

ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH

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August 8, 2021

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To be appointed....

Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses

9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Daily Masses (Monday through Friday)

8:00 a.m.

Penance

Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Arrange with Pastor

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MASSES THIS WEEK

Sun., August 8th

I Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:30-5:2; John 6:41-51
4:00 p.m. Evelyn Krause (family)
10:00 a.m. Franjo Cibarić (brother, Petar)

Mon., August 9th

Deut. 10:12-22; Matthew 17:22-27
8:00 a.m. Special Intention

Tues., August 10th St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

II Cor 9:6-10; John 12:24-26
8:00 a.m. Marija Golomejic (Petar Cibarić)

Wed., August 11th St. Clare, Virgin

Deut. 34:1-12; Matthew 18:15-20
8:00 a.m. Special Intention

Thurs., August 12th

Joshua 3:7-11, 13-17; Matthew 18:21-19:1
8:00 a.m. Deceased Priests - Josie Panhans

Fri., August 13th

Joshua 24:1-13; Matthew 19:3-12
8:00 a.m. Special Intention

Sat., August 14th St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr

Joshua 24:14-29; Matthew 19:13-15
8:00 a.m. No Service

Sun., August 15th Assumption of the BVM

Rv 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; I Cor 15:20-27; Luke 1:39-56
4:00 p.m. Mary Rose Rukavina (Josie Panhans)
10:00 a.m. Andja Cibarić (Olga Dodja)

MINISTRIES NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 15TH

4:00 p.m. Reader: G. Chiconas

10:00 a.m. Reader: P. Rebro

Last Sunday's Collection: \$2,040.00

2021 Summer Calendar Raffle Winners

- July 30th - Jackie Ellington - #348
- July 31st - Anna Warner - #431
- August 1st - Chris Schachel - #474
- August 2nd - Dennis Dorran - #284
- August 3rd - Pat Rogutich - #455
- August 4th - Rick Dostalek - #430
- August 5th - Debbie Koch - #1

Congratulations to our winners!



We are in Great Need of Prizes:

Help make our Parish Festival a great success by donating prizes for the games and raffles. All prizes are greatly appreciated! There is a Prize Box in the vestibule for both adult and children's prizes. New Items Please!

Today's Theme

*I am the living bread that came down from heaven;
Whoever eats the bread will live forever;
and the bread that I will give is my flesh
for the life of the world.*

Readings for Today

First Reading

*He got up, ate, and drank; then strengthened by that food,
he walked forty days and forty nights to the mountain
of God, Horeb. (1 Kgs 19:8)*

The prophet Elijah was exhausted and literally prayed for death. The Lord answered his prayer by sending Elijah food and drink for strength. How do you encourage others in your life who are spiritually drained?

Second Reading

*So be imitators of God, as beloved children,
and live in love, as Christ loved us and handed himself
over for us as a sacrificial offering
to God for a fragrant aroma. (Eph 5:1-2)*

Paul held Christian communities to very high standards of conduct. How well do you think your faith community holds to these standards today?

Gospel

*"No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me
draw him, and I will raise him on the last day." (Jn 6:44)*
We hear today John's account of Jesus' rejection by his own people. The Jews struggled to think of Jesus as "the living bread that came down from heaven." What are some of Jesus' words that cause you to struggle?

M.Q.S.C.A.: On July 13, we had a meet and greet with myself and Fr. Matthew taking turns in a dunk tank. The West Allis Police and Fire Depts. both came to the event. The West Allis Knights of Columbus Council cooked hamburgers and brats and also committed to making a \$10,000.00 donation to the school. A huge thank you to Rich Beres and the West Allis Knights of Columbus Council for their generosity, and to all who participated! We are now ramping up to the start of the new school year. We are excited to be fully open, with K3-8th Grade classrooms, before and after school, and after school clubs. We are actively recruiting for our K3, K4, and K5 classrooms that were the most affected by the pandemic, please spread the word that our parish school is offering these early education opportunities. MQSCA is fully staffed and excited for our first day of school on August 23, 2021. I look forward to the new school year and working with the West Allis Parishes!

In Christ, *Nick Lee, Principal*



St. Lawrence: Little is known about Lawrence other than he was a deacon during the reign of Emperor Valerian from 253–259. In 258, Valerian began a persecution of the Roman Church. Lawrence was in charge of the purse for the Church of Rome. Roman officials demanded that the riches of the church be handed over to them. Lawrence asked for a few days to gather them. Lawrence took the money he had charge over and distributed it to the poor of Rome. Then he gathered all the homeless and poor together. When the officials came again demanding the riches of the church, Lawrence pointed to the destitute and homeless, saying that these were the true riches of the church. For this he was imprisoned and tortured, and put to death by burning on a gridiron. It is said that as he was dying, he told his executioners to turn him over because he was done on one side and needed to be fully cooked for the Lord. Lawrence continues to be a model for us today. The church needs continual reminders that its riches are the people. The primary purpose and mission of the church is to be continually sensitive to the needs of all God's people, most especially the least of our brothers and sisters.

The Feast for this disciple of the Lord is Tuesday, August 10th, Mass at 8:00 a.m.

St. Clare of Assisi: As a girl in 12th century Italy, Clare heard the legendary St. Francis preaching in the square below her family home. Inspired, Clare snuck away in the middle of the night to join Francis and his followers. Francis cut her hair like the men and gave her a rough tunic and veil to wear. For the



sake of propriety, Clare was placed in a Benedictine nun monastery for several years. As more women were drawn to the simple spirituality, a new order was founded, now known as the Poor Clares. Despite requests from the pope himself to relax their vow of poverty, Clare stood firm in following the spirit of St. Francis. Clare's reputation for virtue spread and attracted women -- rich and poor alike -- to the new order that still exists today. Mass for the Feast of St. Clare is Wednesday, August 11th, 8:00 a.m.

The Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary

What lessons should I learn from the Assumption of Mary?
Growing in holiness is similar to training in a sport. We need someone to show us how we can live our faith well. Mary is a model of sanctity. She shows us how to be faithful to God's will, living each day with confidence in God's mercy and love. At the Nativity, in Jesus' public ministry, and at the Crucifixion, we see her steadfast trust. She allows the Lord to use her life to accomplish his plan for her and for all of us. In the Preface of the Mass for the Assumption of Mary, we pray: "For today the Virgin Mother of God was assumed into heaven as the beginning and image of your Church's coming to perfection and a sign of sure hope & comfort to your pilgrim people." Mary, a Church Model. It is this image of holiness that we strive to imitate. In the office, at home, or in our community, we look for signs of God's grace that call us to an ever greater love of him and each other. A greater awareness of God is a sign of our conversion of heart that lives the lessons Mary teaches.

Mass is at 4:00 p.m. (Saturday) & 10:00 a.m. (Sunday)

This is a holy day of obligation on which Catholics should come to Mass.

Church Festival Raffles

Saturday, August 28th
1:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Volunteers Needed
Sign up sheet in the vestibule

Live Music by
Bobby Way & the Fabulous Wayouts
(2-6 p.m.)
Shag (7-11 p.m.)

Raffle Drawings 8:00 p.m.

Chicken Dinners - Brats - Brisket
Hot dogs - Beer & Soda
Children & Adult Games

Food - Fun - Prizes & More
Come Join the fun!!

The Glow of Summer: During these last days of summer, take time to admire the beauty of nature; see the hand of God at work in the greens, flowers and vegetables. Remember, this same God is at work within our hearts and minds always bringing forth even more glorious growth.



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