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Mass Schedule: Confession 30 Min before Mass

Weekend: Sat. 4:00 pm (SH) & 6:00 pm (SP)

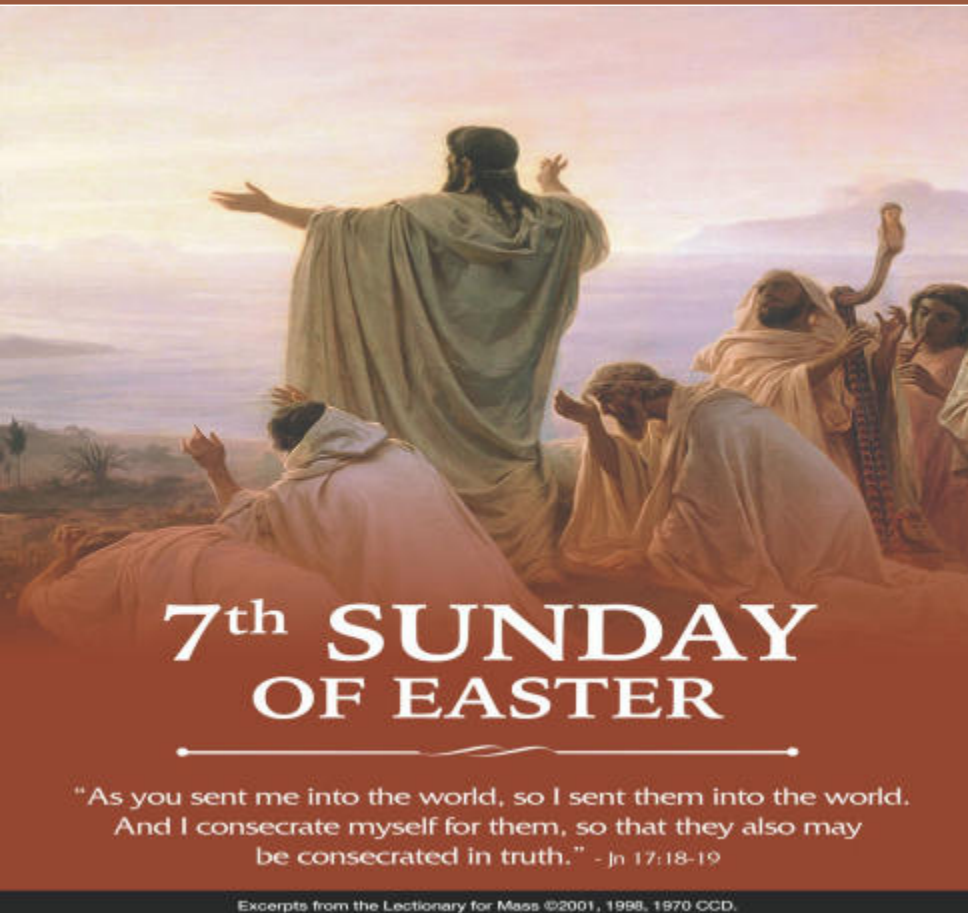
Sun. 8:30 am (SH) & 10:00 am (SP)

Weekday: Mon ,Tues and Thurs 6:00 pm (SP)

Wed 8:00 am (SP) Fri. 8:30 am (SH)

Holy Day: See bulletin.

Benediction: First Friday Confession at 8am With 8:30am Mass followed by benediction (SH) First Saturday Confession at 7:30am with 8am Mass followed by benediction (SP)



Sacred Heart Survey Results:

Saturday Mass will be moved back to 8:00 pm from May 29th– Memorial Day weekend to September 5th Labor Day. The Tally was 39-14.

The RE Center will stay for now with a patch on the roof. Tally was 9-45 for help with this project.

There will be a Steam Show Booth. There was a committee formed. If you are interested in joining the committee contact Will Litzer. Be looking in the bulletin for more info. Tally was 29 to 28.

We will be looking for a new/used organ for the parish. Tally was 31 to 23.

We would like to thank everyone who took the time to fill out a survey, come to the meeting, ask questions on the survey and be involved in the parish activities.

If you have any questions or concerns contact the office.

Memorare to St. Joseph: Remember, O most pure Spouse of the Virgin Mary. My noble protector Saint Joseph, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help, or sought your intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I come to you, my spiritual father, and fervently commend myself to you. Despise not my petitions, O Guardian of the Redeemer, but in your goodness, hear and answer me. **Amen**

The Litany of St. Joseph: Response is Pray for Us

Prayer to St. Michael:

St. Michael the Arch Angel, defend us in battle, be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, We humbly Pray, and do Thou oh Prince of the Heavenly Host by the divine power of God, thrust into Hell, Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruins of souls. **Amen**

Readings for the week of May 16, 2021

Sunday: *Ascension:* Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20
Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 [19a]/ 1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/ Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68: 29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: *Morning:* Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7 [7b]/Jn 21:20-25



The Altar candle is sponsored by
 Brian & Amy Knetter
 The Sacred Heart Candle is in memory
 of Catherine, John & Frank Paschek



Mass Intentions:

Saturday, May 15 • *The Ascension of the Lord*
 4:00 pm † Peter Starzinski/Alvie Lutz
Sunday, May 16 • *The Ascension of the Lord*
 8:30 am Sacred Heart Parish Family
Wednesday, May 19 • *Easter Weekday @St. Pat's*
 8:00 am † Bob Wadzinski/Tom & Mary Ann Gleisner
Friday, May 21 • *Easter Weekday*
 8:30 am John Paschek/Hattie Sacho
Saturday, May 22 • *Pentecost Sunday*
 4:00 pm Sacred Heart Parish Family
Sunday, May 23 • *Pentecost Sunday*
 8:30 am † Dianna Pospyhalla/Don & Karen Rathke

Ministry **Sacristan:** Dawn
May 22: Lector: Ken Muelling **Usher:** Will Litzer
May 23: Lector: Dawn W **Usher:** Tim Wadzinski



Congratulation our graduates.
 From Edgar High School,
 Hailey Fahey and Jaxson Kurtzweil. From
 Edgar Middle School, Tegan Knetter and
 from UW Stevens Point Andrea Bargender



There will be Mass on May 31st at 8:00 am at Sacred Heart for Memorial Day. Thank you for the new flag purchased in memory of Joan Kuyoth.



Congratulations and God's Blessings
 To David Nowak and Diane Perlock who were wed on May 15th.
 And to Whitney Guenther and Mitch Myszka who were married on May 1st.

Collection: May 9, 2021

Adult.....	\$	415.00
Plate.....	\$	60.00
Votive.....	\$	17.00
Mother's Day Flowers.....	\$	246.00
Total.....	\$	738.00
Student Mite Box.....	\$	21.00

DAA Update: As of May 9 our parish has raised \$10,665.00 with 40 donors. We have met our goal!! Any donations received now will come back to the parish.

May 20 Whitney Guenther
 May 21 Leroy and Janice Lang
 May 22 Roxanne Pospyhalla
 May 23 Stan Szymanski



May 17 Joe & Patty Lepak



Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 16 at 10:00 am at St. Patrick's Parish. Continue to pray for them as they prepare to become full members of the Catholic faith. They are Braxton Fields, Katrina Mata, Rusty Johnson, and Daniel LaQua.

Mass Intentions:

Saturday, May 15 • *The Ascension of the Lord*
 6:00 PM St. Patrick Parish Families
Sunday, May 16 • *The Ascension of the Lord*
 10:00 AM Confirmation Students
Monday, May 17 • *Easter Weekday*
 6:00 PM † Jerome Schara
Tuesday, May 18 • *Easter Weekday*
 6:00 PM † Joe and Mary Martin
Thursday May 20 • *Easter Weekday*
 6:00 PM † Rudy Kamenick
Saturday, May 22 • *Pentecost Sunday*
 6:00 PM † Jerome Krieg
Sunday, May 23 • *Pentecost Sunday*
 10:00 AM St. Patrick Parish Families



Ministry for May 22

Lector: Jerry Fitzgerald **Music:** Sara Sternberg
Usher: Jean Fitzgerald

Ministry for May 23

Lector: Linda Britten-Smith **Music:** Graduation Choir
Usher: Kevin Maguire



Graduation Mass for the Eighth Grade and High School Seniors will be Sunday, May 23 at 10:00 am at St. Patricks.



Wedding Announcement:

Kyle Stankowski and Brittany Pease announce their upcoming wedding on May 29, 2021 in Ohio. Kyle is the son of Susan & Greg Stankowski. Keep them in your prayers.

Collection: May 2, 2021

Adult.....	\$	555.00
Plate.....	\$	32.00
Easter.....	\$	500.00
Votives.....	\$	104.00
Total.....	\$	1575.00

Diocesan Annual Appeal Update: We have received \$19,868.75 in pledges including \$19,668.75 already received from 62 members. Thank you for your generous support.

May 17, Nora Doran
 May 18, Gregory Stankowski
 May 19, Margaret Steder
 Janie Martin





LPI, our bulletin printer, has a flyer at the back of church for you to take along to read. If you would like more information contact Kena at the number listed or Jean or Tammy



Pro-Life Drive-Thru Chili Dinner: A big Thank You to everyone who helped in anyway with this event this year. Changing it to a drive-thru event was a little challenging, but with your help the event went smoothly. We had a lot of positive comments from everyone that bought quarts of chili. We sold around 281 quarts of chili. After we receive the \$250.00 matching funds, our grand total raised this year will be \$4,804.00. We can't thank you enough for the extra money donations to reach this amazing grand total. Our Pro-Life Chili Dinner committee will meet soon and update you on where the money will go.

Matching Funds Sponsor: Paperwork has been sent to our matching funds sponsor Catholic Financial Life – Wausau Chapter 33. They have generously agreed to match up to \$250.00 this year.

Pro-Life 50/50 Raffle: Thank you to everyone that bought 50/50 raffle tickets. Congratulations to our winner, Terrie Liss, who won \$288.00.



There is a nice selection of Confirmation, 1st communion, Graduation and Father's day cards for purchase at the entrance @ Sacred Heart



RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS
There's No Place Like Home

Where do you get the best night's sleep? For me, it's in my own bed. I don't even really know why. There's something about the texture of the sheets, the groove I've worn in the pillow. The mattress seems to recognize my shape. I've got a job that sees me traveling often and I've stayed in plenty of nice places. But there's just no sleep like the sleep you get at home.

There's a feeling that we have when we're at home. Our bodies seem to recognize it when we walk in the door. There's a relaxation that kicks in, a peace that falls over us. I think that's what Heaven will be like. It won't be pleasure or happiness — those words aren't enough to describe what it feels like to be at home, are they? It's more than that.

If you ever wonder why there is pain in this world, it's because we're not at home.

That's not to say we don't belong here. Through God's mercy, this beautiful world is where we live out our earthly existence, and those existences can be filled with amazing relationships and profound experiences. In fact, we might enjoy our time here so much that we don't want to leave.

But there's a reason this life has so many things that don't make sense: loss, fear, anger, sickness, hatred. It's because we weren't made for this place. For our souls, it's like a never-ending night in a hotel bed.



GOSPEL MEDITATION - May 16, 2021
7th Sunday of Easter

God remains where love remains. When a believer realizes without doubt that God is love, it is a powerful moment. Being able to place our resurrection trust in this fundamental truth allows us to experience God's presence in all of our experiences: the good and the bad, positive and negative, life enriching and destructive events we encounter. It is no wonder that St. Paul so accurately tells us that it is love that endures all things and lasts. How can God not endure or ever fade away? Because he is God, Jesus also guarded and protected his disciples as the endearing shepherd who always had their best interest at heart.

If we become too immersed in the world, we lose touch with these deeper realities. We can become so preoccupied with preserving what we have created or think that we need, forgetting that it is not building our city that really matters, but God's. Jesus clearly did not belong to the world and, by virtue of his resurrection, he tries to get us to understand that we do not either. The truth brings us to other worldly, more divine places and takes our eyes off of the concerns that often captivate our fears and storm our senses.

Life can easily erode our faith. Think of your life over the last couple of weeks. What challenged your faith and distracted your divine glance? Even being overly stimulated with technology and social media can erode our sense of confidence and cause us to forget who we really are. We need to distance ourselves from the world in order to experience the joy that Christ offers. The world will never like the word of God. It is too challenging and too perplexing. The world mistakenly believes that it can survive on its own. It is a mistaken judgment that may cost people a lot in the end. It is all so very simple: God remains when we love one another. If in all the business of our lives and all that each day brings, the good and the bad, we follow the call and path of love, we will walk with God. There is nothing to fear and anxiety finds no home.

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The Sacred Heart Cemetery Committee is looking for a few young new members. We want to thank Bob Wadzinski, posthumously, for all he did as our secretary. Please contact Peter Bergs if you are interested in joining.



Pope's Intention for May: For the world of finance. Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from it's dangers.

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