

920-468-0595 **Parish Office** Pastor, Abbot Gary Neville, O. Praem. Abbot Neville's Email ginholycross@gmail.com Parish Coordinator, Birdie Schantz blsholycross@gmail.com Dir. Of Mission & Community Outreach, Deanna Schauer, dmsholycross@gmail.com Office Hours M-Th: 9 am-3 pm, F: 9-11 am Website holycrossgb.org Liturgies Saturday: 4 pm; Sunday: 8 am & 10 am Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 8 am Trustees Temporal/Fin. John Brzana 920-217-0291 Secretary Lou Shea 920-217-4571 Holy Cross School, 920-468-0625 Principal: Kari Peterson, kpeterson@gracesystem.org Faith Formation Office 920-468-0595 Tina Reignier, Dir. ffholycross@gmail.com Bulletin Editor, Chris VandenHouten bulletinholycross@gmail.com Music Dir., Marcia Knoebel 920-366-6788 Pastoral Council, Mary Ullmer 920-468-1120 Prayer Chain, Peggy Baumgart 920-609-6411

\$crip, Steve McDonnell920-393-4179Site Advisory Council,920-360-2693Molly Charles920-360-2693

Served by the Norbertines since 1904.

HOLY CROSS PARISH FAMILY

Together In Jesus Christ Since 1852 (Incorporated in 1884 as Holy Cross Congregation, Inc.)

3009 BAY SETTLEMENT ROAD • GREEN BAY, WISCONSIN 54311

Parish News & Notes...January 2, 2022

ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS 2021 IN MEMORY/HONOR OF:

- Matthew Baudhuin John & Kathy Watzka Family Michael & Linda LaCrosse Family Dick Jacobs
- Norman & Hildegarde Jonet Dorrell & LaVerne St. Pierre Arthur & Josephine Michalski Gary & Glorianne Kunesh Family

Thank you to Mary Ullmer for the wonderful job she did coordinating and assisting with the decorating of the church and the Gathering Space. Everything is beautiful. Thank you also to everyone who helped decorate. Next weekend, January 9, after the 10:00 am mass, help is needed to take down the Christmas decorations. If you are able, your help is greatly needed and appreciated.

The pictures were taken in December during the Children's Liturgy at the 10:00 am mass. The children meet in the lower level of the Parish Center. The program is for children aged 4 through 10. The children experience the same elements of the Mass-

readings, gospel, homily, creed and prayers of intention- on a child's level. If you would like to volunteer in this ministry, please contact Lisa Pederson, 847-977-9854 or lisapederson11@gmail.com.





MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Cross Parish Family, with the Eucharist as our center, welcomes all God's people through our open doors. By working together as a strong faith community, we live what we believe. Our Catholic heritage and solid educational tradition provide the foundation upon which we build for the future.

PASTORAL CARE

Christian Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated after a preparation class (for the first child only) through the parish (call the parish office at 920-468-0595 to schedule). Baptisms are usually not celebrated in Lent.

Sacramental Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30-3:50 pm or by appointment. Communal celebrations are offered during Advent & Lent.

Holy Eucharist

If you are sick, homebound, or in a nursing home and would like to have Communion brought to you, please call the parish office at 920-468-0595.

Confirmation

Confirmation is celebrated for High School Students in the spring of the Junior year, after appropriate preparation for our students of Preble HS, Luxemburg-Casco HS & Notre Dame Academy Adult parishioners will go through a separate process with Confirmation sometime around Easter.

Christian Marriage

Christian Marriage is celebrated for couples who demonstrate an active practice of the Catholic faith. We request nine months of advance notice for complete preparation.

Sacrament of the Sick

If you are anticipating a hospital stay and desire this sacrament, or in case of an emergency, please call the rectory at 468-0595. The Sacrament of the Sick is celebrated communally during Advent & Lent.

Bereavement

For a visit by Parish Staff after a death, please call the parish office at 468-0595.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Adult and children over the age of seven who are candidates for full membership in the Roman Catholic Christian community are prepared by the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), and received at the Vigil of Easter. Contact the parish office for more information at 920-468-0595.

Welcoming/Joining the Parish

To begin the process of registration, please contact the parish office at 920-468-0595.

Parish Support

Our material support is based on Christian stewardship. We ask that you share your time, talent, material & financial support as generously as God has shared with you. Your most important commitment and contribution is your presence at the Sunday Eucharist, "the source and summit of our life in Christ."

2

Holy Cross Parish Family Green Bay, WI

THIS WEEK AT HOLY CROSS

Saturday, January 1

10:00 am Living & Deceased Members of the Mike Corsten Family
4:00 pm +Bernard & +Carol Herman

requested by Bob & Mary Jo Herman & Family

Sunday, January 2

8:00 am +Marian & +Donald Valiska requested by Friends 10:00 am Holy Cross Parish Family

Monday, January 3NO MASS6:30 pmAdult Choir Practice, church

Tuesday, January 4 NO MASS

Wednesday, January 5

8:00 am OPEN

Thursday, January 6

8:00 am +Al Urbanski requested by Schantz Family

Friday, January 7

8:00 am +Kalihan Theis requested by Jerry Charlier

Saturday, January 8

4:00 pm The Family of +Ambrose Van Laanen requested by Harriet Van Laanen

Wedding: Katie Gapinski & Luke Hetue

Sunday, January 9

8:00 am +Al Urbanski requested by George & Mary Hayes 10:00 am Holy Cross Parish Family Undecorate the church after 10 am mass.

Readings for the week of January 02, 2022 Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12 Monday: 1 In 3:22-4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/ Mt 4:12-17, 23-25 Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44 Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52 Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19-5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14 -15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16 Saturday:1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

LIVE STREAMING MASS

Livestreaming of the 10:00 am Sunday mass will be available on the following 2 platforms: YouTube:

Youtube/Holy Cross Bay Settlement GB Facebook:

Facebook/Holy Cross Parish Family

If you click on the above links, you will be taken to the sites. We look forward to you joining us for Sunday masses.

LOOKING AHEAD

- January 13, Women's Ministry First Meeting, 6-7 pm, Parish Center Gathering Space
- January 14, Adoration, 8:45-10:15 am, church

FAITH FORMATION: Faith Formation classes will resume on Wednesday, January 12 @ 6 pm for grades 1-11.

Please remember to keep in prayer the sick in our parish family:

Remi Joy Basten, Jack Boudwin, Judy Galecke, Renee Hoffman, Connie Nelson, David Theisen and Lindsay Wiesner. Please also remember those serving our country in the military and all those on the Prayer Chain.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE Jan. 8-9, 2022

Saturday, 4:00 pm LECTOR: Mike Parins MUSIC: Bob EMHC: Shirley Taycher, Judy Parins USHERS: Robert Duquaine, Debbie Roeder SCRIP: Jean Rakers, Dolly Willems Sunday, 8:00 am

LECTOR: Al Herrman MUSIC: Bob EMHC: Joe & Anne Thibaudeau USHER: Robert Blaney, Dennis VanEgeren

SCRIP: Barb Bell, Christine Wiesner Sunday, 10:00 am

LECTOR: Steve McDonnell MUSIC: Bob EMHC: Dawn & Dan Jadin USHERS: Charles Benner, Mike Reignier SCRIP: Dawn Jadin, Tina Smith

<u>BAYSHORE VILLAGE</u>: first Thursday of the month

PLEASE ARRIVE 10-15 MINUTES EARLY. CHECK TO SEE IF HELP IS NEEDED— <u>WE HAVE MANY OPENINGS</u>.

STEWARDSHIP ... A WAY OF LIFE

"...They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh." MATTHEW 2:11

What gifts do you give to the Lord? Pope St. Gregory said that these three gifts represent what we should give God every day. Gold – we should reflect Christ's wisdom in all our relationships. Frankincense – represents our daily prayer and adoration to God. Myrrh – is a symbol of our daily sacrifices that we unite with Jesus for the sake of others.

Financial Stewardship Week Ending 12/19/21

Stewardship

Envelopes	\$ 9,636.00
Collection	\$ 434.60
Electronic Giving	\$ 5,709.17
Maintenance	\$ 125.00
Christmas Flowers	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Weekly Total	\$ 16,004.77
Annual Budget Budget thru December	\$407,975 \$222,750
•	, ,
Parish Support thru 12/19/21	
	\$188,820

Women's Ministry will MISTUM be held on January 13, 6-7 pm in the Gathering

Space. Questions, contact Julie Sconzert at gidget@new.rr.com

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - The Light of the Moon

If you own a television that has been turned on at any point in the last month or so, chances are you've caught at least a scene or two of the 1946 classic film "It's a Wonderful Life."

If you're not familiar with the movie, it follows the life of George Bailey from childhood through adulthood. A dreamer by nature, George has big plans for himself that involve world exploration and adventure — but family and community obligations keep him tethered to the same spot on the map, leading an altogether ordinary life.

One of the most memorable scenes from that movie is of George dancing with his sweetheart Mary while they sing "Buffalo Gals - Won't you come out tonight/And dance by the light of the moon?"

That lyric always catches my ear. Of course, the moon doesn't have any light of its own. All the moon has is the ability to reflect the light that shines upon it.

The same holds for us, doesn't it? Our stewardship is purely a reflection of the grace granted to us by another. "Upon you the LORD shines," writes Isaiah, "and over you appears his glory." Every good action we will ever take begins in the mind of God. The fact that we have the honor of carrying it out on His behalf is a beautiful gift. It is God that makes our ordinary lives extraordinary.

In the end of the movie, George Bailey realizes that he had a far greater life because, instead of being the hero of his own story, he allowed himself to reflect goodness onto others.

Remember — the magi didn't chart their own course. They merely followed the star.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS *

Holy Cross School January 3 Classes resume Parents' Second Cup January 4

Walk a Thon Update: As of Tuesday, December 14, we have raised \$3,069.10 towards the rehabilitation of an existing well or the sponsorship towards a new well. We are still collecting now through January 31st.

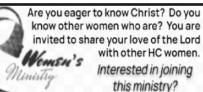
Food Service Manager St. Matthew Campus—Immediate Opening Details: 25-28 hours/week, 42 weeks per year (follows school calendar) | Benefit eligible! (PTO, Health, Vision & Dental Insurance, Retirement Plan) | Tuition discounts if children are enrolled in a GRACE School. Apply today! Please contact Jamie Hurley, Director of Food Services, at jhurley@gracesystem.org or 920-499-7330, Ext. 1001 for further details.

\$CRIP

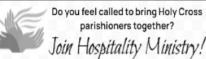
Total sales Dec. 13-19 \$35,170.00 Total profit \$ 2,180.92 Total sales Dec. 20-26 \$ N/A Total profit \$ N/A

\$crip is a no-cost fundraiser that benefits you and the parish. Purchase gift cards for things you buy everyday—gas, groceries, sundries, dining out, etc. School and Faith Formation families receive 59% of the profit toward their tuition; the balance (41% or 100%) benefits the parish. Check out glscrip.com for special order retailers. Please have any special orders in by 9 am on Monday mornings. Thank you to all who participate in our \$crip program.

Scrip Sales: Mondays: 9-11 am, Wednesdays: 12:30-2 pm, Fridays: 9-11 am. All Scrip sales are at the Parish Center.

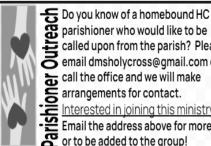


Email dmsholycross@gmail.com for more info or to be added to the group! This group is looking for a co-leader! Call 468-0595 or email today!



This energetic group plans, promotes, facilitates, and coordinates special celebrations and events at the parish, including Sweet Treat Sundays. Interested in joining this ministry?

Email dmsholycross@gmail.com for more info or to be added to the group!



parishioner who would like to be alled upon from the parish? Please **B** email dmsholycross@gmail.com or Call the office and we will make S arrangements for contact. Interested in joining this ministry? Email the address above for more info or to be added to the group!

Bulletin

If you are away from the parish, you can access our bulletin at holycrossgb.org. Sign up at parishesonline.com to have the bulletin emailed to you weekly. Please submit anything you wish published by noon on Tuesdays to bulletinholycross@gmail.com.

3



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lpi.com

Holy Cross Parish Family, Green Bay, WI

A 4C 01-0718