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PARISH AND SCHOOL

JANUARY 9, 2022



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Parish Information

EVENT CALENDAR

Sunday, Jan. 9 - Baptism of the Lord

8:00am Mass †Harold S. Koslo | Ad Orientem
10:30am Mass †Carol Mueller
12:00pm - 5:00pm Adoration
5:00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction

Monday, Jan. 10 - 1st week in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass at St. Anthony Parish
9:00am - 7:00pm Adoration
12:00pm Confessions
5:00pm Confessions at St. Anthony Parish
5:00pm Franciscan Peacemakers Sandwich Drop-east wing/
church

Tuesday, Jan. 11 - weekday

6:30am School Mass - †Erna Herr
9:00am Adoration at St. Anthony Parish
12:00pm Confessions
5:00pm Confessions at St. Anthony Parish
6:00pm Pastoral Council-St. Elizabeth Room
7:00pm Catholicism 101 with Fr. Linn-church

Wednesday, Jan. 12 - weekday

8:10am School Mass - †Jim Woelfel
Adoration at St. Anthony Parish
11:30am Grief Support Group meeting @ St. Anthony Parish
12:00pm Confessions
5:00pm Confessions at St. Anthony Parish

Thursday, Jan. 13 - St. Hilary

11:30am Senior Social-St. Clare/St. Francis Rooms
12:10pm Mass †James Ring | Ad Orientem
Adoration at St. Anthony Parish ending at 7:00pm
5:00pm Confessions at St. Anthony Parish

Friday, Jan. 14 - weekday

8:10am School Mass - †Mark Lohmann
9:00am - 1:00pm Adoration
12:00pm Confessions
5:00pm Confessions at St. Anthony Parish

Saturday, Jan. 15 - Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am Sp. Int. for Nancy Chenery | Ad Orientem
5:00pm †Peter Zignego

Sunday, Jan. 16-2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass †Edmund Springman
10:30am †Sheila Greco | Ad Orientem, Incense
2:00pm - 5:00pm Adoration
5:00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction

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Monday.....8am - 4pm
Tuesday.....8am - 4pm
Wednesday.....8am - 4pm
Thursday.....8am - 4pm
Friday.....8am - 4pm
Saturday.....Closed
Sunday.....Closed

Stewardship of Prayer

LITURGICAL ROLES

January 15, 16

Lectors

5:00pm Joan Phillips
8:00am Karen Zyszkiewicz
10:30am Rebecca Gill

Servers

5:00pm Jack Froelich, Logan Tappa, 1 more needed
8:00am Matthias Wiese, Ben Kuhn, Bobby Kohlmetz
10:30am PJ Rinzel, Matthew & Rachel Memory

Ushers

5:00pm Shane Bonner, Tim & Debbie Bonds, Peter Murphy
8:00am Tim, Henry, & Ben Pomroy, 1 more needed
10:30am Tory Schultz, Tom/Chloe Woznick, Joe Pless, 1 more needed

If you are able to fill any of the needs, please contact Sharon Memory, memories@stam.church.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Mary Bednarek	Jordan Frei	Jan Phillips
Levi Bridgeman	Patricia Gagnon	Matt Pierce
Debra & Chuck Christianson	Marge Goggins Filo	Don Rasmussen
Charles Copples	Jeff Gordon	Phil Reensburg
Justine Davis	Karen Hinaes	Rita Riemer
Joyce Dedrick	Kim Hotchkiss	Dorothy Roskopf
Bill Dondlinger	Jean Kurth	Joe Roskopf
Jennifer Duhring	Kevin Lawniczak	Mary Rouse
Coreen Ebert	Sr. Jane Mary	Margaret Schaefer
Bob & Marilyn Elger	Paul Marks	Audrey Seymour
Garry Engel	Marge Massart	Bill Shaska
Ivan Richard	Ruth Minue	Jim Stuer
Ferderbar	Laura Nagan	Karen Toebe
Don Roblee	Pete Nagan	Danno & Janet Walker
Tom Freckmann	Ron Nagan	
	Mark Petersen	

Take comfort in knowing your special needs or the needs of someone else will be remembered by our praying community. If you or someone close to you is in need of our prayers, you can request the Body of Christ Prayer Network to pray for your intentions. Your request will be kept confidential. Please contact Shirley Zuzick 262-251-3888 or ksuzick@sbcglobal.net

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Is 62:1-5
1 Cor 12:4-11
Jn 2:1-11

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

The Grief Support Group will continue in the new year. The first meeting for 2022 will be **Wednesday, January 12**. Meetings will take place at St. Anthony Parish in the CFC building on the second Wednesday of each month from 11:30am to 1pm. Lunch will be served

OUR ACTIVE MILITARY

Ben Baus, <i>son of Bob & Denise</i>	Matt Geisberger, <i>son of Glenn & Terri</i>
Brian Carlson, <i>brother of Caroline Harvey</i>	Payton Gill, <i>son of Bryan & Rebecca</i>
Katie Driscoll, <i>granddaughter of Mary Dorn</i>	Alex Laughton, <i>son of David & Kathy</i>
Michael Driscoll, <i>grandson of Mary Dorn</i>	Nathan Preder, <i>grandson of Theodora Kempf</i>
Baylee Fritz <i>daughter-in-law of Chris & Johanna</i>	Jesse Salomone, <i>son of Mike & Michele</i>

PRAY THE ROSARY

Tuesday after the 6:30am Mass Thursday 11:30am
Wednesday 7:30am Friday 7:30am

Weekly Adoration Schedule

Sunday 12pm-5pm | St. Mary Parish
Monday 9am-7pm | St. Mary Parish

Tuesday 9am - Thursday 7pm |
St. Joseph Chapel, St. Anthony Parish

Friday 9am-1pm | St. Mary Parish

ADORATION

To sign up for a weekly, biweekly or monthly Holy Hour visit adorationpro.org/maryanthonywi/ or use the QR code.

Hours we currently need filled:
Monday - 11am, 4pm, 5pm, 6pm
Tuesday - 11am, 4pm, 6pm, 11pm
Wednesday - 2 am
Thursday - 2am, 4am, 4pm
Friday - 10am



Lifelong Formation

FAITH FORMATION

Karissa Tousignant and Ellen Schlosser

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Our next Family Faith Formation evening is Tuesday January 18. We begin in St. Mary Parish church at 6:15pm with student classes and adult formation to follow. Fr. Linn will be presenting to our adults!

YOUTH GROUP

All sixth through twelfth grade students are invited to join us for our next youth group on Wednesday, January 12, from 7-9pm. We will meet in the youth room at St. Anthony Parish in the Adoration Chapel building. Please invite your friends!

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Our next young adult gathering is Friday, January 14, at 7pm. We will meet at St. Anthony Parish in the Adoration Chapel building. Please enter through the side door

WISCONSIN CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY - 2022

A powerful and prayerful day long worship experience for Catholic high school and middle school students from all over Wisconsin. This is a beautiful opportunity for teenagers to encounter Christ. Saturday, March 19, 10am - 6pm, Carroll University Sign up via the QR Code!



NET RETREAT - FEBRUARY 20, 2022

All sixth through twelfth grade students are encouraged to join us for NET retreat on Sunday, February 20. All faith formation students are asked to sign up for either the NET retreat or the Wisconsin Catholic Youth Rally. Our NET retreat runs from 10am to 5:30pm at St. Mary Parish School. Use the QR code to sign up.



National Evangelization Teams NET Ministries challenges young Catholics to love Christ and embrace the life of the Church. Every August, 175 young Catholics aged 18-28 leave behind their jobs, school, family, and friends to devote nine months to serving with the National Evangelization Teams (NET). Divided into 16 teams, they travel across the U.S. for nine months to share the Gospel with young people and their families.

CATECHIST ENRICHMENT NIGHT

Engaging Liturgy in Faith Formation with Joseph Heit, Seminarian

Thursday, January 20, 6pm (Dinner)

\$5 for Catechists from Waukesha Deaneries,

\$10 for Catechists from other Deaneries

6:45-8:15pm (Presentation)

St. John Neumann, 2400 W. State Rd. 59, Waukesha



COUNTERS NEEDED

We are in desperate need of more people to assist with the counting of our weekend collections.

Counting takes place at 9am on Mondays and takes about 90 minutes. This would be a once a month commitment.

Please call the parish office (262-251-0220) if you can help us out. Thank you for your consideration.

CATHOLICISM 101

Spiritual Talks on Faith Topics with our Associate Pastor, Fr. Andrew Linn

Tuesdays from 7-8:30pm in church at St. Mary, Mother of God Parish

January 11, 2022

March 22, 2022

January 25, 2022

April 26, 2022

February 8, 2022

May 10, 2022

February 22, 2022

May 24, 2022

March 8, 2022

Joseph Heit holds a Master of Arts in Liturgy (MAL) from the Liturgical Institute of the University of Saint Mary on the Lake in Mundelein, IL. He is currently a seminarian in third year theology at Saint Francis de Sales Seminary in Milwaukee. God willing, Joseph will be ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Prior to entering seminary, Joseph served in parish ministry for 13 years in formational, pastoral, and administrative roles. Join us for a special evening on the Mass. The Liturgy is a great treasure of resources for the Church. In this presentation, we will look at how the prayer and work of the Church, which is Liturgy, can be brought into faith formation to engage children and youth in the mystery of Christ. Come! Discover methods we can use as catechists to share the Mass! Use QR code to sign up.



FRANCISCAN PEACEMAKERS SANDWICH DROP

St. Mary Parish provides this outreach on the second Monday of each month. Our next date is **Monday, January 10**. Please drop off your bag lunches at the east wing between the church entrance and the parish office between 5-5:30pm. Questions? Contact Mike Reesman (253-0814).

JANUARY SCRIP DATES

SCRIP will be processed **Monday, January 17 and January 31**. Orders need to be dropped off to the **parish office** by 8am Monday and orders are ready for pick up on Wednesday of that week at the **school office**. If you have questions, contact Jerry Esser (jerryesser@sbcglobal.net). For those that would like to pick your orders up at the parish office, be sure to let Jerry know.



RAFFLE WINNERS!

Names will be in next weekend's bulletin!

GIVING TREE PROJECT THANK YOU

Thank you for all your generosity during the Advent Giving Tree Project. This year we were able to help 16 families, the Bruce Guadalupe School, and 3 Karen Refugee families. While we did struggle this year to fulfill all the needs, our last-minute email plea to the parish and the school helped us tremendously and we were just able to fulfill all the needs we were asked to fill. Thank you so much to everyone who donated toys and gift cards.

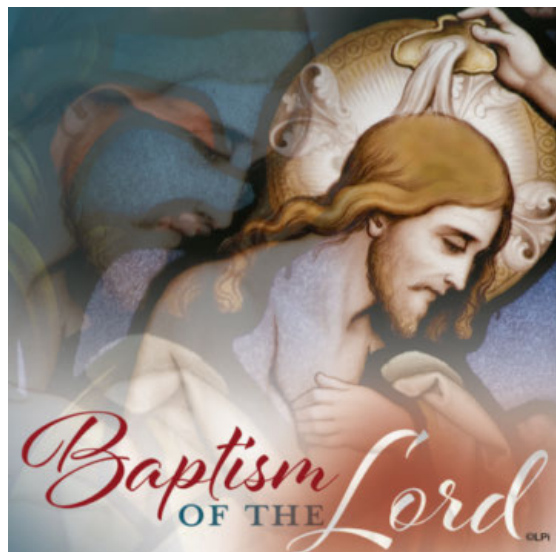
We would also like to give a great big thanks to all who helped with the tag preparation, tree decoration, label making, gift collecting, and sorting. We could not have done this project without your help!

On behalf of the Human Concerns Committee and the people we served, thank you for your generous donations of time and treasure. We wish you all blessings for a great new year!

Jenny Grieb and Chris Oliver

SENIOR SOCIAL

All seniors 55 and over are invited for our monthly luncheon on **Thursday, January 13**, in the St. Clare/St. Francis conference rooms (lower level of the Activity Center, handicap accessible). Lunch is served beginning at 11:30am with and cards and bingo to follow. Cost is \$4.00 at the door. To make a reservation or to order a meal to go or for more information contact **Karen Zyszkiewicz (414-355-1074)**.

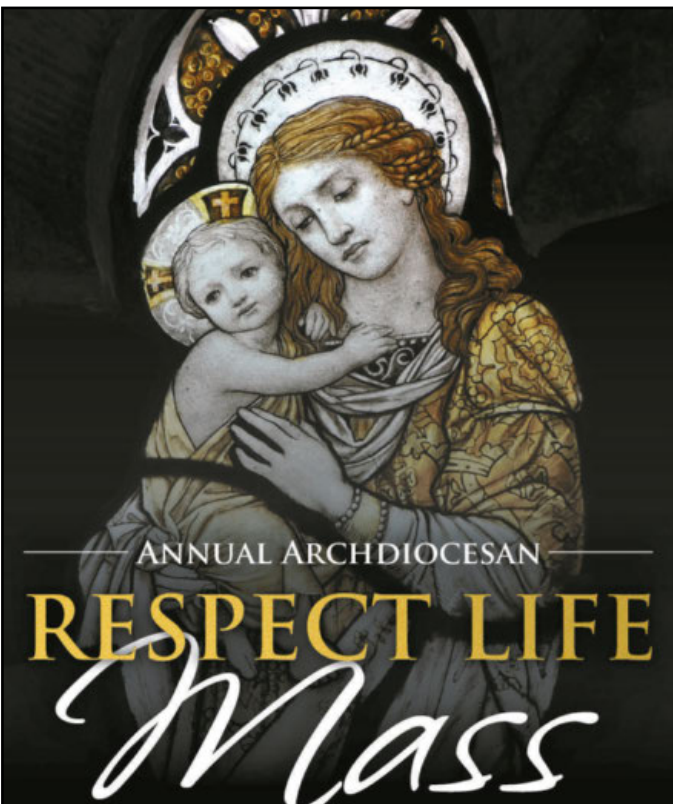


FEASTABLE THANK YOU

Many, many thanks to all who helped support the Feastable in 2021. The event was a little different this past year but we were able to have the event which was a step in the right direction over the previous year.

To all who helped prepare the food beforehand, by volunteering and working during the event, by buying and coming and picking up meals, by donating homemade desserts, and by purchasing raffle tickets, THANK YOU!

The net profit from the Feastable was \$6,228.54.



ANNUAL ARCHDIOCESAN
RESPECT LIFE
Mass

Saturday, January 22, 2022, 9 a.m.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH
8500 W. Cold Spring Road | Greenfield, WI 53228

All are invited to the annual Archdiocesan Respect Life Mass to observe the National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. Celebrated by Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKI, let's come together and pray in penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion, and for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life – from conception to natural death.

Questions? Deacon Jim Matthias, *Director of the Office for Respect Life Ministry* | matthiasj@archmil.org | 414-769-3454

ARCHDIOCESE OF MILWAUKEE

ST. MARY MOTHER OF GOD PARISH CENSUS 2022



Our last parish census was in 2001. A lot has changed since then. So, this year, we will be kicking off Census 2022 by asking all parish members to update their profiles and information. This census will provide valuable information to our staff so that we can better assist and minister to our parish community providing information updates, financial details on donations and maintaining sacramental records. Many of you have switched to cell phones, changed emails, and even moved. In the past year several parishioners have switched to online giving and no longer use envelopes or wish to receive a monthly stewardship letter.

Over the next few months, we will be providing more information on how to update your family information. Please help us save staff time and money by responding to the parish census and updating your information.

Please start with visiting stmaryparish.net and click on My Own Church Parishsoft under the About tab. Create an account if you are new or you can request a new password if it has been a while since your last login.

Paper forms will be coming in the next few weeks with more information. Thank you for your time and support with this project.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ST. MARY PARISH CONFERENCE

After Jesus was Baptized, He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice was heard. "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased". As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

As you help those who are suffering, know in your heart the truth of the words "you are my beloved with whom I am well pleased."

The St. Mary Parish St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) Conference is now in the fifth year of continuing the work of our founder, Frederick Ozanam. We answer God's call to service by providing emergency assistance to neighborhood families for the basics of rent, utilities, food, gas, clothing, or household goods. This assistance is only possible through the generosity of our parish. We strive to grow in our own faith, be examples of Christ's love in the world and to include an invitation to prayer and worship to those that are served.

If you know anyone in need in the parish or community, please reach out to us at 262-251-0220 or memorys@stam.church. All information is confidential.

Please consider joining the SVDP Conference. There are many ways to serve on the conference and we would love to have you! We are currently looking for volunteers.

ST. ANTHONY SERVES

On **Monday, January 24**, from 5-6pm in the CFC kitchen, our parish will support St. Anthony Serves partners FreshStart and StreetLife by collecting pre-made lunches that include a PB & J sandwich, fruit, chips, treat and drink. Questions? Please contact St. Anthony Serves Coordinator Judy Neale at 414-550-3528 or mneale@wi.rr.com.



TRUTH BE TOLD

Study of the Gospel of Mark

In the Gospel of Mark, they who have eyes to see can see Jesus is the bread of life, who performs the mighty works of God. Join us for this six-week journey as we clarify our understanding of who Jesus is for us through the "good news" of Mark.

**Mondays, January 31-March 7
10-11:30 a.m.**

Each session meets at Firstfruits Women's Center in Elm Grove.

For more information and event registration,
please visit firstfruits.info/events or
contact Joan Carey at firstfruits.joan@gmail.com.

ST. MARY PARISH DINNER & AUCTION GALA 2022

March 12, at Davians
N56W16300 Silver Spring Drive
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051
5:30pm



The St. Mary Parish Auction is one of our biggest fundraisers that supports our parish community. This event has helped to renovate both the parish and the school buildings and allowed us to enhance our facilities to create welcoming events, learning environments and worship spaces to achieve our parish-school mission.

If you are interested in helping to plan, organize or support this event, please contact Sharon Memory (memorys@stam.church) for more information.

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