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A New Bishop Pope Francis announced this past Tuesday. March 19, that he had accepted Bishop William Callahan's retirement request and appointed Bishop Gerard Battersby to succeed him and serve as the 11th Bishop of the Diocese of La Crosse.



Bishop Battersby was born on May 15, 1960. In 1993, he entered Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit and received a Master of Divinity degree in 1998. After ordination to the priesthood, he served in parish ministry for ten years. He then served at Sacred Heart Major Seminary where he was appointed Vice-Rector and Dean of Formation in

2011. He was ordained as an Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Detroit and Moderator of its South Region in January 2017.

Bishop Battersby will be installed as the Bishop of the Diocese of La Crosse on May 20 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in La Crosse. Please keep him in your prayers.



Domestic Church *Domestic Church* is a movement for sacramentally married couples, fostering Catholic Christian community and lifelong spiritual formation through small groups and retreats. It draws its inspiration from the Catechism of the Catholic Church,

which describes the family as the ecclesia domestica or the domestic church. Couples involved in Domestic Church experience personal and shared spiritual growth, finding support to deepen their unity, pass on their faith to their children, and navigate faithful Catholic living amidst contemporary challenges.

There will be a retreat for those interested in considering becoming involved with the *Domestic Church* movement on April 13-14 in



■ Wisconsin Rapids and a potential retreat here in Marshfield later this fall. For more information and to let us know if you are interested, please scan the QR code to the left or visit https://forms.gle/cQRBCKvg4kMdtLQq5

Diocesan Annual Appeal As you know, our Diocesan Annual Appeal funds the critical activities of seminarian education, Catholic school resources, and charitable outreach, which are vital for maintaining church ministries and fostering community growth and vibrancy. Every parishioner's support is crucial for the Appeal's success in advancing our Catholic mission of faith, education, and service. Sadly, this late into the Appeal, only 16% or only 121 families out of 746 families from Our Lady of Peace Parish have made a pledge or donation to this year's Annual Appeal; equally as sad, only 15% or 59 families out of 402 families from Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish have made a pledge or donation. Our Lady of Peace is short \$73,361.00 of its Appeal Goal and Sacred Heart of Jesus is short \$23,940.00. If you have not yet made a



pledge or donation, please scan the QR code to the left pledge or donation, please scan the set code to the or go to https://diolc.org/donate-online/ and do so. Thank you for your support.

That Man Is You All men are invited this Tuesday, April 2, at 6:00 a.m. in Dillenburg Hall at Our Lady of Peace.



Saint of the week

Venerable Francis-Xavier Nguyễn Văn Thuận, was a cardinal from Huế, Vietnam. Imprisoned for his faith for 13 vears, nine of which were in solitary confinement, he never stopped preaching, even from scraps of prison paper. Once released, he continued to serve the Church until his death.

Prayer of Blessing

Dear Lord,

Pour your blessings upon us today, we who trust in your name and call upon you. Send us your Spirit, enlighten our hearts, fill our lives with your abundance. Amen.

Readings for the week of March 31, 2024

Sunday:

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

Monday:

Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday:

Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/ Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday:

Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/ Lk 24:13-35

Thursday:

Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/ Lk 24:35-48

Friday:

Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday:

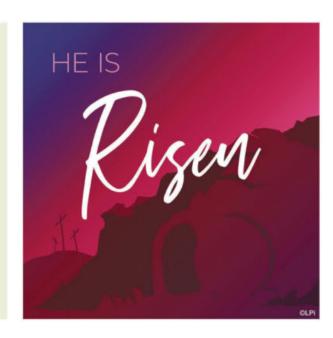
Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday:

Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/ 1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31



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Gospel Meditation

Outside Chicago, there is a small cemetery in the woods behind Mundelein Seminary, where I was a student. One night I was exploring it. I looked up and was shocked to see an imposing seventeen-foot angel towering over me and preparing to blow a trumpet. Adrenaline rushed through me. I gasped and uttered, "Oh my God!" Quickly I realized it was in fact a massive bronze statue. I tried to calm myself down. But it still freaked me out.

As we begin to celebrate Easter today, this image might seem a bit unnerving. But please recall that for the first disciples on the morning of the resurrection, it was precisely that. It wasn't joyful at first, it was terrifying. It wasn't peaceful, it was unsettling. In that Jerusalem cemetery, something otherworldly had happened. Angels announced that he was no longer dead, but alive. They had blown their trumpets, so to speak, and Jesus had risen. Soon the disciples' shock in that dark cemetery would turn into joy.

We all have our own places of the dead, too, don't we? Deceased loved ones. Our tired patterns of blame. Relationships stuck in resentment. Indifference to the poor. Lost dreams. Despair about our future. Fear of sickness and death. These are our "cemeteries" where we don't expect much to happen. Today we enter — if we dare — those places with the disciples. See the mighty angel standing there, trumpet ready to blare!

- Father John Muir

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Questions of the Week

First Reading

In his speech, Peter places much emphasis on his personal witness to the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

To whom this week could you witness your faith in the resurrection of Jesus?

Second Reading

Paul taught the believers in Colossae to anticipate the return of the resurrected Jesus. How does your family celebrate Easter Sunday?

Gospel Question

Mary Magdala, Peter, and the Beloved Disciple were the first to experience the joy and mystery of the empty tomb. Do you recall when you first started believing in the resurrection of Jesus?



Mass Intentions for the Week of March 31, 2024

Tuesday, April 2nd

7:00 am (Columbus Chapel)

Pro Populo

8:00 am (Our Lady of Peace)

Living & Deceased Members of the Marshfield Area Catholic Missionaries by Marjorie Oppman

Wednesday, April 3rd

7:00 am (Columbus Chapel)

† Victor Ejercito by The Ejercito Family

8:00 am (Sacred Heart)

† Souls in Purgatory by Ben Lang

† Duane & Marian David by Patti David

Thursday, April 4th

8:00 am (Our Lady of Peace)

† Willis Sr. & Jeanne David by The David Family

2:00 pm (Marshfield Care Center)

† Kevin Kennow by Mary Jo Kennow

Friday, April 5th

7:00 am (Columbus Chapel)

† Bill Binder by Kelly Weiler

5:30 pm (Sacred Heart)

† James Hackman by Joanne Hackman

Saturday, April 6th

4:00 pm (Our Lady of Peace)

† Lloyd Adler by Margie Adler

Sunday, April 7th

8:00 am (Sacred Heart)

† Bob Herkert by Ruth Herkert

† Vi Charron by Joyce Lawrence

10:00 am (Our Lady of Peace)

† Joseph & Betty Bohman by Bohman Family

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Toot Tootsie The Knights of Columbus will be selling Tootsie Rolls after the Masses on April 13 and 14. Proceeds go to help those with disabilities.

Save the Date The dedication and open house for the new Sacred Heart Jesus Parish Hall will be on Sunday, May 5, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Mark your calendars. All are welcome!



Mother-Son Game Night 2024 will be next Saturday, April 6, after the 4:00 p.m. Mass with dinner, games, *Minute to Win It* challenges, and professional

photography by Paul Tishim available for purchase. To sign up, go to olpmarshfield.com and click on the link to sign up.



The Marshfield Deanery is sponsoring a bus for those wishing to attend our diocesan Eucharistic Rally, *The Answer*, on Friday, June 7. The bus will

leave St. John Parish at 7:00 a.m. and return at 7:00 p.m. The day will feature a Eucharistic procession; Mass; speakers Chris Stefanick and Immaculee Ilibagiza; and free time for opportunities to go to Confession, visit the Adoration Chapel, visit booths, eat, etc. The cost is \$25 (there is a \$0.50 discount for each additional ticket purchased). You can sign up and pay online by going to olpmarshfield.com and clicking *The Answer* icon. If you do not have access to the internet or do not have a credit or debit card, please contact the parish offices to make arrangements.

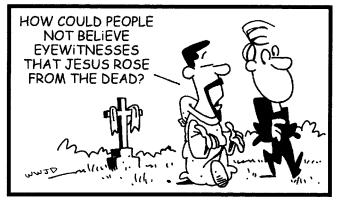
Spiritual Care and Spiritual Services If you or a loved one are hospitalized at the Marshfield Medical Center and would like to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing, please contact the Hospital Spiritual Services Office and they will happily arrange it for you.

Pro-Life Wisconsin The Pro-Life Wisconsin Annual Spring Social will be held at The Lodge in Mauston from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 18. Tickets are \$40 for dinner and testimony of sidewalk counselor Don Hudzinski. Please call 262-796-1111 Ext 116 to reserve your spot.

Thank You Thanks to everyone who helped to make our celebration of the Holy Week, the Sacred Triduum and Easter Sunday so beautiful. Your time and efforts are very much appreciated.



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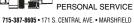
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