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THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

FROM OUR PASTOR

Welcome to May! This weather is more like it. May is also known to be filled with many activities as we are getting closer to the end of the school year and events at the parish. The PCCW has new officers after their banquet. I was down to La Crosse for a Dean's meeting. The school went to Mirror Lake for Walk for Virtues. Plus many of the classes have gone on spring field trips. Confirmation is coming up here at St. Patrick as we will host the neighboring parishes.

I believe the Diocese thought that Sam did well here and that St. Patrick is a good place for seminarians. I received a phone call concerning summer assignments. They asked if we could host a seminarian for the summer. I did agree and we will be having Steven Weller. He is a theologian and will be sending more about himself to me so that I can put it in the bulletin before he comes on May 22. Keep all the seminarians in prayer as they begin summer assignments or continuing formation. I am happy to think that the diocese believes we can be a positive part of their formation journey.

I hope last week end having Msgr. Hundt with us allowed you to put a name and face to the Judicial Vicar of the diocese. He there to assist couples with their cases, so if you have been wondering what to do about an annulment; that this past weekend was helpful. If you want to start your case or have some more questions, feel free to stop in at my office to talk about the details.

May is also the month of Mary. May crowning, which we did as a school, for the statue of Mary up front in church is something you can do in your own homes. The Rosary is always a great devotion, so keep that up or start it, if it is not a regular part of your prayer. I was reminded "saints and doctors of the Church assure us that the worth of one Hail Mary devoutly said is incalculable before God and that is because the Hail Mary is the prayer that issued in our Savior and our salvation." I also heard in a talk (on FORMED) that St. Maria Goretti made a promise to say three Hail Mary's each day for purity. Our society and families can use grace and purity in these days. So why not start and offer your three hail Mary's each day.

Father John

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Mass Intentions for the week of May 13, 2018

Sat. May 12 5:00 PM For our Parishioners

Sun. May 13 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Henry Janecek

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Jeff Schwab

Tue. May 15 5:30 PM For the repose of the soul of
Louis Varga

Wed. May 16 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Jeff Schwab

2:00 PM FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME
For the repose of the souls of
Andrew & Marie Lobenstein

Thu. May 17 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Jack Koca

Fri. May 18 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Mike Gorski

Sat. May 19 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of
Phillis Burns

Sun. May 20 8:00 AM For the repose of the souls of
Laverne & Rose Schaller

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, Mary Ann Witcraft, Denise Dean, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucono, 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, Kathryn Doughty, Lavonne Kuwitzky, Patricia, John Sustar, Eric Erskine, the Moore Family, JM, Bernard Ryczek, Betty Spaulding and Carl Wier.

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.

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.

Are you willing to sponsor one of the large flower pots that decorate the front of the church for the summer? The cost is \$45.00 per pot. Please contact the rectory if you are interested.

Stewardship Corner ~ May 5th & 6th, 2018
(545 Registered Families)

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$10,774.46	\$ 7,979.50
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,455.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 28.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 450.00
Total Weekly Offering:	\$11,399.45	\$ 9,912.50
Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 0.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$ 512,975.25
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$ 452,048.17

*Fiscal Year July 1, 2017 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 May 14 2:00 PM Holy Hour

Tuesday May 15 1:00 PM Adult Bible Study—
Rectory

7:00 PM KC's Meeting—RH

Thursday May 17 11—1 Rosary Makers ~
Lyndon Station

5:00 PM Adult Bible Study—
Rectory

7:00 PM Confirmation

Friday May 18 8:45 AM Friday Folders

Attention Men—The May Knights of Columbus meeting is Tuesday, May 15th at 7 PM in Reardon hall.

Please join us to thank and honor a colleague, leader, friend, visionary, mentor and teacher.. Mary Beth Crowley on Wednesday May 23rd at the 8 AM Mass. Reception to follow in Reardon Hall.

As another school year comes to a close, we would like to remind everyone that if you are changing your address (moving to college or moving from college, etc.) please let us know what your new address will be. We would like to keep as current as possible. Thank you!

FORMED....Pick of the Week

This Mother's Day, empower the mothers and women in your life with this week's FORMED Pick of the Week. We rarely hear the word "feminine" used in a positive light today, but in a refreshing Lighthouse Talk, Colleen Carroll Campbell offers an empowering Christian understanding of the nature and vocation of woman as she unpacks what Saint John Paul II termed "the feminine genius." This week, go to formed.org and listen to Feminine Genius.

FORMED is for the WHOLE family. Register at stpatricks-mauston.formed.org. You can also download an app for your Android or I-phone from your Play Store. Take some time to check it out!

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 12th & 13th
Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Grace Footit
Extraordinary Ministers: David Hoffmann
Servers: Elliot Thayer, Aedyn Lubinski, Sena Vinopal
Greeters: Donna Bollig, Monica Niles
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Jacob & Carla Brunner
Gift Bearers: Frank & Laura Vinopal
Scrip Seller: Donna Miller
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Gerald Gardner, Bill Powers,
Fran Lunenschloss

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Mary Ann Strack
Servers: Dylan Demaske, Brie Eckerman, Ray Gruman
Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore, Geri Shore
Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman
Gift Bearers: Mary Ann Strack & Family
Scrip Seller: Bobbi Eckerman
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,
Arnie Penzkover

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Howard Boppart
Extraordinary Ministers: Gina Boppart
Servers: Naome Pouillie, Carter Scully, Jackson Whitney
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians: Ann Benz, Bill Ryan
Gift Bearers: Lorraine Schwab & Family
Scrip Seller: Julie Whitney
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,
Greg Cowan

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Harry & Shirley Buttner

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 19th & 20th
Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Grace Footit
Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Hamm
Servers: Zach, Annah, & Logan Lund
Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker
Musicians: Ann Benz, Haley Heath
Gift Bearers: Dan & Patty Schluter
Scrip Seller: Erin Lund
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Gerald Gardner, Bill Powers,
Fran Lunenschloss

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Nora Scully, Veronica Sustar
Servers: Matthew Gunther, Noah Fry, Cody Komiskey
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Carol Gross, Dee Powers
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary
Gift Bearers: Paul & Nancy Schaller
Scrip Seller: Michelle Komiskey
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,
Arnie Penzkover

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie, Bill Curran
Extraordinary Ministers: Joelle Curran
Servers: Alexis & Christian Brow, Grace Peil
Greeters: Kris & Janina Mazur, Bill Thill
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Terri Walling
Gift Bearers: Christian & Candi Brow
Scrip Seller: Diane Kocyan
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,
Greg Cowan

2:00 PM Nursing Home Service:

Deacon Juan Delgado

Thank you to all that were able to make it to the farewell pancake breakfast for Sam. He has been a blessing for our St. Pat's community and we were fortunate to be able to have him with us. Also a thank you to those who donated to the Vocations program of the LaCrosse Diocese with over \$500 collected. Good luck Sam!

Sunday, May 20th—St. James Catholic Church, Camp Douglas ~ Annual Chicken Dinner. Serving from 11 AM until 1 PM. 1/2 chicken dinner ~ \$10.00 / 1/4 chicken dinner ~ \$7.00. Dinner includes homemade potato salad, baked beans, cranberry relish or applesauce, roll & dessert. Carry-outs available.

Congratulations to Jeff Scully who won \$500 in the statewide Knights of Columbus Charity Raffle. He is the second winner from St. Patrick's!

Come, Follow Days - June 12-13, 2018 ~ Young girls ages 9-13 are invited to Mater Redemptoris House of Formation in La Crosse! Come spend time with the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George learning more about your faith. You will enjoy prayer, food, fun activities and more! For more information and registration, please visit www.materredemptoris.org or contact Sister M. Consolata at materredemptoris@gmail.com or call 608-788-4530. Registration is open until filled with 30 girls.

Thank you to our amazing Catechists!! - With over a 100 hours volunteered in classroom time alone, our Religious Education program would not have been successful without our Catechists help and support. Thank you so much to those who dedicated their time and gifts of sharing our Catholic faith with our Parish in this 2017/2018 year! Connie Walhovd ~1st, Ann Benz ~2nd, Cassandra Thayer ~ 3rd & Confirmation, Michelle Komiskey ~4th & 5th, Sam McCarty ~6th, Therese Gunther ~7th & 8th, Gina Boppart ~9th, Cynthia Bomber ~ RCIA, Dorothy Gorski ~ RCIA and of course Father who made it into at least a couple of classrooms per week.

Our children, youth and adults are depending on passionate Catholics to form them in the faith. If you think God is nudging you to serve in this very rewarding ministry please contact Cassandra @ 608-847-6054 to discuss.

ANOINTED - June 4-12, 2018 ~ Are you a high school girl looking for something to renew your faith? Are you interested in learning what it's like to live as a religious Sister? If you are 14-18 years old, we have a week planned for you! Come join the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George at Mater Redemptoris House of Formation! The week includes daily Mass, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, recreation with the Sisters and time spent serving others. You will also have time for individual meetings with the Sisters and instruction in topics related to prayer and the religious life. For more information and registration please contact Sister M. Consolata at materredemptoris@gmail.com or 608-788-4530 or visit www.materredemptoris.org

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL
Our goal for this year is \$39,810.00
Pledged to date: \$36,595.00
142 families have pledged

THANK YOU!!

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.