Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time • September 15, 2019



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521 Congress St., PO Box 16, Newburg, WI 53060

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
Thursday
Saturday (Anticipation)
Sunday
8:00 AM
4:15 PM
8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

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SACRAMENTS

PENANCE: Saturday evenings from 3:30 PM to 4:00 PM

MATRIMONY: Please arrange for a date and preparation at the office at the time of engagement—at least 6 months prior to the marriage

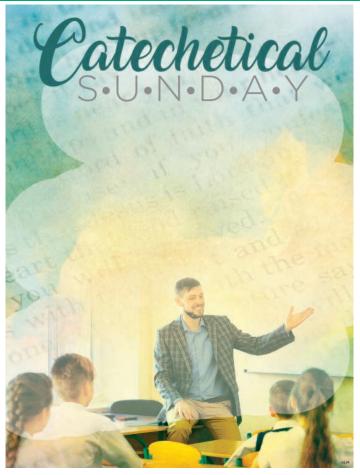
ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Anyone who is seriously ill due to sickness or old age may be anointed. Call the office to let us know.

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PARISH MEMBERSHIP

All adults from high school graduation up are expected to be registered members of the parish. Church attendance alone does not make you and your family registered members.

FEDERAL PRIVACY REGULATION

HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) prohibits all hospitals from informing churches of a patient's presence unless the patient gives permission for the hospital to do so. If you are admitted to a hospital and would like a member of the clergy or a caregiver to visit you, please notify the hospital or call the Parish Office.



Monday, September 16 (Saints Cornelius and Cyprian)

No Liturgy Service

Tuesday, September 17 (Saint Robert Bellarmine)

8:00 a.m. Andy & Chee Chee Schneider 64th Wedding Anniversary

Wednesday, September 18

8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Beistle Family

Thursday, September 19 (Saint Januarius)

6:00 p.m. Joseph & Regina Roeckl

Friday, September 20 (Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, and Companions)

8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Spaeth Family

Saturday, September 21

4:15 p.m. Deceased of the Reiter Family

Sunday, September 22

8:00 a.m. For the People of Holy Trinity Parish

10:30 a.m. Christopher Clark



Saturday, September 21 @ 4:15 p.m.

Altar Servers: Ron Peters

Eucharist Min.: Barb Schlosser, Volunteers

Lector: Sharon Peters

Ushers: Ed Spaeth, Volunteers

Sunday, September 22 @ 8:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Richard Becker

Eucharist Min.: Mary Hembel, Patti Ferris, Volunteer

Lector: Nancy Sekeres

Ushers: Ann Stockhausen, Scott Hembel, Mark Ferris

Sunday, September 22 @ 10:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: Damian Clark

Eucharist Min.: Gay Heimerl, Volunteers

Lector: Barb Sullivan

Ushers: Frank Heimerl, Gerald Becker, Lenny Heimerl

For information and alternatives concerning a crisis pregnancy - contact Wisconsin Right To Life (877) 855-5007

Project Rachel Ministry "Hope after Abortion" website:

www.hopeafterabortion.org.

Reclaiming Fatherhood: www.menandabortion.info



Readings for the Week of September 15, 2019

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51 3-4, 12-13, 17, 19 [Lk

15:18]/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9 [6]/Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6 [2]/Lk

7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 7:31-35 Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50 Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1

-3

Saturday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13 Next Sunday: Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 [cf. 1a, 7b]/1 Tm

2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

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Register Now for the 2019 Women of Christ Conference



Ladies, I would like to warmly invite you to attend this year's Women of Christ Conference.

COME AND SEE...HE DELIGHTS IN YOU!

The day is filled with speakers, adoration, confession, shopping, fellowship and Mass. See poster on the bulletin board in the gathering space.

Date: Saturday, November 9th

Location: Washington County Fair Park on Pleasant

Valley Road in West Bend

Time: Doors open at 7am, Event begins at 9am and

goes until 5pm.

MASS OF ANTICIPATION AT 4PM WITH ARCHBISHOP LISTECK!!!

Cost:

Student- \$25.00, Group of 5 ladies or more- \$40.00. Individual- \$45.00

Please call or e-mail Carol Willegal to register. The last few years we closed the registration early due to being full, so please call me by September 30th to register.

Meal offerings are either a ham or turkey sub, so please let me know your choice.

Invite a friend, bring a daughter! Great way to evangelize!

Carol Willegal 262-483-9519

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Gospel Mediation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

"Tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to listen to Jesus, but the Pharisees and scribes began to complain?" In this Sunday's Gospel, we learn the context for the forthcoming parables about the lost and found. A great mixed crowd surrounds Jesus. The religious elite are present, along with all manner of local lowlifes. The Pharisees seem a bit upset that this wasn't the lecture series: they were hoping for. Why would Jesus welcome sinners?

Jesus responds as if it's the most obvious thing in the world. "Rejoice with me because I have found my lost sheep... rejoice because I have found the coin that I lost? let us celebrate with a feast, because this son of mine... was lost, and has been found!" Each of the parables features a dramatic example. Of 99 sheep, one has gone astray. Of 10 coins, one has gone missing. The welcomed son has previously been a covetous scoundrel. Jesus' point to the Pharisees is clear. If the Gospel really is "good news," if our faith really has the power to save, why wouldn't we want everyone drawing near? Why wouldn't we do everything in our power to eke out that possibility for every single person, no matter where they have wandered? After all, if this message is not of value to everyone, why is it of value to anyone?

Our Christian faith is not a matter of rule adherence for the perfectionist elite. In our own ways, each of us is the lost sheep, the prodigal son. There is no one who "has no need of repentance." The Church is a mixed crowd. And we are mixed people. And the Gospel has good news for each of us today! There is no one Jesus doesn't go after, no one he does not catch sight of "while... still a long way off," no one to whom he does not run to embrace and welcome home.

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In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that the shepherd rejoices when he finds one lost sheep. The story tells us that nothing and no one is insignificant to God who is compassionate and loving to all. Is

there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please call the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store...we want to help!







The word "catechesis" means "to echo." Literally, we are to echo the good news of Jesus Christ to the world. This is not a suggestion; it is a command of our Lord. Some people are called and set apart in our communities as catechists, those formally trained and charged with passing on the Gospel to children and adults, inside and outside of our communities. On Catechetical Sunday, we acknowledge them and remind ourselves of the need for formation and growth in all of us. To be a catechist is a privileged calling, and today be sure to say "thank you" to one in your community.

However, it would be wrong on this day to only look to those bearing the NAME of catechist for an echoing of good news. ALL of us are called to echo and share the Gospel message. Parents are the first and primary catechists in a child's life. But we also are important catechists in the lives of our coworkers, our spouses, our relatives, and our friends. Some say catechesis begins in the home, and while that is true, it carries with it a parent/child connotation. But where does catechesis really begin? It begins in the HEART. This year on Catechetical Sunday, may your heart be moved to motivate you to share with others the good news of Jesus Christ.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

Inheritance 2019 – October 12th Step into the True, Good, and Beautiful

Inheritance is a conference for adults in their 20's and 30's being held at Mary Mother of the Church Pastoral Center, 3501 S. Lake Drive, Milwaukee. Our world is often marked by pain, heartbreak, and loneliness. It can be difficult as a young adult to navigate while holding down a social life, relationships and work. But we believe life is a gift! At Inheritance 2019, we invite all young adults to step into your inheritance as a son or daughter of God who loves you and has a plan for you. Inherit the true, good, and beautiful life. This conference is an opportunity to meet amazing people, to be inspired by national and local speakers, and most of all, to encounter Jesus in a powerful way. It's going to be deep. It's going to be a blast. It's going to be life-changing. For more information, visit: archmil.regfox.com/inheritance-2019

Festive Creations

St. John's Church, W1188 Rome Road, Rubicon (located 4 miles west of Hartford off of Hwy. P) on Sunday, September 22, 2019 from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Swiss Steak & Ham Dinner, Beer Garden, Live Music, Games, Crafts, Plants, and more!



Searching for personal growth?

Do you sometimes question how faith relates to your everyday life?

Need some time to get away from your usual activities and reflect on who you are and where Christ is in your life?

Consider a Cursillo.

Cursillo means "little" or "short course." It will also be three of the most impactful days you will experience. If you are interested in learning more please feel free to contact Mark or Patti Ferris. Mark 262-388-0213 or Patti 262-339-5145 or mpmferris@frontier.com

Men's Fall Cursillo October 24-27, 2019 Men's Spring Cursillo March 26-29, 2020 Women's Fall Cursillo November 7-10, 2019 Women's Spring Cursillo

Prayerfully consider what difference it will make in your life and those around you.

Faith and Family Fest

Join us for the fourth annual Faith and Family Fest on Sunday, September 15, 2019. We are excited to have all four Catholic Parishes from West Bend and Newburg working together to raise funds for Seed of Hope.

The Seed of Hope Center began as the Hartford Pregnancy Help Center Incorporated in 1992. In May of 2013 we began doing business as Seed of Hope Center and opened a facility in West Bend. Seed of Hope Center specializes in pregnancy and sexual health issues by offering pregnancy testing, ultrasound, verification of pregnancy, prenatal vitamins, referrals, client advocacy and education. All services are confidential and are provided at no cost to clients.

This year we will again kick off the Faith and Family Fest with Sunday Mass celebrated at 11:15 a.m. by Fr. Howard Haase at the Regner Park Silver Lining Stage. Please bring a lawn chair!

Food and beverages are available for purchase. Kids' games begin at 12:30 p.m. with lots of fun prizes! We are blessed to have great live music again this year from 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. We are also excited to again offer a Bags Tournament! We hope to see you there!!

Holy Trinity Caring Circle

HISTORY: Over the last six years, I have felt the love and support of individuals of this parish as I journeyed through two bouts of cancer. My husband, who is going through diagnosis and

treatment for cancer, has also felt this same love and support. As a way to give back, we have felt called to facilitate a support group for others like us.

- Carol and Larry

There comes a time when everyone goes through some crisis in their lives. Some people have a support group, others do not. Some prefer to work it out themselves or were raised to deal with things individually. We personally understand the benefits, and how helpful it is, to talk with and listen to what others are going through.

Our parish, together with our Stephen Ministry group, has begun monthly meetings to offer comfort for those experiencing a serious illness as well as their caregivers.

Each 45-minute meeting is facilitated by parishioners and members of our pastoral team who understand the ups and downs of those going through serious illnesses or struggling with a loss. They have a desire to bolster others of our parish and those beyond our parish.

The focus of the group is to be the support system that can help you get through possible rough patches. It is a time to share what you are experiencing and have others JUST LISTEN. Prayerful interaction and attendee-directed focus is the key. NOTE: All information shared at these meetings is strictly confidential.

If you have a serious illness or chronic condition, are taking care of someone who is ill, or struggling with a loss in your life, we would love to connect with you! This will be a time to come together, pray together, share stories, and work together to help each other.

Please pray about attending and RSVP to Carol Willegal, 262-483-9519, if you plan to attend. Come once or come monthly, we would love to see you there!

September 28th, at 9:00am in the Trinity Center.



WELCOME!! We thank you for celebrating the Holy Eucharist with us this weekend! If you are new to the area, have changed your contact information, or have not yet registered but consider Holy Trinity your parish family, please complete the below information and place it in the collection basket or mail to the rectory. Have a blessed week!		
Name	Phone	-
Address	City	Zip
New Parishioner New Address New Phone _	Please call me Moving/please	remove from registry

Fall Festival

Mark your calendars for our Fall Festival and Turkey Dinner!

The day will include lots of food and fun for everyone! Accessible dining will be offered!

New this year - All major credit cards will be accepted!

Here are some of the ways you can help make our Festival a huge success. No amount of time, talent or donation is too small!

- Kitchen help will be needed the week of the Festival and kitchen and dining room help will be needed the day of the Festival
- The kitchen is in need of a free standing air conditioner for the day of the event if you have one to share
- Work the bar and socialize
- Donate cash to help offset expenses or have us purchase your donation for you
- Need a volunteer to coordinate the kid's area and prizes was recommended we have a kids' area can be simple
- Donate water, soda or wine
- Help set-up and/or decorate
- Share new ideas
- Bake for the dinner and the General Store
- Donate an item or basket to the Silent Auction or share a vacation home for others to bid on
- Donate a unique craft for us to sell or put in the Silent Auction
- Looking for medical personnel to be present the day of the event and any time you are available during the preparation week would also be greatly appreciated

You get the idea!

The possibilities are endless of how you can help...and you're sure to have fun at the same time! Watch for sign up sheets in the gathering space. Any questions regarding the General Store, Silent Auction and Kids' Area, contact Patti Ferris at (262) 339–5145 or mpmferris@frontier.com, or leave a note in the envelope in the gathering space labeled 'General Store, Silent Auction and Kids' Area'.

Not only is this a great way to help our parish but it's also a great way to spend time with old friends and make some new friends!

If anyone is interested in underwriting the Turkey Dinner or Raffle, please contact Deacon Mike. Is there \$2500.00 in your future?

Make sure to purchase tickets for our new ALL CASH raffle and you may be the lucky First Prize winner!











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