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March 13, 2022 Second Sunday of Lent

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 8:00am and 10:30am
Monday 8:00am Communion Service
Tuesday - Saturday 8:00am

Confessions

Tuesday– Saturday 7:00am –7:45am
Saturday 8:30am –10:00am and 3:00pm-3:45pm

Parish Center and Chapel Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 4:30pm
Friday 8:00am - 12:00 noon

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Friday 12:00 noon, 1 week prior
 bulletin@holynamewausau.com

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Father Martin for preparation classes. These are required for parents and recommended for Godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Father Martin 6 months in advance.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact Father Martin for information

Anointing of the Sick

If you would like the Anointing of the Sick before a scheduled surgery, or if you're at home or nursing facility, please contact Judy. If you would like Father Martin to visit you while at the hospital, be sure to leave our church name upon registration.

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Mass Intentions

March 14th - March 20th

14	Monday	8:00 am	Communion Service
15	Tuesday	8:00 am	† Albine Zurkowski
16	Wednesday	8:00 am	† Ted and Lucille Salwach
17	Thursday	8:00 am	† Imogene Niewolny
18	Friday	8:00 am	† Mary Lou Behrens
19	Saturday	8:00 am	† Roger Elliott

Third Sunday of Lent

19	Saturday	4:00 pm	† David Martin
20	Sunday	8:00 am	† Peter Lakus
			† Living and deceased members of Holy Name of Jesus Parish
		10:30 am	† Albine Zurkowski

March 14th - March 20th

The Church Blessed Sacrament Candle

Dedicated to: Father Martin
 Dedicated from: Parish Member

The Chapel Blessed Sacrament Candle

Dedicated to: Brian Buchberger
 Dedicated from: Milton and Marlene Heinz



From the Pastor's Desk

Praised be Jesus Christ! Last week I shared some insightful material regarding family life and the wounds that we experience simply because we live in a fallen world. For those who are interested, the following is a list of fantastic books that offer hope and healing. Remember the basic thesis that encourages us to learn more and go deeper is that we cannot go to places with others that we've been unwilling or unable to visit ourselves. And this means places in the heart and soul that we avoid because they cause us to feel shame and guilt. Healing is a blessing for the whole world and the devil doesn't want you to think there's any hope. He's a liar. Pick up one of these books and let the Holy Spirit guide you on a path to deeper peace and greater love for God, His people, and even for yourself! (all book descriptions come from a friend of mine)

- 1) Bessel van der Kolk, *The Body Keeps the Score: Brain, Mind, and Body in the Healing of Trauma*
Trauma is not just something in the past – it shows up present day in our bodies, in everyday reactions and in our relationships. If you are wanting to understand more about trauma, this is the book. He is a highly accomplished clinical researcher but puts things in readable enough terms. He gives due attention to “developmental trauma” (abuse and neglect in childhood that has a chronic affect – every bit as impactful as one P.T.S.D. incident).
- 2) Jay Stringer, *Unwanted: How Sexual Brokenness Reveals Our Way to Healing*
In my opinion, hands down the best book right now addressing the issue of unwanted sexual behaviors, how they are connected to stories of harm, and how to be transformed in healthy and holy living today.
- 3) Mark Laaser, *Healing the Wounds of Sexual Addiction*
Prior to Jay Stringer's book coming out, this was probably the best book on the topic, in my opinion. Still well worth reading.
- 4) Mark Laaser, *Taking Every Thought Captive*
Rather than fleeing our lust, learning to pay attention to sexual fantasies, discovering their good needs and desires that need to be ordered by Christ.
- 5) Mark & Debbie Laaser, *Seven Desires*
Designed especially for married couples but was totally transformative for me in 2017. They name seven core human needs that are often running on empty in our relationships. They reflect on the image of an iceberg – most of us only look at the surface, but “the problem is not the problem.” The book offers practical help for individuals and couples to go down to the depths of the iceberg and talk about what is really happening emotionally and spiritually. Highly recommended!
- 6) John Trent & Gary Smalley, *The Blessing*
One of Mark Laaser's favorite books because it specifically addresses the deep desire “to be blessed” - something we are meant to receive from our fathers and mothers but so often don't. They discuss how parents can learn to help their children feel blessed in their very identity as children of God. I find it helped me to be a Father who blesses his staff and his people.
- 7) Bob Schuchts, *Be Healed: A Guide to Encountering the Powerful Love of Jesus in Your Life*
Rooted in the Catechism and the theological anthropology of John Paul II (while aware of teaching of people like Dan Allender), Bob reflects on how unhealed wounds need to be healed so that we can become who we are as a whole person in Christ. Bob runs the John Paul II Healing Center in Tallahassee. I've been there twice.
- 8) Bob Schuchts, *Be Restored: Healing Our Sexual Wounds Through Jesus' Merciful Love*
Bob's newest book (I haven't read it yet) – deals specifically with the theme of sexuality.
- 9) Curt Thompson, *The Soul of Shame: Retelling the Stories We Believe About Ourselves*
Probably the single most comprehensive book about toxic shame and how it has a lifelong impact on our relationships. Toxic shame is always lurking at the roots when there are unwanted behaviors!
- 10) Curt Thompson, *The Soul of Desire: Discovering the Neuroscience of Longing, Beauty, and Community*
- 11) Brené Brown, various books (*The Power of Vulnerability*; *Daring Greatly*; *Dare to Lead*)
She describes so well what authentic vulnerability looks like, how toxic shame gets in the way, and how these principles can be applied in family and the workplace. She became famous following a Ted Talk and has now authored several books. She is Catholic, though she doesn't parade that around.
- 12) Henry Cloud & John Townsend, *Boundaries: When to Say Yes, How to Say No*
*One of the most life-changing books I've ever read. Helped me to see more clearly how I feel responsible for other people's feelings and other people's reactions, how I struggle to say “yes” and “no” with freedom, and why (based on my family of origin). **I find this book incredibly relevant for parish life.***
- 13) Henry Cloud & John Townsend, *Our Mothers, Ourselves*
The single best book I know in naming specifically the different kinds of wounding that come from dysfunctional experiences of mothering. They describe six different dysfunctional styles of mothering, how those are likely to continue having impact in adult life, how to heal and transform, and then how to re-engage in an adult relationship with mom (if desired).
- 14) Henry Cloud, *Necessary Endings*
*This book is more of a leadership / organizational health book – and totally relevant for us as pastors! It addresses some of the challenging conflict resolution issues, how and why we avoid them, how to face them, and how not all endings are a bad thing. Often, he develops the image of seasons of the year or the image of pruning some branches so that others (and the overall organism) can grow stronger and more fruitful in the long run. **Especially relevant for pastoral planning!!***
- 15) Dan Allender, *The Healing Path*
A great overall summary of the approach of the Allender Center in inviting Christians to move from surviving through coping and denial to a path of healing that is animated by Faith, Hope, and Charity. Names specifically many of the ways that Christians and Christian leaders keep themselves (and others) off the healing path, and how to persevere together on it.
- 16) Dan Allender, *Healing the Wounded Heart*
A must read for any sexual abuse survivor or those desiring to care well for sexual abuse survivors. Describes in detail the ways in which the evil one lies, steals, and mars through the evil of sexual abuse, how people tend to get bound up with lies and inner vows, how they curse their sexual arousal, and what the path to freedom looks like.

17) Colleen Carroll Campbell, *The Heart of Perfection: How the Saints Taught Me to Trade My Dream of Perfect for God's*
This is the best work I've ever seen on lives of the saints. She selects about seven or eight saints and offers a well-researched and gripping narrative for each – tracing their story arc from being a high-performing, hard-on-self young perfectionist to learning a tender-hearted trust in God's mercy and true growth in charity. From Paul to Francis of Assisi to Ignatius of Loyola to Francis de Sales. Outstanding spiritual reading.

May God give us the courage to face our sorrows, knowing that it's His desire to heal us and set us free!
Your friend in Christ,
Father Martin

March 13, 2022 - 2nd Sunday of Lent

There is so much wisdom in the first commandment. The daily demands of life, current political ideologies and dynamics, social expectations, corporate philosophies, and even technology can easily become lesser gods. We can find ourselves beholden to and held captive by these secular constructs and systems. Even for those who profess a faith in the one true God, these lesser, attractive but false gods are a temptation. Being overly preoccupied and even obsessed with the state of our present lives, we lose sight of our real destiny and purpose.

Jesus showed his disciples a glimpse of this destiny when he was transfigured before their eyes. In fact, Peter was so caught up in the brilliance, awe, and sacredness of these fleeting moments that he wanted to extend them as long as possible. Wonderful things happen when we leave our illusions and discover something that is true. This is why creating some sacred space in our lives for reflection, prayer, renewal, refreshment, centering ourselves, and disconnecting from the noise is so important. It shows us how false and shallow our lives can be and what is really of importance. Do you create some kind of sacred space in your life? Lent is a perfect time to do so.

St. Irenaeus, one of the early fathers and martyrs of the Catholic Church, said that, "he who was the Son of God became the Son of Man that man ... might become the son of God." We mistakenly believe that life is all about us. It's not. Ours is a journey of transformation in which we become more and more one with the mind of Christ and Christ himself. St. Augustine saw this same transformation occurring when the Eucharist is received. In receiving the Eucharist, we become what we eat, the Body of Christ. Honestly acknowledging false gods that we cling to can open the door for God to show us the wholeness and holiness to which we are called. Take time to discover the sacred. When we do, we will want to stay there for a while. Then, when we return to our personal affairs, we will see more clearly.



**Diocese of La Crosse
 Help the People of Ukraine in
 their Hour of Need!
 Donate to Chalice of Mercy**

Russia has invaded Ukraine and help is needed for those trapped in the conflict and those seeking to flee to neighboring countries. Please consider donating to

Chalice of Mercy, a 501(c)(3) mission to Ukraine founded by Valentyna Pavshukova, a member of our diocese, in Chippewa Falls in 2007. At this moment Chalice of Mercy is providing aid, especially for refugees fleeing to Poland.

Instructions for donating by credit card or check can be found on the Chalice of Mercy website <https://chaliceofmercy.org/donation/>.

Valentyna and her mission are well known in our Diocese and dear to our hearts. Please pray for her, for the work of Chalice of Mercy, and for her native Ukraine! <https://diolc.org/social-concerns/>

WALK TO MARY
United in Step from Shrine to Shrine

The Walk to Mary is a 21-mile walking pilgrimage from the National Shrine of Saint Joseph in De Pere, Wisconsin, to the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help in Champion, Wisconsin.

*Saturday, May 7, 2022
 6:30 AM - 8:30 PM*

See the schedule of events at walktomary.com

If you are interested in participating, contact Stacie Stanke at Stacie@holynamewausau.com

Readings for the week of March 13 , 2022

Sunday-13	Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36
Monday-14	Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday-15	Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday-16	Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday-17	Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31
Friday-18	Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday-19	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Sunday-20	Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
 March 19th and 20th
 Third Sunday of Lent**

	4:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Lectors			
	Doris Martin	Tim Murphy	Shirley Fosbender
Servers			
	Izzie Isakson XXXXX	Nick Townsend XXXXX	Calen Franson XXXXX
Ushers			
	Jim Reel Steve Sleeter Bill Franzen Wally Legenza	John Borowicz Ron Hoffman Ron Mroczenski Gary Townsend	Bernie Ford Craig Lang Kelly Lang Brian Brodjiski

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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

March 13th - March 20th

Sun-13
 Mon-14
 Tue-15 Stations of the Cross 6:15 C
 Wed-16 Father Martin has Mass at Mt. View 2:30
 Religious Education 6:15-7:30
 Thurs-17 Finance Council Meeting 6:00 P.C.
 Young Adult Meeting 6:00 School Ministry Room
 Fri-18 Stations of the Cross 8:30
 Sat-19
 Sun-20 Movie of the Month 2:00- School Conference Room



Holy Name of Jesus Parish has completed its task of hosting three sessions of the Diocesan Lay Formation Institute (October, February, and March). This was both an honor and a lot of work. I'm very proud of our amazing volunteers and sincerely grateful to them for their labor of love. Mr. Christopher Ruff, who is in charge of Lay Formation, consistently expressed the rave reviews of all of the participants. May God reward each of you with a share of His goodness and joy!



The Hope Life Center would like to express a big THANK YOU to our kind and generous parishioners who participated in the Operation Baby Bottle program in January. Our total to date is \$1065.04 in cash, as well as fleece blankets and dental supplies, which will provide services to new parents choosing life.

Stations of the Cross

Tuesdays at 6:15pm
 Fridays after Mass at 8:30am



Confessions

Tuesday - Saturday 7:00a.m. - 7:50a.m.
 Saturday 8:30a.m. - 10:00a.m.
 Saturday, April 2nd 8:30a.m. - 11:00a.m. 2 priests

Inspired by the Spirit

Eternal Father, Your Holy Spirit
 breathes life and gives beauty
 to all Your creatures, and
 forms us in Your image.

Jesus, as You promised,
 You send Your Spirit upon Your Church
 to embolden us always
 to carry out Your mission.

Holy Spirit, poured out as love itself,
 we turn to You; inspire us!

You who strengthened the faith
 of those in every generation before us,
 inspire us today
 to be courageous in our belief.

You who will remain always with us,
 inspire us now to share
 what we have received
 for our present good and
 for the good of
 those yet to come.
 Amen.

HOLY NAME PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Collection Report for March 6, 2022

Adult Envelopes.....	\$ 7,643.00
ACH Weekly Deposit	\$ 1,354.00
Student.....	\$
Offertory.....	\$ 618.33
Maintenance.....	\$ 866.00
Weekly Collection	\$ 10,481.33

Annual Appeal as of March 7, 2022

Our Target.....	\$59,840.00
Amount Received	\$58,904.00
Remaining.....	\$ 936.00
Percent of goal received.....	98.4%

COVID-19 Guidelines

The following instructions were sent to us via the chancery bulletin on March 1st: *After hearing from pastors, the faithful, and the diocesan Presbyteral Council, and in light of the decrease in current COVID infections, any precautions surrounding COVID-19 in the liturgy can be made by the local pastor. He will take into account present liturgical norms, the circumstances of his parish or group of the faithful, and the common sense learned from the past two years. Thus, beginning on Ash Wednesday, the pastor can implement guidelines for his parish that are in keeping with the options found in the liturgical books.*

For us at Holy Name, this means exercising good stewardship in terms of our own health. If you're not feeling well, consider staying at home. If you have ongoing underlying health issues, do what you need to do to stay healthy. In a nutshell, let's each use our best judgement to live in a way that preserves our health and the health of others. Thank you!

Southwest Wausau Circle of Joy Food Pantry



It's time to start planning for our Easter food baskets. We hope to provide **20 families** with an Easter meal this year. Do you think you could help? We will need, of course, at least **18 hams**. (We have 2 already!) We have freezer space available. If you can help with a ham donation, please call the number below and we'll make arrangements for you to drop it off, or for someone to pick it up.

Cash donations are also needed to purchase items that we might not have on our shelves. Please make checks payable to "**Circle of Joy**" and mark the envelope "**Circle of Joy**" and drop in any collection basket at church, or mail directly to: Circle of Joy, 225780 Rib Mountain Dr., Box 114, Wausau WI 54401.

If your family would benefit from an Easter food basket, please contact Brenda Ricci at 715-298-0893. If you know of a family in need who lives South of Stewart Ave., West of the river, and East of 17th Avenue, please let us know. We will make every effort to help and all requests will be kept confidential.

Holy Thursday Mass Food Drive

Due to Covid-19, we will **NOT** be having a Holy Thursday Mass Food Drive this year. The offertory Collection that day will benefit the Circle of Joy.

We are so very grateful to ALL OF OUR Parishioners for replenishing our shelves over the winter and our bank account during the Souper Bowl of Caring.



Religious Education Schedule

Families Mark Your Calendars

Mar 16	Class
Mar 23	No Class - Have a great Spring Break!
Mar 30	Class
Apr 6	Class
Apr 13	Class



NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Need registration information?

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St. Therese: 112 W. Kort Street, Rothschild, 715-355-5254

Preschool, 4 Pre K

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St. Michael: 615 Stark Street, Wausau, 715-848-0206

Kindergarten – Grade 5

St. Mark: 602 Military Road, Rothschild, 715-359-9662

St. Anne: 604 N. 6th Avenue, Wausau, 715-845-5754

Grades 6 – 12

Newman Catholic MS/HS: 1130 W. Bridge Street, Wausau, 715-845-8274

Central Office – 715-845-5735

www.newmancatholicschools.com



No Religious Education

Wednesday, March 23rd

No Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, March 20th

Sunday, March 27th



Eucharistic Fair

April 9

from 8am-12:30 pm

We will begin with 8:00 Mass and then move to Simmons Hall

Lent is a Time for Giving

The Diocese of La Crosse is asking all children, elementary through high school, to donate to the Missionary Childhood Association (MCA) through their Lenten Mite Box contributions. Mite boxes were distributed through Religious Education and Catholic Schools, and are also available by all entrances of the church for families that do not otherwise receive them.

MCA was founded to encourage children to help children. Children in communities, orphanages, homes for the disabled, refuges, and those living on the streets are assisted by the generosity of children who wish to make the love of Jesus known everywhere.

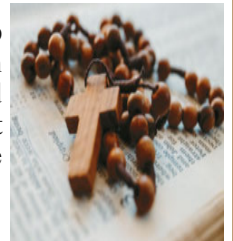
This is a wonderful opportunity to help our kids connect to children across the world in the name of Jesus Christ and His Church. And to remind students that we are all asked to help one another, especially during the Lenten season.

We ask parents to take an active role in this project and remind the children that every dollar can make a difference in the lives of other children.



Holy Name of Jesus 6th - 8th Grade Religious Education students will be attending. Please watch your email for more information.

During Lent, the Young Adult Group will be praying the Rosary via Zoom every Sunday at 8:00 PM. If you would like to join us, please contact Stacie at Stacie@holynamewausau.com and she will send you the link.





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