

Parish News & Events

Immaculate Conception Church Bazaar

Gun Raffle-2 guns

Henry Golden Boy 22LR
Henry Golden Boy 17 HMR
-John Gallatin

Board Raffle Winner

Crown Royal Blanket- Brad Boulton

Cash Raffle-Grand Prizes

\$1,000-Leroy Beuning
\$1,000-Lora Fourre
\$800-Yvonne Springer
\$500-Immaculate Conception Church-
Bob Brown
\$250-Shady's Sunset Bay-
Sharon Pogatschnik
\$200-Magnifi Financial-
Erik & Leanna Brenny
\$150-Blessing & Light-Richard Schmit
\$150-Kevin & Jacinta Kroll-Curt Sauer
\$100-Miller Carlin Funeral Home-
Jeff Mastey
\$100-Stearns Bank NA, Albany-
Janet Studer
\$100-Scegura Insurance Agency-
Logan Hoheisel
\$100-Happy Sleeper-Andy Scegura
\$100-Tim & Sue Ressemann-
Andrew Laudénbach
\$100-Ameican Heritage Bank-
Susan Heroux
\$100-Versa Bank-Jean Knese
\$100-T S Landscaping-Jenny Streit
\$100-Rick & Janice Brenner-Jim Pyka
\$100-Arnzen Construction-Katie Krebs
\$100-Opatz Metals & Rolloffs-
Dale Laden
\$100-Joyce & August Preusser-
Marian Skwira
\$100- Hennen Floor Covering-Rita Auer
\$100-Black Financial Services-
Arnie Platz
\$100-Gary & Jean Kierzek--Ervin Auer
\$100-I.T. Solutions of MN-Jan Peterson
\$100-St. Rosa Lumber-Ron Maidl
\$100-Stan & Mary Streit-
Marilyn Kunstleben

\$100-My Salon Hair Design-Andrew Panek
\$100-Schmidt Ins. Agency- Dan Skroch
\$100-Albany Chryslet Center-
Steven Poepping
\$100-Rick & Janice Brenner-
Chad Randall
\$100-Avon Dental-Sandra Opatz
\$50-Betty Hartung-Melissa Toenyan
\$50-AMPS. Inc-John Doll
\$50-Meagher Auctioneers-
Kaye Nienaber
\$50-JT Electric Service- Joan Dobis
\$50-Leroy & Joan Dobis-
Andy Scegura
\$50-Idella Schneider-Gary Kierzek
\$50-Hartung Sales & Services-
Kurt & Wendy Weitalla
\$50-Mike & Deb Peters-Mary Streit
\$50-Dave's Custom Woodworking-
Joe Hennen
\$50-Just For Fun Ent.- Don Evens
\$50-Albany Mutual Tele.-Colton Skroch
\$50-Hartung Sales & Ser.-Kerry Dufner
\$50-Mike & Jennifer Hennen-Kurt &
Wendy Weitalla
\$50-Ottman Photography-Richard &
Carol Schmidt
\$50-Sanitation Services-Gayle Durand
\$50-American Legion Post, Albany-
Doug Streit
\$50-Albany Fam. Dentistry-Joe Hennen
\$50-Willenburg, Dahl Wocken,
Zimmermann Attorneys-Dan Skwira
\$50 J P Meagher Realty-Bill Ertl
\$50-The Store of St. Anna-Kevin &
Kristi Jonas
\$50-Weitalla Dairy- Tilly
\$50-American Legion Club Post-
Yvonne Panek
\$50-Gerads Oil Company-Leona Maidl
\$50-Lange Trenching, Inc.-
Marilyn Kunstleben
\$35-Anonymous-Sandra Opatz
\$35-Anonymous-Logan Hoheisel
\$25-Albany Home Bakery-Ben Scegura
\$25-Everything Signs-Allan Kociemba

Baby Bottles: The Knights of Columbus would like to remind everyone to please return your baby bottles for our baby bottle drive to support the Pregnancy Resource Center and Elevate. We will accept them any time of year but our hope is to give our donations to them in July. Thank you everyone for your generous donations.



St. Columbkille

St. Columbkille Raffle and Picnic:

St. Columbkille will once again hold a raffle this year with the **drawing occurring after Mass on July 25.** A light meal/picnic will be served after Mass. Price per ticket is \$100 with only 200 tickets being sold. There are over \$10,000 worth of prizes. **Contacts are:** Lloyd Koopmeiners at 320-267-5679 and Maury Meyer at 320-290-1283

Immaculate Conception

Volunteers Needed: We are looking for volunteer outdoor grounds helpers at Immaculate Conception to help with making it look beautiful. This will be headed up by David & Rita Auer. (320)746-2340 or (320)249-6380

All Saints

Holdingford Days - Saturday, July 11

Tractor Blessing: 9:45 a.m.

Fun Run: 10 a.m.

Lunch: about 12 p.m. at St. Anna Church parking lot.

Rain location is All Saints-St. Hedwig's
Adoration: after the parade until 9 p.m. at All Saints-St. Mary's.

Mass: Sat. Soldiers Shrine, 4 p.m.

Sun. St. Columbkille, 8 a.m.

Immaculate Conception, 10 a.m.

Games: All Saints-St. Mary's backyard after parade. Stick around for great view of the fireworks. Enjoy a blessed day with parish community!

	<i>Mass Schedule</i>	
Mon. July 13	<i>St. Henry</i> No Mass	Family Parish Camping Trip 
Tues. July 14	<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin</i> No Mass	
Wed. July 15	<i>St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i> 11:00 a.m. All Saints-St. Hedwig's	† Kelly Welle
Thur. July 16	<i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i> 8:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception & Adoration	† Lee Larkey
Fri. July 17	No Mass	
Sat. July 18	<i>St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest</i> 5:00 p.m. St. Columbkille	† Ken & Marilyn Pierskalla
Sun. July 19	<i>16th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 8:00 a.m. All Saints-St. Mary's 10:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception	† Kevin Feia & Lynn Warzecha For the People

Family Faith Formation & GIFFT (*Generations In Family Faith Together*)



Blessing of a Camp

Heavenly Father,
we praise You for the wonderful world
You have made for us. Help us to enjoy
its beauty and so be led closer to You.

Bless the camp, and help the campers
to stay in safety and peace. Bless the
campers during this camping trip, guide
them by Your loving hand, and be with
them protecting them at all times.

Father,
we ask this blessing through Christ our
Lord.

Amen



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