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April 8, 2018
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

FROM OUR PASTOR:

Divine Mercy Sunday is a great celebration that brings to the forefront the incredible mercy of our heavenly Father. We can take confession for granted, that we can always go and then we don't. As the Gospels remind us we need to ask for it, "when you knock, when you ask." It does take that openness to receive such a wondrous gift. In a most wonderful way God opens His treasury of mercy by offering us remission of sin and its corresponding punishments.

Our celebration this year is not at the parish but as a sign of unity and oneness in the Sesquicentennial year of the diocese, we are observing it at Queen of the Apostles parish in Tomah. I will be up there for confessions and all of the devotions. Bishop Callahan will be the main celebrant for those activities. It is a great honor to be the deanery that has the Bishop to celebrant this feast with us. So I do encourage you to go up to Tomah for as much of the event as you can.

Just a heads up, on Monday I will be going up to St. Anthony's Retreat Center for the spring priest retreat that the diocese offers each year. So you will notice that there will not be Masses while I am gone. The school Mass will be on Friday of next week. I encourage you to attend the school Mass when it fits your schedule. It is a blessing to hear all of those sweet little voices praising and singing to God; a great way to inspire us to do the same.

April and May will be filled with many activities from the school. Please note them and attend as you can. The end of the school year seems far away, but it is not! There will be a number of field trips and other events, so I ask for your prayers that we have good weather and safe travels to the events. A big one that the second grade has been preparing for is their First Communion. There will be a retreat to prepare them. As with all sacraments we need that time of preparation and reflection to grow into what we will receive and celebrate. Please keep our second graders, their parents, and those preparing them in your prayers. May we be a great witness in our own reception of Jesus each Sunday we are at Mass.

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 4:00 PM
Stations of the Cross at 4:30 PM
Benediction at 5:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of April 8, 2018

Sat. Apr. 7 5:00 PM For our Parishioners

Sun. Apr. 8 8:00 AM For the repose of the souls of
John & Peg Nicksic

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Gene Hersil

Tue. Apr. 10 5:30 PM NO MASS

Wed. Apr. 11 8:00 AM NO MASS

Thu. Apr. 12 8:00 AM NO MASS

Fri. Apr. 13 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
John Randall

Sat. Apr. 14 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of
Mike Gorski

Sun. Apr. 15 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, John Kueppers, Shirley Mills, Karen Caple, Lis, Joe Dolphin, Maxine Grefe, Mary Ann Witcraft, Denise Dean, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kevin L., Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Rita Burdick, Ethel Passer, Bill Eisch, Sid Mead, Steve, Art Randall, Ruby Steiner, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Sally Haas, Bob W., Dale Dolata, Therese, Gale Ryczek, Sandy Sarazin, Mary Sauer, Pete Ruland, Margaret Gabay, Mary Allaby, 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, John Buttner, Kathryn Doughty, Lavonne Kuwitzky, Ken Lechleiter and the Moore 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 and Jessica Tremain.

Eternal Rest, Grant Unto Him, O Lord. We offer our prayers and condolences to the family and friends of Cyril Lari-daen who passed away last week. May perpetual light shine upon him.

There will not be daily Mass on Tuesday, April 10; Wednesday, April 11 or Thursday, April 12. Father John will be attending Priest Unity Days. If you are in need of sacramental assistance during that time, please call the rectory at 847-6054.

Please join us for Adult Faith Formation classes starting on April 10th, 1-2:30pm OR Thursday April 12th, 5-6:30pm at the Rectory. Our topic for this first week will be "The Third Commandment: Love the Lord's Day." For the next 10 weeks, we will be offering Adult Faith Formation classes at the Rectory. Watch the bulletin for what topic we will be discussing for that week. No need to call ahead, or commit to all ten, just come when you are able. Any questions please contact Cassandra at 608-847-6054.

**Stewardship Corner ~ March 29th—April 1st, 2018
(543 Registered Families)**

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$10,774.46	\$ 7,402.25
Easter Envelopes		\$ 4,655.75
On-Line Giving		\$ 3,695.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 80.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 946.50
Total Weekly Offering:	\$11,399.45	\$16,779.50
Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 15.00
Good Friday Collection		\$ 521.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$ 455,978.00
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$ 408,636.37

*Fiscal Year July 1, 2017 to current date

Weekly Calendar

Monday	Apr. 9	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	Apr. 10	1:00 PM	Adult Bible Study— Rectory
Wednesday	Apr. 11		Religious Ed Classes
Thursday	Apr. 12	11—1	Rosary Makers ~ Lyndon Station
		5:00 PM	Adult Bible Study— Rectory
Friday	Apr. 13	8:30 AM	Friday Folders

PCCW MEETING ~ Attention Ladies! The next PCCW meeting is Thursday, April 12th at 8:30 AM in Reardon Hall. Please plan to attend.

Tomah Deanery Spring Gathering~ All Ladies of the parish are invited! April 12, 2018~ St. Patrick Church ~ Mauston, WI ~ Registration at 6:00 PM~ Program at 7:00 PM. Our speaker for the evening will be Brigitte Varga who will be speaking on her life experiences ~ "Escape to Freedom from Communist Hungary & Austria and What a Person Must Do to Be Free". Please join us.

Attention Men—Mark your calendars! The April Knights of Columbus meeting is Tuesday, April 17th at 7 PM in Reardon hall.

The Youth Ministry handout in the bulletin this week is to let you, the Parishioners, see some of our numbers from this last year. On the other side is a Youth Faith Formation Calendar. This is to let you see know what we have planned for this next year. We are adding some new events for the Youth like "Coffee Chats", and keeping some of the more popular nights like the Frisbee and Fire night. For the most current calendar please look on our Parish calendar either on our website or facebook page and feel free to contact Mrs. Thayer with any questions. 608-847-6054 or re@stpatricksmauston.com

FORMED ~ This week, our FORMED Pick of the Week is a video series called Divine Mercy. Today, as we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, dive deeper into the second greatest story ever told: the story of God's Divine Mercy in our times. Join Fr. Michael Gaitley on a breathtaking journey through history, Sacred Scripture, and the lives of the saints to discover the power of God's unfathomable mercy. Dan S., from Georgia, says "This series will change your life!"

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of April 7th & 8th
Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie
Extraordinary Ministers: Dorothy Gorski
Servers: Elliot Thayer, Makenna Pouillie, Ellie Pouillie
Greeters: Monica Niles, Donna Bollig
Musicians: Ann Benz, Cassandra Thayer
Gift Bearers: Carrol & Corinne Kaiser
Scrip Seller: Mary Walsh
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Lois Lawton
Servers: Matthew Gunther, Noah Fry, Cody Komiskey
Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore, Geri Shore
Musicians: Tiffany Schumer
Gift Bearers: The Barb Nicksic Family
Scrip Seller: Michelle Komiskey
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck, Howard Boppart
Extraordinary Ministers: Gina Boppart
Servers: Eli Boppart, Jasper and Dylan Walsh
Greeters: Kris & Janina Mazur, Bill Thill
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir
Gift Bearers: Steve & Jane Powers
Scrip Seller: Gina Boppart
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Maryann Allaby, Jim Allaby,
Steve Powers

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Marcia Jakubik & Bonnie Duffy

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of April 14th & 15th
Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba
Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Hamm
Servers: Elliot & Lucy Hines, Sena Vinopal
Greeters: Marge Tremain, Joan Potter
Musicians:
Gift Bearers: Dorothy Gorski
Scrip Seller: Kerry Randall
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Larry Moore, Mary Ann Strack
Servers: Emma Eilers, Martin & Johann Wolf
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Dee Powers
Musicians:
Gift Bearers: Chuck & Kathy Kraemer
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie, Carrie Kudick
Extraordinary Ministers: Joelle Curran
Servers: Naome Pouillie, Ethan Lulich, Jackson Whitney
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians:
Gift Bearers: Jim & Mary Ann Allaby
Scrip Seller: Julie Whitney
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Maryann Allaby, Jim Allaby,
Steve Powers

2:00 PM Nursing Home Service:

Deacon Juan Delgado

LOW SUNDAY COLLECTION ~ The women of our PCCW will be taking a second collection after communion this weekend. This annual collection will be used for spirituality days, education, conventions, workshops, leadership training and support of charitable works of the Diocesan Council of Catholic women. Thank you for your support of our Low Sunday Collection.

St. Joseph Catholic Church in Adams is sponsoring a presentation on Human Trafficking on Friday April 20 at 6:30pm at the Community Center (Library) in Adams. This is a Catholic sponsored event, but open to anyone of any faith or non-faith. More information is available on the bulletin board in the gathering area.

The Knights of Columbus Raffle Tickets will be available for the next two weeks at a table in the gathering area. The ticket price is \$5 for a chance to win the top prize of \$50,000 and other prizes.

Our Women's Club is planning for our 2nd "Women's Accessory Sale" to be held on Saturday, November 17th. If you're Spring Cleaning, please be sure to save your accessories for our sale! We'll have collection box for your items out soon. If you have questions, please contact Lynn Levandoski 847-4076 or call the rectory.

Join Bishop Callahan for Divine Mercy Sunday at Queen of the Apostles Parish in Tomah. He will be celebrating the 10:30am Mass on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be from noon-3:15pm and confessions will be heard from 1pm-3pm.

Community Sharing Pantry News: Special needs at the Food Pantry for the month of April are: macaroni, spaghetti, any other type of pasta, soups, juices. Please give generously to those of our community that need this extra help.

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.

200 Envelopes....

Thank you to everyone who participated in our 200 Envelopes Lenten Fundraiser! 126 envelopes were returned and we collected \$11,495.00!! If you have envelopes to return, please do so when you are able. We truly appreciate everyone who helped with this fundraiser. Thank you!

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Our goal for this year is \$39,810.00

Pledged to date: \$36,530.00 ~ 141 families have pledged

THANK YOU!!

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.