April 9, 2023 Resurrection of the Lord



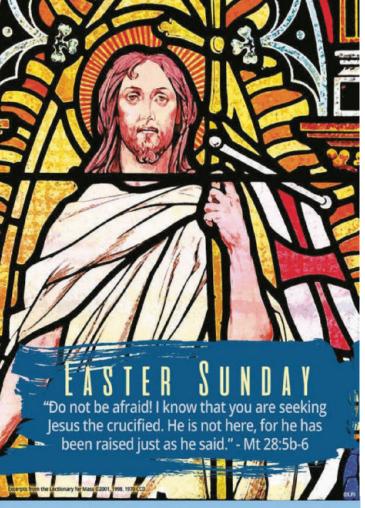
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# Parish Office Hours

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

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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**, **April 11th 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 Sunday evening Mass is held each Sunday night at 6:00 PM at SS Peter & Paul Parish (1150 2nd St. N.)

Note: There is no Easter Sunday Mass (April 9, 2023)

# Sacrificial Giving for March 26, 2023



General	\$8,026.00
Plate	\$981.50
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Total	\$12,786.50

# **LECTIONARY READINGS**

Readings for the week of April 9, 2023

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118/Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16/Mt 28:8-15 Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33/Jn 20:11-18 Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:/Lk 24:13-35 Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8/Lk 24:35-48 Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118/Jn 21:1-14 Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

# **ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK**

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# SANCTUARY CANDLES



The Sanctuary Candles burn the week of April 8–April 14 in memory of

# Joanie & Wayne Wesenberg By: The Family

Picnic News-

Please mark your calendars for OUR LADY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PARISH PICNIC DATE, Sunday Aug. 27, 11:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. The Flea Market dates are Saturday August 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, both days 9:00 to 5:00. Our next picnic meeting is Monday April 17<sup>th</sup>, at

Our next picnic meeting is Monday April 17<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 P.M. in the gathering area. Hope to see you there! Deacon Tom and Mary Anderson



OLQH Knitting & Crocheting Group
The knitting and crocheting group will meet
on Friday morning April 14, 2023 at 9:00 AM
in the gathering area at church. We have

been meeting every other month. If you are not able to make the meeting, we will continue to work on baby Items, winter items such as hat or mittens and lap blankets for the nursing homes. You may drop off any knitted or crocheted items in the bins at church and I will pick them up. Thank you to everyone who has been bringing hand made items to church. Hope to see you at the next meeting.

A **Pro-Life Rosary** will be said on Monday, April 10th at 4:00 pm along Eighth Street. All are welcome to join us. We will gather in Grace's parking lot at 3:45.

**Mission Rosary Makers**—The next date is Wednesday, April 19th. Please join us in the cafeteria from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. All are welcome to join us.



Do you have unwanted religious items such as medals, rosaries, or holy cards? Do you receive these items in the mail? There is now a box under the prayer intention book for you to deposit these items.

### **GREETING CARD RACK REORGANIZED**

The parish's greeting card rack near the scrip table has been reorganized. All cards are for sale at 50¢ each. Please stop by to purchase a card and support the parish. We do accept donations of unused cards in the parish office, including those from charities (please do not put cards onto the rack yourself).

Marriage Prep Retreat: June 24, 2023 from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. To register for the retreat, contact Mary Jo Sigourney at 715-572-9748 or stvinred@gmail.com.

**MAGNIFICAT**: There are extra copies of the Magnificat for \$3 each. They are located on the counter by the sink in the gathering area. You can pay at the office.

**TV Mass** on Spectrum 985 or Solarus 3: OLQH Mass at 9 AM on Wednesday; Diocesan Mass at 6:30 AM on Sunday. Mass is also broadcast on Sunday at 6 AM on WZAW 7.3 (FOX) and at 6:30 AM on WJFW 12.1 (NBC).

# Religious Formation Program 6:00-7:15 pm

April 12 - No Religious Ed. (Easter Break)

# April 19 - Religious Education Grades 1-9 Confirmation Mini Retreat

# Religious Education Important Dates

**Confirmation Rehearsal** - Wednesday, April 12th at 6:30pm. Sponsor or a parent must attend the rehearsal with candidate.

**Sacrament of Confirmation -** Saturday, April 15th at 12:00pm at S.S. Peter and Paul Church.

First Communion - Sunday, April 30th at 10:00am



### APRIL 02, 2023 - BINGO SUNDAY!!!

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Drawing on Sunday, May 14, 2023, at approximately 4:00 pm in the gym at Assumption High School. Need not be present to win. Confirmation of entry will be provided.

An entry form is available by contacting Bob Birkhauser at (715) 213-4387(C) or at (715) 886-3158 (H) or Joe Birkhauser at (715) 422-0915 (W).

Return entry and donation to Assumption High School Athletic Dept., 445 Chestnut St., Wi. Rapids, WI 54494.

(Entry forms will be available in bulletin on April 8/9, April 16/17 or April 29/30)

# Right of Christian Initiation (RCIA/RCIC)

Many people have said that what drew them to the Catholic Church was the Eucharist. As we reflect on recognizing Jesus in the Breaking of the Bread, think for a moment whether there is someone you could invite to Mass and to explore what else the Catholic faith might hold for them. For information, contact Rebecca at reoffice@our-lady.org.

# What's on Formed.org for April?

# Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage FORMED

Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage is a beautiful, 30 minute contemplative documentary. This film cinematically walks through the locations of the Holy Week story, re-presenting the most important days of human history. Immersed in the real and sacred places of the Holy Land, the pilgrim faithful is brought tangibly nearer to the story, the landscape, and the reality of the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

# The Wild Goose: Discovering a Deeper Relationship with the Holy Spirit

The Wild Goose is a 14-episode series on the Holy Spirit presented by nationally known author and speaker Fr. Dave Pivonka, T.O.R. With beautiful filmmaking and compelling teaching, you are invited into a more profound life-giving relationship with the Holy Spirit.

# **Easter Sunday: Jesus' Resurrection**Join Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. Michael Barber on

Easter Sunday with a Bible Study on the Resurrection of Jesus.

Via Lucis: The Stations of the Resurrection Listen to a full, meditative version of the Via Lucis on the Amen App

# Sacred Heart Parish 711 Prospect Avenue, Nekoosa, Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16th

1:15 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Confessions

2:45 PM Reflection on Divine Mercy

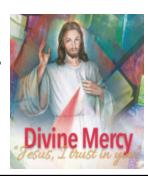
3:00 PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy;

3:20 PM Benediction /

Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Marian Center for Peace, sponsor of this event, reminds you to begin the Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena on Good Friday, April 7th. For more information: (715)424-6279;

mariancenterforpeace.org; find us on Facebook.



# PASTORAL THOUGHTS...

Happy Easter everybody! Allow me to introduce you once again to the beauty, the wonder, the glory, and the significance of Easter. It is a time of great joy because God does for us what no one else can do for us and that is to offer us an abundant, true, fantastic, and fulfilling life. The life that Jesus brings to us in his Resurrection is one of the fundamental mysteries and



elements of our Catholic faith. The Resurrection of Jesus brings us to understand that God means what He says He means: "I have come so that they may have life, and have it more abundantly" (John 10:10) and this is a beautiful element of our faith: living with Christ and understanding His presence among us.

The Eucharist is the fundamental way in which we come to know and understand Jesus Christ: truly present and with us today. We can turn to Jesus for hope in times of crisis. We all know crisis. We all know various times when our lives have been shaken and we need to have strength, the strength that only Jesus can bring; the strength that Jesus' Resurrection can make certain in our lives.

We are often told that we are an "Easter people" called to spread the Good News. This is true. We are called to go out into the world and help people to understand that we believe that Jesus Christ is risen from the dead. This is a major event in the life of humanity and a major event in the life of grace in the universe. God brings us Himself. He comes to us in a way of understanding Him that is beyond belief, beyond expectation. How could we ever have even dreamed of asking that God would come among us, would suffer and die for us, and how would we ever, ever dream that He would not stay dead? That He has come among us and He is alive: alive for each of us right now, just as we need Him, whenever we need Him, especially in the Eucharist: the bread of life, the source and the substance of our way of coming to know Christ and experiencing God's grace for us.

My dear brothers and sisters, please consider how much Jesus loves you. Please consider how much Jesus cares about what goes on in your life and to know the great gift of God's presence as you share that gift with one another, as you offer goodness, truth, and faith. This is the goodness of Easter. Live! Live strong, live happy, and be ready to go to Heaven when Jesus wants to see you alive for ever in His kingdom. Happy Easter everybody!

+Bishop William P. Callahan Bishop of La Crosse

# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Monday, April 10:** Fourth Degree meeting at Our Lady Queen of Heaven cafeteria at 7:00 pm.

**Thursday, April 13:** Council Officer's meeting at Our Lady Queen of Heaven cafeteria at 6:30 pm with the Council Meeting starting at 7:00 pm.

**Saturday, April 22:** State Knowledge and Free Throw Contest at Assumption. Need many volunteers. Call Duane Spinler to volunteer at (715) 213-5410.

# **UPCOMING MASSES & EVENTS**

MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2023 8:00 am Morning Prayer and Communion Service Parish Offices Closed

TUESDAY, APRIL 11, 2023

9:00 am Mass - Children's Mass

† Gail Seefeldt by: Mom & Dad

5:30 pm Baptism Class

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 2023

8:00 am Mass Collective Intentions

- † Alvina Buss by: Family & Friends
- † Ed & Loretta Aschenbrenner by: Tom & Joan Freidel
- † Shirley Giese by: Her Sister Joyce
- † Bernadette Gerum by: Donald & Mary Gerum
- † Richard Schmutzer by: Dan McCarville

NO Religious Ed Grades 1-9 (Easter Break) 6:30 pm Confirmation Rehearsal @ SS Peter & Paul

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 2023

5:00 pm Mass † Arthur, Julia & Larry Johnson by: Robert & Carol Heuer

**FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023** 

8:00 Mass † Clarence & Evelyn Keller by: The Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2023

8:00 am Mass † Wally & Janet Anderson

by: John & Bonnie Joosten

8:30 am Confessions

12:00 pm Confirmation @ SS Peter & Paul

3:00 pm Rosary

3:30 pm Confessions

**4:00 pm Mass †** Mike & Mary Walloch by: The Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 16, 2023 Divine Mercy Sunday
7:30 am Mass † Eleanor & William Slattery by: The Family
10:00 am First Communion Mass † Henry Flaig by: The Family

# **GREETERS**



Saturday—April 15
4:00 pm Lucy Lawrence
Sunday April 16
7:30 am Fran, Shirley, Deb Eron
10:00 am Jim & Mary Krause

# **LECTORS**



Saturday—April 15
4:00 pm Jerry Bach
Easter Sunday—April 16
7:30 am Mary Benbow
10:00 am Mike Mancl

# HOSPITALITY



Saturday—April 15
4:00 pm Rebecca Zalar
Sunday—April 16
7:30 am Joanne & Andy Dachel
10:00 am Nick & Ashley Marti

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# **Special Request-Students Needed**

Thank you to all who have registered your children already. If you are excited for your child to be taught in a classroom that is soaked with literacy and God's love, please contact the school office right away.

# **Spring Concert**

Please mark your calendars for:

Our Lady Queen of Heaven's Spring Concert: April 18 at 6:30 pm in the Church.

St. Vincent de Paul's Spring Concert April 27 at 2:30 and 6:30p.m in the gym. There will be a bake sale to satisfy your sweet tooth after a sweet concert.

This is truly a family affair. Feel free to bring your relatives and friends. Mrs. Erdmann is already working on the musical pieces with the children.



you what you need.

Registration is Still Open to All Area Children Registration is still open at all of our Catholic schools

in the area. I know, as parents, making the decision to give the opportunity of a lifetime to your child takes

much thought. Assumption Catholic Schools is here

for you. Your support for and participation in Catholic Education is appreciated. We will do all we can to get

Easter Blessings from our Assumption School Family to yours.

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