

May 12, 2019 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

FROM OUR PASTOR

As we saw in last week's bulletin, there are many events coming up in the next few weeks. Facebook and our google calendar are good ways to keep track of all that is going on.

Some of the events are receiving a sacrament. We had a wonderful day for First Communion. All the second graders were very excited and ready to receive Jesus for the first time. The weather cooperated for the families too.

We have a wedding coming up in the month of May. In just a week or so our Confirmation candidates will be receiving the Holy Spirit in the sacrament of Confirmation.

With all these sacraments being celebrated, it is good for us to reflect on how do I live them out? The sacraments are a part of the ebb and flow of our parish life. Each Sunday we celebrate the Holy Eucharist. Each Saturday the sacrament of Reconciliation is offered. I have been to homes and the hospital to anoint different people.

Sacraments are a means of grace. They bring us the life of God. They are a gift given and designed by God for our good according to His plan for our salvation. All of this is Good News. Like any good news, we want to share it. It fills us with excitement.

Is that the way with the sacraments? Do we share them as good news? Do we mention as part of what we did this past weekend was going to Mass as a family? Do we remind people that God's mercy is there for them in the sacrament of penance? And how, when we last went, it was a load off of our shoulders?

We are only too happy to share on Yelp what a great new restaurant we found or post a great meal on Facebook. Yet how do we describe going to Mass where the Lord Jesus Himself is the meal!! We gather at our home as family and tell many of the same stories even though we know how they turned out. How familiar are we with the family of faith stories we have in the scriptures?

We often put off going to the doctors because we know what they are going to tell us. Many also put off getting or asking for the Anointing of the Sick. Many know that it is a good thing, but... Some still have the sense of the old name it once had, Extreme Unction. The sense and name changed during the Second Vatican Council, over 55 years ago. We may be good at getting updates on our phones but not so good about keeping ourselves up to date or growing and maturing in the faith.

The Second Vatican Council spoke of a disconnect between our life of faith and living in the world. Jesus spoke of living in the world but not being a part of the world. That can be a challenge. There are many good things that the world offers. But we are not to settle for them. They are to be seen as gifts that get us to the true and lasting Good News that we want to share. May we not be too busy this time of year to open ourselves to the grace and life our Risen Lord offers in moment of celebration, especially through the sacraments.

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 May 12, 2019

Sat. May 11	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of Louis Varga		
Sun. May 12	8:00 AM	8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of Henry Janecek		
	10:00 AM For our Parishioners			
Tue. May 14	5:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Eugene Hersil		
Wed. May 15	8:00 AM	For Sarah Bires		
	2:00 PM	FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME For the repose of the soul of <i>Bill Leipart</i>		
Thu. May 16	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Jack Koca		
Fri. May 17	8:00 AM	For Jim & Debbie Bires		
Sat. May 18	5:00 PM	For the repose of the souls of Leo & Natalie Steiner		
Sun. May 19	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Don Strack		
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, Karen Caple, Lis, Joe Dolphin, Mary Ann Witcraft, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, 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, Harold Smith, Caroline Christopher, the Johnston Family, Freddie Dziewior, Ralph Hamm, Millie Hovde, Bill Eisch, Mary Lechleiter and Bernadine Seitz.

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.

Knights of Columbus Meeting—Tuesday, May 21st at 7 PM in Reardon Hall. All men are invited to be a part of the Knights of Columbus.

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.

Stewardship Corner ~ May 4th—5th, 2019 (536 Registered Families)

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Adult Envelopes	\$ 9,090.82	\$ 5,	838.00
Easter Envelopes		\$	70.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 2,	000.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$	4.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$	673.80
Total Weekly Offering:	\$ 9,715.81	\$ 8,	585.80
Budget Contingency Fund			77.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement \$ 434,211. Year-to-date amount contributed \$ 411,783.			

*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

	Weekly Galeridan					
	Monday	May 13	2:00 PM	Holy Hour		
	Tuesday		6:00 PM	AFF		
	Wednesday	May 15		RELIGIOUS ED CLASS		
				FOR CONFIRAMTION II		
	Thursday	May 16	10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH		
			6:00 PM	Parish Council Mtg.		
	Friday	May 17	8:45 AM	Friday Folders		
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BANNS OF MARRIAGE

May 18 Nicolle Granger & Matthew Powell



Diocesan Annual Appeal - Endurance in Hope

Our parish goal for this year is \$37,390.00
Pledged to date: \$33,630.00
102 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.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 11th & 12th

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba

Extraordinary Ministers: Dorothy Gorski

Servers: Elliot Thayer, Landynn Miller, Sena Vinopal Greeters: Joan Potter, Marge Tremain, Donna Bollig

Musicians: Ann Benz, Shari Sarazin

Gift Bearers: Brigitte Varga & Irene Klingemann

Scrip Seller: Kerry Randall

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner,

Fran Lunenschloss

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Bridget Gunther, Mary Ann Strack

Servers: Christopher Fry, Carson Demaske, Brie Eckerman

Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Carol Gross Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman Gift Bearers: Mary Ann Strack & Family

Scrip Seller: Bobbi Eckerman

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Treml,

Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie, Sue Hollenbeck Extraordinary Ministers: Mary Beth Crowley

Servers: Justina Jakacki, Jasper Walsh, Ellie Pouillie

Greeters: Kris Mazur, Bill Thill Musicians: Ann Benz, Bill Ryan Gift Bearers: JK & Kim Walsh Scrip Seller: Kim Walsh

Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,

Greg Cowan

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Harry & Shirley Buttner

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 18th & 19th Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Roxanne Shragal

Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Hamm

Servers: Braden Heath, Aedyn & Owen Lubinski Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker, Dusting Ryberg

Musicians: Peg Schmitz

Gift Bearers: The Steiner Family Scrip Seller: Tammy Heath

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner,

Fran Lunenschloss

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Mary Ann Strack

Servers: Noah Fry, Emma Éilers, Cody Komiskey

Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary Gift Bearers: Mary Ann Strack Scrip Seller: Michelle Komiskey

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Treml,

Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Olivia Lulich Extraordinary Ministers: Sue Hollenbeck Servers: Jackson Whitney, Brayden Housworth,

Channing Sonnenberg

Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray

Musicians: Ann Benz, Bill Ryan Gift Bearers: Julie & Kevin Whitney

Scrip Seller: Julie Whitney

Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,

Greg Cowan

10:00 AM Nursing Home Service:

Deacon Juan Delgado

Sunday, May 19th—St. James Catholic Church, Camp Douglas ~ Annual Chicken Dinner. Serving from 11 AM until 1 PM. 1/2 chicken dinner ~ \$11.00 / 1/4 chicken dinner ~ \$8.00. Dinner includes homemade potato salad, baked beans, cranberry relish or applesauce, roll & dessert. Carry-outs available.

New Scrip Merchant—The Dirty Turtle will now accept local Scrip and give us 10%. Planning a party at / on the Turtle? Stop at the rectory to pick up Scrip to pay for your 'fun'.

And don't forget our other merchants who accept Local Scrip: Gas and Go, Castle Rock Golf Course, Culver's of Mauston, Eagle Promotion, Hammond Auto, J & S Liquor, Kudick Chev-Buick, Mauston True Value, Miller's Store in Lyndon Station, Northside Mobil, Null's Quik Lube, MBMC Phillip's Pharmacy, Ray's Shoes, Rudig Jensen Ford, WRJC Shopping Show

NEW HYMNALS! We will be replacing them in the very near future. The cost is approximately \$25.00 per hymnal. If you are interested in helping out with the cost, we will gladly accept your donation. Please mark your check or envelope "Hymnal Donation". Thank you!

World Day of Prayer is observed on this Sunday, May 12. This day also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publically fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes.

ON LINE GIVNG—If you have not tried on-line giving, please check it out! It's safe, secure and simple! You can find the link on our website: stpatricksmauston.com

Formed ~ Pick of the Week

Happy Mother's Day, all! Celebrate the women in your life or yourself by listening to this week's FORMED Pick on the feminine genius. Discover a new appreciation for the uniqueness of the nature and vocation of women and be inspired by the irreplaceable genius women bring to the world.

This week, go to <u>formed.org</u> and listen to the talk, *Feminine Genius*.

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.diolc.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 Tom Skemp, Victim Assistance Coordinator at 608-792-9684.