

October 2, 2022 TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR

The last few years St. Patrick has been a part of the vocation program of the diocese. We have hosted Fr. Sam McCarty, Fr. Eric Mashak and Fr. Steven Weller. Just this week was the ordination of transitional deacon, Jared Clements. Now we have another opportunity to assist a young man as he begins his journey and discerns where his vocation is and God's plan for him. I encourage you to welcome him and keep Brandon Lea in your prayers.

Hello St. Patrick's Parish, my name is Brandon J. Lea. I am 23 years old. I am currently living in La Crosse at Mater Redemptoris and am part of the Journey Program. I originate from Colby, Wi, a small town west of Wausau about half an hour away from there.

The Journey Program is a 9-month program in which is a discerning period of time to your vocation as a priest. Through this program my Journey brothers and I (10 of us) discover what God is calling of us for our vocations. Many go to seminary; many find out that marriage is a better suit for them. It is a formation in which you are formed into the person God is calling you to be. I first heard about this program about two months ago when I began discerning. I called Father Nate Kuhn with my discernment and he invited me into the Journey Program.

I have many hobbies and interests. One of my highest interest of all is God, I love him so much, and cannot explain all the workings he has had in my life thus far. He has sheltered me, loved me, and blessed me. I am extremely blessed for this opportunity and don't think words can describe how thankful I am. One of my favorite hobbies is to get out and golf or fish. I golf fairly well and fishing is always a blessing from God. I find fishing very therapeutic and I always ask St. Peter to pray for us whenever I get out on the water.

I have been baptized since I was a baby, I fell in love with Jesus as a child, but unfortunately I didn't find myself going to church very often as a child. It wasn't until late into my high school career did I find myself starting to conform to church. Once I was done with my second year in College and dropped out then did I really get into the faith, I started attending mass on Sundays, then eventually going to daily mass, then I wanted to be confirmed and wanted my first communion. I received both within the next 6 months on Pentecost of the year 2021. My family was extremely happy that I was finding something that I found so much joy in.

I've always looked to God growing up. Praying to him in my bed, always asking for a girlfriend, and for him to watch over my brothers. Now my prayer life consists of praying the rosary daily, daily adoration, daily mass, and praying for my Journey brothers. I have never been so happy or joyful in my life till I turned my head to becoming a priest and taken what I call for myself the narrow path. Something I found impossible for myself is now becoming a reality. Something that I could possibly think of doing because I was always praying for a girlfriend or human needs.

I pray you welcome me with open arms, I am not very shy so if you would like to meet me after mass feel free. I will be here once a month for the next 9 months and I am so excited for the Journey and ready to worship God with you all. God Bless!

Thank you, Brandon Lea

Keep up your prayers for priestly vocations from St. Patrick parish!

Father John

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays ~ 5 PM Sundays ~ 8 AM &10 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

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays ~ 4 PM—4:45 PM & Following 1st Saturday 8 AM Mass

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

First Fridays following 8 AM Mass Benediction at 4:00 PM All other Fridays beginning at 3:00 PM Benediction at 4:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of October 2, 2022

Sat.	Oct.	1	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of John E. Walsh
Sun.	Oct.	2	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary Buttner
			10:00 AM	For our Parishioners
Tue.	Oct.	4	5:30 PM	For All Deceased Members of the Howard G. Rose Family
Wed.	Oct.	5	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary Lou Arens
			2:00 PM	FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME For the repose of the souls of Marie & Andrew Lobenstein
Thu.	Oct.	6	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of John E. Walsh
Fri.	Oct.	7	8:00 AM	For Joe Buttner
Sat.	Oct.	8	5:00 PM	For the repose of the souls of Jim & Gerrie Carney
Sun.	Oct.	9	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of John Sustar
			10:00 AM	For our Parishioners

Pray for the health of Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Rosemary Lehnen, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, Deb Beyer, Diana Hunt, Jessie Norton, Tricia Demmin, Bill Chase, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Sid Mead, Becky Fredrickson, Bob W., Therese, Audrey Gillen, Rita Kueppers, Cindy Mueller, George Gabay, Jim Smith, Sadie Ravenscroft, Anne Nancolas, Rosemary Wier, RM, Payton, Veronica, Kathryn Doughty, Patricia, JM, Carl Wier, Carole Hayes, Tillie Schumacher, Millie Hovde, Bill Eisch, Marie Boehm, Marsha Hamil, MMB, AAB, EMM, Brenna, Barb Gardner, Patrick Moore, Karen Patton, Therese Severson, Fran Skalak, Tina Moore, Eric, Tony Berns, Jeanne Allen, Randy Czaplewski, Anna Madden, Steve Connor, Sharon Riley, Joe Wolf, Phil S. and Janel.

Pray for those in the military serving our country: Janie Asberry, Andrei Klika-Sampe, Will Post, Zachary Bader, Bailey Granger, Alex Ericson, Samuel Levandoski and Ethan Jasinski.

RELIGIOUS ED TEACHER NEEDED! We are looking for volunteer to help teach 10th grade (Confirmation 2) on Wednesday evenings. If you are willing to help out, please give the rectory a call or let Father John know. Thank you to all who help out with our religion classes.

National Life-Chain Sunday ~ Sunday, October 2nd from 2:30 PM—4:00 PM at the intersection of N. Union Street and Hwy 82. Please come and provide witness to the sanctity of life. Signs will be provided. For more information, please contact Betty Lobenstein at 608-572-3176. Meet at 2:15 in the St. Patrick parking lot behind the school to pick up signs.



Stewardship Corner ~ September 24th & 25th, 2022 (506 Registered Families)

**WKLY	BUDGETED GIVING	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$8,653.85	\$ 3,754.00
On-Line Giving		1,424.00
Children's Envelopes	9.61	10.00
Loose Offering	385.00	<u>595.00</u>
Total Weekly Offering:	\$ 9,048.46	\$ 5,783.00
Year-to-date* budget red Year-to-date amount co		\$ 117,629.98 \$ 100,236.88

** Budgeted Weekly Giving Amount based on pledges made. We anticipate a total budgeted income deficit of \$42,539.00 for this fiscal year.

*Fiscal Year July 1, 2022 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							
Tuesday	Oct.	4	3:00 PM	Hour of Mercy in Church			
			6:30 PM	Parish Action Team Mtg.			
Wednesday	Oct.	5	6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal			
Thursday	Oct.	6	12:00 PM	Rosary Makers—RH			
Friday	Oct.	7	6:30 AM	That Man Is You			
			8:45 AM	Friday Folders			

NEEDED—Religious Education Coordinator / Pastoral Care Minister: St. Patrick Parish is looking for a Religious Ed Coordinator / Pastoral Care Minister. If you enjoy working with people of all ages and have a passion to serve, this position may be for you! For more information or to apply, please contact Father John at 608-847-6054 or email: frjohnpotaczek@stpatricksmauston.com

On October 3rd and 10th (Mondays) from 6:00-7:30, St Joseph's in Adams will be having a "singing symposium", which is for everyone. You do not have to sing in the choir or cantor to attend. Marco Melendez, Director of Music, at St. Maria Goretti Catholic Church in Madison will be leading the symposium which will focus on the technical aspects of a choir and of cantoring. The goal is to help everyone sing better!

Oct. 18 Gospel of Life White Mass and Banquet with Bishop Callahan~ Join us Tuesday evening, Oct. 18, at St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral in La Crosse. The keynote presenter, Father Paul Check, Executive Director of the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, will speak on: "Witnessing to Life, Truth and Love in a Hostile World." Schedule: 6 p.m. – White Mass with Bishop Callahan, honoring Catholic healthcare professionals; 7 p.m. – Banquet; 7:45 p.m. – Presentation. \$20/person, \$10/ students, teachers & school administrators. For more information and to register, visit diolc.org/gospel-of-life.



MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of October 1st & 2nd

Saturday, 5:00 PM Lector: Jaime Pouillie

Eucharistic Minister: Rita Hamm

Servers: Owen & Aedyn Lubinski, Carter Field Musicians: Peg Schmitz, John & Nancy Noga

Greeters: Danelle & Anita Lubinski

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Fran Lunenschloss,

Tom Schoettler

Gift Bearers: The Judy Neve Family

Scrip Seller: Jeri Kolba Sunday, 8:00 AM Lector: Mark Becker

Eucharistic Minister: Melissa Schanke Servers: William & Eli Schanke

Musicians

Greeters: Barb Cowan, Kevin Stillson, Carol Gross

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, George Treml, Jim Bires, Dave Netzer

Gift Bearers: The Joe Buttner Family

Scrip Seller: Donna Miller Sunday, 10:00 AM Lector: Sue Hollenbeck

Eucharistic Minister: Nancy Horabik

Servers: Hudson Randall, Cooper Thayer, Johann Wolf

Musicians: Greeters:

Ushers: Jon Field, Clinton Pouillie

Gift Bearers:

Scrip Seller: Nancy Schaller

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of October 8th & 9th Saturday, 5:00 PM

Lector: Steve Hesprich

Eucharistic Minister: Carrol Kaiser

Servers: Nolan Powers, Gracey Kobylski, Ryleigh Vinopal

Musicians:

Greeters: Danelle & Anita Lubinski

Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Fran Lunenschloss,

Tom Schoettler

Gift Bearers:

Scrip Seller: Jeri Kolba Sunday, 8:00 AM Lector: Melissa Schanke

Eucharistic Minister: Vicki Boehm

Servers: Cody Komiskey, Carson Demaske

Musicians:

Greeters: Ron & Marge Bailey, Bridget Neitzel

Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, George Treml, Jim Bires, Dave Netzer

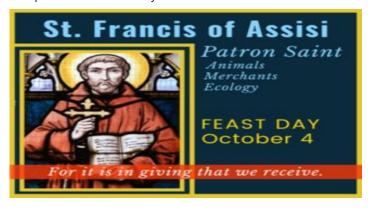
Gift Bearer: Veronica Sustar Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther

Sunday, 10:00 AM Lector: Lisa Pouillie

Eucharistic Minister: Julie Whitney Servers: Weston & Garrett Pouillie Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir Greeters: Kris Mazur, Nancy Horabik Ushers: Jon Field, Clinton Pouillie

Gift Bearers:

Scrip Seller: Julie Whitney



Living Rosary

Tuesday, October 4, 2022

9:00 A.M. Muffins & Coffee Served

St. Joseph's Parish Hall

Kendall WI.

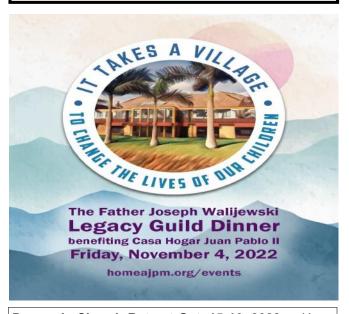
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RSVP By: Friday, September 30, 2022



Domestic Church Retreat Oct. 15-16, 2022 ~ Have you and your spouse ever been on a couples' retreat? There will be a two-day Domestic Church Retreat for sacramentally married couples on Oct. 15-16 at St. John the Baptist Parish in Marshfield. For questions, or to register, go to:

https://diolc.org/marriage/marriage-enrichment/ or email

region7.couple@domesticchurchfamilies.com.

Prayer Opportunities

Hour of Mercy: Tuesdays from 3 PM to 4 PM—time of prayer, litany and chaplet on behalf of our Church and the world.

Holy Hour: Each Friday we have Holy Hour from 3 PM to 4 PM. On First Fridays, we have Exposition and Adoration following morning Mass until benediction at 4 PM.

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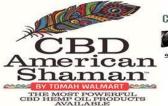




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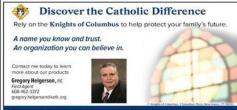




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