



Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8am–3:30pm • Friday: 8am–12:00 noon
Scrip is available for purchase during parish office hours.

PARISH STAFF

Business Manager Janeen Sievers
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CONFESSION

Saturday: 8:30am–9:30am and 3:00pm–3:50pm
First Friday: 8:30am–9:30am with Eucharistic Exposition
• Any time by appointment by contacting the parish office.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Please contact the parish to schedule a baptism meeting and request a date for the celebration of baptism. Parents are encouraged to attend before the birth of their child.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Couples requesting the celebration of Marriage should contact the parish at the time of formal engagement or at least six months prior to the anticipated date of marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In case of emergency only, when someone is dying, please call the pastor's emergency line at 715-629-9952. This number is for emergencies only. Those who are seriously ill or have been sick for a long time should receive the Sacraments. Please call the parish to make arrangements or to schedule a non-emergency visit for those who are sick or homebound.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF HEAVEN SCHOOL

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NEW PARISHIONERS

All new families are most welcome to the parish and are kindly asked to register at the parish office as soon as possible. A registration form may be downloaded at www.our-lady.org/contact. Current parishioners are kindly asked to inform the office of any address, telephone, or family status changes.

UPCOMING BAPTISM CLASS

The next baptism preparation class will be held on **Tuesday, September 6th at 5:30 pm**. The class fee is \$20. Parents should be registered in the parish. Practice of the faith by parents is expected. Please contact the parish office to register.

PARISH BOOK OF PRAYER

Prayer requests may be written in our Parish Book of Prayer which is located in the gathering area by the offices. A general petition for all prayer requests written in the book is offered at all Sunday Masses.

PRAYER CHAIN: Please call **Mary Kobza** at 715-421-0447 with your intentions.

SUNDAY EVENING MASS

A deanery-wide Sunday evening Mass is held each Sunday night at 5:00 PM at St. Lawrence Parish.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING FOR AUGUST 28, 2022



General	\$5,257.00
Plate	\$938.00
Building Maintenance	\$305.00
Feast of the Assumption	\$120.00
Total	\$6,620.00

LECTIONARY READINGS

Readings for the week of September 4, 2022

Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: 1 Cor 6:1-11/Ps 149/Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45/Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps /Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84/Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116/Lk 6:43-49

Next Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51/1 Tm 1:12-17/
Lk 15:1-32

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SANCTUARY CANDLES



The Sanctuary Candles burn the week of September 2– September 9 in memory of

For Scott Lobner
By: Mom



Oliver Pulsifer & Katelin Kerkman (1)



Please remember in your prayers

Clarice Plowman

May God grant her eternal rest.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CALENDAR

Thursday, September 8: Council Officer's meeting at Our Lady Queen of Heaven cafeteria at 6:30 pm with the Council Meeting starting at 7:00 pm. Recognition of 25, 50, and 60-year members will occur for the years 2020, 2021, and 2022.

Monday, September 12: The [Fourth Degree Monsignor Reding General Assembly No. 1218](#) is celebrating its **100-year anniversary** (October 1, 1922, to October 1, 2022). The celebration will be at Sacred Heart Church in Nekoosa starting at 5:30 pm with the social hour, and dinner will be at 6:30 pm. Invitations have been sent.

A Pro-Life Rosary will be said on Monday, September 12th at 4:00 pm along Eighth Street. All are welcome to join us. We will gather in Grace's parking lot at 3:45.



Wisconsin Rapids Area Serra Club

The Serra Club of Wisconsin Rapids invites you to learn more about our unique group who have made a commitment to support those who choose a Catholic religious vocation with our prayers and donations. We meet the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at 11:45am. For more information, please contact Phil Parker at 715-459-7204.

Picnic Raffle Ticket Winners

\$1,000.00.....Karen Schooley
\$300.00.....Ken Henke
\$200.00....Jerry Joosten
\$100.00....Stacy Reeder

The winner of the doll house was Nancy Anderson.

Christian Initiation (RCIA)

In celebrating this month of Our Lady's final journey to God in her glorious Assumption, let us ask her motherly intercession to draw souls to the Sacred Heart of her Son. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey too - of conversion to God and what He intends for us. RCIA is the process by which persons who were never baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition, become members of the Church, a people on pilgrimage to our Heavenly Father. Please contact Rebecca Zalar at reoffice@our-lady.org or 715-423-1251.

2022-2023 Religious Ed Registrations

Registration forms are available on our website at www.our-lady.org for grades 1-10 and Confirmation.

The Gift of Being a Catechist!

One of the greatest gifts we can give is to share ourselves and our faith. We are in need of catechists (teachers) and classroom aides in various grade levels. Classes begin in September and are held on Wednesday evenings, 6-7:15pm. We provide lesson plans and teaching support. Can you help this important ministry of our parish? Please contact Rebecca Zalar, reoffice@our-lady.org or 715-423-1251.

Adult Faith Formation—Viewing of The Woman

Join us for a viewing of the documentary *The Woman*.
When: September 8 at 9am and 6:00pm.
Where: Gathering Space
Refreshments and a light snack will be provided.
For more information and to check out future opportunities check out our website at / www.our-lady.org/adult-faith-formation.html.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is offered in the Wisconsin Rapids Deanery at the following locations and times:

LEVEL 1 - 3-6 year olds

Tuesdays from 10-11:30am at OLQH

Fridays from 9-10:15am at SSPP

Fridays from 9:30-11am at SP

LEVEL 1 - 3-6 year olds & LEVEL 2 - 6-9 year olds

Wednesdays from 6-7:30pm at SP

LEVELS 1, 2, and 3 are also offered during the school day at Assumption Catholic Schools

The programs will begin middle to late September, so we would like registrations by the end of August. If you are interested in more information or want to register your child, contact us at cgs@acsww.org. Your email will be directed to the appropriate catechist who will respond from his or her personal email. If you are interested in more information about the Catechesis Program, you may find information at the national website: <https://www.cgsusa.org/>

Mission Rosary Makers—The next date is Wednesday, September 7th. Please join us in the cafeteria from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. All are welcome to join us.



Adult Bible Study

Is the Mass biblical? Why do Catholics do what they do at Mass? In 10 beautifully produced lessons

Parousia: The Bible and the Mass will answer these questions and more! Join us on September 15 at 9:00am or 6:00pm for the Bible Study. Cost for a study book is \$22. Those who do not want to purchase a book are more than welcome to join us.

Religious Ed Volunteers Needed

We are in need catechists for grades 3, 5, 7 and a catechist aid for grade 8. We provide lesson plans and support for each catechist. Parents who are interested in teaching as a catechist, tuition will be waived for all of their children for 2022-2023 year. Please contact Rebecca at reoffice@our-lady.org or 715-423-1251.

St. James

CHARCOAL CHICKEN DINNER

September 25th

MASS
10:00 Mass
St. James Catholic Church
Vesper, WI



MEAL
11:00-1:00
Charcoal Chicken Dinner
\$12 per plate
(includes ½ chicken, baked potato, beans, coleslaw, dinner roll, & dessert)
Carryouts Available

KIDS
Kids Hot Dog Plate
\$3 per plate
Bake Sale, Kids Games, and Root Beer Floats



PLEASE SLOW DOWN IN OUR PARKING LOT

Running Late? Every now and then things get away from us and we get a late start to our day. Please do not make our parking lot the place to "make up time". We have so many precious gifts of all ages with us beginning very early in the morning with child care and daily Mass. Slow down, enjoy the atmosphere, say a little prayer for your day to go better... anything rather than speeding. **Please do not drive past the barriers in the parking lot. It is a no parking area. Please do not park in the bus loading zone. It is along the sidewalk in front of the 10th Ave church entrance. Please look for the (NO PARKING SIGNS. Parents please do not drop your children off at the church drive up, please use the children's drop off area. Please do not park and get out of your car in the pick up line for the children. Do not block Father's driveway. If he is called for an emergency he must be able to leave right away. Thank You!**

School is back in Session

In Honor of
The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary



All are Welcome to
Come and Pray

Thursday, September 8, 2022

Saint Philip Catholic Church
6957 Grotto Avenue
Rudolph, WI 54475

5:30 PM Mass

The evening will also include:

- Exposition / Eucharistic Procession / Rosary
- Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary / Benediction
- Birthday Cake & Ice Cream

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Greetings from the Social Justice Committee.

SWEPS food pantry is in need of a few items. They are having trouble getting jelly, dry pasta (elbow macaroni, or any noodles), cereal, canned soups, dish soap and shampoo. Also they can use paper grocery bags. If you place your donations in the bins near the exterior doors, we will make sure it gets delivered to the food pantry. Thank you.

Televised Mass on Spectrum Ch. 985 or Solarus Ch. 3, OLQH Mass at 9:00 AM on Wednesday. Diocesan Mass at 6:00 AM on Sunday.

Serenity Grief Support Group

Wisconsin Rapids Deanery "Serenity" Grief Support Group will meet in the Gathering Space of St. Vincent de Paul Parish on the 3rd Monday of every month. The next meeting is **Monday, September 19th from 1:00 to 2:00 pm.**

If you or someone you know is grieving the loss of a loved one, please join us for an afternoon of listening and sharing. Free self-help materials are available.

A Life Chain will be held Sunday, October 2nd from 1-2 pm along the Riverview Expressway Bridge, commemorating the lives that were lost to abortion and to pray for an end to abortion. Everyone is welcome to join us. We will gather in the River Hill Dental parking lot at 12:45.



UPCOMING MASSES & EVENTS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2022 LABOR DAY
8:00 am Morning Prayer & Communion Service
Parish Offices Closed

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2022
9:00 am Children's Mass † James Haasl & Connie Ostrowski
by: Janeen Sievers & Pat Hasenohrl
5:30 pm Baptism Class

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2022
8:00 am Mass Collective Intentions
† Scott Lobner by: Mom
† Alice Schuetz by: Family & Friends
† Mae Czamy by: The Family
† JJ, Anna Clancy Emmerich, Eileen O'Connor by: Pat O'Connor
† Jack Carrigan by: The Family
† Lt. Col. Frank & Frances Andrigna, Mona O'Connor
by: Pat O'Connor

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2022
5:00 pm Mass † Jeanne, Bob & Sue Brandl by: The Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2022
8:00 am † Alvina Buss by: Family & Friends

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022
8:00 Mass † Arthur, Julia & Larry Johnson by: Bob & Carol Heuer
8:30 am Confessions
3:00 pm Confessions
3:30 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Mass † Robert Kell by: KC's #1558

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2022
7:30 am Mass † James Kolo by: Evelyn Tomsyck
10:00 am Mass † Joe Hokamp by: Dale & Marcy Freeberg

GREETERS



Saturday—September 10
4:00 pm Lucy Lawrence
Sunday—September 11
7:30 am Andy & Joanne Dachel
Kelly Rosekrans
10:00 am Liz Musch

LECTORS



Saturday—September 10
4:00 pm Carol Dean
Sunday—September 11
7:30 am John Benbow
10:00 am Karen Abbott

TWO OPPORTUNITIES FOR MUSICIANS

We are excited to announce that the **choir** at Our Lady will be restarting in September! If you enjoy singing in a group, you are cordially invited to join us. We welcome new members to give us a try. You'll be glad you did.

We are also looking for adults or high school students who would be willing to **cantor** for weekend Masses. Cantors are musical leaders who sing with the congregation. Instruction would be provided to individuals who are interested in doing this.

For more information regarding both of these opportunities, please contact Mary Englert at menglert@our-lady.org



PASTORAL THOUGHTS...

At the beginning of this new school year, it's good for us to spend some time thinking about Catholic Schools and the difference they make in our lives, in the lives of our families, and the lives of the people who live in our communities. I'm committed to our Catholic schools and brag about them every chance I get. I'm also very thankful for teachers and others who work so hard to make sure students are getting the best education possible. Every day I pray for them and I pray for the success of our Catholic schools.



Every year, our Catholic schools make a big difference in people's lives. Not only do students learn how to do many things, they learn how to become a disciple of Jesus. A disciple is someone who follows Jesus. In the Bible, you hear about the disciples who followed Jesus and learned from his teachings. Today, there are many disciples who learn about Jesus and want to live and act in a way pleasing to Him. I hope everyone wants to live as a disciple of Jesus.

There are so many people who work to make our students' Catholic education possible: parents, teachers, school staff, pastors, and volunteers. All want students to know and love Jesus and come to a better understanding of how much Jesus loves us. We are made in the image and likeness of God—God made us to show forth His goodness and He wants to share His everlasting happiness with us in Heaven.

To all parents: thank you for your support! We will do our best to help your children grow academically and spiritually. We know our students will prosper when they are safe, happy, and free to feel the love of Jesus during their school days.

To all teachers, staff, and administrators: thank you for all you do for your students! The countless hours, personal sacrifice and the extra efforts do not go unnoticed. The excellence of our schools is evidence of your careful guidance.

To all students: thank you for letting Jesus be part of your day. Know that I pray for you every day. I pray that you will come to know the love of Jesus in a personal way and be excited to talk about Jesus with your friends. The more you talk about Jesus, the more you will hear other people's story about how Jesus loves them.

Keep up the good work! Keep loving Jesus! And keep praying that you will come to know how to share the love of Jesus with those around you.

+Bishop William Patrick Callahan
Bishop of La Crosse

ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NEWS



ROYAL CARDS ARE HERE-Thank you to all of the area vendors who make this card possible. Talk to an ACS family or school office to purchase yours. They last the whole year and make great gifts!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED-Do you have a couple of hours that you would like to share with our ACS children? Maybe reading, practicing math, supervising the cafeteria or playground? We would love to make that dream come true. Please contact 715-422-0980 (OLQH) or 715-422-0960 (SV) to start your dream!



ACS Employment Openings

Saint Vincent de Paul contact Pam 715-422-0962

pfochspfochs@assumptioncatholicschools.org

AM Paraprofessional and before school care

Grade 3 teacher

Assumption Catholic Middle & High School – contact Jimmy

Lynch, jlynch@assumptioncatholicschools.org

715-422-0913

FT HS Teacher

Assumption Food Service – contact Joe Ann Cephas,

715-422-0996 jcephas@assumptioncatholicschools.org

Head cook St. Lawrence ECC start immediately

Head cook MS HS

Central Office – contact Michele Haas, 715-422-0904 j

mhaas@assumptioncatholicschools.org

Assistant Controller – payroll, AR, AP, HR

System Wide – Substitutes for classrooms, offices and

more – contact Michele Haas, 715-422- for a packet

mhaas@assumptioncatholicschools.org

For teaching positions please send letter of interest,

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