

June 28, 2020 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR

With school out in the middle of March, I am not sure when summer vacation actually began for some of our families. Learning at home with working families and wondering if I am smarter than a 5th grader when it comes to math! (or perhaps any subject). So maybe now you can take a deep breath for a moment and look ahead since June is about over, what are your plans for July and August?

One of the things I am hoping to plan for is having the 8 am Mass on Sunday back in place. For that to happen we need volunteers to read, usher and clean after the Mass and have things ready for the 10 am Mass. Having a team in place is one of the requirements the Bishop is expecting of us to be open on Sundays for our Masses. We want everyone to celebrate and pray well without undue concern about their safety. So to do our part we people who are under 65 and not in any of the vulnerable groups who can help. Those who are ushering do need to wear masks during the times they are helping fellow parishioners.

Also looking ahead to July 5th. That is the day that Fr. Sam McCarty will be here to offer a Mass of thanksgiving. Wow, where did that time go? Perhaps you saw the officials of the diocese of La Crosse and saw that he will begin his assignment on July 30th at Queen of the Apostles in Tomah. His month of July is packed with a number of events with family and friends, moving to Tomah and beginning his ministry as a priest. So a lot going on for him. With that in mind Fr. Sam is talking about coming back in the Fall some time to offer Mass again with the school children which I am hoping would also be open to anyone. But I think we keep in mind what has been happening to any of our plans when we are dealing with the coronavirus.

Looking closer on the calendar to June 30, we are hoping to have a Holy Happy Hour in person at 6:30 pm at State Street Tap. For those of you who are comfortable with gathering or want to get out we look forward to seeing you.

We are looking forward to celebrating Confirmation on July 7th for our candidates. It will be a little different since the Bishop is not coming. I as the Dean will have the confirmation that night. And like on Sunday we will be dealing with the appropriate requirements for the Mass that night. I do ask that you pray for our candidates who have been waiting since getting the news in April that their date in May was cancelled. Pray also for their sponsors, time together or opportunities to practice the faith and service to others has been difficult to arrange with their candidate during this time.

So some positive things to look forward to happening and being a part of that we can be thankful for. So keep smiling.

--What is the difference between a tube and a foolish Dutchman? One is a hollow cylinder, and the other is a silly Hollander.

--How did the barber win the race? He took a short cut.

--Why can't brunettes tease their hair? Because it's not funny.

--Why should you be nice to your dentist? Because they have fillings, too.

--What kind of pets do the members of the marching band have? Trum-pets.

Father John

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Our church will be open everyday 8:00 AM—6:00 PM for individuals who wish to spend time in prayer. Please be respectful of each other and maintain a safe distance.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays ~ 5 PM Sundays ~ 10 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Celebrated Privately

DAILY ROSARY Cancelled

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays ~ 4 PM-4:45 PM

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

Fridays ~ 3 PM—4 PM Benediction at 4 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of June 28, 2020

Sat. June 27	5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of LaVonne Kuwitzky
Sun. June 28	10:00 AM For our Parishioners
Mon. June 29	For the repose of the souls of Andrew & Marie Lobenstein
Tue. June 30	For the repose of the soul of Dennis Schmocker
Wed. July 1	For the repose of the soul of <i>Mike Gorski</i>
Thu. July 2	For the repose of the soul of <i>Ernie Modjeski</i>
Fri. July 3	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Infant Jesus of Prague Circle
Sat. July 4	For the repose of the soul of John Sustar
	5:00 PM For our Parishioners
Sun. July 5	10:00 AM For the repose of the souls of Mildred & Frances Kmiecik

Pray for the health of Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Rosemary Lehnen, Patrick Lewis, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, William Roberts, 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, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Sid Mead, Steve, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Sally Haas, Bob W., Therese, Mary Sauer, Pete Ruland, 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, Eric Erskine, the Moore Family, JM, Carl Wier, Carole Hayes, Tillie Schumacher, Fran Watry, Harold Smith, Caroline Christopher, the Johnston Family, Ralph Hamm, Millie Hovde, Bill Eisch, Mary Lechleiter, Bernadine Seitz, Dave Lewis, and Marie Boehm.

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, Zachary Bader, Will Post and Adam Field.

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.

This Friday is First Friday. We will have adoration from 3–4 pm with benediction at 4 PM.

Father Sam McCarty will be here on Sunday, July 5th for the 10 AM Mass. Please plan to join Fr. Sam as he celebrates Mass with us.

<u>Stewardship Corner ~ June 20 & 21, 2020</u> (530 Registered Families)

WKLY	BUDGETED	AC	TUAL	
Adult Envelopes	\$10,776.27	\$2,	869.00	
On-Line Giving		1,	562.77	
Children's Envelopes	19.23		6.00	
Loose Offering	596.15		118.00	
Total Weekly Offering:	\$11,391.65	\$4,	555.77	
Budget Contingency Fund			65.00	
Year-to-date* budget requirement Year-to-date amount contributed			6,974.04 6,342.09	
*Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 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.

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PICK OF THE WEEK: SAINT PETER (Parental Guidance Recommended) As a dedicated follower of Christ, Peter spreads the message of the Gospel across the land. As the tension between Christians and Romans grows throughout the film, Peter and Paul meet and join together in preaching about Christ.

You can watch with your free parish subscription by simply selecting our parish's name during registration at <u>formed.org/signup.</u>

We are hoping to be able to add the 8:00 AM Mass back to our Sunday Mass schedule in July. In order to do that, we will need additional volunteers for readers, ushers and to help with cleaning after Mass. If you would like to volunteer to help and are not in one of the vulnerable categories, please contact Gina Boppart or Rae Ryan or give the rectory a call.

E-MAIL ADDRESSES: If you have an email address that you would like to share with the rectory, please let us know and we'll add you to our "Parishioner E-Mail List" so that we can keep you up-to-date with the happenings in the parish and school. Also, if you have disconnected your land line recently, please call the rectory and let us know your cell number. Thank you!

Fall Festival 2020—Sunday, September 13th. (Mark your calendars.)

200 Envelopes Fundraiser Total Collected—\$9,580,00

We still have envelopes left on the bulletin board in the gathering area! The money raised this year will be used toward the Gym Roof Replacement Project at the school in July. The cost of this project is \$84,000. We have already raised over \$31,000 (including the 200 Envelopes donations, donations from the Gala and Hunters' Night Out Committees and other generous donations) toward the cost. We are grateful for any help that you can provide. Thank you for supporting our parish and school!

diolc.org/year-of-st-joseph



The Importance of St. Joseph ~ God the Father chose Joseph, from among all men, to take care of and nurture Jesus – the Son of God!

During our diocesan Year of St. Joseph, we want to grow in understanding the importance of Joseph in our own lives as spiritual father. One significant way is to undertake a 33-day consecration, which involves 15 minutes of compelling reading about St. Joseph during those days. This is available in a new book entitled **Consecration to St. Joseph: The Won-**

ders of Our Spiritual Father, by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC.

If you are interested in forming a parish group to embark on this initiative, visit <u>consecrationtostjoseph.org</u> for information and to purchase a book and speak with your pastor. For further assistance, you can also contact diocesan curia staff members Ann Lankford <u>alankford@diolc.org</u> or Christopher Ruff <u>cruff@diolc.org</u>.

Holy Happy Hour—Tuesday, June 30th at 6:30 PM at State Street Tap.

Attention Building & Grounds Committee Members: The Building & Grounds Committee will be meeting Wednesday, July 1st at 6:30 PM in Reardon Hall. Please plan to attend.

Please mark your calendars! Everyone is invited to come to St. Patrick's on Friday evening, **July 17th at 5:30 PM** for our summer parish picnic. Food, libations, music and socializing. We are planning to have this event on the church lawn following the necessary guidelines to help ensure your health and safety. Hope to see you there!

Fall Festival Raffle—We will still be holding our Fall Festival Raffle. However, we have scaled it back. Prizes will be smaller this year and ticket prices are \$5.00 each. We have tickets available for each family to pick up in the church gathering area. There is a labeled envelope for each family which contains 2 books of tickets (each book is 6 tickets). Please pick up your family's envelope. If you would like more tickets, we will have them available on the rectory porch or you may call the rectory office and we will get more out to you. You can return your ticket stubs and money to the rectory office, put them in the collection boxes in church or mail them back to the rectory.

SCRIP

WE WILL NOT BE SELLING SCRIP AT WEEKEND MASSES FOR THE TIME BEING. HOWEVER, SCRIP IS AVAILABLE AT THE RECTORY OFFICE . WE ARE IN THE OFFICE MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 8:30 AM UNTIL 4:00 PM. YOU CAN CALL AHEAD TO ORDER OR JUST STOP BY. THANK YOU FOR USING SCRIP TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!



St. Patrick School News

Parents and Grandparents: A new school year begins on September 1st. Our school still has openings in our Pre-K through 8th Grade classes. Please contact the school at 847-5844 or the parish office at 847 -6054 for more information. Give your child or grandchild the special opportunity to grow and develop in St. Patrick's loving environment of academic excellence, personal attention, and Catholic values.

July Anniversaries

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July 7 July 6 July 3 July 8 July 1	8 years 9 years 10 years 11 years 14 years	Katie & Bryce Radl Michael & Sara Fuller Matthew & Laura Schwab Eric & Becky Johnson Bill & Jessica Powers
	15 years	Christian & Candi Brow
July 23		Joe & Renee Bokota
July 12	18 years	
July 14 July 7	19 years 19 years	Tom & Shirley Czys Adam & Jaime Pouillie
July 29	20 years	David & Linda Serrurier
July 25	20 years 22 years	Chris & Bobbi Eckerman
July 11	22 years	James & Chasidy Fischbach
July 13	23 years	Ken & Roxanne Pellegrin
July 7	25 years	Clarence & Karen Fowell
July 29	25 years	Brian & Deb Fox
July 22	25 years	Jack & Lori Hammer
July 23	26 years	Doug & Theresa Tremain
July 24	27 years	Dan & Marlene Rampetsreiter
July 4	33 years	Tom & Donna Vinopal
July 10	38 years	Randy & Sue Fabian
July 31	38 years	John & Cathy Orton
July 31	39 years	Mike & Laura Taake
July 14	41 years	Steve & Jane Powers
July 23	43 years	Rod & Connie Walhovd
July 27	46 years	Jim & Mary Ann Allaby
July 26	46 years	Steve & Bev Vinopal
July 8	48 years	Dave & Sue Bosgraaf
July 25	50 years	Cary & Mary Cattle
July 6	52 years	Tom & Nora Scully
July 2	54 years	Robert & Carole Hayes
July 27	57 years	John & Mary Landuyt
July 15	59 years	John & Virginia Brickl
July 22	59 years	John & Carol Buttner

July Birthdays

July 1	Anna Madden
July 7	Larry Retzlaff
July 8	Bruce Voigt
July 12	Jim Lobenstein
July 19	Joan Struble
July 20	Anne Nancolas
July 21	Vincent Gullo
July 22	Carol Buttner
July 23	Rose Buttner
July 23	Elaine Garrigan
July 26	Ed Kuwitzky

