

Saint Nicholas Catholic Church

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Reconciliation - Confessions Saturdays 3:00 – 3:30 pm or by appointment - please contact Fr Walter Stumpf



January 9, 2022

Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 7:00 am & 10:30 am Tuesday 5:45 pm Thursday 8:15 am Livestream: <u>www.tinyurl.com/stnicholasfreedom</u> Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 10:30 am

St. Nicholas Parish Mission Statement

We, the people of St. Nicholas Parish, through our loving relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit exist to spread the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to ourselves, our children, and the world. We share the Good News of Jesus Christ through the Word of God, the Sacraments and service by the power of the Holy Spirit and as part of the Roman Catholic Church.



Saturday, January 8 +4:00 pm Wayne Van Asten

Sunday, January 9

+7:00am James Verhasselt and Living & Deceased Family Members

+10:30am Irene Smith

Monday, January 10

8:00am Mass at Schoenstatt Wayside Shine, **Refuge of Sinners**

Tuesday, January 11

+5:45pm Living & Deceased Family Members of Margaret Ann Randerson

Wednesday, January 12

8:15am Mass at St Edward – Mackville

Thursday, January 13 +8:15am Leo & Josephine Micke

Friday, January 14

Mass at St Edward – Mackville 8:15am 2:30pm Wedding Service Taylor Maulick & Nathan Swanke

Saturday, January 15

+4:00 pm Adam Slaby

Sunday, January 16

+7:00am For the People of St Nicholas & St Edward Parishes

+10:30am Aloysius Schuh & Dan Schuh

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Wedding Banns

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For the weekend of Jan 15th & 16th

Lectors:

4pm – Karen Court, Jen VanDenEng 7 am – John VanRossum, Nathan Wolf 10:30 am – Bridget Wisneski, Volunteer Needed Sacristans: 4pm – Linda Borneman 7 am – Gary VerVoort 10:30 am – Roger Stanley Mass Servers: 4pm – Matthew Murphy, Joe Hinshaw 7 am – Paige Smudde, Kayla Smudde 10:30am – Abby Vosters, Jasder VanderLinden, Logan Schmidt Music: 4pm – Anne Thelen, Dennis Henrickson 7 am – Sarah Koepke, Jamie Thelen 10:30 am – Jodi Roskowski, Kelly Bekkers-Graham Ushers: 4pm – Dennis Van Asten, Jim Linskens, Jim Greiner 7 am – Terry VanAsten, Lee VanderLoop, **Greg Vosters**, Dick Marx 10:30am- Terry Vosters, Jeff Zabel, Carl Vosters Dean Zabel



In Memory of... the Sanctuary Candle burns in Memory of **Yvonne** Greiner

The Host and Wine are in Honor of Iack & Ruth Ann Smíth

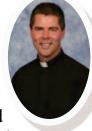


Scripture Readings for Next weekend

First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 Gospel: John 2:1-11

Bath of Rebirth

We remember Jesus revealed to us in the manger in Bethlehem. Let us also know that in generosity, Jesus the Son and the Father pour out their Holy



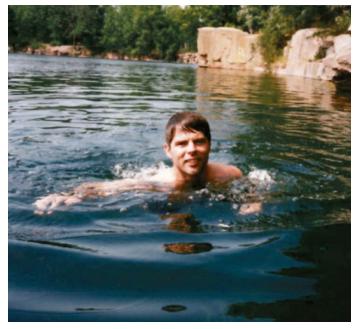
Spirit upon us. Let us rejoice and be glad. As we celebrate the baptism of the Lord, we sing in the responsorial psalm, "O bless the Lord my soul." (Psalm 104) We listen to the instructions Saint Paul wrote to Titus:

> When the kindness and generous love of God our savior appeared, not because of any righteous deeds we had done but because of his mercy, he saved us through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the holy Spirit whom he richly poured out on us through Jesus Christ our savior that we might be justified by his grace and become heirs in hope of eternal life. (Titus 2)

Be eager to take the plunge!

Peace,

Father Walter





& Maria Fannin, the musicians, and the altar boys for the Mass in remembrance of Don Coffey. Thank you to the cooks and waitresses for the delicious funeral meal and to the Freedom VFW Post 7692 for the wonderful ceremony.

Jane Coffey and Family

Additional Christmas Flower Donations



From: Lorraine Steffens for Living & Deceased Members of the Joe Steffens Family

From: Dan & Charlie VandenBerg in Memory of Deceased Family Members of the Brockman and VandenBerg Families

From: Rose Mary Rollo in Memory of Leland Rollo, George & Betty Vickman and Margie From: Dean & Nancy VanVreede



Welcome! Carl Richard son of Hollie ξ Chris Wallace

Wesley Wayne son of Stephanie & Kevin Glatz

Peyton Lorraine daughter of Jonathon & Kaylyn Greiner

THIS WEEK AT OUR PARISH

Sun, Jan 9 7:30pm Youth Adoration Tues, Jan 11 6:30pm Buildings & Grounds Meeting Thurs, Jan 13 2-4pm Scrip Sales Thurs, Jan 13 6pm Pickle Ball

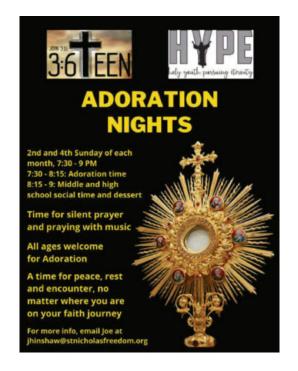


<u>Religious Education</u> <u>Class Calendar</u>

Jan 12 Grades 1-5 Home study week Grades 6-8 5:30-6:45 on-site Grades 9-11 7:15-8:30 on-site

Gr 2 Church Search Choose one of these dates:

- Jan 12 Gr 2 3:30-6pm Church Search Jan 15 Gr 2 9-11am Church Search
- Jan 18 Family Based Program Monthly Event 4:30-7:00pm





Christmas Masses December 25th

Envelopes: \$ 6,533 Loose: \$ 2,972 Christmas Flowers \$ 25

Total: \$ 9,530

Sunday Mass December 26th Envelopes: \$ 16,110 Loose: \$ 938

Total: \$17,048

Thank you for your continued support of St Nicholas Parish!

We appreciate your generosity!



Encounter Christ... Experience Cursillo, a three-day weekend that will renew your faith life!

*Deepen your knowledge of Catholicism *Foster a deeper relationship with Jesus.

Next Men's Cursillo: HERE AT ST. NICHOLAS, Freedom February 17-20, 2022

Next Women's Cursillo: St. John's Little Chute March 31-April 3, 2022

For questions or applications, contact: Jim or Kris Newhouse (920-716-0162) or Dean or Laurie Daul (920-858-7410)



Winterfest will be here before you know it!

Thank you to those of you who have already donated. We are still in need of donations. Feel free to drop off your donations at the school or parish office during normal business hours.

Thank you for supporting Saint Nicholas Catholic School!





Gr 3 St Nicholas students participated in a Jesse Tree project during the month of December. Students took turns each day reading a scripture passage to the class before hanging a homemade ornament on the tree. During this project our 3rd grade students learned of the ancestors of Jesus.





Pictured above is a portion of the Gr 3 collection for the Vida Medical Clinic. They were so appreciative upon delivery before Christmas! This was our largest collection of all the years we have been collecting! Way to shine the light of Jesus this Christmas season!

Saint Nicholas Catholic Church and School Christmas Light Recycling



Drop off locations: Door 1 and 5 and at your Green Bay Area Menard Stores.



January 31 or February 1 at 7:00 p.m. The Xavier curriculum will be described and advice will be given regarding course selection for the upcoming year. Those who are ready to make final course selections will be invited to do so. Tours of the building will be available. The program will begin in the Xavier High School Theatre.

Register at bit.ly/2XRU3xe or by calling 920-733-6632.

#XavierXperience



St Nicholas is at work in our community! Below are some examples of the random acts of kindness brought about as a result of families receiving a St Nicholas mug.

- I made two meals and did laundry for a family in need
- Visited the nursing home and went to rooms that don't receive many visitors.
- Shoveled for neighbor and cleared the sidewalks on our street.
- Gave to the Freedom Food Pantry

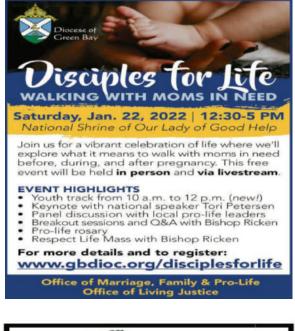
Please remember to send us your random acts of kindness! We love to hear from you!

Also, it's time to return the ST NICHOLAS MUGS to the school or parish office. Thank you to all who participated in our project!



Mother Daughter Retreats Jan 21-22: 4-6 yo, Jan 22-23: 7-10 yo Jan 14-15: 14-17 yo, Jan 15-16: 11-13 yo

Customized for each age category, these retreats include conversations, informative talks, fun crafts, and other special mother and daughter times of connection! For more information, please email: *TinaP@Elizabethministry.com* or view our website at *www.zechariahhouseofhealing.org*





Any questions, please contact President Chad Kortz at 920-740-2753

Well done, good servant!

Ready for a job that will bring you satisfaction and joy? Saint Edward Church in Mackville is seeking a **part-time** (ten hours per week) **Custodial Manager** who will:

- Coordinate a team of janitors and cleaning / maintenance volunteers
- Work with the pastor and the
- buildings and grounds committee to champion the preventive maintenance plan
- Work with the buildings and grounds committee to select and facilitate professional contractors (electrical, plumbing, snow removal, roofing, construction, etc.)



Hours are super flexible. Pay based on skill level and experience up to \$22/hour.

Contact Father Walter Stumpf 920-841-0898 or wstumpf@stedwardmackville.org



We provide FREE clothing to children, women, and men in need who are referred to us through any human service organization, school, or church. We believe clothing can open the door to a better future by providing the confidence needed to ace a job interview, project a healthy self-image in a social situation or stay safe from inclement weather. This time of year, warm clothing is in high demand. Donations are accepted Mon-Fri 9am-1pm and Monday 6-8pm. Call 920-731-7834 with questions. Address: 1465B **Opportunity Way Menasha, WI 54952** https://communityclothescloset.org/



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