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2nd Sunday OF EASTER

“Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

- Jn 20:29BC

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Lenten Outreach Project thank you

Our joint Lenten Outreach Project, collecting critically-needed items for Catholic Charities, was a fantastic success. Generous donations of items for In-Home Support, Pregnancy Support, Personal Hygiene Support, and Family Fun were received from StB and OLGH parishioners. The donations were delivered to Catholic Charities weekly. The employees and clients are incredibly grateful. Thank you to everyone who made that possible.

~ NWMCP Human Concerns Committee

A request for help

I have befriended Sr. Rosemary Nyirumbe, a Sacred Heart Sister of Moyo, from Uganda, Africa. She is an amazing woman who ministers to girls and young women who have escaped sex slavery and teaches them crafts to sell. If you would like to view her story on YouTube, go to <https://youtu.be/t9daaB1Xkhk>. She requests any monetary amount for the following need expressed in her words: "We would like to ask you for some favours. We have 4 orphans whose parents died of AIDS, if you can kindly help us and find someone(s) who can adopt them via your community who can help and pay for them school fees. They are aged 4 to 13 years. We are very pleased to receive your donation."

If you are willing to help, please write your check as soon as possible to St. Bernadette Parish, clearly marked to help Sr. Rosemary. Then one check will be cut and mailed to Sr. Rosemary's contact, Brother Issah Kawooya, who lives in California and is able to send funds to her.

May God bless you for your charity.
~ Sr. Jane Mary, Pastoral Minister

Child Abuse Prevention Month

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month. The Archdiocese of Milwaukee has also designated April 18-24 as Safe Environment Week. We will have information in the bulletins this month. You can also find resources at www.childwelfare.gov/topics/preventing.



Our Lady of Good Hope: Luanne Ehr, Margaret Goecks, Thomas Kritner, Marie Lore, and all those listed on the long-term prayer list posted at the back of church

St. Bernadette: All those listed in the Book of Assembly Prayer and on the long-term prayer list posted in the gathering area

Senior fraud & scams presentations

Eras Senior Network provides virtual presentations on the many scams targeting seniors. They run from thirty to sixty minutes and cover the following topics:

grandparent scams	telemarketing scams
funeral scams	sweepstakes scams
online/e-mail scams	investment scams
charity scams	Power of Attorney scams
COVID-19 scams	

We would like to assess your interest in virtually attending one or more of these presentations. Please contact Dawn Truitt at 262-253-0380 by April 16 to let her know which topic(s) you are interested in. If there is enough interest, we will work with Eras to set up Zoom presentations. ~ NWMCP Human Concerns Committee

Stress Awareness Month

Stress Awareness Month is observed annually in April. Have you ever been in a situation that was a little (or a lot) overwhelming, maybe you had deadlines approaching and a mile-long list of things to do, and you felt you were just in way over your head? You are definitely not alone. Everyone feels stressed from time to time, especially as we get older and the responsibilities really pile onto our plate. A little bit of stress is not necessarily a bad thing, but too much of it can be detrimental to our emotional and physical health. Learning to find a healthy balance is the best way to live a productive, happy life.

A small amount of stress once in a while is a good thing, because it means you are working hard and you care about what you are doing. If you were never stressed, that would probably mean you are living a lethargic lifestyle without a whole lot of work involved. However, too much stress does not allow us to think straight, and is overbearing and counterproductive. Stress can be debilitating, and it can cause and/or aggravate health problems. Prolonged stress leads to real physical problems and can cause strokes, IBS, ulcers, diabetes, muscle and joint pain, miscarriages, and much more.

This month, recognize the difference between good and bad stress and try to find your happy place within the madness.

Sources:

www.stress.org/stress-awareness-month-april-2020
www.nationaldaycalendar.com/stress-awareness-month-april

To learn more about the history of Stress Awareness Month and some strategies for coping with stress, visit the websites listed above.

OLGH outreach ministry weekend

This weekend is the second weekend of the month when the loose collection at OLGH will go to support the parish's outreach activities. If you can, please remember to put an extra dollar or two in the collection basket so this vital ministry will continue. May God continue to bless your generosity.

April 11, 2021

Thank you from Linda Radder

I want to say thank you to all who expressed their condolences on the loss of my dear sister Mary. She was full of life and she was resilient in her life, long complicated by diabetes. She was an angel on earth as an elementary school teacher. On Facebook I said, now she truly is an angel in Heaven. She will be missed, but your words of encouragement, the beautiful cards you sent, and you reminding me that she is resting now and at peace give me comfort and ease the pain of losing her. Thanks again for all your care and concern. I am blessed to serve parishes with such caring members.

Sincerely,
Linda, your parish nurse

Confirmation 2021

NWMCP Confirmation will be celebrated at OLGH on May 1 at the 4:00PM Mass. Bishop James Scheurman will confirm.

Confirmands

Peter Govern (StB)
Isaac Rice (StC)
Ian Stefaniak (StC)
Charles Woller (StB)

Prayer for Confirmands

Holy God, look upon these Confirmands and all who are preparing for Confirmation. Send Your Spirit upon them to be their helper and guide, that they may give witness to Christ in their daily lives.

May they find in us examples of Your love and compassion as they continue in their journey of faith.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

NWMCP men's retreat: April 30-May 2

Rejoice in being completely free from phones, newspapers, radios, televisions, computers, chatter, noise, traffic, conflicts, hassles, to-do lists, duties, schedules, and obligations. Join us at the retreat center for a relaxing, prayerful weekend with other men from our tri-parish cluster. For reservations and information, please contact George Zagel at stcathmen@protonmail.com or 414-736-2688.

StB Curbside dinners schedule

We ask that you pre-order. Go to www.stbweb.com for the link to pre-order. The link becomes active two weeks prior to the dinner. You can also call the StB parish office to pre-order.



April 16: Fish Fry, 4:00-7:00PM **Pre-order now!**
April 30: Bacon-Wrapped Chicken Breast, 4:00-7:00PM
May 21: Fish Fry, 4:00-7:00PM
June 19: BBQ Ribs or Chicken, 12:00-3:30PM

Heartis Village North Shore: Art in April

Please drive in (100 West Riverwoods Parkway, Glendale) to say hello and receive a "Paint Your Flower Pot Craft and Snack Kit," Wednesday, April 14, 11:00AM to 12:30PM. Please RSVP to 414-409-6700 or northshorecon@isllc.com.

Congratulations to our StB

Calendar Raffle winners

03/27/21	Ellen Thorn
03/28/21	James Brown
03/29/21	Tiffany Reindl
03/30/21	Denis Kellogg
03/31/21	Debbie Maertz
04/01/21	Charles Aitch
04/02/21	Luke Attal
04/03/21	Richard Basta
04/04/21	Kathy Weber
04/05/21	Casey McEvilly

Spring Scripture Study

Gospel of Matthew (and Friends)

Tuesday evenings, April 13-June 1, 6:00-7:00PM

Via Zoom until further notice

Contact: Lorrie Maples, 414-365-2020, ext. 14

We will be reading the Gospel of Matthew and comparing it to the Gospels of Mark, Luke, and John. Everyone is invited and no previous Scripture knowledge is necessary. Bring your Bible and be prepared to open it! If you need a Bible, we can provide one for you to use or to purchase.



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Stewardship Report

Thank you for your continued support.

Weekend Collections March 20 & 21, 2021

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The Christian community described in Acts understood and practiced total stewardship. St. Paul reports that the believers did not claim anything as their own, but held everything in common, and distributed to each whatever was needed.

Second Sunday of Easter

SCHEDULE OF MASSES & INTENTIONS

Sunday, April 11, 2021: 2nd Sunday of Easter

10:30AM Mass at StB: For all the parishioners

Monday, April 12, 2021

No Mass

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

4:00PM (Zoom Mass) †Patricia K. Alexander

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

No Mass

Thursday, April 15, 2021

4:00PM (Zoom Mass) †Helen Mueller

Friday, April 16, 2021

No Mass

Saturday, April 17, 2021

4:00PM Mass at OLGH: For all the parishioners

Sunday, April 18, 2021: 3rd Sunday of Easter

10:30AM Mass at StB: †Lynn & Erich Stapelfeldt

THIS WEEK AT OUR PARISHES

Monday, April 12, 2021

- April 18th bulletin deadline, 10:00AM
- St. VdP Conference meeting, 12:30 to 2:00PM in StB Room 106

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

- Grade School Christian Formation, 6:00 to 7:00PM via Zoom

Friday, April 16, 2021

- Curbside Fish Fry, 4:00 to 7:00PM at StB

Sunday, April 18, 2021

- High School Christian Formation, 12:00 to 1:00PM via Zoom

Annual Mass of Atonement

The annual Mass of Atonement will be held on April 15, at 6:00PM, at St. Monica Parish (5681 North Santa Monica Boulevard, Whitefish Bay). This Mass is one of the ways that the current leadership of the Archdiocese publicly atones for the clergy abuse crisis and scandal. Mass will be available for in-person attendance and will be livestreamed. We invite you to join us in support of the survivors, family members, and communities who have spoken or unspoken stories of survival and pain. If you are unable to attend, we would ask that you please remember in your prayers all those who suffer from the wounds of abuse that they receive peace, healing, and justice. Please visit www.archmil.org for more information.

St. Pat's curbside meal helps St. VdP

Thank you to all who volunteered at and participated in our St. Patrick's Day curbside meal. We brought in over \$2,000 profit for our St. Vincent de Paul conference to use to help people in need.



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Laquasha Logan, Principal

Readings for the Week of April 11, 2021

Sunday:	Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/ 1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-3
Monday:	Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 [cf. 11d]/Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday:	Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [7a]/ Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 [7a]/ Jn 3:31-36
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [cf. 4abc]/ Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 [22]/Jn 6:16-21
Next Sunday:	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/ 1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48



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