



**May 19, 2019**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**FROM OUR PASTOR**

Eternal rest grant unto him/ her, O Lord.  
--And let perpetual light shine upon him/her.

May he/she rest in peace.  
--Amen.

May his/her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.  
--Amen.

Unfortunately, these words have been spoken a great deal by our parish lately. Our hearts and prayers go out to all the families and friends who mourn the death of their loved one.

“The Church through its funeral rites commends the dead to God’s merciful love and pleads for the forgiveness of sins. At the funeral rites, especially at the celebration of the Eucharistic sacrifice, the Christian community affirms and expresses the union of the Church on earth with the Church in heaven in the one great communion of saints. Though separated from the living, the dead are still at one with the community of believers on earth and benefit from their prayers and intercession. At the rite of final commendation and farewell, the community acknowledges the reality of separation and commends the deceased to God. In this way it recognizes the spiritual bond that still exists between the living and the dead and proclaims its belief that all the faithful will be raised and reunited in the new heavens and a new earth, where death will be no more.” Order of Christian Funerals #6

A powerful statement of faith. A statement filled with hope. The world deals only in the things that it can measure. But hope, trust, love, or heartache and loss are not things that can be measured by the world and so it wants you to move on. We are not machines. Broken hearts are not just replaced and relationships are more real than something that can be measured.

So perhaps in the Easter season we can open our hearts a little more to the grace God gives us. Then strengthened by the Holy Spirit we reach out to those who are hurting, those who are feeling the loss of a loved one or suffering in some other way. It is not only death that can cause heartache. So often we can put on a smiley face and say that we are fine. Perhaps, as I hear so often from older people, that they don’t want to be a burden. They don’t want to bother anyone. Or for some it is the sense that they wouldn’t understand if I told them.

Jesus is the Divine Physician. It is by His precious Blood that we are healed. Some of that healing happens here, slowly or miraculously. Some of the healing may come when we are raised to eternal life.

The Easter message is one of hope, of trust, that in Jesus we find the peace the world can not give and the mercy and healing that our hearts and lives long for. May the Easter season be a time of hope and healing to all because He is risen, Alleluia, Alleluia

*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 19, 2019**

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

Tue. May 21 **NO MASS**

Wed. May 22 8:00 AM For *Katelyn Kaminsky*

Thu. May 23 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Phillis Burns*

Fri. May 24 8:00 AM For the repose of the souls of  
*Andrew & Marie Lobenstein*

Sat. May 25 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Richard Pfeifer*

Sun. May 26 8:00 AM For our Parishioners

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Shannon Bishop DeVee*

**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 Kika-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.

**MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 8:00 AM ON MONDAY, MAY 27TH (MEMORIAL DAY) HERE AT ST. PATRICK CHURCH.**

**There will be a Memorial Day Service at St. Patrick Cemetery at 11 AM on Monday, May 27th.** Let us remember those who have sacrificed to keep us safe.

**Stewardship Corner ~ May 11th-12th, 2019**  
**(536 Registered Families)**

|                                  | <b>WKLY BUDGETED</b> | <b>ACTUAL</b>      |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Adult Envelopes                  | \$ 9,090.82          | \$ 8,205.00        |
| On-Line Giving                   |                      | \$ 1,110.00        |
| Children's Envelopes             | 28.84                | \$ 17.00           |
| Loose Offering                   | 596.15               | \$ 725.25          |
| <b>Total Weekly Offering:</b>    | <b>\$ 9,715.81</b>   | <b>\$10,057.25</b> |
| Budget Contingency Fund          |                      | \$ 206.00          |
| Year-to-date* budget requirement |                      | \$ 443,927.26      |
| Year-to-date amount contributed  |                      | \$ 421,840.58      |

\*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 May 20 2:00 PM Holy Hour  
 Tuesday May 21 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Mtg.  
 Thursday May 23 10:30—1 Rosary Makers - RH  
 Friday May 24 8:45 AM Friday Folders

**Congratulations to Nicolle Granger and Matthew Powell** who were married this weekend. Let us pray for them as they begin their married life. May God bless you, Matt and Nicolle!

**Eternal Rest, Grant Unto Them, O Lord.** We offer our prayers and condolences to the families and friends of Marcella "Judy" Prengel, John Modjeski, Francis McCoy and Greg Cowan who passed away this week. May perpetual light shine upon them.

**Congratulations to our Religious Education students** who will be confirmed this Tuesday, May 21st at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Necedah. Let us offer our prayers and congratulations to these young people on this very special day.

**PCCW Meeting—Attention Ladies!** The June PCCW Meeting will be Thursday, **June 6th** following the 8 AM Mass. Please plan to attend.

**Our Building & Grounds Committee** is looking for a secretary to serve on their committee. If you are interested, please talk to Father John or call the rectory office.

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

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

**Our parish goal for this year is \$37,390.00**  
**Pledged to date: \$34,040.00**  
**103 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 18th & 19th**

**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Roxanne Shragal  
Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Hamm  
Servers: Braden Heath, Aedyn & Owen Lubinski  
Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker, Dustin Ryberg  
Musicians: Peg Schmitz  
Gift Bearers:  
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 Eilers, 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 Tremel,  
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,

**10:00 AM Nursing Home Service:**

Deacon Juan Delgado

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 25th & 26th**

**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba  
Extraordinary Ministers: Roxanne Shragal  
Servers: Gracey and Karter Kobylski, Zach Lund  
Greeters: Monica Niles, Donna Bollig  
Musicians: Peg Schmitz  
Gift Bearers: Dave & Sue Bosgraaf  
Scrip Seller: Erin Lund  
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner,  
Fran Lunenschloss

**Sunday, 8:00 AM**

Lectors: Larry Moore, Mary Ann Strack  
Servers: Eli Schanke, Matthew Gunther, Jacob Barnes  
Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey  
Musicians: Ann Benz, Haley Heath  
Gift Bearers: The Schanke Family  
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther  
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,  
Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

**Sunday, 10:00 AM**

Lectors: Bill Curran  
Extraordinary Ministers: Joelle Curran  
Servers: Johann Wolf, Eli Boppert, Hudson Randall  
Greeters: Kris Mazur, Bill Thill  
Musicians: Ann Benz, Naomi Pouillie  
Gift Bearers: Sue & Fred Hollenbeck  
Scrip Seller: Gina Boppert  
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,

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

Marcia Jakubik & Bonnie Duffy

**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.

**Please mark your calendars.** There will be a one hour Pro-Life prayer vigil on Friday, June 7th from 7—8 PM on Hwy 82 (Gateway Avenue) in front of the Mid-Town Plaza. Signs will be available that evening. Please come and silently pray for the unborn.

**The Fall Festival is just around the corner—September 8th!** Raffle tickets are now available. They are located near the entrances of church and on the rectory porch. Please help out with our biggest fundraiser of the year by taking a few books to sell. Price is the same as last year—\$10 each or 3 for \$20.

**St. Patrick Parish is looking for a part-time Communications Person.** If you are interested or would like to know more about the position, please contact Father John.

**St. Anthony Spirituality Center in Marathon, WI, is hiring a full-time Retreat Coordinator.** The Retreat Coordinator is responsible for ensuring that a wide variety of high-quality, spiritually enriching retreats, workshops, liturgies, and other appropriate events are available throughout the year to St. Anthony's guests, staff, volunteers, and residents. For more information or to begin the application process, please contact Dr. Lori Randall, Center Director, at [lrاندall@sarcenter.com](mailto:lrاندall@sarcenter.com) or 715-443-2236 xt 114.

**Formed ~ Pick of the Week**

In this week's FORMED Pick, join the adventure of legendary warrior and saint, Joan of Arc, who, at seventeen, led one of the greatest military campaigns for freedom the world has ever witnessed. This week, go to [formed.org](http://formed.org) and watch *Joan of Arc*.

**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 and contact information will be. We would like to keep as current as possible. Thank you!

**Coming June 1—St. Patrick Parish Suggestion Box—Have a suggestion? Share it with us!** Each month's suggestions and questions from the St. Patrick Parish Suggestion Box (located in the Gathering Area) will be compiled. Forms will be available by the Suggestion Box or you can email your suggestions / questions to [stpatrickparish-mauston@gmail.com](mailto:stpatrickparish-mauston@gmail.com).

The suggestions and questions will be broken down into five main categories: Operational, Facilities and Space Related, Liturgical, Pastoral and School. Father John, in collaboration with the Parish Council will provide the replies. We want to thank you, the parishioners of St. Patrick Parish, for all your suggestions and questions.

**ON LINE GIVING**—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: [stpatrickσμαuston.com](http://stpatrickσμαuston.com)

**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.