



February 17, 2019
SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR:

We have gotten a little snow. You may have noticed or have had to shovel it. Perhaps that brought up stories from grandpa and grandma about when they were kids and it snowed past the roof and they still had to go to school. Or as kids we loved the snow, sliding down hills and making forts. Coming in to get warm by sitting on the floor vents or having hot chocolate.

Archbishop Charles Chaput offers some thoughts on memories. I share this with you from Columbia magazine from the Knights of Columbus.

“Memory is a cornerstone of our identity. It’s the storehouse of everything we’ve learned, all of our love, all of our experiences, and all of their meaning. Memory gives the storyline to our lives. It shapes how we understand the world and approach the future.....Just as memory anchors each person’s individual story, history plays the same role for cultures, nations and communities of faith. History is our shared memory. When we Christians lose a strong grasp of our own history--our own unique story and identity--others will gladly offer us a revised version of all three: a version that suits their own goals and bigotries, and not necessarily the truth. And then some very ugly things can happen. A community dies when its memory fails. So our memory as a Christian people *matters*.

A strong statement and yet.....? Do we know our Christian story? The big picture and the story closer to home and our own family’s practice of the faith? Genealogy is a popular activity. Yet what of our family, the family of God that we entered on the day of our baptism?

Do we know the Scriptures well? The Old and New Testaments? What of the lives of the saints? They are not just heroes of the faith, but they are our family in the faith. We may know our family’s history, stories told when we gather. Still when we gather as a family of faith at Mass and hear our story through the scriptures, do we connect that to us? What do those stories mean to us? A long time ago? Some people that God chose but that does not happen any more.

Every day, just by living we make memories. They don’t have to be earth shattering or tragic, still what do people, family and friends, remember about us or take from us? Each of us has the ability to create memories. What will we put our efforts into, what do we chose to do, that will stay in the hearts and minds of those around us?

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 17, 2019

Sat. Feb. 16	5:00 PM	For our Parishioners
Sun. Feb. 17	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Jeri Delgado</i>
	10:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Virginia Rhyner</i>
Tue. Feb. 19	5:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Mary Jane Pfaff</i>
Wed. Feb. 20	8:00 AM	For the <i>Living & Deceased</i> <i>Members of Catholic Financial Life WI 21</i>
	2:00 PM	FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME For the repose of the souls of <i>Andrew & Marie Lobenstein</i>
Thu. Feb. 21	8:00 AM	For the <i>Frank Treml Family</i>
Fri. Feb. 22	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Betty Spaulding</i>
Sat. Feb. 23	5:00 PM	For our Parishioners
Sun. Feb. 24	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Jack Koca</i>
	10:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Mary Allaby</i>

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 Kellaher, 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.

Please join us for a Retreat at Saint Patrick Parish on Saturday March 2nd, 2019. The retreat will go from 8am till Noon. The topic is: *Dying a Good Death: What Makes it Good?* For more information please contact Cassandra at 608-847-6054 or email at re@stpatrickmauston.com

Stewardship Corner ~ February 9th & 10th, 2019 (538 Registered Families)

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$ 9,090.82	\$ 5,313.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,480.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 18.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 380.12
Total Weekly Offering:	\$ 9,715.81	\$ 7,191.12

Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 305.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$ 317,621.73
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$ 305,440.05

*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. 18	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	Feb. 19	6:00 PM	Adult Faith Formation
		6:30 PM	Sacred Worship Mtg.
		7:00 PM	KC's Meeting—RH
Wednesday	Feb. 20		RE Classes
		6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	Feb. 21	10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH
		6:00 PM	Parish Council Mtg.
Friday	Feb. 22	8:45 AM	Friday Folders

ATTENTION MEN—The February Knights of Columbus meeting is Tuesday, February 19th at 7 PM. All men are invited to attend.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST—Sunday, February 24th from 9 AM—12 noon in Reardon Hall. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and the St. Patrick's School 5th grade class. Free will offering. Join us for some great food and fellowship!

St. Mary's Parish ~ Lyndon Station Annual Ham Dinner—Sunday, March 10th. Serving from 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Adults: \$9.00 and Children: \$5.00. Carry-outs available. Raffle tickets—\$1.00 each.

Home and School Trivia Night ~ Please keep the night of March 16th open and join us for the annual Home & School Trivia Night. We are looking forward to the rousing competition and fun at this event. Registration information will be out soon!

Save the Date! ~ St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef Pot Luck Dinner in Reardon Hall~ Following the 10 AM Mass on Sunday, March 17th. All are invited! More details to follow.

The Catholic Community of Tomah, Wisconsin, is looking for a dynamic principal to guide Queen of the Apostles School. The ideal candidate will have 3 years teaching experience, a Master's degree in administration and a current administrative license from the State of Wisconsin (or qualify to earn a Wisconsin administrative license). Please send your resume, three letters of recommendation, a copy of current administrative license, and a copy of your transcripts to Monsignor Richard W. Gilles, Pastor, Queen of the Apostles Parish, 315 W. Monroe Street, Tomah, WI 54660 or email: mgr.gilles@gmail.com. All information will be kept confidential. Deadline for applications is Tuesday, March 19, 2019. This position is for 2019-2020 school year.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of February 16th & 17th

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jerilyn Kolba
Extraordinary Minister: Roxanne Shragal
Servers: Elliot Thayer, Landynn Miller, Sena Vinopal
Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker, Dustin Ryberg
Musicians: Ann Benz, Martin Wolf
Gift Bearers: The Great-Grandchildren of Carl & Rosemary Wier
Scrip Seller: Donna Miller
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Dustin Ryberg

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Larry Moore
Servers: Christopher Fry, Emma Eilers, Cody Komiskey
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Bridget Gunther
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary
Gift Bearers: Volunteer
Scrip Seller: Nancy Schaller
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Olivia Lulich
Extraordinary Minister: Mary Beth Crowley
Servers: Nathan & Carter Field, Hudson Randall
Greeters: Kris & Janina Mazur, Bill Thill
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Carla & Jacob Brunner
Gift Bearers: Sue & Fred Hollenbeck
Scrip Seller: Jodi Field
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Jeanne Walsh, Mary Ann Allaby,
Jim Allaby

2:00 PM Nursing Home Service:

Deacon Juan Delgado

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of February 23rd & 24th

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Roxanne Shragal
Extraordinary Minister: David Hoffmann
Servers: Braden Heath, Aedyn and Owen Lubinski
Greeters: Marge Tremain, Joan Potter
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir
Gift Bearers: Tammy & Luke Heath
Scrip Seller: Tammy Heath
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Dustin Ryberg

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Mary Ann Strack, Veronica Sustar
Servers: Brie Eckerman, Matthew Gunther, Jacob Barnes
Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore, Carol Gross
Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman
Gift Bearers: Marion Koca
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck, Bill Curran
Extraordinary Minister: Joelle Curran
Servers: Alexis Brow, Ali Roose, Myra Hancock
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians: Ann Benz, Bill Ryan
Gift Bearers: Mary Ann & Jim Allaby
Scrip Seller: Amy Goodman
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Jeanne Walsh, Mary Ann Allaby,
Jim Allaby

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Marcia Jakubik & Bonnie Duffy

Formed ~ Pick of the Week

Catholics are the only Christian denomination to hold that the leader of the Church is a direct apostolic descendant from Peter, and that Christ himself gave Peter and his successors this important role. Did Jesus in fact found the papacy? This week's FORMED Pick of the Week is an episode from the series *Lectio: Peter* that will point out Scriptural moments in the Old Testament and New that point to the office of pope.

This week, go to formed.org and watch *Lectio: Peter, Episode 5*.

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. The retreat leader, Fr. Guiseppe, 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 - \$25 at the door. Register at <https://menofthecross.org/>

Safe Haven Sunday ~

Research studies have found that watching porn disconnects a person from real relationships and lowers one's respect for women. How could that be a good for you or your family? Learn more about the harms of pornography on Safe Haven Sunday— March 10. Learn more about ending porn exposure at diolc.org/shs

Children's Come and See Day at Mater Redemptoris House of Formation.

Come and See is an opportunity to visit with the Sisters, pray, play and learn more about the Sisters' lives.

When: March 23, 2019

Who: Girls ages 9-12

Where: Mater Redemptoris House of Formation in La Crosse

Registration and Information: Register by March 13 (or until filled) at www.materredemptoris.org

Questions: Contact Sister M. Consolata at 608-788-4530 or materredemptoris@gmail.com

Domestic Church Retreat ~ Wish your spouse was more of a saint?

Chances are your beloved wishes you were too! Learn how to become saints together at the Domestic Church Evangelization Retreat March 28-31st. Couples attending the retreat will experience what it means to love perfectly in Christ. Take your marriage to the next level of joy. Register today at diolc.org/marriage-enrichment/ For more information, call 608-791-2673. Scholarships are available.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land - November 5~15.

Join Father Jim Trempe and Father Woody Pace on this once in a lifetime experience to the Holy Land including the cities of Netanya, Tiberias, Jerusalem and Tel Aviv. For further information, contact Julie Studinski at 715-340-4846 or George's International Tours at 800-566-7499. Information is also located on the table in the gathering area. Cost is \$3,599.00 per person (double occupancy).

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Our goal for this year is \$37,390.00

Pledged to date: \$29,490.00

96 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.