



# February 24, 2019

## SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### FROM OUR PASTOR:

Chivalry, not a word so used or expected in our day. Perhaps it calls to mind knights of old and great quests. So let me offer you part of an article by Samuel Brebner in Shalom Tidings:

“Chivalry was fundamentally about men using their strength to serve and protect others. Ultimately, chivalry is not about performing certain courteous acts; it is about a mindset of respect. A man should not perform chivalrous acts for women because he thinks ‘they can’t do it themselves’. He should perform such acts out of love and service.

This point is particularly important as we seek to address our culture’s huge problem with the objectification of women. Chivalry places a very special emphasis on the way men treat their female counterparts. The chivalrous man is called to uphold the value of women as human persons, not as objects for his pleasure.

To all of my female readers, I think that one of the saddest aspects of the disrespectful behavior some men exhibit toward the opposite sex is that far too many women tolerate it. In a society where this tolerance exists, alongside a widespread male perception that chivalrous acts are offensive, it is not surprising that the way men relate to women has degenerated.

However, a woman who sets her standards high will be far more likely to attract men who are willing to meet them. You deserve chivalrous men in your life, men who will respect you and authentically care for you.”

I hope you have noticed the Safe Haven Sunday bullet points that have been in the bulletin the last number of weeks. I encourage you to look things up on the diocesan website ([diolc.org/shs](http://diolc.org/shs)) about it. Pornography is another word that we don’t talk about often in a public setting. We can have many thoughts about it or figure it is just a private issue and does not impact others. Yet with technology, it is all over the place and so easy to acquire. It impacts many in ways we can not imagine. Pornography weaves a web that catches many.

Lent is often a time of spiritual intensity for many. They pick up spiritual tools that they lay down the rest of the year. But the fight for holiness is a year around battle. Virtue, holiness and God’s grace should be daily things that we strive for in our lives. What do you plan on doing for Lent that will bring you closer to Jesus’ plan for you as His disciple? The old saying is -- if you fail to plan, you will plan to fail. What will lead you to a successful Lent?

What other words, activities, or mindset do we need to look at that needs the transforming power of the Gospel to enter in and bring the newness of life and freedom of the Good News, so that we truly live as God’s children?

*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 24, 2019**

Sat. Feb. 23 5:00 PM For our Parishioners

Sun. Feb. 24 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Jack Koca*

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Mary Allaby*

Tue. Feb. 26 5:30 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Mary Jane Pfaff*

Wed. Feb. 27 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Richard Pfeifer*

Thu. Feb. 28 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Evelyn Schmocker*

Fri. Mar. 1 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Charles (Pat) Madden*

Sat. Mar. 2 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Don Cafferty*

5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Hermann Klingemann*

Sun. Mar. 3 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Jeri Delgado*

10:00 AM For our Parishioners

**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 Kella-her, 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.

**This Friday is First Friday.** Please sign up in the Gathering Area for a time of Eucharistic adoration.

**Ash Wednesday Masses ~ March 6, 2019**

**8:00 AM and 7:00 PM**

**Stewardship Corner ~ February 16th & 17th, 2019**  
**(538 Registered Families)**

	<b>WKLY BUDGETED</b>	<b>ACTUAL</b>
Adult Envelopes	\$ 9,090.82	\$ 5,627.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,027.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 12.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 855.30
<b>Total Weekly Offering:</b>	<b>\$ 9,715.81</b>	<b>\$ 7,521.30</b>

Budget Contingency Fund \$ 32.00

Year-to-date\* budget requirement \$ 327,337.54  
Year-to-date amount contributed \$ 312,961.35

\*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. 25	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	Feb. 26	6:30 PM	Holy Happy Hour
Wednesday	Feb. 27		RE Classes
		6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	Feb. 28	10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH
Friday	Mar. 1	8:45 AM	Friday Folders

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST—** This Sunday 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!

**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@stpatricksmauston.com](mailto:re@stpatricksmauston.com)

**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. The PCCW ladies will provide the corned beef, drinks and desserts. Please bring a side dish. All are invited!

**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.

**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 Rose, 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

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of March 2nd & 3rd**

**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie  
Extraordinary Minister: Carrol Kaiser  
Servers: Makenna & Ellie Pouillie, Nolan Powers  
Greeters: Monica Niles, Donna Bollig, Dustin Ryberg  
Musicians: Ann Benz  
Gift Bearers: Irene Klingemann  
Scrip Seller:  
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner,  
Fran Lunenschloss

**Sunday, 8:00 AM**

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Bridget Gunther  
Servers: Noah Fry, Carson Demaske, Martin Wolf  
Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey  
Musicians: Tiffany Schumer  
Gift Bearers: Molly & Brent Demaske  
Scrip Seller:  
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,  
Arnie Penzkover

**Sunday, 10:00 AM**

Lectors: Olivia Lulich, Howard Boppart  
Extraordinary Minister: Gina Boppart  
Servers: Eli Boppart, Ethan Lulich, Weston Pouillie  
Greeters: Kris Mazur, Bill Thill  
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir  
Gift Bearers: Dave & Lori Lulich  
Scrip Seller:  
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,  
Greg Cowan

**10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:** Marie Leipart

**Are you looking for a way to grow your faith this Lenten season?** Please join us for a Book Study on the book *Vesper Time: The Spiritual Practice of Growing Older* By Frank Cunningham. Frank Cunningham is a noted Catholic editor and publisher, and shows how growing old - - all by itself -- can be a spiritual exercise that brings joy, insight, gratitude, acceptance and love. This Book Study will meet on Thursdays 1-2:15 pm in Reardon Hall starting March 7th. If you would like to have the Parish order you a copy of this book please contact Cassandra 608-847-6054 along with \$16.00 by MARCH 4th. All ages are welcome!

**Safe Haven Sunday** ~ Research studies have found that viewing porn decreases a person's ability to become intimate and that it desensitizes you to cruelty. Neither of these are good for you or your family. Learn more about the harms of pornography and how to protect your family on Safe Haven Sunday – March 10. Learn more about ending porn exposure at [diolc.org/shs](http://diolc.org/shs)

**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/](http://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).

**Please join us in Reardon Hall** for making rosaries for the missions, Thursdays from 10:30 - 1pm. Materials and instructions will be provided. For more info please call: Fran Watry 565-6897 or Shirley Buttner 666-2955.

**Reminder: Save the date for NCCY 2019!** (National Catholic Youth Conference) November 21-24, 2019 We are very excited that the planning process has begun for the biannual National Catholic Youth Conference event that brings together more than 25,000 Catholic youth and adults from all over the country for an incredible faith experience! To get signed up for this AWESOME event, please email Mrs. Thayer [re@stpatericksmauston.com](mailto:re@stpatericksmauston.com)

**Formed ~ Pick of the Week**

Just now, we celebrated God's real presence with us here, in this room. This week's FORMED Pick of the Week will help you explore the truth of Christ's presence in the Eucharist with the first episode of FORMED's most popular series, *Presence: Mystery of the Eucharist*. Take some time this week to appreciate the "source and summit" of the entire Christian life.

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

For those subscribing to "The Word Among Us", your Lenten issue is available at the rectory.

We, the family of Carl and Rosemary Wier express our sincere "thank you" to Father John for his participation in planning our parents' 70th anniversary celebration. Also, Cassie for her beautiful voice, Ann Benz for her organ playing, the servers, Jerilynn Kolba and the parishioners that expressed their love for our parents in well wishes! St. Patrick's Parish definitely made this a blessed day for our family.

Lector, Greeter and Communion Minister schedules for March and April are available in the rack in the gathering area.

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: [msgr.gilles@gmail.com](mailto:msgr.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.

### LENTEN REGULATIONS

The season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, **March 6th.**

Lenten regulations are as follows:

1. Catholics who have celebrated their 14th birthday are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent, and Good Friday.
2. In addition to abstaining from meat, Catholics who have celebrated their 18th birthday, until they celebrate their 59th birthday, are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Those who are bound to this regulation may eat only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

**DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE**—The Diocese of La Crosse is committed to creating a safe environment within the Church for children and youth. We continue to have a special care for and a commitment to reaching out to the victims of sexual abuse and their families. To report allegations of sexual abuse by a member of the clergy, lay employees or volunteers of the Diocese of La Crosse please fill out the report form found at: [www.dioc.org/safe-environment/reporting](http://www.dioc.org/safe-environment/reporting)

Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Karen Becker, Victim Assistance Ministry, at 608-519-8002. Victims of sexual abuse, in addition to contacting civil authorities, are asked to come forward in order to receive pastoral assistance. Such assistance can be received from: Deacon David Allen, Victim Assistance Coordinator at 608-792-9684.

Every two years, the Wisconsin Catholic Conference (WCC) joins several Catholic organizations in hosting *Catholics at the Capitol*. Hundreds of Wisconsin Catholics come to Madison for this day of formation and legislative advocacy. *Catholics at the Capitol 2019* will take place at the Monona Terrace Community and Convention Center on Tuesday, April 30, 2019, celebrating both the Wisconsin Catholic Conference's 50th Anniversary and 20 years of hosting *Catholics at the Capitol*. If you plan to attend, please let Chris Ruff know at 608-791-0161 so participants from the Diocese of La Crosse can connect.

**Give to Catholic Relief Services to alleviate suffering in Venezuela** ~ The humanitarian crisis in Venezuela is escalating as political and economic instability has left hundreds of thousands of families without access to food, medical care and critical life and social services. You can help by giving to Catholic Relief Services: [www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org).

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 4	Sidney Mead
March 5	Bernice Shields
March 5	Rosemary Wier
March 6	Susanne Kolek
March 7	Jim Kolba
March 12	Ray Moriarty
March 14	Tillie Schumacher
March 18	Mary Buttner
March 20	Mary Sauer
March 22	Marie Sarazin
March 25	Tom Brounacker
March 25	Genevieve Hamm
March 25	John McMenomy
March 26	Frank Bollig
March 28	Shirley Mills
March 29	Leo Hamm
March 31	Marie Boehm
March 31	Evelyn Lumby

### MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

March 4	30 years	Greg & Mary Gruber
March 25	47 years	Larry & Carol Purvis
March 19	55 years	Bernard & Paulette Wells

### Diocesan Annual Appeal – *Endurance in Hope*

The Church continues to work to fulfill its mission. The Diocesan Annual Appeal is how we as a diocesan community fund our commitment to do our part of fulfilling the mission. The good works continue as our story is told through the appeal, connecting with those who want to invest in the many good works. This is the largest source of funding for our charitable works and ministries.

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

**Pledged to date: \$29,575.00**

**98 families have pledged**

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