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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:** There will be no weekday mass until Fr. Joseph returns from Ghana. If you are in need of a priest while he is away, Contact: Jean Fitzgerald at St. Patrick's or Tammy Fahey at Sacred Heart.



**28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY  
 IN ORDINARY TIME**

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." - Mk 10:26-27

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Here are 7 reasons we really do **NEED** to take up our beads every day and pray. From Catholic Sprouts Web page.

**#2** We **NEED** the Rosary to slow down and find calm. Feeling burnt out, worn out, and stretched too thin? Then, my friend, you need your Rosary now more than ever. Yes, our lives are busy and we rarely have a minute to spare. Yet we manage to find time to scroll and post and stare at our glowing screens... Activities that often leave us feeling more lost and tired. And so, put down the phone and shut off the television. Grab your Rosary and find **TRUE** rest in a few quiet moments with Our Blessed Mother. She offers the blessing of true peace. Maybe you only have time to pray for one decade. That is enough. She is there, willing to use that little bit of time and bless you because of it.

**#3** We **NEED** the Rosary to live a life connected to Jesus Christ  
 We know that Jesus lived here on Earth... But the world He lived in feels pretty removed from the world of technology and comfort and secularism that we live in. It can be very difficult to feel connected to Jesus. Even in prayer, it takes time and focuses to feel Jesus' real and enduring presence. The Rosary provides that time and focus. The 20 mysteries of the Rosary walk the faithful through the major events of Jesus's life. The simple and repeated prayers of the Rosary allow us to really focus on what Jesus did and said. The Rosary provides us with a time and place to connect with Our Lord and Savior. Beautiful art, reading scripture, and guided reflections ([like these](#)) can also help us meditate more deeply as we pray the Holy Rosary. And so, take up your Rosary each and every day, and through this beautiful prayer, come to know and imitate Jesus more fully.

**See reason 4 and 5 in next week's bulletin.**



We will be doing a pew count for October per request each year of the Diocese. Thank you

**Readings for the week of October 10, 2021**

Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15,16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/  
 Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27  
 Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Lk 11:29-32  
 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [2a]/Lk 11:37-41  
 Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 [13]/Lk 11:42-46  
 Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [7]/Lk 11:47-54  
 Friday: Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [cf. 7]/Lk 12:1-7  
 Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43 [8]/Lk 12:8-12

**Observances for the week of October 10, 2021**

Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Monday: St. John XXIII, Pope; Columbus Day  
 Thursday: St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr  
 Friday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church  
 Saturday: St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin; BVM  
 Next Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# SACRED HEART



The Altar and Sacred Heart candles are in memory of The Nowak & Wirkus Families and the Nowak & Schara Families



We have weekends open for Masses and we have candle openings for December. If you have special dates you would like for 2022 to be said, Please contact Tammy

## Mass Intentions:

**Saturday, October 9•28th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**4:00 pm** Sacred Heart Parish Family

**Sunday, October 10•28th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**8:30 am** † Lynn Karlen/Ron Karlen

**Wednesday, October 13• No Weekday Mass**

**Friday, October 15• No Weekday Mass**

**Saturday, October 16•29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**4:00 pm** † Roger Nowak/ Carol Nowak

**Sunday, October 17•29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**8:30 am** Sacred Heart Parish Family

## Ministry:

**Sacristan:** Amy

**Oct 16 Lector:** Sandy Borchardt **Usher:** Mike Kuyoth  
**Oct 17 Lector:** Linda Kurtzweil **Usher:** Dale Kurtzweil  
**Piano Sunday:** Jane Bergs



**Question of the week??** What am I willing to leave behind in order to follow Jesus more fully?



**Edgar Lions Senior Dinner** will be held October 21. It will be take out only. Pick up will be at the Edgar Fire Department. Time is from 5 to 6 pm. Contact Marie at 715-573-5616 or Cathy at 715-432-1710 by October 18th to make your reservation for the take out.



**St. John's Edgar** will host a potato Bake & Walking Taco fundraiser October 27th from 4 -6:30pm in the church dining hall. Carry outs will also be available by calling 715-352-3011.

The Youth Group's of both churches will also be doing raking for homes nearby the parishes call 715-507-1975 for Holy Name and 715-352-3011 for St. John's.

## Collection: October 3, 2021

Adult.....	\$	1655.00
Plate.....	\$	114.00
Votive.....	\$	62.00
Total.....	\$	1852.00

October 12 Tammy Fischer  
 October 15 Donald Litzer  
 October 17 Jason Adamski



October 12 Norman & Joan Soczka

# SAINT PATRICK



We welcome Father Eugene Wolf, from La Crosse who will be celebrating Mass at St. Patrick & Sacred Heart Parish during October.



**St. Patrick Parish Group of the Month** will resume in October and list is posted on bulletin board in church.

## Mass Intentions:

**Saturday, October 9• 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**6:00 PM** † Ronald & Alexia Osterbrink

**Sunday, October 10• 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**10:00 AM** St. Patrick Parish Families

**Tuesday, October 12• No Weekday Mass**

**Thursday, October 14• No Weekday Mass**

**Saturday, October 16• 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**6:00 PM** St. Patrick Parish Families

**Sunday, October 17• 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**10:00 AM** † Howard Zell

## Ministry for October 16

**Lector:** Jerry Fitzgerald  
**Usher:** Jean Fitzgerald

**Music:** Gerard Kaiser & Ann Ehster

## Ministry for October 17

**Lector:** Linda Britten-Smith  
**Usher:** Kevin Maguire

**Music:** Youth Choir

**World Mission Sunday**, is October 23 & 24. This collection is a unique, global effort for the entire Church to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe. Your donations help support the priests, religious Sisters & Brothers, and lay catechists who provide living service to those most in need.



**Support Afghan Refugees:** St. Patrick Parish will be collecting winter mittens, gloves, hats, scarves and winter coats to assist the Afghan refugees at Fort McCoy. The collection will be during the month of October. The items should be new, dark color (navy, black) and of conservative nature. Donations can be dropped off in back of church.

## Collection: September 26, 2021

Adult.....	\$	575.00
Plate.....	\$	111.00
Total.....	\$	686.00

Considering giving online at [diolc.org/st-patrick-halder/](http://diolc.org/st-patrick-halder/)

October 11, Bruce Baur  
 October 12, Michael Baumann  
 October 16, Gerard Kaiser



October 17, Ronald Schutte



October 14, Charles & Ann Ehster  
 October 16, Jacob & Kathryn Haupt





**Youth Rally: October 13** from 6:30-8:00pm at St. Ladislaus Parish in Hatley. Steve Angrisano will be the presenter. Always rooted in a spirit of humility and faithfulness, Steve's easy, honest style of ministry is born from who he is: a committed witness to the life and love of Jesus Christ.



**St. Mary's parish of Auburndale** will be having a carry out only shrimp and beer-battered fish fry on **October 22nd** from 4:30p-6:30pm. Please call St. Mary's Church basement at 715-652-2747 to place an order after 2:00p on Friday Thanks for your support.

**Married Love: Two becoming one retreat- October 16** from 8am to 6pm at St. Paul's, Mosinee Contact Fr. Al Slowiak for details 715-359-5206. If you are getting married in the next year, this is a retreat you will have to attend.



**St. Mary's Marathon Packer Tailgate Party** will be held **October 10th** from 11:30 am to 4:0 pm Special Guest Don "Majik" Majkowski Packer Hall of Famer Cash Raffle, Free Lunch & Admission, Food and Refreshments, Prizes and fun for the whole family, Live Auction and over 70 Basket Raffles



**St. John's Edgar** will be having its **Annual Christmas Wreath Sale** beginning Friday, October 8th, and ending on Monday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. The delivery date will be Saturday November 20th. Accommodations can be made for deliveries. The wreaths will be purchased from "Up North" Wisconsin Evergreens. If you are interested in purchasing a Wreath, Swag, Cross, or Candy Cane please contact Nancy at the Parish office at 715-352-3011. All proceeds will benefit St. John's School. Thank You!



**St. Andrew's 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Parish Pancake Feast**, Bake Sale and Raffles will be **October 10** serving from 9:00-12:30 . All You Can Eat delicious breakfast serving potato and buttermilk pancakes, sausage, applesauce, cheese, bars, milk, juice and coffee. Adults: \$10, Children 6-12: \$5, Preschool Free. Each meal purchased will earn an entry into a cash raffle.



**Bevent Lions Porkies & Pancake Breakfast October 17th.** St. Ladislaus, Bevent. 8am - 12pm. Potato and Regular pancakes, sausage links & patties, applesauce, assorted cheese, syrup, milk ,coffee, juice and desserts. Mini & Large Raffle. Carry Outs avail 12 & older \$8.00. 6 to 12yrs \$4.00.Under 6 eat for free.



## GOSPEL MEDITATION October 10, 2021 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

If we are truly in love with God, then the basics are not going to be enough. That love is going to want to be expressed in going above and beyond, in leaving the comfortable and familiar, in stretching and growing, and in following a voice other than our own. St. Teresa of Calcutta rightly instructs us that for "love to be real, it must cost, it must hurt, it must empty us of self." Being in love with God requires more than just checking the boxes of the commandments. It requires a sincere and unconditional self-investment. Desiring God with our whole heart, mind, and soul means that I must also desire a relationship with my neighbor with that same degree of fervor.

Biases and prejudices usually occur when people are kept at a distance and treated as objects. We cannot truly know our neighbors, especially if they are different than us, if we keep them in boxes and do not listen to their stories. When we open ourselves to listen to another person's story, we begin to realize more how similar we are than dissimilar. Being overly attached to our possessions, ideologies, agendas, lifestyles, and personal needs are absolute barriers to achieving the type of personal investment love demands. This is why following Christ can be difficult. It is less a matter of intellect and more a matter of heart and soul. It requires that we transfer our treasure from an investment in tangible secular things and move it into the Kingdom of God. It is only the gift of wisdom and discernment that can help us decide what to do and how to do it.

Contemporaries of Jesus would know that a camel could not enter through the portal of a city weighed down with the baggage it was carrying. In order to enter, the baggage must be removed so that the animal could fit through the entry way. The same is true for us. We carry a lot of excessive baggage around with us that keeps us tethered to our past histories, wounds, myopic world views, prejudices, fears, and suspicions. To invest ourselves in the Kingdom of God, do God's work and live out our love relationship with God, we need to shed the extra weight. While it may seem that a lot of that stuff is necessary, it really is not. We are much more than the things that we think define us and more secure than we think. The more there is to hold on to and the more that we carry with us, the harder it will be to leave it all behind. Many choose not to and walk away sad because they are not ready to trust.

**Local Event: FOLLOWING JESUS IN A CULTURE OF FEAR** Presented by Tony Pichler Thursday **October 14,** 2021 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm Cost: \$10 The phrases "Be Not Afraid" and "Peace Be With You" appear more times in the Gospels than any other words. Yet, in our 21st century culture there seems to be so much to fear: Covid-19, gun violence, racial division, failure, job loss, and of course the big one-- death. Discover the Christian virtues that can help defeat the fear, suspicion, and control that affects our world today. If you cannot attend in - person but are interested in content, contact us about virtual options. 300 E. Fourth St. Marathon, WI 54448 715.443.2236 | Info@sarcenter.com

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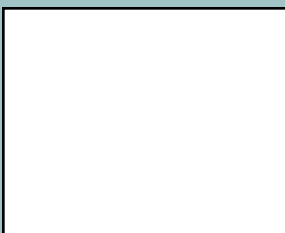
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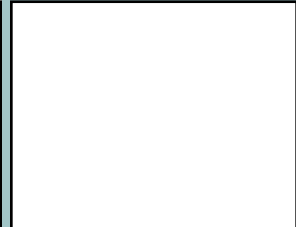
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