



February 3, 2019

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR:

Well I guess it is winter. But what a way to start Catholic Schools Week!! We can not underestimate what a blessing and resource our parish school is. How many generations have been formed in the faith, a faith they lived out their whole lives. Investing in our school pays dividends for decades. It is one of the things families mention all the time as I prepare for a funeral of a loved one. How they went to school here. How it laid a foundation that they built their lives on. If you get a chance, thank our teachers, those forming our young people now and those who were a part of laying the foundation in the past.

Reflecting on our faith, let's look at the month of February and those who have lived and given us a witness to the faith over the centuries.

February 2 is the feast of the Presentation of the Lord in the temple. Always good to start with Jesus. Even as a child God is doing amazing things, whether in the womb or in the arms of Mary. A reminder our society needs. We move on to martyrs who witnessed with their blood. St. Agatha was a young girl with great courage and firmness of heart to follow boldly our Lord to the amazement of those around her. St. Paul Miki suffered long and very publicly for Jesus in a land that saw Christianity as something very foreign and a source of corruption for society.

St. Josephine Bakhita is a wonderful story. What a hard life, sold into slavery as a child and the courts deciding if she had value as a person or property. An issue the courts have not yet figured out for the unborn. FORMED has a great movie on her life, I highly encourage you to watch it. It is very moving.

Who has not been hurt in some fashion? Our Lady of Lourdes reminds us of the healing power of God and Mary's role in it. Lourdes often invokes the idea of miracles. About seventy have been "proven" miracles while tens of thousands have been reported over the years. Offering a Rosary this month for the intention of those who need healing would be very appropriate.

The 14th is actually the feast of Sts. Cyril and Methodius who spread the Gospel and the love of God. St. Peter Damian is a doctor of the church because of his writings and teaching of the faith. We celebrate the feast of the Chair of St. Peter, a good day to offer prayers for Pope Francis. Then we conclude the cloud of witnesses in February with a martyr, St. Polycarp. He knew St. John who walked with Jesus. That sense of giving witness to who we know, Jesus, and how that is passed on by the living out of the faith. Which is what we began with as we acknowledge the value of our Catholic school and faith.

May we keep our young people in prayer as they grow in faith because of our witness as we all strive to become the saints that our heavenly Father wants us to be.

Father John

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 5:30 PM
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 AM
First Saturdays 8:00 AM

DAILY ROSARY

Before 8 AM Mass at 7:25 AM

HOLY HOUR

Mondays at 2:00 PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays at 4:00 PM

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

First Fridays beginning at 9:00 AM
All other Fridays beginning at 3:00 PM
Benediction at 4:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of February 3, 2019

- Sat. Feb. 2 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of
Mary Jane Pfaff
- Sun. Feb. 3 8:00 AM For the Deceased Members of
the Harry & Mary Galvin Family
- 10:00 AM For our Parishioners
- Tue. Feb. 5 5:30 PM For the repose of the soul of
Mary Jane Pfaff
- Wed. Feb. 6 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Betty Spaulding
- 2:00 PM FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME
For the repose of the soul of
Pat Garrigan
- Thu. Feb. 7 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
John Prystalski
- Fri. Feb. 8 8:00 AM For the Living & Deceased
Members of the Norma Osterloh Family
- Sat. Feb. 9 5:00 PM For our Parishioners
- Sun. Feb. 10 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Don Strack
- 10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Dr. C. J. Laridaen

Pray for the health of Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Rosemary Lehnen, Patrick Lewis, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, William Roberts, Bonnie Norton, Deb Beyer, Diana Hunt, Jessie Norton, Tricia Demmin, Bernard Resch, Laverne, Shirley Mills, Karen Caple, Lis, Joe Dolphin, Mary Ann Witcraft, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Bill Eisch, Sid Mead, Steve, Art Randall, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Sally Haas, Bob W., Dale Dolata, Therese, Sandy Sarazin, Mary Sauer, Pete Ruland, Margaret Gabay, Audrey Gillen, Rita Kueppers, Cindy Mueller, Lucille Ryczek, George Gabay, Jim Smith, Sadie Ravenscroft, Anne Nancolas, Rosemary Wier, Jim Czajka, RM, Floyd Babcock, Payton, Veronica, Kathryn Doughty, Patricia, John Sustar, Eric Erskine, the Moore Family, JM, Carl Wier, Carole Hayes, Kelly Kellaheer, Mary Taylor, Paulette Wells, Tillie Schumacher, Bill Loescher, Fran Watry, Fran Skalak, Sandy Wilke, Harold Smith, Caroline Christopher and the Johnston Family.

Pray for those in the military serving our country: Jason Witkowiak, John Miller, Tera Walsh, Casey Chamberlain, Chris Dvorak, Paul Knudtson, Jon Taylor, Jessica Burch, Mandy Gardner, Aaron Hoogland, Janie Asberry, Jessica Tremain, Andrei Klika-Sampe and Zachary Bader.

If someone you know becomes hospitalized and would like a visit, please call Cassandra at the church office. To be included on the prayer line or to be listed in the bulletin prayer list, you may also call the church office at 847-6054.

We would love to have you join us for Adult Faith Formation. We meet on Tuesday nights at the school, 6pm-7:15pm. If you have any questions please contact Cassandra at re@stpatrickismauston.com

**Stewardship Corner ~ January 19th and 20th, 2019
(540 Registered Families)**

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$ 9,090.82	\$ 6,166.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,020.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 9.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 465.95
Total Weekly Offering:	\$ 9,715.81	\$ 7,660.95

Budget Contingency Fund \$ 37.00

Year-to-date* budget requirement \$ 298,190.11
Year-to-date amount contributed \$ 286,286.34

*Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 to current date

We ask you to join us in praying sincerely for guidance and success in helping to meet the temporal needs of our Church so that we can carry on our spiritual mission.

Weekly Calendar

Monday	Feb. 4	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	Feb. 5	6:00 PM	Adult Faith Formation
Wednesday	Feb. 6		RE Classes
Thursday	Feb. 7	8:45 AM	PCCW Meeting
		10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH
		7:30 PM	Cath. Ed. Mtg.—RH
Friday	Feb. 8	8:45 AM	Friday Folders

ATTENTION LADIES—Our February PCCW meeting is this Thursday, February 7th in Reardon Hall following the 8 AM Mass. All ladies are invited! Please plan to attend.

GALA 2019 ~ Tickets are on sale now for St. Pat's Gala on February 9th. This year's theme is "Rock the Night Away". The doors open at 6:00 PM with cocktails and appetizers. At 7:30, a buffet dinner, catered by Elite Catering, is served that includes sirloin tips and roasted rosemary chicken. Tickets for the evening are \$65 per person and include dinner, beverages, and entertainment for the evening. Tickets are available at the school office and at the rectory.

Gala Basket Raffle Tickets are on sale and available from all school families and at the school. Please help support this school fundraiser by purchasing a few tickets.

Men's Renewal Retreat – Marshfield - Feb. 23, 9am-3pm ~ It is great to be a man! It's also a great challenge and at times even a battle. Plan to attend a one-day retreat that will focus on practical ways to become the man, father, husband, son that God intended. Because you were made for more! The retreat leader, Fr. Guiseppe, who some call "Chuck Norris in a habit" will challenge men to be who they were made to be! Retreat held at St. John the Baptist, 201 W Blodgett St, Marshfield, WI. Cost: \$20/ person in advance (Includes morning snack and lunch) - \$25 at the door. Register at <https://menofthecross.org/>

**DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE
YOUR SCRIP TODAY AFTER MASS!**
Scrip is available during the week at the rectory office.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of February 2nd & 3rd

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba
Extraordinary Minister: Rita Hamm
Servers: Makenna & Ellie Pouillie, Nolan Powers
Greeters: Joan Potter, Ernie & Audrey Schmocker
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir
Gift Bearers: Kevin Pfaff, Celia Jump, Sara Pfaff
Scrip Seller: Kerry Randall
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Matt Lubinski

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Larry Moore, Mary Ann Strack
Servers: Brie Eckerman, Matthew Gunther, Jacob Barnes
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Dee Powers, Carol Gross
Musicians: Tiffany Schumer
Gift Bearers: Betty Kryka
Scrip Seller: Bobbi Eckerman
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: School Children
Extraordinary Minister: Joelle Curran
Servers: Justina Jakacki, Jasper & Dylan Walsh
Greeters: School Children
Musicians: School Children
Gift Bearers: School Children
Scrip Seller: Kim Walsh
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Jeanne Walsh, Mary Ann Allaby,
Jim Allaby

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Chitra and Elaine Garrigan

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of February 9th & 10th

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: David Hoffmann
Extraordinary Minister: Corinne Kaiser
Servers: Zach, Annah & Logan Lund
Greeters: Monica Niles, Donna Bollig
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Shari Sarazin
Gift Bearers: Erin & Chris Lund
Scrip Seller: Erin Lund
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Matt Lubinski

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Veronica Sustar, Bridget Gunther
Servers: Martin Wolf, Carson Demaske, Johann Wolf
Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary
Gift Bearers: Mary Ann Strack
Scrip Seller: Connie Walhovd
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck, Howard Boppart
Extraordinary Minister: Gina Boppart
Servers: Jackson Whitwin, Brayden Housworth, Christian Brow
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians: Anna Boppart
Gift Bearers: The Laridaen Family
Scrip Seller: Julie Whitney
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Jeanne Walsh, Mary Ann Allaby,
Jim Allaby

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Harry & Shirley Buttner

Formed ~ Pick of the Week

This week's FORMED Pick of the Week is a movie based on the best-selling novel written by a pope and saint. The Jeweller's Shop brings to life the story, written by John Paul II, about the struggles and triumphs in the marriages of three couples.

This week, go to formed.org and watch *The Jeweller's Shop*.

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**Safe Haven Sunday** is coming on March 10. It will address the need for families to protect their homes from the ill effects of pornography. Did you know that on-line porn supports sexting; sending or posting a sexually suggestive nude or nearly nude photo or video of oneself. How prevalent is sexting?

- 4% of 12-year-olds have sent a sext.
- 7% of 14-17-year-olds have sent a sext.
- 9% of 13-18-year-olds have sent a sext.
- 19% of 18-24-year-olds have sent a sext.
- 21% of minority youth in 10th grade have sent a sext.

Safe Haven Sunday will happen on March 10. It will equip parents to protect their home and family from the ill effects of pornography.



**World Day for Consecrated Life—Saturday, February 2**

~ In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd. This Feast is also known as Candlemas Day; the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples. Please pray for all those in consecrated life, and for many more persons to dedicate themselves joyfully and generously to the vocation of consecrated life.

**Is Your Marriage Hurting? - Do you feel helpless?**

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) is designed to help married couples uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on February 8-10, 2018, call 877-922-HOPE (4673), or visit the website at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)

**DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**

**Our goal for this year is \$37,390.00**

**Pledged to date: \$29,240.00**

**93 families have pledged**

We ask each and every family to prayerful consider supporting the appeal. Your support is needed. Please return your pledge card as soon as you are able.