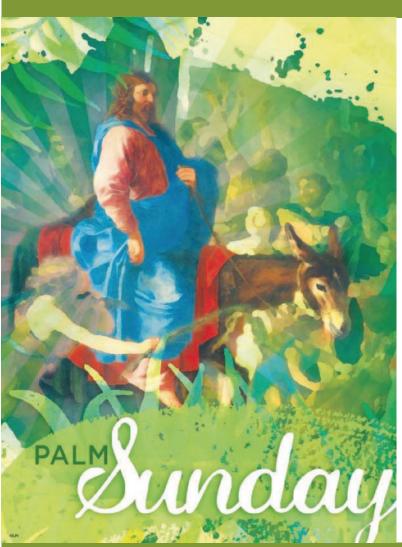
# ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Fr. Ron Belitz, Pastor

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#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday......4:30 p.m. Sunday.....8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

#### Weekday Masses

Monday - Thursday.....6:45 a.m. (Monday Prayer Service)

Friday Mass.....8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation will occur on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

Holy Days: Please check the bulletin

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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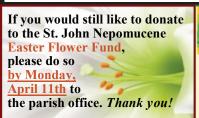
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### IN OUR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

#### Focus of this weekend's celebration



When we think of the crosses we encounter today, it is easy to name events of death and destruction. But the cross is more than death and destruction. The cross is life. We see examples of this life when people practice humility and kindness in solidarity with each other. We encounter this life in self-gift, like Jesus who gave himself for others. This agapic love is an essential and unavoidable part of the cross.











If you are interested, in regards to any liturgical ministries for Holy Week Masses, please contact Mary Ott at (920) 475-8913!

#### Good Friday Collection (April 15th)

The Holy Land Collection envelopes are now available at the Information Desk or the parish office for the Good Friday Collection. Thank you for supporting the Pontifical Good Friday Collection as encouraged by Pope Francis!

#### St. John Food Pantry **April Distribution is** Monday, April 18th!



Please bring any donations to church with you the weekend of April 16th and April 17th and place them in the wicker baskets at the church entrances for your convenience. Thank you!







THE DATE KIDS ENTERING K-ATH GRAD

As of April 5th, St. John parishioners have gifted \$97,535 to the 2022 Bishop's Appeal! Thank you so much for your continued generosity!



#### **Wedding Banns**

- II Hollie Grossman & Alec Pynenberg
- Amanda Wild & Tyler Van Boxtel Ι



#### **Remember in Your Prayers**



Our prayers and thoughts go to the family of: Mark William Smith, who passed away on March 27, 2022 We pray that you rest in the eternal light of Christ.

#### Closed on GOOD The parish office will be **CLOSED** on FRIDAY \* Please bring your Lenten Rice Bowl to church with you on Good Friday or you may provide it to the parish office. \* CIA-Faith Mission Operatives presents DIVINE EVIDENCE TWO-NIGHT HOLY WEEK EVENT APRIL 11 & 12 at 7 PM \*

Monday: Eucharistic Miracles

Vatican's Exhibit of Eucharistic Miracles of the World

TUESDAY: Sacred Cloths of the Passion

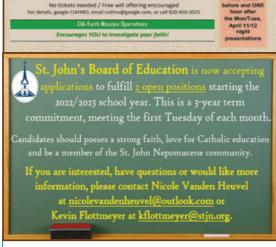
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- 03/22/22 \$25 Gaye Kane, Appleton
- 03/23/22 \$25 Katy Gloudemans, Kaukauna
- 03/24/22 \$25 Sharon Kringel, Greenville
- 03/25/22 \$25 Joel and Grace Mueller, Little Chute
- 03/26/22 \$25 Doug Weigman, Appleton
- 03/27/22 \$50 Dale Van Elsen, Kaukauna
- 03/28/22 \$25 Dave Peterson, Kaukauna
- \* Calendar winners will receive their check in the mail within two to three weeks. \*

St. John Nepomucene Catholic Community Little Chute, WI - April 10, 2022

## Financial Update Summary WEEK 40

#### **Weekly Offertory**

Budgeted Weekly	\$1,613.08
Received	\$1,629.00
Surplus	\$15.92

#### **Year-to-Date Offertory**

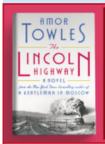
Received	\$65,540.56
Surplus	\$1.017.48

#### **Weekly Sacrificial Giving**

Budgeted Weekly	\$21,636.92
Received	\$20,851.80
Deficit	(\$785.12)

#### **Year-to-Date Sacrificial Giving**

Budgeted Year-to-Date	. \$865,476.92
Received	. \$834,912.52
Deficit	(\$30,564.40)



St. John Nepomucene Book Club will be neeting in the library on Monday, April 11th!

## We will be reading "The Lincoln Highway" by Amor Towles. All are welcome! Please read through page 280 for the meeting on April 11th.

We will meet in the library (located off of the Gathering Space) from 3:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m.

#### **COFFEE BAR** — Help wanted!

We are in need of a few more friendly helpers or families to set up the Coffee Bar in the Gathering Space for the 4:30 pm and 10:00 am Mass. You will arrive 30 minutes before Mass. Please contact Jessie at (920) 475-2230!

#### VOLUNTEERS Needed

Fire Camp - Sat, April 23

9:00 am - 12:30 pm

Supervise a small group of students helping with yardwork in the community.
Email: rgloudemans@stjn.org or ciorn@stin.org

#### PARISH MEETING SCHEDULE

- Connection Committee will meet on April 12th at 5:15 p.m. in Room 11
- \*\* The Grief Support Group will <u>NOT</u> be meeting on April 14th at 6:00 pm. \*\*



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## St. John Faith Development

St. John Faith Development seeks to foster among young people a lifelong relationship with God and His Church so all may live as disciples who know, love and serve Him.

#### **First Communion**

First Communion Masses will be held on Sunday April 24th at 10:00 am and 1:00 pm and on Sunday, May 1st at 10:00 am and 1:00 pm. Rehearsals will start one hour before the start of each Mass. Students should attend the rehearsal with at least one parent.

#### Grades 1st — 8th

There are NO scheduled Faith Development sessions for students in grades 1st - 8th on Wednesday, April 13th. We will resume at our regularly scheduled times on Wednesday, April 20th.

#### Grades 9th & 10th

We will be meeting with the 9th & 10th graders THIS Sunday, April 10th from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm. The theme for the session will be: "Taking Care of The Soul 2.0."

#### **Confirmation Mass**

Our Confirmation Mass will be held on Wednesday, May 11th at 6:00 pm. Students and sponsors should be at church by 4:45 pm for rehearsal.

## St. John School

#### School schedule for this week:

- \* Monday, April 11th through Wednesday, April 13th Regular school day
- \* Thursday, April 14th Early release at 11:30 am

The After School Care will **not** be available.

HONORGOD

- \* Friday, April 15th No School or Before/After School Care
- \* Monday, April 18th No School or Before/After School Care

There is a middle school track meet on April 11th at LCHS. SJS is hosting this event. *Good luck Dutchmen!* 

Under the direction of Mr. Becker, the 8th grade students added

"Honor God" to the fence by the playground. A SJS student honors God by being a good person and doing their best!

If you are thinking about sending your little ones to preschool, we still have availability in our PreK-4 program and the PreK-3 afternoon session. We also have availability in Kindergarten through 8th grade. New students are welcome and we would love to see all of our current students return next year! Please visit the registration page at: stjn.org/sjs-reg/ to begin the registration process.

For SJS news, updates and schedules, please visit stjn.org/news for the Dutchmen Details that are posted weekly on Wednesdays.

## **Youth Ministry**

For Youth in Grades 5th—8th 9 am until 5:30 pm

Meet us at 9:00 am for prayer and breakfast. Students will then go out into the community to volunteer at various worksites. We will then come back to St. John's for a pizza lunch, DJ dancing, a witness talk and activities. We will end the day together in prayer and attend the 4:30 pm Mass. *There is NO cost to attend!* 

Register today at: stjn.org/firecamp



#### **Parish Directory**

PARISH OFFICE	(920) 788-9061
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PASTORAL STAFF	
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Jessica Hietpas	Finance
James DeGroot	Music Ministry Coordinator
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Sarah Vosters	Marketing Coordinator
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FAITH DEVELOPMENT CENTER	(920) 788-9033
Email	
Office Hours (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday)	8:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Office Hours (Wednesday)	12:00 p.m 8:30 p.m.
Ryan Gloudemans	. Director of Religious Education
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Kelly Ufi	Administrative Assistant
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	EMAILschooloffice@stjn.org
Kevin Flottmeyer	Principal
Peg Van Asten	Administrative Assistant

#### PARISH LEADERSHIP

Lori Verhagen	Pastoral Council Chairperson
Todd Schommer	Finance Council Chairperson
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Nancy Vanderloop	Secretary Trustee
Amy McLaughlin	Treasurer Trustee
BULLETIN DEADLINE	Monday at 4:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM** — Contact the parish office for the Sacrament of Baptism.

**RECONCILIATION** — Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. or by appointment.

**WEDDINGS** — Contact the parish office at least six (6) months in advance.

#### **PASTORAL CARE**

Please inform the parish office of anyone who is sick, homebound, in a care facility or of other special needs.

#### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

We welcome new parishioners! Visit the website or contact the parish office to register or to change your contact information.

#### Children's Liturgy for April 16th and April 17th

4:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m.

JOIN US for Children's Liturgy on Sunday, April 24th at 10 am Mass!

10:00 a.m.

#### **FIRST Steps for April 17th**

8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.



#### **Weekly Mass Schedule and Intentions**

#### **MONDAY. APRIL 11TH**

Isaiah 42:1-7 John 12:1-11

6:45 a.m. Communion Service

#### **TUESDAY, APRIL 12TH**

Isaiah 49:1-6 John 13:21-33, 36-38

6:45 a.m. For those involved in natural disasters

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13TH

Isaiah 50:4-9a Matthew 26:14-25

6:45 a.m. For all expectant parents

#### THURSDAY, APRIL 14TH

#### THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK (HOLY THURSDAY)

Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 John 13:1-15

7:00 p.m. Jim Lamers and daughter, Barb

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 15TH

#### FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (GOOD FRIDAY)

Isaiah 52:13—53:12 Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9 John 18:1—19:42

1:00 p.m. Good Friday Service

7:30 p.m. Tenebrae Service

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH **HOLY SATURDAY (VIGIL OF EASTER)**

Romans 6:3-11 Luke 24:1-12

8:00 p.m. For the newly baptized and newly received

#### **SUNDAY, APRIL 17TH**

#### EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43 Colossians 3:1-4 John 20:1-9

7:00 a.m. Roman and Marie Salm

and Living and Deceased Family Members

9:00 a.m. Michelle Vosters, James and Patricia Gaudet,

**Andrew and Calixta Vosters** 

and St. John Nepomucene Members

11:00 a.m. Dan Van Lanen



#### Holy Thursday, April 14th ~ 7:00 pm Mass with Adoration until 10:00 pm



Faithful God, Jesus gave us the gift of his own Body and Blood that we might have food to sustain us. As we share the Eucharist of Jesus Christ, let us become Eucharist for one another. May our lives be blessed, broken and given that your people may live. This we ask in the name of Jesus, our THURSDAY living Bread. Amen.

#### Good Friday, April 15th ~ 1:00 pm Service and 7:30 pm Tenebrae



Christ Jesus, your love is made visible through the mystery of your death and resurrection. Make us one in you. Transform us into people of mercy who reach out to embrace you in the suffering ones in our midst. We ask this, as a people reconciled to God through the blood of your cross. Amen.

#### Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil), April 16th ~ 8:00 pm for Easter Vigil Mass



Saving God, all creation waits with groaning and longing for the salvation promised to our ancestors and revealed in the resurrection of your Son Jesus. Teach us how to wait for the bursting forth of your saving power when all will be reconciled to you in Christ Jesus. We wait in hope, O God. We wait in the company of all the angels and saints of heaven. Through their intercession may we have the power to say: Holy, Holy, Holy is our God. Amen.

#### Easter/Resurrection Sunday, April 17th ~ 7:00 am, 9:00 am & 11 am Mass



Jesus, we stand in awe at the mystery of your death and resurrection. We wonder at the depths of your love for us. May all peoples of the earth receive the good news of your gospel. As your people we ask this day for the power to live in the joy of your rising. May we sing with all creation: Hail, O Light of Christ! Welcome, Risen Lord. Amen.

#### **Explanation Station from** St. John Nepomucene Adult Faith Formation

#### The Beauty of the Paschal Mystery

Let's take a look at the word *Paschal*. It comes from the Hebrew word PASACH which means to PASS OVER. This refers to the first Passover when the Lord passed over the homes of the Israelites while striking down the firstborn of Egypt. In that case, the Israelites smeared the blood of a lamb on their doorposts to signify their belief in the one true God. The sacrificing of an innocent lamb became the means of their salvation and their deliverance from captivity in Egypt. In the same way, God sent His Son to be *our* paschal lamb. The essence of our faith is this: that Jesus came to die for us, to free us from sin, and so that we might have a new and eternal life.

#### Source: www.catechistaide.com

During these last days of Lent, let us set aside time to learn all we can about this Paschal Mystery. We hope you will take part in all three days of the Easter Triduum: Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter.





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