

April 14, 2024 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

FROM OUR PASTOR:

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus, Praise be to the Lord. On this third Sunday of Easter, I would like to share something about our Catholic Church. "I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church." That is part of our profession of faith in the creed that we pray every Sunday. They are four characteristics or distinguishing marks of the Church: one, holy, catholic, and apostolic. The last one—apostolic—is highlighted in the (Matt 9:36-10:8), Jesus sends the apostles out on a temporary mission much like we had a seminarian in our parish some past years. The Church is apostolic, founded by Jesus on the apostles. "Apostolic" means we go all the way back to the apostles. The bishop who ordained me a priest, Bishop Peter, was ordained a bishop by Pope John Paul II in 1994, who was ordained a bishop by Archbishop Baziak in 1958, who was ordained a bishop by Bishop Twardowski in 1919, who was ordained a bishop by Bishop Bilczewski in 1901 and so on. We are apostolic because through the sacrament of Holy Orders in which bishops and priests are ordained, we go back to the apostles in an unbroken line. Bishops are ordained bishops in the sacrament of holy orders, and they ordain priests in the sacrament of holy orders and from priests we receive all the other sacraments. So, everything is channeled to us from the time of the apostles through one sacrament, the sacrament of Holy Orders.

"Apostolic" also means we share the same faith going back to the apostles. We are in communion with one another and with all Catholics of past times because we share the same faith. We entered the enormous family of the Church when we were baptized and the promise of being a priestly people was fulfilled in us. Jesus, our brother in this largest of families, has proved his love for us: "But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us. (Rom 5:8)"

God bless, Fr. Jey

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays ~ 5 PM Sundays ~ 8 AM &10 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

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays ~ 4 PM—4:45 PM & Following 1st Saturday 8 AM Mass

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

First Fridays following 8 AM Mass Benediction at 4:00 PM All other Fridays beginning at 3:00 PM Benediction at 4:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of April 14, 2024

Sat.	Apr. 13	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of Don Vinopal
Sun.	Apr. 14	8:00 AM	For the repose of the souls of Don & Mary Ann Strack
		10:00 AM	For our Parishioners
Tues	Apr. 16	5:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Wayne Butz
Wed.	Apr. 17	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary Buttner
	٨	6:15 PM Members of the	For the Living & Deceased Leander & Odessa Buttner Family
Thu.	Apr. 18	8:00 AM	For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
Fri.	Apr. 19	8:00 AM	For the repose of the souls of Larry & JoAnne Wright
		10:30 AM	FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME For the repose of the soul of Elaine Garrigan
Sat.	Apr. 20	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of Marv Mullenberg
Sun.	Apr. 21	8:00 AM	For our Parishioners
		10:00 AM	For the repose of the souls of Pat & Elaine Garrigan

Pray for the health of Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, Deb Beyer, Diana Hunt, Jessie Norton, Bill Chase, Kiley Hackel, Helen Eucolono, Sid Mead, Becky Fredrickson, Bob W., Therese, Audrey Gillen, Rita Kueppers, Cindy Mueller, George Gabay, Jim Smith, Sadie Ravenscroft, Anne Nancolas, RM, Payton, Veronica, Kathryn Doughty, Patricia, Carl Wier, Carole Hayes, Tillie Schumacher, Bill Eisch, Lori P., Barb Gardner, Patrick Moore, Karen Patton, Therese Severson, Fran Skalak, Tina Moore, Tony Berns, Jeanne Allen, Anna Madden, Steve Connor, Joe Wolf, Phil S., Randy Mullenberg, Janel, Sidney G. Mead Jr., Mary Mead, Mike Miller, Jon B, Joe Slowinski, Bob and Lisa Konitzer, Joy Kelley, Connor Laridaen, Fran Schroeder, Kevin, Jordan P., John Hersil, Marge Bailey, Larry Purvis, Ron & Lisa M., Nick & Megan Pope Family, Diane & Bill Brinkley, Jo, Nancy Albreck, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Stanaitis, and Eymard Krupa. The Burzynski Family

Pray for those in the military serving our country: Janie Asberry, Zachary Bader, Bailey Granger, Alex Ericson, Samuel Levandoski and Ethan Jasinski.

Please pray for our First Communicants who will receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time on Sunday, April 28th. Their photos are posted on the bulletin board in the gathering area if you would like to see who you're praying for!

Father Jey is extending an invitation for you to have your home blessed during the Easter season. He is available Wednesday - Friday 1PM - 8PM. Please call the Rectory 608-747-2681 to schedule a time to have your home blessed.

If you have an "Operation Rice Bowl" yet, we kindly ask that you return them by April 17th. You can put them in the collection baskets or bring them to the rectory. Thank you for your generosity.

Stewardship Corner ~ April 6th & 7th, 2024 (492 Registered Families)

**	WKLY BUDGETED GIVING	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$8,653.85	\$ 5,531.00
Easter Envelopes		\$ 245.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 3,174.00
Children's Envelop	es 14.42	\$ 6.00
Loose Offering	480.75	\$ 535.00
Total Weekly Offer	ing: \$ 9,149.02	\$ 9,491.00
Year-to-date* budg	\$384,242.84	
Year-to-date amou	\$341,547.74	

^{*}Fiscal Year July 1, 2023 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.

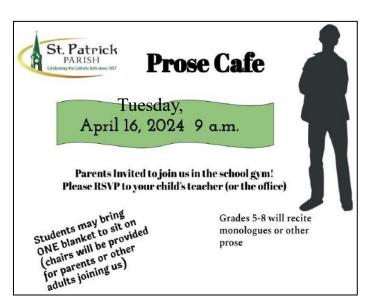
Weekly Calendar						
Tuesday	April 16	3—4 PM	Divine Mercy / Holy Face to Jesus Devotions			
		7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus Mtg.			
Wednesday	/ April 17		Religious Ed Classes			
		6:45 PM	Choir Rehearsal			
Thursday	April 18					
Friday	April 19	10:00 AM 5:30 PM 8:45 AM	Rosary Markers—RH Parish Council Mtg.—RH Friday Folders			

Annual Diocesan Appeal Update

Goal: \$40,685.00
To date our parish has pledged \$ 26,240.00
Our shortfall is \$ 14,445.00
Number of Families Pledging: 82

200 Envelopes Update

127 Envelopes Returned—Total Donated \$10,951.78
Thank you to everyone for your generous gifts! If you have envelopes to return yet, please return them when you are able. Thank you to everyone!



^{**} Budgeted Weekly Giving Amount based on pledges made. We anticipate a total budgeted income deficit of \$ 91,454.00 for this fiscal year.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of April 13th & 14th Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lector: Steve Hesprich
Eucharistic Minister: Rita Hamm

Servers: Ryleigh Vinopal, Ariana Pokorney, Isabella Kolba Musicians: Peg Schmitz, John & Nancy Noga, Terri Walling

Greeters: Danelle & Anita Lubinski

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Tom Schoettler, Jon Field

Gift Bearer: Ann Marie Vinopal Scrip Seller: Kerry Randall Sunday, 8:00 AM Lector: Bridget Gunther

Servers: Cody Komiskey, Carson Demaske, Spencer & Makayla Turpin

Musicians: Cristina Becker

Greeters: Therese & Bridget Gunther, Deb Bires

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, George Treml, Jim Bires, Dave Netzer

Gift Bearers: Bill Strack Scrip Seller: Donna Miller **Sunday, 10:00 AM** Lector: Naome Pouillie

Eucharistic Minister: Gina Boppart

Servers: Brayden, Warrick, Kellen & Liev Housworth

Musicians: Bridget Swanson Greeters: Kris Mazur, Nancy Horabik Ushers: Clinton Pouillie Gift Bearers: Mick & Nancy Horabik

Scrip Seller: Gina Boppart

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of April 20th & 21st Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lector: Jaime Pouillie

Eucharistic Minister: Carrol Kaiser Servers: Gracey, Kord & Kutter Kobylski

Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir

Greeters: Kevin Quist

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Tom Schoettler, Jon Field

Gift Bearer: Jan & Randy Mullenberg

Scrip Seller: Jodi Field **Sunday, 8:00 AM** Lector: Gail Boehm Eucharistic Minister:

Servers: Seth Schwedrsky, Canaan & Vivianna Becker

Musicians: Cristina Becker Greeters: The Becker Family

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, George Treml, Jim Bires, Dave Netzer

Gift Bearers: Robert & Chelsea Turpin

Scrip Seller: Nancy Schaller

Sunday, 10:00 AM Lector: Lisa Pouillie

Eucharistic Minister: Julie Whitney

Servers: Kaden Cook, Corbyn & Hudsyn Sullivan

Musicians: Sharon Kelly Greeters: Bill Thill Ushers: Clinton Pouillie

Gift Bearers: Mike & Chitra Garrigan

Scrip Seller: Kim Walsh

CEMETERY CLEAN-UP will be in late April or early May. Please have all items that you wish to save removed by <u>April 28th.</u> You may put items back out starting Saturday, May 11th.



ST. PATRICK SCHOOL IS NOW ACCEPTING EN-ROLLMENT FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR! If

you are interested in learning more about our school or have school–age children (3K—8th grade) that you would like to enroll for the fall semester, please contact our school principal, Ms. Ross at 608-847-5844 or email toniross@stpatricksmauston.com

St. Patrick Preschool Open House - April 25th from 4 -6 pm. If you have children that will be entering 4K in the fall, please stop by and check out our 4K program and meet our 4K teachers. Tours of our school will be offered and enrollment packets will be available.

St. Patrick School Invention Fair — April 25th from 4
-6 pm. Please stop by the school and see what our students have been up to! We would love to show off our school, the talent of our students, and our wonderful staff! Open to the public!

St. Patrick's Catholic School in Mauston, Wisconsin is seeking a motivated teacher for our 3K program to begin the 2024 - 2025 school year. Our mission is to foster a Catholic identity, maintaining high academic standards for 3K through 8th grade students while collaborating with families of all faiths by forming courageous disciples equipped to serve. Successful candidates will bring the following qualities and attributes:

- A bachelor's degree in early childhood education
- Effective classroom management and knowledge of best teaching practices
- Trust builder with students, staff, parents, and the community
- Collaborative and willing to learn/explore new things
- Applicants of the Catholic faith are given preference

Candidates may apply by sending your resume, letters of recommendation, a copy of your current teaching license and a copy of your transcripts to Ms. Ross at St. Patrick School, 325 Mansion St., Mauston WI 53948 or email toniross@stpatricksmauston.com

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WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

We are so glad that you have chosen this place of worship to honor the Lord's name with us. If you are new to this church or just visiting, we would like to thank you for worshiping with us and we warmly welcome you to St. Patrick's as our brothers and our sisters. If you would like more information about St. Patrick's in general or would like to join our parish, please check out our website: stpatricksmauston.com or give our rectory office a call.

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