



August 25, 2019

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR

Having had our teachers and staff retreat this past week and in-services this coming week, school is just around the corner. Perhaps as a family you are getting your students back on a schedule. Routine helps all of us. God knows that and has given us Sunday as the day of rest. Sunday also is that day of prayer. Of course we are not meant to pray only on Sundays. Routine is something that should be a part of our prayer life. The Church has had religious and clerics pray the Liturgy of the Hours for centuries. It sets out for us different hours throughout the day to stop and pray. I encourage you to look at your day and see where there is room to give thanks or ask for needed graces in more difficult moments of your day.

Routine and practice is something that many of us do whether at work or with the team, it can be called discipline. When we are well disciplined we are focused and can be "on top of our game." The same applies to our spiritual life.

Matthew Kelly wrote "The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic" a few years ago. It is meant to encourage and be a tool to build up that active Body of Christ in a parish setting. But as we know, we all struggle with our fallen human nature. So to reflect on that and perhaps to become more aware of what we may do; even if it is done unintentionally, could help us here at St. Patrick's parish reach out and go beyond our usual circle of people we know or work with.

"The things we do repeatedly determine our character and destiny. This is equally true for an athlete, a business leader, a parent, or a Catholic....There are many ways to live out each of the four signs; I witnessed this among the people interviewed. The four signs are sufficiently focused to produce the intended result and yet sufficiently broad to allow each person to approach them in his or her own way. Once again, let me point out that the 7% are by no means perfect. In fact, the research discovered many things about them that repel the 93%. The 7% do things that discourage others from becoming more engaged. They can be territorial, excluding others from joining groups or activities. They often speak in a "church language" that the 93% don't understand. They suffer from what I would call spiritual amnesia, meaning that they have forgotten or block out how resistant to God they were at different times in their spiritual journey, or how far from God they have been at times in their lives. This spiritual amnesia robs them of the ability to relate to others who are less engaged. It also often makes them intolerant of less engaged Catholics, thinking that those people should just "get with the program".

Whatever shortcomings the 7% have can be overcome if they embrace the four signs more completely. The four signs are not only a model to reengage disengaged Catholics but also a model of continuous renewal for even the most highly engaged Catholics. The four signs of a Dynamic Catholic are: Prayer, Study, Generosity, and Evangelization."

The 7% that Matthew Kelly speaks of are those in a parish who seem to be everywhere and do everything. Yet they are not to bear the burden of everything in a parish. Like the body, the Body of Christ in a parish needs all the parts or organs (as an image) to do their jobs. If the lungs or stomach is not working all suffer and put stress on other parts of the body. So too in parish life, if we are not stepping up or reaching out to invite in, there is a certain stress on the those who step forward. As the new school year is about to start, perhaps we can look around and see where it is we can add ourselves to the 7% since many hands make for light work.

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 August 25th, 2019

Sat. Aug. 24	5:00 PM	For our Parishioners
Sun. Aug. 26	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Don Strack</i>
	10:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Roy Rhyner</i>
Tue. Aug. 27	5:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of <i>LaVerne Schaller</i>
Wed. Aug. 28	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Susan (Allen) Kayser</i>
Thu. Aug. 29	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Evelyn Schmocker</i>
Fri. Aug. 30	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Arlene Chimelewski</i>
Sat. Aug. 31	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Joan Morrissey Mottard</i>
Sun. Sept. 1	8:00 AM	For our Parishioners
	10:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Pat Garrigan</i>

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, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Sid Mead, Steve, Art Randall, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Sally Haas, Bob W., 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.

If you have Mass intentions that you would like said, we have openings for Masses at Sand Ridge, Fairview Nursing Home or travelling intentions with Father John. We can also send them to be said at the diocese. Please stop at the rectory to arrange your Mass intentions.

Rural Life Day Mass and celebration Friday, Sept. 13 ~ Plan to attend this year's celebration, hosted by Otter Creek Farms located at 6608 Cty Rd A, Pittsville, WI 54466. Bishop Callahan will celebrate Mass at 10 a.m. followed by a program and meal. This day is set aside to highlight the uniqueness of rural life values and to rejoice in the way that rural life contributes to the Church at large.

Men of the Cross Conference ~ This year's theme is "The Father's Way." A special rate is being offered for Father-Son attendees. The conference is held in La Crosse on Saturday, October 26, and sure to engage men of all ages. For more details and to register, go to menofthecross.org

**Stewardship Corner ~ August 17th & 18th, 2019
(535 Registered Families)**

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$10,776.27	\$ 5,646.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 1,023.00
Children's Envelopes	19.23	\$ 19.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 1,088.45
Total Weekly Offering:	\$11,391.65	\$ 7,776.45
Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 340.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$ 91,133.20
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$ 65,025.52

*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	August 26	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	August 27	6:30 PM	Holy Happy Hour
Thursday	August 29	10:30—1	Rosary Makers - RH
		5:00 PM	Sacred Worship Committee—Rectory
Friday	August 30	8:45 AM	Friday Folders

Substitute Teachers NEEDED for the 2019-2020 school year. If you are interested in being a substitute teacher at St. Patrick's for the upcoming school year, we can use your help! Please contact Mrs. Reinhardt at the school—847-5844.0

Lector, Greeter, and Communion Minister schedules for September and October are available in the rack in the gathering area. Nursing Home schedules for July—December are also available.

Do you have a loved one who has been thinking about joining the Catholic Church, and feeling a little lost? OR maybe you are starting to develop your Catholic faith and it is feeling a little overwhelming. Please take some time to pray about it in the next few weeks, and join us later September for Adult Faith Formation! Details will follow in the next few weeks. We have a great RCIA team that would love to journey with you. If you have any questions please contact Cassandra Thayer at 608-847-6054 or re@stpatriksmauston.com

As a way to help facilitate the theme for Religious Education, "Going Deeper in Prayer", Father will be offering an additional Mass on Wednesday Nights when there are Religious Ed Classes. This Daily Mass will start at 6pm and finish by 6:30pm, just in time for the Religious Ed classes to start. This is open to ALL parishioners, students, and families. The first Mass will be Wednesday September 25th @ 6pm.

It's that time to start thinking about our Religious Ed sign up! Our Religious Education serves our Parish families with children who are in Grades 1st through Confirmation II. Our registration will take place on Wednesday September 18th 5pm-7pm in the church gathering area. There parents will receive the Religious Ed Calendar, Safe Environment information, and Mrs. Thayer will be there to answer any questions that you might have about the year.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of August 24th & 25th**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba
 Extraordinary Minister: Roxanne Shragal
 Servers: Karter Kobylski, Owen Lubinski
 Greeters: Marge Tremain, Joan Potter
 Musicians: Anna Boppart, Emily Patton
 Gift Bearers: Matt & Danelle Lubinski
 Scrip Seller: Donna Miller
 Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
 Dustin Ryberg

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Larry Moore, Veronica Sustar
 Servers: Noah Fry, Channing Sonnenberg,
 Matthew Gunther
 Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey
 Musicians: Bill Ryan
 Gift Bearers: Mary Ann Strack Family
 Scrip Seller: Connie Walhovd
 Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
 Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck
 Extraordinary Minister: Mary Beth Crowley
 Servers: Johann Wolf, Christian Brow, Brayden Housworth
 Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
 Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Terri Walling
 Gift Bearers: Sue & Fred Hollenbeck
 Scrip Seller: Jodi Field
 Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Jeanne Walsh, Mary Ann Allaby,
 Jim Allaby

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Marcia Jakubik & Bonnie Duffy

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of Aug. 31 & Sept. 1**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba
 Extraordinary Minister: Dorothy Gorski
 Servers: Braden Heath, Landynn Miller, Nolan Powers
 Greeters: Monica Niles, Donna Bollig, Dustin Ryberg
 Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Shari Sarazin
 Gift Bearers: Jerilynn & Jim Kolba
 Scrip Seller: Tammy Heath
 Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
 Dustin Ryberg

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Schaller, Bridget Gunther
 Servers: Jacob Barnes, Eli Schanke, Brie Eckerman
 Greeters: Larry & Tina Moore
 Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman
 Gift Bearers: The Schanke Family
 Scrip Seller: Bobbi Eckerman
 Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Tremel,
 Arnie Penzkover, Dave Netzer

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Jaime Pouillie
 Extraordinary Minister: Sue Hollenbeck
 Servers: Justyna Jakacki, Ethan Lulich, Weston Pouillie
 Greeters: Kris Mazur, Bill Thill, Devan Minard
 Musicians: Ann Benz, Cassie Thayer
 Gift Bearers: Mike & Chitra Garrigan
 Scrip Seller: Diane Kocyan
 Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson, Bill Thill

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Marie Leipart

VISITING MISSIONARY~ We welcome Fr . **Sam Samuel** V.C., a Vincentian Missionary Priest from India to our parish this weekend to participate in our Annual Missionary Cooperation Plan. He will share his missionary experience at all the Masses this weekend and will make an appeal on behalf of the Vincentian Missions.

The Vincentian Missionaries need our help to carry out their many missionary, educational and charitable activities in their missions. They also request our special financial support for the training of young men studying for priesthood. There will be a special collection today to help the Missionary work of the Vincentian Missionaries. We urge you to be very generous in your mission offering since these Missionaries need our help.

If you did not have an opportunity to make an offering today or would like to make an additional offering, you may make your offering through the general parish collection next weekend in a specially marked envelope. Thank you very much for your prayers and generous financial support .The Vincentian Missionaries keep you and our parish in their prayers and Masses.

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**Operation Open Door ~Total raised to date—\$4,160.00. Thank you! Check out the Thermometer in back of church tracking our progress!**

**FALL FESTIVAL– SUNDAY~ SEPTEMBER 8th**

**Our Roast Beef Dinner will be served in Readon Hall this year.**

**Want to treat someone to a Roast Beef Dinner?** Need to thank someone? Think about giving them a complimentary ticket for the Fall Festival Dinner. Complimentary tickets are available now at the rectory. Stop and pick some up. You only pay for those tickets used.

**Reminder for everyone donating cakes for the Fall Festival Cake Walk:** Please bring them to St. Pat's School lobby between 3:00 and 5:00 pm on Saturday, Sept. 7th or on Sunday between 7:00 and 10:00 am. Thank you.

**We are also looking for individually wrapped** baked goods to sell at the Country Store and the Sidewalk Café.

**BOTTLE LOTTO—When you have your bottles filled and ready to go,** you can drop them off at the rectory or school office.

**Our Fall Festival Dinner will again be offered to the homebound.** If you would like a dinner delivered to a family member or friend who is homebound and unable to attend our fall festival, contact the rectory. Dinners are \$10 each. If you would like to help deliver meals please call the rectory at 847-6054.

**We are looking for hand crafted** items for the Chinese Raffle and items for the Country Store (as well as produce, baked goods, canned items).

**Hand Made CRAFT ITEMS for both the Small Craft Raffle and the Craft Sale are needed.** If you have items to donate, you may drop them off at the rectory; or call Therese Gunther at 847-6744. FALL CRAFTS SELL ESPECIALLY WELL!

**FALL FESTIVAL ~ Silent Auction:** If you have something that you would like to donate to the silent auction, please call the rectory or drop it off at the rectory. Thank you!

**We are looking for help selling FALL FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS at the following parades. Come out and help!**

Kendall - Sunday, September 1st - 11:30AM  
 Hillsboro - Monday, September 2nd - 10:30 AM