SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CATHEDRAL & ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

October 9, 2022



Saint Francis Xavier Cathedral

139 S. Madison St. | Green Bay, WI 54301 (920) 432-4348

Saint John the Evangelist Church

413 St. John St. | Green Bay, WI 54301 (920) 436-6380

Liturgical Schedule

Tuesday (10/11) 8:30 am (St. John)

Wednesday (10/12) 8:30 am (Cathedral)

Thursday (10/13) 8:30 am (St. John)

Friday (10/14) 8:30 am (Cathedral)

Saturday (10/15) 4:00 pm (Cathedral)

5:30 pm (St. John)

Sunday (10/16) *9:00 am (Cathedral)

49 10:30 am (St. John)

*This Mass is also livestreamed at sfxcathedralgb.com

Confession

At St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

Wednesday (10/12) 6:00-7:30 pm Saturday (10/16) 8:00-9:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

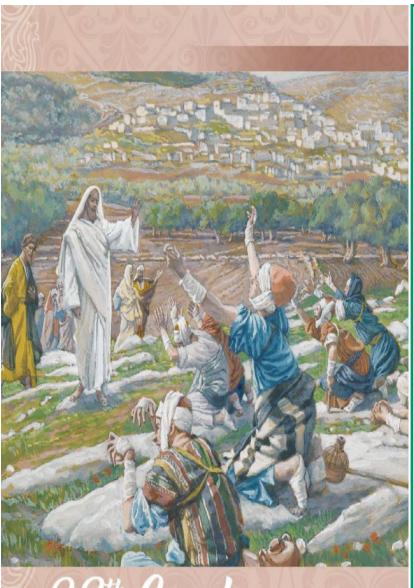
At St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

Wednesday (10/12) 3:00-8:00 pm

Solemn Benediction

At St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

Wednesday (10/12) 8:00 pm



IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" - Lk 17:17-18

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CATHEDRAL

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Mass Intentions - St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

Saturday, October 8 4:00 p.m. † John A. Lemens Sunday, October 9 9:00 a.m. † Robert Roeser Wednesday, October 12 8:30 a.m. + Mark Burnikel Friday, October 14 8:30 a.m. † Larry Piton

Saturday, October 15 Living & Deceased 4:00 p.m.

Members of St. Francis **Xavier Cathedral**

Sunday, October 16 9:00 a.m. † Louis Kieltyka

> We would like to welcome Debra O'Laughlin as our new Administrative Assistant. Debra is

coming to join our team with good experience as she worked recently at another parish. She is anxious to work with us and for us. She is asking for your prayers that she be at the best service for all at the Cathedral.

ROSARY IN THE GARDEN! We have ended for the season. See you in the spring. Please keep praying the rosary!



SFXC HAPPY BIRTHDAY! WEEK OF OCTOBER 9TH

Phyllis Collins. Laura Pamperin, Kathleen Carlson, Larry Schauer, Tyrone Ross, Christine Pasqualucci, Robb Johnson, Lindsay Semenas, T. Devillers, Charles Schott. David Martens. Rachael Singer, Marie Mckeown, Agnes Evans, Chiara Schmitt. Theodore Martens. **Maria Martens**

FIAT CHALICE PROGRAM

St. Francis Xavier Cathedral would like to invite your family to pray together for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life through our Fiat Chalice Program. Every other weekend, our parishioners will have the opportunity to accept the responsibility of praying for vocations at home with their family. The Fiat Chalice will be presented to the family at the conclusion of the Saturday or Sunday Mass. The family takes the chalice home and displays it in a prominent place of honor for all members to see during the week. At a special time each day, perhaps after dinner or before bed, the family will come together to pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, and at the same time, explain and prompt young children and teenagers to consider how God is calling them into a deeper relationship with Him. They can also at this time send a note of support to a Seminarian, Priest or Sister. They then return the Chalice to the parish the next weekend. A link for prayers for vocations can be found on the front page of our website. Thank you for your prayers and assistance in our efforts to promote vocations throughout our parish and the Diocese of Green Bay. Please go to the Ministries / Fiat Chalice Program on Cathedral's website or call Jan or Dcn. Conrad at the parish office (920) 432-4348 to sign up receiving the chalice into your home.



Remember in your prayers, those on Cathedral's Prayer Network.



Knights of Columbus Rosary in church 2nd Wednesday of month at 7 PM Offered for Vocations and Peace

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FIRST READING

Naaman returned with his whole retinue to the man of God. On his arrival he stood before Elisha and said, "Now I know there is no God in all the earth, except in Israel.

(2 Kgs 5:15)

PSALM

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

(Ps 98)

SECOND READING

If we have died with him we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him.

(2 Tm 2:11-12)

GOSPEL

"Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God? (Lk 17:17-18)

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF **OCTOBER 9, 2022**

SUNDAY: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-

4/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

MONDAY: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/ Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7/Lk 11:29-32

TUESDAY: Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44,

45, 47, 48/Lk 11:37-41

WEDNESDAY: Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4

and 6/Lk 11:42-46

THURSDAY: Eph 1:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab,

3cd-4, 5-6/Lk 11:47-54

FRIDAY: Eph 1:11-14/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5,

12-13/Lk 12:1-7

SATURDAY: Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5,

6-7/Lk 12:8-12

NEXT SUNDAY: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8



Praise be to Jesus for this new calling to your community! My full name is Arthur Paul Gerstner, but since ordination in 2020, most people call me Deacon Art.

I am originally from Frankfort, Kansas and much of my personality, in simplicity, humor, and relationship building, still reflects small town Kansas.

My wife Pam has family in Green Bay, and that is why we moved here 25 years ago. She is Associate Dean of General Studies at NWTC. We have two boys Howie (21) and Charlie (16). Before becoming ordained, I was a stay-at-home dad for over 15 years.

We enjoy family time together, camping, hiking, playing games, studying, and laughing a lot.

I am very excited and humbled at this new assignment and opportunity to serve. I look forward to hearing each of your stories and sharing more of my own. Most importantly, I am eager to hear, and share, how the Lord Jesus fits into all of that.

CALLING ALL TEENS TO THE 2022 GBYC (Green Bay Youth Conference)

All teens in grades 9-12 are invited to attend the Green Bay Youth Conference on Saturday, November 12th from 9am-5:15pm at the National Shrine of our Lady of Good Help in Champion. The cost is \$17 per student/chaperone (check payable to St. Francis Xavier Cathedral). The 2022 theme is ENDURANCE (Romans 5:3-5)

We rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

***To register please call the faith formation office at 920-393-3773 by October 17th.



Both parish offices will be closed on Tuesday, October 11th so the staff can attend the diocesan Worship Jesus Day of Encounter.

Full-Time Cook Opening at St. Francis Convent

The Sisters of St. Francis of the Holy Cross in Green Bay have an opening for a full-time cook (32 hours/week with benefits). See the full job posting at www.gbfranciscans.org (click on "About") or call 920-884-2731.







Click on Dates or scan QR code

Married Couples Retreat Green Lake, WI

All Married Couples Welcome!

Whether you talk about your relationship all the time, or you haven't talked about it in years, all couples can benefit from dedicated time together. If you have been married a few years or many years, this guided retreat will offer a distraction free way to focus on your relationship.



Mass Intentions - St. John the Evangelist

Saturday, October 8 5:30 p.m. † Bill Voelker

† JoAnne Voelker (Bill's Daughter in Law)

Sunday, October 9 10:30 a.m.† Wayne Jirovetz

Tuesday, October 11 8:30 a.m. † Genny Everson Freier

Thursday, October 13 8:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Members

of Jackie Lemens Family

Saturday, October 15 5:30 p.m. † John VandenBush

Sunday, October 16 10:30 a.m. † Martin Bartkowiak

SJE HAPPY BIRTHDAY! WEEK OF OCTOBER 9TH Bobbie Conard, Brian Keehan, Jeffrey Wickman

Liturgical Roles this Upcoming Week
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15 5:30 PM
Lector.....S. Vogel
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16 10:30 AM
Lector.....R. Wood





Get Out the Vote Rally and Canvassing Event

October 15, 2022 | 10 AM to 2 PM

Green Bay Area Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

1313 Main St, Green Bay, WI 54302







Join JOSHUA, Wisdom Wisconsin, COVO. EXPO and Casa ALBA Melanie in our efforts to register individuals to vote and canvass the area dropping off educational materials. There will be resource tables and information on voting.







SEE EVERYTHING, OVERLOOK A GREAT DEAL, AND CORRECT A LITTLE

OCTOBER 11

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Bernice Atkinson, Morgan Barr, Sandy Baumler, Christine Barrette,
Ann Zeller-Bielefeldt, Christine Bond, Taylor Breggar, Vicky Burkart,
Rick Burkart, Bobbie Conard, Rose Dennison, Rosemary Dionne,
Fern Engebos, Curt Frisque, Ray Gantenbein, Fred Fredricks,
Katie Friederichs, John Krol, Bonnie Gereau, Tim Guzek, Jean Hermes,
Miranda Klatt, Adam Kosidowski, Brian Lannoye, Margaret Lannoye,
Jewel Luedke, Mary Jo Maroszek, Brenda Norris, Tom Pecor, Ann Recka,
Sharon Sannes, Bernard Schmitt, Ruth Schwade, Maureen Skaleski,
Alvin Styczynski, Char Turner, Mary & Ron Wichman, Jr.
(Please let us know if you would like to be added or removed from the prayer list.)

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

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GOSPEL MEDITATION OCTOBER 9, 2022 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ten lepers were cured. Only one returned to give thanks. When we fall victim to entitlement, we diminish our capacity to love. Never satisfied, we walk around with outstretched arms, eagerly searching for the next thing we want so that we can acquire it ourselves. Very rarely do entitled hands hold anything to freely give away to others. Entitled hands also find it challenging to reach toward heaven in a gesture of gratitude and praise. We are often more obsessed with celebrating our victories, securing our assets, safeguarding our futures, and stacking the deck of life in our favor rather than relishing and absorbing the gift of the moment and blessings received.



Entitled people find it difficult to pray properly. When the subject of our prayer is mostly about our needs and wants, we are falling into the trap of deception. We foolishly try to convince God that our tiny worlds are of greater importance than His. In ancient times, people would offer sacrifices to "the gods" to secure protection and favors. Our God desires mercy, not sacrifice, because He is about love and justice, not simply meeting our agendas. Every breath is a gift. Prayer, which is a celebration of that gift, acknowledges the Giver. Prayer strengthens the bond between Giver and receiver, creating a deepening awareness that nothing I am or anything I have can exist apart from His Divine Will. It also reminds us that we have done nothing to merit the unconditional love and mercy God showers upon us. Prayer is not just about getting what I need but celebrating who I am.

For St. Therese of Lisieux prayer is "a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." When our hearts "surge" toward God, we rush to the Source of our restoration and wholeness, knowing our longing for God's Divine embrace. Prayer is a response to God's graciousness with an act of gratitude returned by us. In prayer, we gaze upon each other in that sacred space where I give myself to God as He is, and God gives Himself to me as I am. We cannot take another step without saying thank you. ©LPi



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