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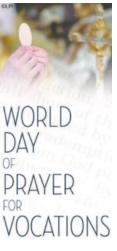
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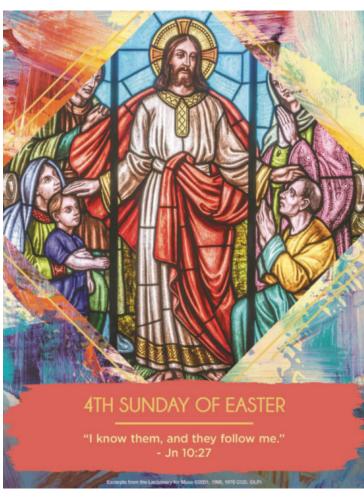
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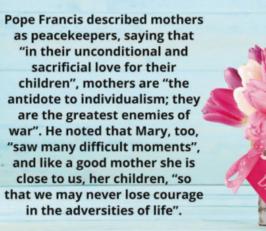
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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:
4:30 PM SAT. KIMBERLY CHURCH
7:30 AM SUN. DARBOY CHURCH & LIVE STREAMED
9:30 AM SUN. KIMBERLY CHURCH







first Communicants

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T Prayer for Vocations



Father Carl Schmitt Holy Spirit Parish Pastor

My priestly vocation story did not materialize until I was in my forties. I did have three uncles who were priests but did not consider the priesthood until after a life of business and my work as a foster parent. When the thought first came to me, I was a bit taken back and did not take it seriously. It wasn't long after I knew I had to at least "investigate" this feeling and spoke with priests I knew. They were very supportive in praying with me to discern if this was a call that I needed to answer. As I took a leap in faith and entered the Seminary, I felt it was exactly where God wanted me to be. Seminary was a challenge and life as a priest is a lot of work... but I have news for you, it is an awesome life! Every morning, I thank God for my priesthood and ask for the guidance and ability to do his work here at Holy Spirit Parish. I am truly blessed and grateful to be a priest and your Pastor here at Holy Spirit Parish.

Greetings from Rome! It has been an incredible year. Just as a brief reminder, my name is Ben Pribbenow, and I am a seminarian for the Diocese of Green Bay studying at the Pontifical North American College (PNAC) in Rome. I am finishing up my third year here and am on the heels of Diaconate Ordination. More on that to come, but for now, let's flash back to last year.

My second year of formation in Rome (2020-2021) was certainly not one to forget. With the world still in the midst of some of the worst effects of COVID, the seminary year was by no means "normal." That said, I began to live making the presumption that I would be ordained one day. This disposition came through a lot of prayer as well as different formation activities. For example, I gave a number of practice homilies throughout last school year. Additionally, I continued serving our House as a Master of Ceremonies for our liturgies.

As last school year ended, I began to look forward to my summer apostolate. Bishop Ricken and Fr. Mark Mleziva (Vocations Director for Green Bay) decided that they wanted me to remain in Europe for the summer of 2021. While sad that I could not go home, I jumped on the once in a lifetime opportunity for a summer in Europe. I began the summer by serving with the Missionaries of Charity in Madrid, Spain. St. Mother Teresa's sisters still bear her spirit. In the house where I lived, the sisters serve men who suffer from HIV/AIDS. "Los Chicos" or "The Boys" as they call them, endure a lot of suffering. In the midst of this, I tried to offer the same love as the sisters for Los Chicos, growing in friendships with them and seeing Christ in them.



Ben Pribbenow, seminarian Son of Holy Spirit Parishioners, Mark & Mary Pribbenow

After serving at the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes for two weeks, I capped off my summer by completing two weeks of the Camino de Santiago - Portuguese Route. My friend, Matthew from Lincoln, Nebraska, and I hiked up the coast of Portugal and Spain with nothing but our backpacks. Arriving at the Cathedral of Santiago, where the remains of St. James the Apostle rest, was a fitting conclusion to a great pilgrimage and adventure.

It was quite the summer! That being said, this third year has also been a grace. This year I have felt an ever-deeper desire for spiritual fatherhood and ministry in the Diocese of Green Bay. My apostolate assignment is at the parish of the US Navy Base in Naples, Italy. I go to the parish on that base one weekend per month. In my time at the base, I have experienced the joys of nourishing God's people through teaching, serving at Mass, and being present to families.

Distance makes the heart grow fonder, and I cannot wait to be back in the Diocese of Green Bay. These 20 months (so far) abroad have been challenging, but also formative. I look forward to the simple, yet busy life of a priest in our Diocese. I will get a small taste of that life over the summer. I am excited to return to the Diocese in June and be home for just over two months.

One last thing: I will be ordained a Deacon on September 29th, 2022, in the Basilica of St. Peter in Rome (God willing!). I am thrilled about this and am so grateful to God for the grace of confidence and consolation. I hope to see many of you here in Rome during the days surrounding the ordination as a part of the Holy Spirit Parish pilgrimage to Italy!

Please keep me in your prayers as this year of seminary ends. I look forward to greeting many of you in person this summer! Know of my prayers as well. God Bless!



Deacon C.F. Dedman Holy Spirit Parish Deacon

A diaconate vocation is primarily a vocation of service. The beginning of the diaconate can be traced back to the Acts of the Apostles. Seven reputable men filled with the Holy Spirit were chosen to do service work so the apostles could devote themselves to ministry of the Word. This was the beginning of the diaconate.

Today you have deacons serving in different roles in the Church. There are deacons who serve the Church by running a parish. With the priest shortage deacons are called to take on that role. Other deacons work outside the parish, and volunteer at the parish they are assigned. Deacons also volunteer in the community as well. We minister to those who are hurting and also the marginalized. We are called to serve in different ways.

On May 15th, I will have been ordained a Permanent Deacon for twelve years. You can be ordained a Permanent Deacon or a Transitional Deacon. Ordination as a Transitional Deacon means you are on your way to the priesthood. In my own case, through prayer and discernment, I knew I was being called. In the diaconate as well as the secular world, we are all given different gifts. These gifts are given to us by God. It is our responsibility to use them in a manor pleasing to God.

Each of the jobs I have had I believe were gifts from God and I am grateful for them. These jobs, however, were just jobs. It was a way to get a paycheck to support my family. After praying for almost seven years for something more, I was given an opportunity to get into ministry and from there I was ordained a deacon. I discovered gifts I didn't know I had. I am comfortable giving a homily or listening to a person who needs to talk. I am comfortable presiding at weddings or funerals. I enjoy baptizing babies and toddlers as well. To be honest, I believe I receive more than I bring. In ministry, I pray to the Holy Spirit to help and guide me. I ask the Holy Spirit to work in me and through me. It is through the Holy Spirit that I have found these gifts I didn't know I had. Before I always felt there was something missing. Now that I am doing what I am called to do I no longer have that feeling. Being a deacon has been and continues to be a blessing for me. I am blessed to be here at Holy Spirit Parish.

If you have any questions about the diaconate, feel free to contact me. My email address is deacondedman@holyspirit-parish.org or the phone number is 920-788-7640.

My name is Sr. April Marie Josefina Candelaria, HMSS and I am a Mercedarian Sister of the Blessed Sacrament in temporal vows. This means that I have not yet publicly professed my final vows to Jesus, but I hope to soon! Religious vows are like wedding vows, an "I do."

I experienced a profound call to give my life to God as a sister when I was 21 years old, about to be a senior in college. I had never seriously thought of being a religious sister before. An encounter I had with God in my own bedroom clearly showed me that Papa, our Heavenly Father, was calling me to live and love in a radically different way. This experience happened after I tried thanking Him for the suffering in my life. Then, He healed me of the depression I had struggled with for years and showed me that no one and nothing else could fill the void in me that was His. I saw an image in my mind of myself in a habit, and I asked God if He was calling me to be a sister. I was filled to overflowing with joy and peace, and I said, "Ole and"



Sister Josefina Candelaria HMSS Niece of Holy Spirit Parishioners, Dan & Tami Kuether

I finished my bachelors in psychology at the University of Florida, and during my senior year, two Mercedarian Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament attended a Faith in Receiving the Eucharist (FIRE) Retreat that I participated in. I had spoken to other groups of sisters after experiencing the call, but none were willing to let me visit because they were concerned they would not be able to accommodate my dietary needs (I was allergic to dairy, eggs and gluten). These two sisters were different, though, and M. Jeanette Marie, HMSS, the vocations director, personally invited me to come and visit them in Cleveland. I did, and in October of the following year, I entered the Institute (also known as a Congregation).

Religious sisters are different than nuns. We often do not correct others when they call us nuns – people tend to understand what a "nun" is more readily than a "sister". Nuns are usually more "cloistered", that is, they are inside their convents or monasteries or at least on the grounds of their property for longer periods of time or for the rest of their lives. They also are "monastics", which means that organization within their homes and the rule they live by is slightly different than the way that sisters live. Sisters usually have an apostolate outside of their houses and this brings them into interaction with others outside of the home much more frequently. Although we, as Mercedarian Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament, may be out and about more than nuns, as our apostolate is to help extend the Eucharistic Kingdom of our Lord through the education of children and youth under Momma Mary's protection, we spend at least four hours a day in explicit prayer with Jesus, mostly in our chapel. We are active and contemplative, and called to be contemplatives in action.

If you desire more happiness, more strength, more peace in your life, ask Jesus for the grace to open your heart to Him completely. He can only fill it with good things! I do not regret a day I have had in this new adventure with my Spouse, the Spouse of all mankind through baptism. In Heaven, Jesus will be our all-in-all. Why not start living this way now?

WEEKLY CALENDAR: Your Holy Happenings The parish calendar is online at: www.holyspirit-parish.org

SUNDAY MAY 8

NO Private Prayer \$CRIP SOLD: DC/KC: Preordered \$crip available after Mass



World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Mass - DC - In memory of Alice Schreiber First Communion Mass - KC (live streaming) - In 7:30 am 9:30 am

honor of Betty Gerhartz



MONDAY

MAY 9

7:55 am Rosary - KC 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC Morning Prayer - KC 8:15 am

TUESDAY

MAY 10

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC

5:10 pm

Rosary - DC Mass (Fr John Becker) - DC (live streaming) - In memory of 5:30 pm

Tony Ruys

WEDNESDAY MAY 11

Faith Formation

7:40 am Rosary - DC 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC 8:15 am Mass (Fr. Mark Carr, SJ) - DC (live streaming) - In memory of Doris Jochman

9:00 am Mission Ladies (Quilters) - PCC

Abbreviations

DC=DARBOY CHURCH DS=DARBOY SCHOOL

DSG=DARBOY SCHOOL GYM

THURSDAY

\$CRIP SOLD: DS: 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM **MAY 12** 7:55 am Rosary - DC

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC 8:15 am Mass (Fr John Becker) - DC (live streaming) - In honor of Larry &

Margaret Artz

9:30 am Thursday Morning Study Group - PCC

FRIDAY MAY 13

Rosary - DC 7:55 am

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC 8:15 am Mass (Fr John Becker) - DC (live streaming) - In honor of Donna & Victor Pritzel

SATURDAY

\$CRIP SOLD: DS: 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM KC: Preordered \$crip available after Mass **MAY 14**

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Private Prayer - KC 9:00 am - 3:00 pm YM Brat Fry - DS

3:30 pm

Confession - KC Mass - KC - In memory of Lucille & Marvin Kempen 4:30 pm

SUNDAY

NO Private Prayer \$CRIP SOLD: DC/KC: Preordered \$crip available **MAY 15**

Mass - DC (live streaming) - In honor of Cliff & Joan Sanderfoot Mass - KC - For the members of Holy Spirit Parish 7:30 am

9:30 am

6:30 pm Sunday Evening Discipleship Group - PCC



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Secretary Trustee Election

By Civil Law, two Lay Trustees must be elected every two years by members of the parish and approved by the Bishop. These trustees are civil officials in the parish, and they would attend either the finance council or the Pastoral Council monthly meetings. Currently Sheila Blair is serving as Secretary Trustee, with her term ending June 30, 2022. Individuals who would be interested in running as Secretary Trustee should submit their name by May 25, 2022, to Patty Vande Voort at the Parish Center. Questions about the position can be directed to Patty.

Secretary Trustee: This position will serve a two-year term beginning July 1, 2022, and ending June 30, 2024. The Secretary Trustee works with the Pastor to insure corporate, non-financial record keeping at the parish, such as corporate minutes, documents, notices and correspondence. In addition, the secretary trustee is a member of the parish pastoral council, signs parish checks, and sends annual financial reports to the diocese.

This position requires that the nominee be a parishioner, a practicing Catholic, and at least 25 years of age.

Yes! I would be interested in being a nominee ~ or ~ I would like to nominate:

Please print first and last name of nominee	
Nominee Phone Number	
Signature, First & Last Name	

Please return in the collection basket or to the Parish Center at: 620 E. Kimberly Ave., Kimberly, WI 54136

All candidate nominations must be received by May 25, 2022.

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April 28	\$20	Dennis & Renee Sweere
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April 30	\$20	George Feldkamp
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Mission

With gratitude, we reach out with loving compassion by serving, guiding, and celebrating sacraments and giving witness to the Kingdom of God.

Vision

Holy Spirit Catholic community strives to be an inclusive and faith filled people, proclaiming to the world that God is deeply in love with all.



May 1 - May 14 Sanctuary Light in Darboy is lit in memory of Celine Romenesko & Denice Minton





May 1 - May 14 living and deceased family of



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8, 2022

Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/ Jn 10:27-30

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10 Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30 Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50 Thursday: Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20 Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6 Saturday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-1



Holy Spirit Catholic School. She is a graduate of Holy Spirit (Holy Angels) and since 2016, Ms. Stumpf has taught 4th grade at Holy Spirit. She will be working collaboratively with Mr. Zuleger to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all our students. She will also serve as the middle school Social Studies teacher.





We are excited to announce the hiring of Mrs. Clare Marshall as the new Middle School Literature and Language Arts teacher at Holy Spirit Catholic School. Mrs. Marshall, a graduate of Holy Spirit, feels blessed to return to Catholic education that helped establish her own strong Catholic faith.

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CHWC Fundraisers

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Brat Fry: Our final brat fry of the season will be held Saturday, May 14, in front of the Darboy School, 9am-3pm. This supports our CHWC missionaries!

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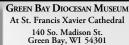


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