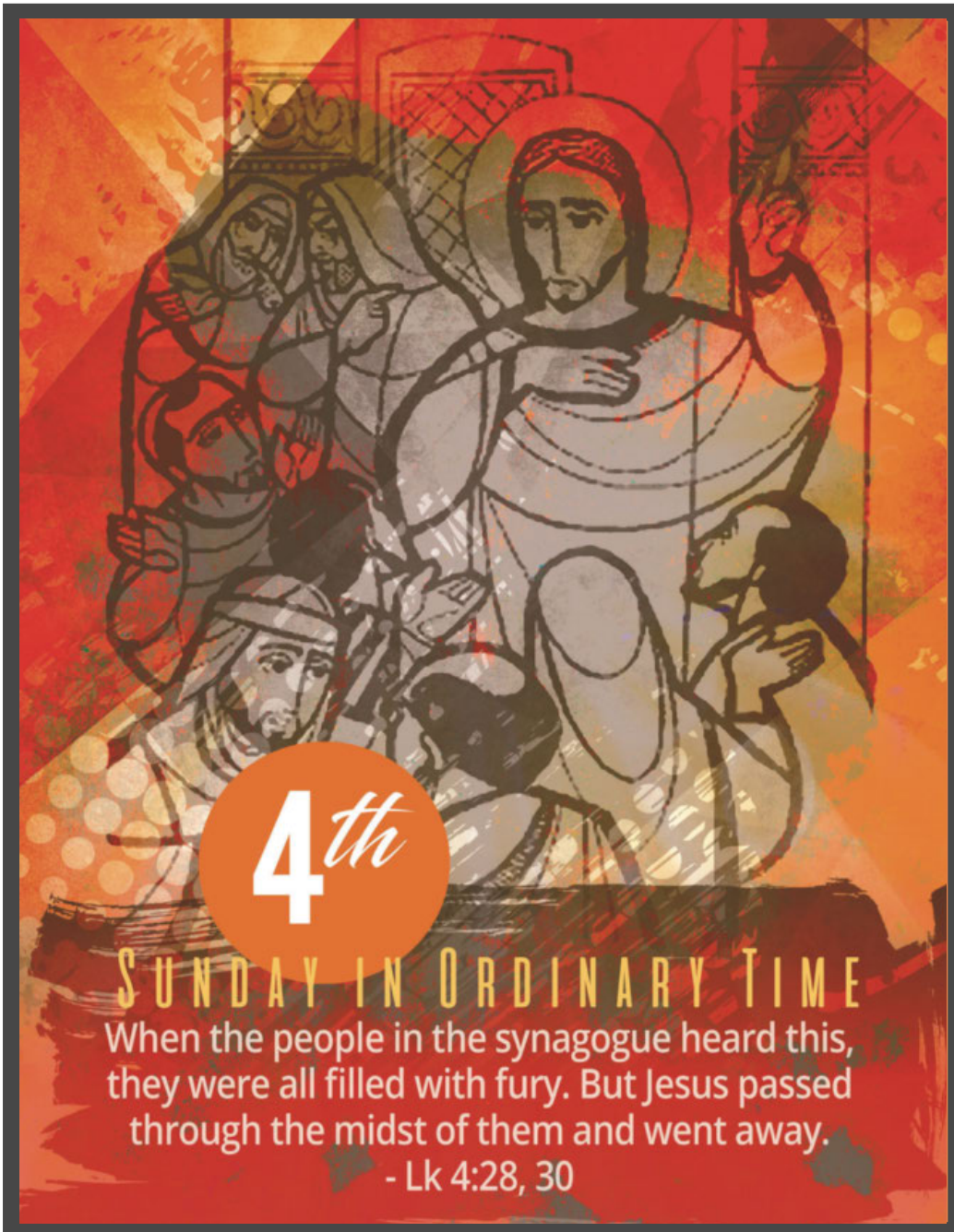


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January 30, 2021



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Monday, Wednesday - Friday

9:00am-2:00pm

Tuesday **CLOSED**

*(When schools are closed
due to inclement weather, the
SSPP office will also be closed.)*

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HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Saturday Vigil	4:30 PM
Sunday Masses	8:00 AM
	10:00 AM
Tuesday	5:15 PM
Wed-Saturday	8:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

Tuesday	4:15—5:00 PM
Wed-Friday	7:00—7:45 AM
Saturday	7:00—7:45 AM
	11:00AM—Noon

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE & PARISH NEWS

Monday, January 31st

St. John Bosco, Priest & Religious Founder

No Mass

Tuesday, February 1st

5:15pm † Kathleen Kedrowicz

Wednesday, February 2nd

The Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas)

8:00am † Helen Leitermann

1:00pm **ACS All School Mass** Intentions of the Students, Staff, & Benefactors of ACS

Thursday, February 3rd

St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop

8:00am † Robert Schaller, Sr.

6:00pm **Yarn Central Gathering**

Friday, February 4th

8:00am † Richard Kalscheur

9:00am **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**

Saturday, February 5th

St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

8:00am † Maria Taylor-Runstrom

4:30pm † Norman Saeger

6:00pm & 7:30pm **Ballroom Dance Classes**

Sunday, February 6th

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am † Alex Peplinski

10:00am SSPP Parishioners

After 10am Mass **SSPP Donut Sunday**

CHURCH SUPPORT

January 15/16

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 5,399.00
E-giving	\$ 375.00
Plate	\$ 575.00
Total	\$ 6,349.00
Weekly Budget	\$ 7,400.00
Church Support YTD	\$239,421.22
Annual Budget YTD	\$214,600.00
Catholic Life Subscription (running total)	\$ 205.00

Annual Appeal

as of January 25, 2022

Target	\$46,650.00
Total Pledges	\$32,033.00
Balance for target	\$14,617.00
Number of Donors: 69 of 371 families (avg pledge \$464)	

Readings for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/1 Cor 12:31 – 13:13/Lk 4:21-30

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 – 19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40

Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/1 Cor 15:1-11/Lk 5:1-11



Altar of Repose Votive Candles

This week's candles on the Altar of Repose for the
[open]

Mass of Christian Burial

From the parish family of SS Peter & Paul, our sympathies go out to the family of † **Bernadette Gerum**, whose Mass of Christian Burial was Thursday, January 27. She is in our prayers.
Requiescat in pace.

Baptism

Congratulations to the families of **Theodore James Kearns** & **Noelle Therese Schey**, baptized Sunday, January 23!



Baptism Classes

Baptism classes will be offered...

6:30pm, May 19 & 20, 2022

6:30pm, Sep. 15 & 16, 2022

Attending a baptism class *before* the birth of your child is recommended. Please call the parish office at 715-423-1351 if you plan to attend. Thank you!

PARISH NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scrip News

Did you know when you use a scrip gift card to pay for your groceries, SSPP earns “free” money?
 Stop by the scrip table after Mass & exchange your cash or check for a gift card so when you buy groceries next week & pay with your gift card, SSPP will earn money.

Yarn Central Gathering

**6-8pm, Feb. 3 @ SSPP School
 (1st & 3rd Thursdays)**

Knitters, spinners, crocheters: drop in with a project & spend a couple hours with other fiber artists to gather, work, & share projects.

**All skill levels
 are encouraged to drop in!**

For more info, contact Teri Jaeger at teri.jaeger@outlook.com, 715-323-5513.
 See you there!



PCCW - St. Patrick Unit 6 Meeting

9:30am, Thu, Feb. 10 @ SSPP church basement

All ladies of the parish are invited.
 Joyce Zimmerman will be our hostess.

Men’s Holy League

The Men’s Holy League will next be meeting
6:00pm, Fri, Feb. 11 @ SS Peter & Paul
 If there are enough people, there will be refreshments.

Seven Sorrows Novena

The parish is doing the Seven Sorrows novena on **Fridays** again this year,
Feb. 18-Apr. 15 (Good Friday), at 5pm.
 Included with the novena will be Exposition, Adoration, concluding with Benediction.



Brewing Truth Cor Jesu

6:30pm, Fri, Feb. 4 @ St. Philip, Rudolph
 6957 Grotto Ave, Rudolph, WI 54475



Join us for an hour of Eucharistic adoration, confession, & music to grow closer to the Heart of Jesus.
 Social for youth & young adults with snacks & fun to follow. For more info, email angelica.schutz@acswr.org

Kindergarten Registration Night

4-6pm, Thu, Feb. 2 @ OLQH school

You will need to bring:
 Your child’s birth certificate
 Your child’s immunization records



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Featured this month

Movie: *God’s Doorkeeper: St. André of Montreal*
 Ebook: *Prepare the Way of the King - Scott Hahn*
 Study: *FORMED Now! How to Pray*

St. Adalbert Catholic School Breakfast Event

8:30am-Noon, Jan. 30 @ St Adalbert School
 3315 St. Adalbert Rd, Rosholt, WI 54473

All You Can Eat!

Adults \$10 / Ages 6-12 \$5 / Ages 5&under Free
 Menu: Made-from-scratch potato & regular pancakes w/ bacon, sausage, scrambled eggs, toast, hashbrowns, desserts, orange juice, milk, & coffee.

SELLING PONCZKAS! No early sales.

Cash & Prize Raffle:

Drawing at noon, need not be present to win.

Historic Point Basse presents... Wakely’s Winter Feast

4pm, Sat, Feb. 19

@ Nekoosa Area Senior Community Center
 416 Crestview Ln, Nekoosa

4pm Gathering begins / **4:50pm** Feast
6:30pm Program

Tickets: \$20 (or \$25 at the door)

Tickets available at Family Natural Foods, Daly Drug, & Beaver’s Variety Store.

The feast will feature two domestic meats, various wild game, & other delectable from Mary’s kitchen.
 The meal will be followed by entertainment.

For more info, call 715-459-1722
 or visit historicpointbasse.com.

From Live and Learn and Pass It On, by H. Jackson Brown, Jr. (A compilation of wisdom from people of all ages and walks of life.)

“I’ve learned that the kind of adults my children are now is directly related to the kind of children I continually told them they were.” (Age 50)

“I’ve learned that when I walk into my room at the end of the day, I always feel better if my bed is made.” (Age 21)

“I’ve learned that love, not time, heals all wounds.” (Age 14)

From the Pastor's Desk



The last several weeks I have written about the Sacrament of Marriage. Today I would like to write about how best to prepare for marriage. One

thing young people can do to prepare for marriage even before they meet their future spouse is to adopt a respectful attitude about marriage. This is something which is more likely caught, rather than taught, by the example of their own parents. As a young person begins to notice members of the opposite sex, it is important that a true respect for others be fostered. Those girls in your school or college are, most likely, someone's future wife. Those boys in your school or college are, most likely, someone's future husband. One must recognize the inherent dignity of each person so that you don't look at or treat others as mere objects of desire to be used for one's own pleasure. Each man, each woman, is a person to be loved, not a thing to be used. In order for marriage to be a true union of love – and not simply an arrangement where two people agree to use each other – a habit of respect must be established beforehand. The best way to ensure a faithful relationship within marriage is to practice chastity before marriage. Chastity is not the mere absence of sexual activity. It is the integration of a person's physical and spiritual reality. One cannot use sex now only as a means of pleasure before marriage, and then expect it later to be the means of expressing love within marriage. God made us in such a way that a man and woman (husband and wife) express and deepen their love through the intimacy of sexual union. This is a good gift from God! Because it is a good gift it ought not to be misused. The world in which we live often presents a different view of sexuality and marriage. And what are the results? Great confusion and a great deal of heartache. Try God's way. It's true, it's good, it's beautiful! And it works!

Lent begins in a little over a month from now! I am asking all parishioners to collect the palms from last year (or past years) and place them in the basket in the Holy Family Cenacle. I'll burn them Sunday, February 27 after the 10am Mass and use the ashes for Ash Wednesday (March 2).

May God bless you!
Fr. Schaller

5th Week Offertory

Starting this year, the loose cash offertory for the 5th week of the month when it occurs (4x a year) will be for local and parish works of charity.

Sun, Jan. 30, the weekend's offertory will go to First Choice Pregnancy Resource Center.

SSPP Donut Sunday!

Everyone is invited to the "SSPP Donut Sunday" social

**after the 10am Mass
Sunday, February 7**

in the church basement social hall.
Sponsored by St. Gianna PCCW unit.



**Palm Burning
Bring in your old palms!**

Sun, Feb. 27, after 10am Mass...

Fr. Schaller will be burning palms. A basket for your old palms is located in the Holy Family Cenacle.



Souper Bowl Weekend

Please bring your donation of cans of soup or boxes of crackers to the church **now until the weekend of Feb. 12/13**. This will help restock the shelves of our local food pantry. Boxes will be provided in which to put the food at each entrance. **The donations will be taken to the food pantry on February 13th.**

For questions, call Steve Janowiak at 715-423-1283.



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Thu, Feb. 3	9am-12pm
Fri, Feb. 4	9am-12pm
Mon, Feb. 7	9am-12pm

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