



**October 14, 2018
 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY
 IN ORDINARY TIME**

FROM OUR PASTOR:

This past week I was at the Fall Clergy conference in La Crosse. Each year there are topics that are covered so as to continue our education in a particular area each year. This year was a little different. Our speaker fell ill, a heart attack, a few weeks ago and was not ready or able to travel to lead us in a number of conferences in a few days. So that opened things up and gave us some options. The decision was made to focus on the upcoming project, Safe Haven Sunday. It reveals the damage that pornography has done to our society and the difficulty of those involved to get out of its use. That is something we will be looking at as a diocese in the coming months and will be presented at all parishes.

From there the discussion was lead by the Bishop. He chose to focus on Bishops' cover up of clergy abuse. On the area of abuse, very little "new" abuse has been recorded since the Charter of 2002. The reports and media highlights have been about the years prior to 2002. That hardly makes it OK. Our Bishop has all the parishes in the diocese placing his letter in this week's bulletin. Please take the time to review it. The area of prayer is something we all needed to do so that healing can be a reality in the lives of those who suffered abuse.

First Friday is a specific time the Bishop is calling for prayer. I encourage you to find that time for prayer. Pray for healing, for truth, for courage, for needed graces. Our diocese has been touched by abuse in the past and is not immune to sinful behavior. Let us not overlook abuse elsewhere, in the home or school/workplace either. There is a lot of brokenness in society. Placing blame, denying or ignoring situations do not lead to healing or healthy families, schools, or churches.

The real answer to many questions of "how did that happen?" or "what was missed, ignored or denied over the years?" can only be answered by saints. That is, us!! We need to strive for holiness. Has that been on the top of our to-do list? How else can we look at situations and truly grasp what is or has gone on? When our hearts are beating with the Sacred Heart of Jesus are we going to be able to handle and answer questions that deal with broken lives and people. Jesus gave the Cross as an answer to evil in the world. The world thought that it had buried the problem of Jesus. His resurrection overcame their 'defeat' and gave new life to all who had fallen under the sway of the devil's story and defeatism.

In Mark's Gospel the Apostles ask "then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." Let us not look at our current situation and wonder who can be saved? Who is without sin? But remember that with God, all things are possible. Let us look to the ways we can invite Jesus into all aspects of our lives, whether broken or in need of strengthening.

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 October 14th, 2018

Sat. Oct. 13	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Betty Restey</i>
Sun. Oct. 14	8:00 AM	For the repose of the souls of <i>Laverne & Rose Schaller</i>
	10:00 AM	For our Parishioners
Tue. Oct. 16	5:30 PM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Wed. Oct. 17	8:00 AM	For the <i>Living and Deceased</i> <i>Members of the Quinn Family</i>
Thu. Oct. 18	8:00 AM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Fri. Oct. 19	8:00 AM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Sat. Oct. 20	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Bill Schroeder</i>
Sun. Oct. 21	8:00 AM	For our Parishioners
	10:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of <i>Shirley Craine</i>

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, John Kueppers, Shirley Mills, Karen Caple, Lis, Joe Dolphin, Mary Ann Witcraft, Denise Dean, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Bill Eisch, Sid Mead, Steve, Art Randall, Ruby Steiner, 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, the Johnston Family and Nathan Field.

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 welcome, Aurora Therese Christine Riley, daughter of Keith and Bridget Riley, who is being baptized this weekend.

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him, O Lord. We offer our prayers and condolences to the family and friends of Michael Brown, who passed away last week. May perpetual light shine upon him.

SHAMROCK SALE for St. Patrick School!! Lois Lawton will be selling knitted and crocheted items next weekend (October 20 and 21) in Reardon Hall before and after every Mass. She has scarves, hats, mittens, blankets, afghans and more! More than 100 items will be for sale! Proceeds will go to support our school. Lois is hoping to raise \$1,000 from this sale! Please stop down in Reardon Hall next weekend and check it out!

Stewardship Corner ~ October 6th & 7th, 2018 (539 Registered Families)

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$ 9,090.82	\$ 10,268.00
On-Line Giving		\$ 2,267.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	\$ 8.00
Loose Offering	596.15	\$ 506.55
Total Weekly Offering:	\$ 9,715.81	\$ 13,049.55

Budget Contingency Fund \$ 80.00

Year-to-date* budget requirement \$ 145,737.15
Year-to-date amount contributed \$ 128,613.42

*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	Oct. 15	2:00 PM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	Oct. 16	6:00 PM	AFF
		7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus Mtg.
Wednesday	Oct. 17		RE Classes
		6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	Oct. 18	11—1	Rosary Makers ~ Lyndon Station
Friday	Oct. 19	6:15 AM	"That Man is You" Group
		8:45 AM	Friday Folders

Attention Men—The next Knights of Columbus meeting is Tuesday, October 16th at 7 PM in Reardon Hall.

The Bishop's Annual Appeal will begin this weekend. Our goal for this year is \$37,390.00. You will be receiving information regarding the appeal in the mail. Please take time to read it and prayerfully consider how you can help support the missions of our diocese. Everyone's help is needed! Thank you.

Thank you to everyone for your generous donations to our Second Collection for Flood Relief last weekend. Our parish raised more than \$2,500 which will be forwarded to Catholic Charities in La Crosse to be used for flood relief in our diocese.

WREATH SALE—St. Patrick School is selling wreaths for the upcoming holiday season. Please check out the flier included in this weekend's bulletin. Thank you for supporting the school.

Ladies—We have accumulated lots of dishes on the pie racks in Reardon Hall. Please stop downstairs and check to see if you have left anything and pick it up. Thank you.

FORMED....Pick of the Week

Do you believe God is present and active in the historical and current events of the world you know today? In this FORMED Pick, join Fr. Michael Gaitley as he weaves together history, Sacred Scripture, the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, and the witness of Saints Faustina, John Paul II, and Maximilian Kolbe to reveal the intricate ways God is preparing the world for his divine mercy. As one viewer said: "This series will change your life!"

This week, go to formed.org and watch Divine Mercy In The Second Greatest Story Ever Told

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of October 13th & 14th
Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jaime Pouillie
Extraordinary Ministers: Roxanne Shragal
Servers: Makenna and Ellie Pouillie, Aedyn Lubinski
Greeters: Marge Tremain, Joan Potter
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Carla & Jacob Brunner
Gift Bearers: Ed & Mary Ellen Hamil
Scrip Seller: Kerry Randall
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Matt Lubinski

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Nora Scully, Lois Lawton
Servers: Christopher Fry, Emma Eilers, Marshal Skiles
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Dee Powers, Carol Gross
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary
Gift Bearers: Ed and Mary Ellen Hamil
Scrip Seller: Melissa Fry
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck, Bill Curran
Extraordinary Ministers: Joelle Curran
Servers: Nathan and Carter Field, Myra Hancock
Greeters: Kris & Janina Mazur, Bill Thill
Musicians: Anna Boppart, Naomi Pouillie
Gift Bearers: Bill Thill
Scrip Seller: Gina Boppart
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Mary Ann Allaby, Jim Allaby,
Steve Powers

10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:

Larry and Tina Moore

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of October 20th & 21st
Saturday, 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Roxanne Shragal
Extraordinary Ministers: David Hoffmann
Servers: Elliot Thayer, Carter Scully, Sena Vinopal
Greeters: Ernie and Audrey Schmocker
Musicians: Ann Benz, Cassandra Thayer, Doug Martin
Gift Bearers: Fran Schroeder
Scrip Seller: Tammy Heath
Ushers: Carrol Kaiser, Greg Gruber, Mark Heitman,
Matt Lubinski

Sunday, 8:00 AM

Lectors: Bridget Gunther, Larry Moore
Servers: Brie Eckerman, Matthew Gunther, Dylan Demaske
Greeters: Ron and Marge Bailey
Musicians: Ann Benz, Sadie Eckerman
Gift Bearers: Therese Gunther and Family
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther
Ushers: Larry Lubinski, Chuck Kraemer, Jim Bires,
Arris Sullivan

Sunday, 10:00 AM

Lectors: Paul Curran, Howard Boppart
Extraordinary Ministers: Sue Hollenbeck
Servers: Eli Boppart, Jasper and Dylan Walsh
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Choir
Gift Bearers: Greg and Barb Cowan
Scrip Seller: Jodi Field
Ushers: John Walsh Jr., Mary Ann Allaby, Jim Allaby,
Steve Powers

2:00 PM Nursing Home Rosary:

Deacon Juan Delgado

World Mission Sunday, our annual worldwide Eucharistic celebration for the Missions and missionaries of the world, will be next weekend—October 20 and 21. This annual second collection on the next-to-last Sunday in October is a unique, global effort for the entire Church to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe. Through the work of these churches, and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace. Please generously support our missions and our missionaries.

De Colores Catering invites you to brunch at Two Sisters Event Center, 234 W. State Street, Mauston on Sunday, October 14th and Sunday, October 28th. Serving from 11 AM to 1 PM. Brunch includes 5 hot items; 3 cold salads; 2 pastries, coffee and juice. Suggested donation—\$10 per person.

Holy Angels Parish at Holy Family Church, LaValle~ Chicken & Biscuit Supper—(new date) Tuesday, October 16th serving from 4—7 PM. Featuring—Country Market & Craft Sale, Bake Sale, Silent Auction. Carry-Outs available until 6:30 PM.

Ladies of the Tomah Deanery, You Are Invited to the Tomah Deanery Fall Gathering on Tuesday, October 16, 2018 at Guardian Angels Parish ~ St. Joseph Church Downstairs Hall, 407 Main St., Black River Falls. Registration at 5:30 p.m. Rosary in the nave at 5:45 p.m. and program 6:30 p.m. Hosted by: Guardian Angels Parish PCCW ~ St. Kevin, Melrose & St. Joseph, BRF. Agenda includes Deanery Business, Installation of Officers, Entertainment, Light Refreshments, and Door Prizes. The Guest Speaker will be Tom Thibodeau.

FIND YOUR GREATNESS ~ Saturday, October 20th from 9 AM to 1:30 PM at Saint Cecilia Catholic Church ~ Wisconsin Dells. **Four habits that will transform you life!** Based on Matthew Kelly's book *The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic*, this half day event will introduce you to four simple habits that will help you reach your full potential. Tickets available at: dynamiccatholic.com/findyourgreatness-wisconsin-dells-wi-oct-20-2018

A Gregorian chant workshop will be held Saturday, October 20, 2018, at Cor Jesu Oratory (Sacred Heart Church, Edson), 31360 County Highway MM, Boyd, WI. The day will begin at 8:30 with Mass, followed by instruction in chant by Fr. Joseph Redfern in the Priory building (the former school). The day will conclude with a Holy Hour from 2 to 3 p.m. Please call (715) 667-3372 or email srpetra@centurytel.net to make reservations.

Be A MAN OF THE CROSS! ~ It is in giving that we receive. This year's Men's Conference on Oct. 27 in La Crosse will challenge and equip men to pick up their cross in service to their family and parish! Encourage the men in your life to attend and become the man God made them to be. To register, go to www.menofthecross.org. Or email mensmin@diolc.org.

Permanent Deacon Ordination Oct. 27 ~ Five men will be ordained to the Permanent Diaconate by Bishop Callahan on Saturday, Oct. 27, at 9:30 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in La Crosse. They are Thomas Anderson of Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish in Wisconsin Rapids, Kevin Breit of St. Paul Parish in Mosinee, Kent Jacobson of St. Mary Parish in Galesville, Michael Lambrecht of St. Therese Parish in Rothschild, and Richard Skifton of Sacred Heart Parish in Nekoosa. A reception at La Crosse Center, 300 Harborview Plaza, will follow the Mass.

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

Going to Denny's for breakfast after Mass? Denny's gives a 7% rebate! You can get Denny's cards from the Scrip seller after Mass.