



July 14, 2019

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR

My time here at Saint Patrick's Parish in Mauston has been a whirlwind. So many things have happened; so many people I have met in my short six weeks. I cannot thank you all enough for the fantastic time I have had here in the Parish. My guess is that many of you wonder what it is that I have done over the course of the summer. Well here is a quick recap for all of you:

I have done many things this summer with various people in the parish. I have worked with the new principal, Karla Reinhardt, and Father John in putting together a technology plan for Saint Patrick's School. I have been a part of a few interviews for new teachers for this up-coming school year. I have worked with Jeri and a handful of other parishioners in mapping and cleaning up Holy Rosary Cemetery. I lead the June Happy Holy hour where we talked about vocations. Father and I joined the youth in the Culvers Share Night. I was able to attend the Spiritual Journaling Session put on by Cynthia Bomber and Cassie Thayer. I was able to shadow Father John in every meeting: Education Committee, Finance Committee, Trust, Building and Grounds, Cemetery Committee, Mauston Area Ministers Association, PCCW, Knights of Columbus, Recruitment Committee, Deanery Meetings, Faith Formation, and Fall Festival Committee. I was the one in charge of putting all the labels into the new Hymnals and then throwing away the old hymnals and putting in the new ones (so if you see any problems in the hymnals, I apologize). I visited the nursing home with Father and Cassie. I did communion runs with Cassie and Therese & Bob Severson. I also participated in the Holy Hours on Fridays.

I have felt as a part of the Saint Patrick's Family the moment I arrived. You have shown me what real love is. The first day I got here, I locked myself out of the Rectory and had to use the white pages to find the address of the secretary, Jennifer, to get a key to enter into the Rectory. The various Vinopals have taken me in as family. Donald and Ann Marie brought me to their house for lunch in style in their Classic Model A car, I was able to find the Bopparts residence, which, by the way, is in the middle of nowhere, for dinner and badminton, the Whitneys invited me to join them boating on the lake and play lake ball and dodge ball with the soccer team, I was able to join the Thayers for dinner and cards, and I was able to go golfing with Paul Schaller and Ann Benz. I joined the teacher's for their end of the year party, all the families at Saint Patrick's for the end of the year picnic, and the staff on their summer retreat. It has been absolutely incredible to witness all the generosity of the people here at Saint Patrick's.

One thing I have learned is how incredibly generous God's love is through your love for me. In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus calls Simon to be his disciple. In this story, Jesus tells Simon to cast into the deep for a catch (5:4). For those that are unfamiliar with this story, Simon was fishing all night with James and John and had caught nothing. They are professional fisherman, and yet, Jesus told Simon what to do. Simon followed the instruction out of faith for he knew that they would not have been able to catch anything on their own for it was not the right time of day. In doing this, they caught a great number of fish, so much so that the lines were tearing. Simon knew that this was not him but was Jesus. Instead of rejoicing for the great catch, "he fell at the knees of Jesus and said "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man". Jesus responded, "DO NOT BE AFRAID; from now on you will be catching men". Simon, James and John left everything and followed him (5:1-11). Being at this parish, you have shown me the fruit of fearlessness in the name of Jesus. Your love and generosity has only placed in my heart a greater desire to be a priest of our Lord Jesus Christ. I have left everything, and in going to Rome, even more so, to follow Jesus and I am so thankful that He has lead me here. I thank you so much for your role in forming me into a holy man and, God willing, one day a holy priest.

May God Bless you all!!

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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 July 14, 2019

Sat. July 13 5:00 PM For the repose of the souls of
Pat & Sue Madden

Sun. July 14 8:00 AM For our Parishioners

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Gerald Steiner

Mon. July 15 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Leo Hamm

Tue. July 16 5:30 PM **COMMUNION SERVICE**

Wed. July 17 8:00 AM **COMMUNION SERVICE**

Thu. July 18 8:00 AM **COMMUNION SERVICE**

Fri. July 19 8:00 AM **COMMUNION SERVICE**

Sat. July 20 5:00 PM For the repose of the souls of
Leo & Natalie Steiner

Sun. July 21 8:00 AM For our Parishioners

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Gerald Hersil

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 Kellaheer, 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, Bernadine Seitz, William Maxson and Elise.

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.

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.

We are looking for musicians for our weekend Masses. If you are interested in playing or singing for Mass, please give Ann Benz a call at 507-202-1266 or contact the rectory office.

**Stewardship Corner ~ July 6th & 7th, 2019
(536 Registered Families)**

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$10,776.27	\$ 6,399.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,852.00
Children's Envelopes	19.23	\$ 14.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 1,205.27
Total Weekly Offering:	\$11,391.65	\$ 9,470.27
Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 0.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$ 22,783.30
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$ 15,694.37

*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.

Weekly Calendar

Monday	July 15	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	July 16	7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus
Thursday	July 18	10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH
Friday	July 19	8:45 AM	Friday Folders

Attention Men—The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be Tuesday, July 16th at 7 PM.

The pro-life Silver Rose Program will be held on Wednesday, July 24, 2019 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 807 W. Lake St. Friendship, WI at 6:00 pm. The pro-life Silver Rose Program, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, features a rose which represents the theme: ONE LIFE, ONE ROSE. Please join in celebrating the pro-life Silver Rose program. If you wish, you may take an active part in this program by placing a single rose in one of the vases near the altar, before the beginning of the program. All roses will be displayed during the next weekend Masses, symbolizing our dedication to our Mother, Mary, while showing support for the Pro-life movement.

Our Cemetery Committee is looking for someone to dig graves at St. Patrick's Cemetery and Holy Rosary Cemetery. We have all of the necessary equipment, we just need the manpower. If you are interested, please give the rectory a call. This pays \$200 for a full burial and \$50 for a cremation burial.

Our 14th Annual St. Patrick's Golf Outing will be Sunday July 14th at Castle Rock Golf Course. 4 Person Scramble with shotgun start at 2:30 PM. All proceeds benefit St. Patrick's School. Even if you are not a golfer, please come and join us for the chicken dinner at approximately 5 PM.

Community Sharing Pantry News ~ During the summer months the Food Pantry is short with help for unloading the Second Harvest trucks and the USDA truck. The trucks usually come on Wednesday at around 7:30 or 8:00 AM. St. Patrick's is responsible for providing 2—3 people to help during the weeks of August 21 and August 28. If you are willing to help, please give the rectory a call at 847-6054.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of July 13th & 14th

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: David Hoffmann
Extraordinary Minister: Dorothy Gorski
Servers: Karter Kobylski, Nolan Powers, Owen Lubinski
Greeters: Joan Potter, Marge Tremain, Donna Bollig
Musicians: Ann Benz, Cassie Thayer
Gift Bearers: Volunteers Needed
Scrip Seller: Erin Lund
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner,
Fran Lunenschloss

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Bridget Gunther, Veronica Sustar
Servers: Eli Schanke, Matthew Gunther, Jacob Barnes
Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary
Gift Bearers: Volunteers Needed
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,
Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie, Sue Hollenbeck
Extraordinary Minister: Mary Beth Crowley
Servers: Eli Boppart, Hudson Randall, Dylan Loftus
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Rebecca Carvalho
Gift Bearers: Bev Steiner & Family
Scrip Seller: Gina Boppart
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,
Bill Thill

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Marie Leipart

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of July 20th & 21st

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lectors: Jeri Kolba
Extraordinary Minister: Rita Hamm
Servers: Braden Heath, Allie Roose, Elliot Thayer
Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker
Musicians: Ann Benz, Shari Sarazin
Gift Bearers: The Leo & Natalie 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: Christopher Fry, Carson Demaske, Brie Eckerman
Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore
Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman
Gift Bearers: Molly & Brent Demaske
Scrip Seller: Bobbi Eckerman
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,
Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Olivia Lulich
Extraordinary Minister: Sue Hollenbeck
Servers: Carter Field, Jasper Walsh, Christian Brow
Greeters: Kris Mazur, Bill Thill, Devan Minard
Musicians: Ann Benz, Martin Wolf, Naomi Pouillie
Gift Bearers: The John & Ann Hersil Family
Scrip Seller: Jodi Field
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,
Bill Thill

10:00 AM Nursing Home Service:

Deacon Juan Delgado

Father William O'Brien of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

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.**

We are looking for help selling tickets at the following parades. Come out and help!

Parkfest - Lyndon Station - Saturday, July 27 @ 2 PM
LaValle - Sunday, August 11 at 11 AM
Mauston - Sunday, August 18, 12 noon
Kendall - Sunday, September 1st - 11:30AM
Hillsboro - Monday, September 2nd - 10:30 AM

Formed—Pick of the Week

In this week's FORMED Pick, discover if morality is relative. This week, go to formed.org and watch **Who Am I to Judge?**, and learn how to respond to the objection, "Don't impose your morality on me!"

Parents and Grandparents: A new school year begins on September 3, 2019. St. Patrick School still has openings in our Pre-K through 8th Grade classes. Please contact our school at 847-5844 or our 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.

ST. BENEDICT FUND

Named for the Patron Saint of School Children, the St. Benedict Fund is a Tuition Assistance Program that helps families with tuition costs. This is not an endowment or trust; all donations go directly to a student or family in need of tuition assistance. Your tax deductible donation will help to ensure that every family that values a St. Patrick's education can receive it. **If you would like to donate to the St. Benedict Fund**, please pick up a brochure in the Gathering Area or contact the rectory or school office.

DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE YOUR SCRIP TODAY AFTER MASS!

Scrip is available during the week at the rectory office.