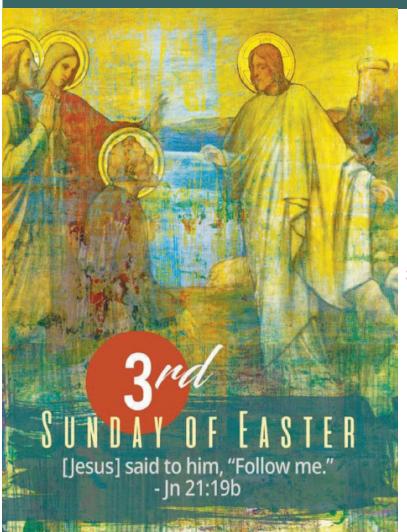
# ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

# Fr. Ron Belitz, Pastor

Together We Love, Serve and Share Our Faith



## MASS SCHEDULE

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

### <u>Weekday Masses</u>

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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# May 1, 2022

# **IN OUR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**

World Meeting of Families

Video Contest

Vocations Begin in the Home

The Vatican's World Meeting of Families is fast

approaching! Join us in celebrating families by participating in the World Meeting of Families Video Contest.

Showcase your family in a fun and engaging video to win the valuable gift of quality time. Grand Prize winner will win a vacation\* to the Wilderness Resort at the Wisconsin Dells!

le for any taxes due

Contest rules and video guidelines

Hosted by the Office of Marriage, Family Life & Pro-Life

www.gbdioc.org/videocontest

can be found at

### Focus of this weekend's celebration



*"If you love me, feed my lambs. Be my heart, my voice, my hands."* These lines seems to summarize the entirety of today's Gospel passage, for they reiterate the concrete realities of loving Jesus. We do not love Jesus in isolation from the rest of the world or as a practice of individualism. Rather, our love for Jesus must compel us to be the heart, voice and hands of Christ for others.



**Regarding removal of the Ash trees in the St. John Nepomucene Cemetery** At a meeting this past winter, the Cemetery Committee decided to remove our Ash trees because of **EAB (Emerald Ash Bore Disease)** as **nearly all of them were infected**. Removing all of the Ash trees at the same time saves the cemetery money verses removing a few every year. Our decision also reflected safety and damage issues, if these weakened trees would topple in a storm. There are plans to plant different varieties of trees that are more suitable for our cemetery. As we fully realize that this process will take time, *we ask for your patience and understanding*. Thank you.

#### OPEN AUDITIONS by appointment

Saturday morning, May 14 & Tuesday evening, May 17

Do you love to sing and dance? Fill out a cast application and schedule an audition to be considered for the 2022 cast. Go to www.christmasstars.org and click or tap the Join Our Cast button. Fill out an online cast application and get a

3 2022 link to schedule an audition. Students entering Kindergarten through 12th grade in 2022-2023 and

adults of any age are invited to audition for the cast.

Auditions, rehearsals and performances at the Xavier Fine Arts Theatre. 2022 show dates: Dec. 1-4 & 8-11

### **Remember in Your Prayers**



Our prayers and thoughts go to the family of: **Robert E. Mrotek**, who passed away on February 27, 2022 **Michael "Y-D" Wydeven**, who passed away on April 20, 2022 We pray that you rest in the eternal light of Christ.



Maeve Catherine Schwebke Daughter of Kyle and Gina Schwebke Baptized on April 23, 2022

Annaleigh Faith Verhagen Daughter of Nicholas and Lauren Verhagen Baptized on April 23, 2022

Nellie James Verhagen Daughter of Daniel and Megan Verhagen Baptized on April 23, 2022

Hallie Margaret Van Boxtel Daughter of Jacob and Erin Van Boxtel Baptized on April 23, 2022

**Bennett Michael Hietpas** Son of Philip and Kelsey Hietpas Baptized on April 24, 2022

Colt Robert Thompson Son of Jacob and Carly Thompson Baptized on April 24, 2022

Beckett Steven Hering Son of Travis and Brittany Hering Baptized on April 24, 2022



St. John Nepomucene is excited to announce our **newest member** that joined our parish family recently! Please welcome: **Doreen Knutson** 

Just a reminder that **Church Cleaning** will occur on **Monday**, <u>May 2nd</u> after the 6:45 a.m. Communion Service. *Join us!* 

### **2022 Calendar Winners**

	04/12/22	\$25	Joel & Grace Mueller,
			Little Chute
	04/13/22	\$25	Betsy Hermes, Kaukauna
	04/14/22	\$25	Jake & Paige Hietpas, Appleton
	04/15/22	\$25	Kane Van Camp, Freedom
	04/16/22	\$25	Tom & Lacey Audette, Suamico
	04/17/22	\$150	) Julie Peterson, Little Chute
	04/18/22	\$25	Jamie Metoxen, Seymour
* Calendar winners will receive their check			
in the mail <u>within two to three weeks</u> . *			

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### Financial Update Summary WEEK 43

### **Weekly Offertory**

Budgeted Weekly	\$1,613.08
Received	
Surplus	\$615.17

### Year-to-Date Offertory

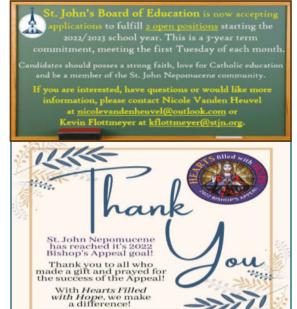
Budgeted Year-to-Date	\$69,362.31
Received	<u>\$74,922.41</u>
Surplus	\$5,560.10

#### **Weekly Sacrificial Giving**

Budgeted Weekly	\$21,636.92
Received	<u>\$19,639.11</u>
Deficit	(\$1,997.81)

### Year-to-Date Sacrificial Giving

Budgeted Year-to-Date	. \$930,387.69
Received	
Deficit	(\$42,590.58)



### PARISH MEETING SCHEDULE

- **Board of Education** will meet on May 3rd at 5:30 p.m. in the SJS Conf. Room
- Women Celebrate Team will meet on May 3rd at 5:30 p.m. in the Library
- Buildings & Grounds Committee will meet on May 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in Room 11
- Knights of Columbus will meet on May 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in the Msgr. Jim Rm
- **SJS Athletic Association** will meet on May 4th at 8:00 p.m. in Room 12



# **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.

### <u>1st — 8th Grade</u>

We will be meeting on Wednesday, May 4th at our regularly scheduled times. This will be our <u>final</u> session for the year.

### 9th & 10th Grade

We will be meeting on Sunday, May 1st from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. This will be our <u>final</u> session for the year.

### **Confirmation Mass**

The Confirmation Mass will be held on **Wednesday, May 11th at 6:00 pm.** We will be doing the **rehearsal at 4:45 pm** 





in church on May 11th. Students and sponsors should plan to attend the rehearsal.

# **St. John School**

The **8:00 am All School Mass on Friday, May 6th** will be led by Mrs. Ortner's 2nd/3rd grade class. The 2nd graders will also be doing the May Crowning of Mary.

Mother's Day Tea (1st—3rd grade students), will be held on Friday, May 6th.

There is early dismissal at 11:30 am on Friday, May 6th.

There is a **middle school track meet at St. Mary's in Neenah on May 2nd** and a **meet in Shiocton on May 3rd**. Events for both meets will start at 4:15 pm. *Good luck Dutchmen!* 

*We are still accepting registrations for the 2022-23 school year.* We would <u>LOVE</u> for you to join us! Please visit the registration page at: <u>stjn.org/sjs-reg/</u> for more information.

**Open positions:** Substitute teachers for the 2022-23 school year Board of Education (two openings)

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



Attention all students in 5th through 8th grade!

Join us for our <u>LAST</u> Faith on FIRE that will be held on Saturday, May 14th.

Attend the 4:30 p.m. Mass and/or join us in the Fellowship Hall from 5:30 pm–8 pm for dinner, games, fun and faith!





### **Parish Directory**

PARISH OFFICE	(920) 788-9061
	EMAIL parishoffice@stjn.org
PASTORAL STAFF	
Fr. Ronald Belitz	Pastor
Deacon David Van Eperen	Executive Director
Deacon Bruce Corey	Pastoral Associate
	Finance
Kathii Schommer	Finance
Jessica Hietpas	Finance
James DeGroot	Music Ministry Coordinator
Sarah Zouski-Teske	Executive Secretary / Bulletin Editor
Sarah Vosters	Marketing Coordinator
ST. JOHN CEMETERY (Roger V	an Groll)(920) 422-0467

FAITH DEVELOPMENT CENTER	
Email	<u>stjnfaithform@stjn.org</u>
Office Hours (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday	)
Office Hours (Wednesday)	
Ryan Gloudemans	Director of Religious Education
Clint Jorn	Youth Minister
Kelly Ufi	Administrative Assistant
ST. JOHN SCHOOL	
	EMAILschooloffice@stjn.org
Kevin Flottmeyer	Principal

### PARISH LEADERSHIP

Lori Verhagen	Pastoral Council Chairperson
Todd Schommer	Finance Council Chairperson
Nicole Vanden Heuvel	Board of Education Chairperson
Nancy Vanderloop	Secretary Trustee
Amy McLaughlin	Treasurer Trustee
	Manday at 1:00 n m

Peg Van Asten ......Administrative Assistant

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 May 7th and May 8th

4:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m. JOIN US for Children's Liturgy on Sunday, May 8th at 10 am Mass!

### 10:00 a.m. Ryan Gloudemans

### FIRST Steps for May 8th

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



### Weekly Mass Schedule and Intentions

### MONDAY, MAY 2ND

Acts of the Apostles 6:8-15 John 6:22-29 6:45 a.m. Communion Service

### **TUESDAY, MAY 3RD**

1 Corinthians 15:1-8 John 14:6-14 6:45 a.m. John and Frances Van Grinsven and all Deceased Family Members

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 4TH

Acts of the Apostles 8:1b-8 John 6:35-40

6:45 a.m. For all teachers and staff as they approach the end of another school year

### THURSDAY, MAY 5TH

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Acts of the Apostles 8:26-40 John 6:44-51 6:45 a.m. For all students who are preparing for graduation

### FRIDAY, MAY 6TH

Acts of the Apostles 9:1-20 John 6:52-59 8:00 a.m. Lester and Helen Bricco and Living and Deceased Family Members

### SATURDAY, MAY 7TH

Acts of the Apostles 9:31-42 John 6:60-69

### FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MOTHER'S DAY / WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52 Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 John 10:27-30 4:30 p.m. Al Zierler and Breanna and Bryce Leiteritz Servers: Vincent Heuring, Eddie Heuring Eucharistic Ministers: Steve Binversie, Eileen Van Roy,

Jen Verstegen

### SUNDAY, MAY 8TH

Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52 Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 John 10:27-30

8:00 a.m. Helen and Louis McCormick and Joan Conrad Servers: Will Jansen, Ben Pollak Eucharistic Minister: Tom Ebben, Sarah Simon, Gerry Janssen

### 10:00 a.m. George and Frances Vissers and St. John Nepomucene Members

Servers: Hannah Nash, Isabel Vasquez

Eucharistic Minister: Tammy Spidle, Kelly Ufi, Kathy Verhagen

\*Lead Minister appears in Bold





THE SHACK — Please feel free to join the Wednesday Morning Bible Study as we watch and discuss the movie, THE SHACK, beginning Wednesday, May 4th for three weeks!

This will occur from 9:00 am until 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall at St. John Nepomucene. The movie explores life's toughest questions through a gripping story of a father's struggle to find answers to his suffering. It wrestles with the timeless question, "Where is God in a



**Congratulations** to the children who have celebrated their First Eucharist this weekend. Welcome to the table of the Lord!

### Sunday, May 1st (10:00 a.m. Mass)

Sullivan Barribeau Natalie Blemberg Jacob Bork Jack Deering Landon Dukes Landon Ecker Ayleen Gracia Yarely Gracia Landen Oshefsky Carly Reinke Grant Vosters Liam Whitenack



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