

# SAINT BERNARD PARISH

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August 13, 2023 | The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*He became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter.*



## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekdays

Monday 6:30pm (2nd-5th)

Tuesday—Friday 7:45am

1st Saturday 7:45am

*The rosary is prayed 20 minutes after daily Mass. For a full listing of daily Mass devotional prayers, please visit our web site or call the office.*

### Weekends

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:00am and 10:00am

## ADORATION

First Fridays 6:00-7:00pm

## PRAYER LINE

The parish has many dedicated parishioners ready to assist you with prayer in times of need. To place your intentions on the Prayer Line, please call Connie (244-6624) or Carol (244-4817).



## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

### DIocese of Madison ORGAN RECITAL SERIES

The Office of Worship is hosting the 2023 Summer Organ Recital Series. The last recital of the series is on Thursday, August 17th with John Sittard, Director of Music Diocese of Madison/St. Bernard, Madison. Compline "Night Prayer" will be prayed after the recital. Recital begins at 7:30pm at Holy Name Oratory in Madison featuring the Aeolian-Skinner pipe organ.



**Catholic Herald**

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Be informed and inspired about the Faith through the *Catholic Herald*. Plus, this issue has a special Senior-Retirement section filled with content geared specifically toward older adults.

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### PREPARE TO BE INSPIRED!

### COME AND SEE THE MADISON DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

In less than three months from September 29 to October 1, we will gather at St. John the Baptist in Waunakee for the *Madison Diocesan Eucharistic Congress* to deepen our Eucharistic faith in Jesus.

This event will include keynote speakers, Mass, confession, spiritual direction, intercessory prayer, adoration and much more! For a complete schedule and to pre-register visit: [blessedbrokenandgiven.com](http://blessedbrokenandgiven.com)

No cost for registration; lunch on Saturday is available for purchase.



# WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD!

## IMPORTANT COLUMN THIS WEEKEND, PLEASE MAKE SURE TO READ!



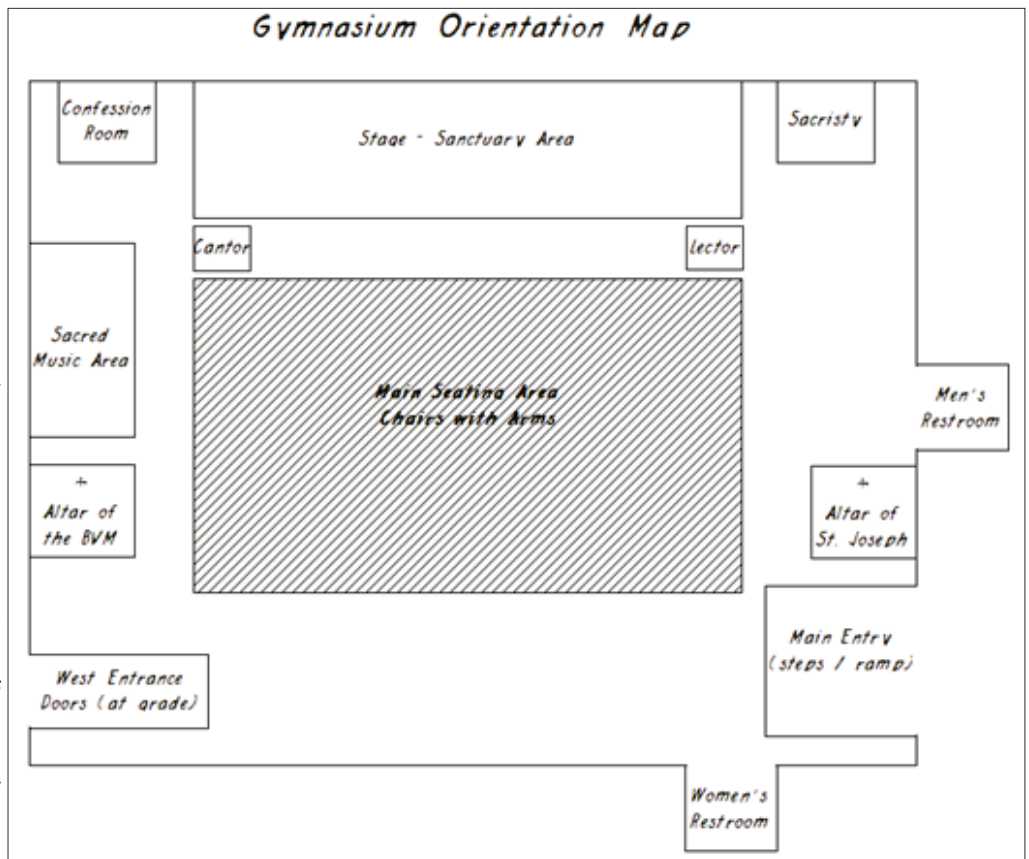
Dear Friends,

The time is upon us! This weekend will be our last weekend in the church for the foreseeable future. **Beginning next weekend, the church will move over to the gymnasium.** We will remain there for approximately one year. Our final Mass in the church will be on the Solemnity of our Lady's Assumption – Tuesday, August 15th at 12 noon. We have a plethora of skilled tradespeople circling the church and will come in short succession to carry out their tasks before we prepare for the liturgical painting. Many of you have asked me if there is an image or two I can share of the church as it will look after all the changes. We're working toward that goal, and as soon as the liturgical painting is finalized, we'll be able to share some images with you.

I made a basic map of the gymnasium which will help orient you to its setup. Note that there are **two entrances to the gymnasium**: (1) Through the main doors of the parish center. The main doors have steps or a

ramp to help you down to the gym level. (2) The west entry doors are at the same level as the gym, so there are no steps to navigate. However, there is a 90-degree turn from the outer entry doors to the inner doors that provide entry and exit access. Both of these options will be available to you on the weekends. During the weekdays, however, only the main doors will be open for daily Masses.

I elected to place chairs in the gym for the main seating area. After we're finished using them, they will serve as chairs for priest concelebrants at large diocesan Masses and liturgies. The chairs are comfortable, sturdy and have arms, which will help those who need a bit of extra assistance getting up and down. For the kneeling portions of holy Mass, the assembly may choose to kneel on the gym floor or remain standing. If you wish to kneel and would like to bring a kneeling pad with you from home, you are most welcome to do so. An area of special needs seating will be established near the main entrance for those with mobility issues to minimize the amount of walking needed.



Please note that on Wednesday, August 16th, Thursday, August 17th and Friday, August 18th, **daily Masses will be celebrated at 7:45am at the Schoenstatt Shrine**, located at 5901 Cottage Grove Road in Madison. Live streaming of these Masses will most likely not be available. Weekday Masses and the 10:00am Sunday Mass will continue to be live streamed from the gymnasium for those who join us online.

It will take a bit of time for us to become oriented to the new space, but we'll get there. As work progresses in the church, I will provide pictures and regular updates in the display cases outside the main entrance of the gymnasium. It will be exciting to watch the transformation of our campus!

To celebrate our first weekend in the gym on August 18th and 19th, we will commemorate the solemnity of our parish patron, St. Bernard of Clairvaux. The choir will be present with us for this Mass. After the morning Masses on Sunday, please join us for refreshments in the St. Veronica Community Room (formerly "Room 1").

We extend our prayers to the family of **John Speropulos**, a member of our parish who died recently. May the Lord's mercy speed him home to his eternal reward. We also unite in prayer with the parishioners of St. Peter Parish as they mourn the loss of one of their long-time pastors, **Fr. Roger Nilles**. Fr. Nilles will be buried on Monday of this coming week. May the Lord grant him the blessed vision of His glory in thanksgiving for his many years of service and ministry to the people of the Diocese of Madison.

*Laus Deo!*

*Fr. Michael*



## OUR GIFT OF TREASURE

### 2023-24 OFFERTORY BUDGET

<b>Envelopes</b> .....	\$350,000.00
<b>Loose (Cash)</b> .....	\$ 50,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	\$400,000.00

### NEEDED EACH WEEK

.....	\$ 7,693.00
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### OFFERTORY:

#### August 6, 2023 (Week 6 of 52)

<b>Envelopes</b> .....	\$2,553.00
<b>Loose</b> .....	\$ 850.23
<b>Molesme Fund</b> .....	\$ 158.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	\$3,561.23

### OFFERTORY PROGRESS

<b>Needed to-date</b> .....	\$46,158.00
<b>Collected to-date</b> .....	\$19,210.13
<b>Surplus   (Shortfall)</b> ..	(\$26,947.87)

## JOIN US FOR MASS AT RESURRECTION CEMETERY

Please mark your calendars and join us in praying for the dead. All Masses are at the Resurrection Cemetery chapel, 2705 Regent Street, Madison Our next Mass is Friday, August 18 at 10:00am with Fr. Mick Moon.



## MADISON DIOCESAN CHOIR

— 50th Anniversary (1973-2023) —

-Do you like to sing?

-Do you feel called to serve the Church?

-Do you want the opportunity to sing from the great treasury of sacred music?

If you answered yes, consider joining us!

### Highlights of upcoming repertoire:

*Messiah-Handel (select movements)*  
*Silent Night-Nestor*  
*Mary's Magnificat-Carter*  
*Mass of the Transfiguration-Gouin*  
*Sicut Cervus-Palestrina*  
*Requiem-Fauré (performance in Fall of 2024)*  
*Psalm 133-Proulx*

### Rehearsals:

Tuesday evenings, from September through May  
 7:00-9:00 pm  
 Holy Name Oratory, Madison

For more information about joining, please contact John Sittard, director:  
[john.sittard@madisondiocese.org](mailto:john.sittard@madisondiocese.org)

*For new members: active participation in your parish music ministry is presumed.*

## THIS WEEK'S LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

### Monday, August 14th ■ Assumption of the BVM Vigil (S)

The 19th Week in Ordinary Time

1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2 ✕ Ps 132 ✕ 1 Cor 15:54b-57 ✕ Lk 11:27-28

5:45pm Confessions

6:30pm Terri Reda †

### Tuesday, August 15th ■ Assumption of the BVM (S)

Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab ✕ Ps 45 ✕ 1 Cor 15:20-27 ✕ Lk 1:39-56

12 noon L/D Patrick & Diane Fettig Family †

Following Rosary

### Wednesday, August 16th ■ Weekday

HOLY MASS AT THE SCHOENSTATT SHRINE, MADISON

Dt 34:1-12 ✕ Ps 66 ✕ Mt 18:15-20

7:45am L/D Harry & Hazel Imhoff Families †

Following Devotions to OLO Perpetual Help & Rosary

### Thursday, August 17th ■ Our Lady of Knock (m)

HOLY MASS AT THE SCHOENSTATT SHRINE, MADISON

Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17 ✕ Ps 114 ✕ Mt 18:21-19:1

7:45am L/D Kmiec & Swift Families †

Following Rosary

### Friday, August 18th ■ Weekday

HOLY MASS AT THE SCHOENSTATT SHRINE, MADISON

Jos 24:1-13 ✕ Ps 136 ✕ Mt 19:3-12

7:45am Anne Kiesler †

Following Rosary

### Saturday, August 19th ■ BVM

Jos 24:14-29 ✕ Ps 16 ✕ Mt 19:13-15

8:00am Holy Mass @ the Schoenstatt Shrine

### Sunday, August 20th ■ The 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 56:1, 6-7 ✕ Ps 67 ✕ Rom 11:13-15, 29-32 ✕ Mt 15:21-28

4:30pm (Sat.) Richard Trace †

8:00am Barbara Kluth

9:15am Confessions

10:00am Barbara Woodworth †

Highlighted Time = Live Streaming



## HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION—AUGUST 15TH



The Solemnity of the Assumption of our Blessed Mother occurs on Tuesday, August 15th. This year, **it is a holy day of obligation**. We will follow our holy day Mass schedule, with a vigil Mass on Monday evening at 6:30pm. Mass on the holy day will be at 12:00 noon.



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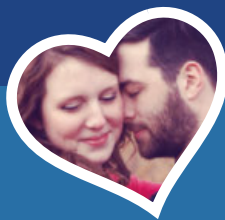
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