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Mineral Point, Wisconsin



St. Philomena Parish

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Holy Sacraments

Baptism

Saturdays after the 5:00 pm Mass in Mineral Point and Sundays after the 10:30 am Mass in Belmont.

Marriages

Contact Rectory at least one year prior to wedding.

Reconciliation

4:00-4:30 pm every Saturday; 4:30-4:50 pm every Tuesday; 7:00-7:25 am Thursday and Friday in Mineral Point.

Wednesdays after the 8:30 am Mass and Sundays after the 10:30 am Mass in Belmont.



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Maybe the work is best left to the professionals. That's how many people view the preaching of the Gospel. That's the stuff priests, religious, deacons, lay ministers, and other professional Church people do. It has little to do with me. Well, that's not really true. The fact of the matter is that preaching the Gospel has everything to do with you, with all of us who are baptized members of the Body of Christ. Nobody gets off the hook from that job. The question is, however, how do we do it? Well, there's a safe way, which many choose, to preach the Gospel — and the risky way. The safe way pretty much keeps the Gospel in church and around like-minded people. I say my prayers, go to Mass, contribute to the food pantry, tithe, and attend Bible Study. That pretty much covers the bases, right? Wrong.

The risky way is the more challenging way and for many, the "road less traveled." Imagine those first disciples going out and into people's homes. They must have had some amazing conversations with folks about God's kingdom, changing their hearts, forgiving sins, and looking at the world differently. They must have met people who were hurting, exiled from their communities, neglected, lost, or living self-insulated lives in a society that served the rich and neglected the poor. While there were many who welcomed what they had to say and the conversations they had, there were others who no doubt rejected them and literally tossed them out on their ears! The Gospel, while being a message of joy and hope, is not always received well by those who are very comfortable keeping things as they are.

The risky way involves example and conversation. We have to take the Gospel from church and carry it with us wherever we go. What kinds of conversations do we have with others? We interact with those closest to us, in our work, social circles, institutions, corporations, in politics, and beyond. Our conversations with others reveal a great deal about how we see things and what we consider important. If we are really interested in seeing God's vision for the world succeed, then we will talk about it. It will become a part of our everyday conversation and find its way into our interactions with others. How will we preserve the dignity of human life and encourage others to have a relationship with God? We must be the example, live value centered, virtuous lives, stand against injustice, combating racism, and learn ways to resolve conflicts without violence.

If we are going to succeed going forward, we have to find a way to bring our prayer centered lives into the marketplace. Our conversations have to change. Not everyone wants to hear what the Gospel has to say. That's a risk God asks us to take.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading

The priest Amaziah was threatened by the visions of the Lord received by Amos that warned of Israel's destruction. Amos' defense is that he was chosen by God to prophesy. When has your faith been a threat to others?

Second Reading:

Paul speaks of the abundance of blessings we receive from God as believers in Jesus Christ. Paul asserts these blessings make us "holy and without blemish" before God. To whom in your life should you share this message of hope and redemption?

Gospel:

During his public ministry, Jesus commissioned the Twelve Apostles to evangelize by preaching repentance and healing the sick and demon possessed. What do you see as effective tools for evangelization today?

Liturgies of the Week

Saturday, July 10

5:00 pm † Helen & Francis Basting

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 11

8:00 am For Parishioners

10:30 am † Francis Deutsch (at St. Philomena, Belmont)

Monday, July 12

No Mass today

Tuesday, July 13 - St. Henry

4:00 pm Adoration/Holy Hour for Vocations

5:15 pm † Jerry Bastian

Wednesday, July 14 - St. Kateri

Tekakwitha

8:30 am † Rebel Riechers (at St. Philomena, Belmont)

Thursday, July 15 - St. Bonaventure

7:30 am † Nick, Rose & Brian Mangardi

Friday, July 16 - Our Lady of Mt.

Carmel

7:30 am † Dick Palzkill

Saturday, July 17

5:00 pm † John & Alice Basting

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 18

8:00 am † Larry Weitzel

10:30 am † William & Ethel Haag (at St. Philomena, Belmont)



Next weekend, July 17/18

Commentator/Reader

5:00 pm Jackie Mihelcic & Karen Anderson

8:00 am Mike Marr & Brad Berget

10:30 am Jamie Dreger (B)

Eucharistic Minister

5:00 pm Trudy Clark

8:00 am Brad Berget

Servers

5:00 pm Quentin Walter & Cowan Bishell

8:00 am Aiden & Kegan Patterson

10:30 am Volunteers (B)

Ushers

5:00 pm Steve Gorgen, Brian Graber

Joe Weier, Kevin Weier

8:00 am Michael Walsh, Ted Pittz

Tony Pittz, Troy Pittz

Greeters

5:00 pm Steve & Denise Gorgen

8:00 am Troy & Teresa Pittz & Eric

Offertory Gifts

5:00 pm Weier Family

8:00 am Patterson Family

St. Philomena's News!



THE SILVER ROSE – Monday, July 12

The SILVER ROSE will stop at Saint Philomena's on Monday, July 12 at 6:00 p.m., as it travels throughout the United States and Canada. It is one of eight Silver Roses that begin at various locations in the US and Canada and journey from one parish to the next, and eventually ends up in Monterrey Mexico, at the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe on December 12, the feast day of Our Lady of Guadalupe. This program has been run by the Knights of Columbus since 1960, and reaffirms the Knights of Columbus dedication to the sanctity of life at all stages. We will have a prayer service, and recite the rosary, as we turn to our Blessed Mother in prayer, and work to end the Culture of Death that grips our society. We encourage everyone to come and learn more about the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe and the history of the Silver Rose.

Summer Religion Registration Due July 18

Summer Religion takes place from August 16-18 this summer. Families, please check your email for registration information and/or complete a paper registration form found on the table in the back of church. Registration permission forms can be mailed to the rectory or placed in the bin at the back of church and must be received by July 18 for students to receive a t-shirt. Contact Jamie Dreger or call the rectory if you have any questions.

Outdoor Movie Nights

All are welcome to join us at St. Philomena's for free family-friendly events featuring an outdoor movie complete with snacks and drinks. Bring your comfy lawn chair, family and friends. If weather doesn't cooperate the scheduled night, we will move the outdoor movie setup into the church basement. Join us the last Friday each month through September!

Movies start at 8:30 p.m.

Friday Night, July 30 - Prince of Egypt (PG)

Friday Night, August 27 - Facing the Giants (PG)

Friday Night, September 24 - Overcomer (PG)

Dominoes Needed!

We are in need of Dominoes for our Go Make Disciples retreat in August. If you have some Dominoes we can borrow, please place them in the box at the back of church. Please label your container of dominoes so we can ensure their safe return after the program. Thank you!

Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass Intention, please contact the parish office (608-762-5446). Mass Intentions will be scheduled on a first come – first served basis. Thank you!



Belmont/Mineral Point Area Happenings

Patriotic Rosary

Today, Sunday, July 11, 1:00 p.m. at Mary's Rosary Garden on the Wiesbrook Farm. Come offer prayers for our country! All are welcome! For directions call 574-1344.

Summer Organ Recital Series: Thursday, July 15 at 7:00 p.m.

Come and enjoy an evening of glorious music in the air-conditioned chapel at Holy Name Heights in Madison. Organist David Jonies of Holy Name Cathedral in Chicago, IL, will be performing Concert Variations on the Star Spangled Banner as well as the First Symphony in D minor by Louis Vierne. All recitals are free and open to the public, with a free-will offering.

Bus Tour to View Sculpture: "Angels Unawares"

Basilica of St Mary, Minneapolis, MN
(Bishop Donald Hying will accompany the tour)

Monday, August 16, 2021

Two Departure Sites:

7:00 a.m. from Holy Name Heights, Madison

6:15 a.m. from Ss. Anthony and Philip Parish, Highland

Includes:

- A light pastry, fruit, beverage breakfast on the bus
- 11:30 a.m. A box lunch prepared by Catholic Multicultural Center Madison
- 12:15 p.m. A brief tour of the Basilica of St. Mary, Minneapolis
- 12:30 p.m. Mass for Refugees and Exiles, presider Bishop Hying
- 1:30 p.m. Viewing "Angels Unawares" Sculpture in St Mary Plaza
- 1:45 p.m. A short stop and Prayer for Peace in our Nation at George Floyd Square, 4 miles away
- Return home

Cost: \$55 per person

Registration deadline: August 1

For questions or registration please grab a flyer from the bulletin board in back of church or call the parish office at 987-3361.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God calls us to bring His Word to all corners of the earth. What does that mean for you and me? We are just simple and humble folks trying to find our way through the Gospel and our world. After all, we are not professional preachers but gentle servants. Jesus summons us to take his message on the road and bring it from the pew to the pavement. We cannot keep the joy of the Gospel to ourselves but must bring it into every aspect of our lives: our families, our schools, our work, our corporations, our politics, our social circles, and our philosophies. We cannot just accept the wisdom of the world as true and conduct our lives as if the Good News is a separate matter. They are one. Jesus never asked his friends to go and construct buildings where people could come to hear the truth. He asked them to go to their homes and meet them one on one, face to face. When the rubber meets the road and the message is challenging, rejection is quite possible. That's the litmus test for whether we're really doing what we have been asked.



Collection Counting Team

This Sunday, July 11: No counting today.
Next Sunday, July 18: Marcia Wagner & Tina Wallace
If you aren't available, please find a sub.

Financial Corner (St. Mary/Paul)	
Week 1 of the Fiscal Year	
Needed each week.....	\$2,510.00
Last week's offertory.....	\$191.00
Last week's envelopes.....	\$3,408.00
Above/(below) fiscal YTD.....	\$898.00
Diocesan Tax \$15,956.88	
Received to Date.....	\$186.00
Still Needed.....	\$15,770.88
Church Painting Donations \$63,000	
Received to date.....	\$22,873.94
Still Needed.....	\$40,126.06

Music and Liturgy Corner

Organ Project Fundraising

Our Music Ministry here at Ss. Mary & Paul is kicking off a fundraising plan to pay for the new organ. As you may remember, a few weeks ago, we wrote to you saying that the current pipe organ utilizes cotton wrapped wiring which can easily cause a fire if we are not careful. Since then, our organ tuner has found us a newer pipe organ to replace it with. The plan, if we can raise \$60,000 by December, is to remove the current organ after Christmas and the new one will be installed during the painting project this winter. It will be hooked and tuned up for Easter 2022. This new organ will have better volume control and more pipes that will create different sounds, as well as a set of chimes for festive Masses. It will also allow us to uncover and expose the Rose Window in the steeple of the Nativity that is currently covered by organ pipes. To raise \$60,000, we are implementing a "Key Drive." There are 61 keys on the organ- each key will be priced at \$1,000. If we can get 60 people to donate \$1,000, our goal will be met. Your name will be etched onto a plaque on the organ if you donate. To donate, you can make a check out to Ss. Mary & Paul Parish, with "Organ Fund" in the memo line. Please contact Caleb Mitchell with any questions.





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