

Saint Paul Catholic Church

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Rev. Donald Lawrence Meuret, Pastor

April 18, 2021



3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day." - Lk 24:45-46

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 19

8:00 am Communion Service

Tuesday, April 20

8:00 am † Ed & Carol Klinger

6:00 pm First Communion

Wednesday, April 21

8:00 am † Gregory Drake

Thursday, April 22

8:00 am † Derek Wilke

6:00 pm First Communion

Friday, April 23

8:00 am † Donald & Marian Valiska

Saturday, April 24 Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Easter

3:55 pm Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy

4:30 pm † Matthew Fudurich, Fudurich & Nemecek Families

Sunday, April 25. Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:55 am Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy

8:30 am People of the Parish

10:30 am † Beverly Rheinschmidt

CANDLES

CANDLES will burn for the following intentions:

Sanctuary *In Memory of Donald & Marian Valiska*

Marian *In Memory of Philip Riedel*

St. Joseph *In Memory of Leonard Nievinski*
In Memory of Cyril Krautkramer
In Memory of James Kizewski

To schedule a candle intention, please contact the parish office.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK . . .

In the first reading Peter preaches the Good News of the resurrection of Jesus and states that they are "witnesses" of this. In the Gospel Jesus appears to the disciples and declares that they are witnesses to the truth of the coming of the Messiah and the salvation for all people who believe/ The word "witness comes from the Greek word "martyr". A martyr is someone who gives their life for their belief. They may not have to give up their physical life but they must "die to themselves" in order to live for the truth of the Good News. That means following the teachings of Christ and not their own agenda in the world, which is not easy. But in all things we who call ourselves Christian Catholics are to be true to the call of the Gospel. To bear the seeds of justice, love and peace to be planted in the hearts of others. But, in order to do that the seed must be planted in our own hearts and be allowed to grow into a mature and living Faith.

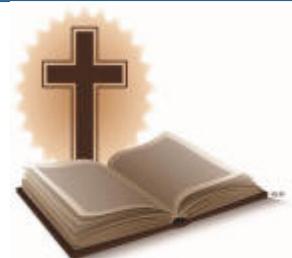
I know that we are getting close to spring planting and so the weekend of April 24.25 I will hold a Blessing of Seeds for planting. From the farm to a backyard garden you are invited to bring some of the seeds you will plant in your gardens and place them on the table in front of the baptismal font where they will be blessed after the homily.

Fr. Don



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 18, 2021

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48
 Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
 Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
 Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40
 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51
 Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59
 Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
 Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18 ©LPi





Needed Each Week.....\$6,718.00

Adult Envelopes	\$6,360.50
Easter Envelopes	\$7,118.00
Electronic Giving	\$3,899.50
Offertory\$580.00

Parishioners have the option to enroll in Direct payments (ACH debits) as a means of sharing your financial gifts. For details please call or email the parish office.

Tuesday, April 20

6:00 pm First Holy Communion

Wednesday, April 21

6:00 pm Faith Formation

Thursday, April 22

6:00 pm First Holy Communion

Friday, April 23

12:00 pm - 5:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, April 10

9:00 - 9:45 am Confessions



HIS CHURCH IS STILL HERE IT STILL PROVIDES IS YOU AND ME

Target: \$87,985.00

Amount Received: \$66,626.06

Under Goal: \$21,358.94

Parish Participation: 35% (281 donors)

Thank you to those who have made their pledge for the 2020-2021 Diocesan Annual Appeal. If you have not made your contribution to the DAA, pledge cards are available at the entrance of Church.

Novena Prayer for an End to the Coronavirus Pandemic

O Mary, full of grace, Patroness of this nation and Mother of the Church, in this time of illness and worldwide need we seek your intercession for the human family before your Son's throne of grace and mercy. We ask for strength in adversity, health in weakness, and comfort in sorrow. Help us, O Blessed Mother, to be filled with confidence and trust in the tender compassion of our God. Let us not be afraid, like our own Saint Marianne Cope, who entrusted her life and ministry among the outcasts of society into the care of our Divine Physician. Continue to watch over all who are sick as well as those who care for them and give wisdom to all who are seeking a cure. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

J.F.K. Knights of Columbus Council #5488 have "He is Risen" car magnets available at the Church entrance. Fee will donation is appreciated.

Do children need to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation before their First Communion?

Answer:

For centuries the Catholic Church has taught that a person needs to be in a state of grace (free from mortal sins) in order to worthily receive the Eucharist. To that end, Catholics should make an effort to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation any time they recognize the need for the sacrament (and in keeping with the precept of the Church that asks that we celebrate this sacrament at least once each year).

In the case of children preparing for their First Communion, the Code of Canon Law is very clear that they should also celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation before receiving the Eucharist for the first time: "It is the responsibility, in the first place, of parents and those who take the place of parents as well as of the pastor to see that children who have reached the use of reason are correctly prepared and are nourished by the divine food as early as possible, preceded by sacramental confession" (Canon 914).

While some might question the significance of the Sacrament of Reconciliation — especially in the case of children who might not fully understand the reality of sin or the meaning of the sacrament itself — a child's "First Confession" can be a wonderful time for families to reflect together on the quality of their relationships, how they put their faith into practice, and, when it is possible, to celebrate the sacrament as a family. In the end, the celebration of these two sacraments marks important moments in the spiritual journeys of children and we hope their "First Confession" and "First Communion" help instill in them a love of the sacraments of the Church.

AREA EVENTS

CHRIST IN CRISIS: Why We Need to Reclaim Jesus

April 30 - May 1

In this workshop we will delve into The Neighbor Question; the Image Question; the Truth Question, the Power Question; the Peacemaker Question; and the Discipleship Question to discover how we can be emboldened and empowered to act in courage, hope and love no matter what is before us. Cost: \$105

St. Anthony Spirituality Center
300 E. Fourth St.
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Additional information on area events are posted on the bulletin boards in the Church entrance.

SACRED RELICS OF THE SAINTS
Treasures of the Church

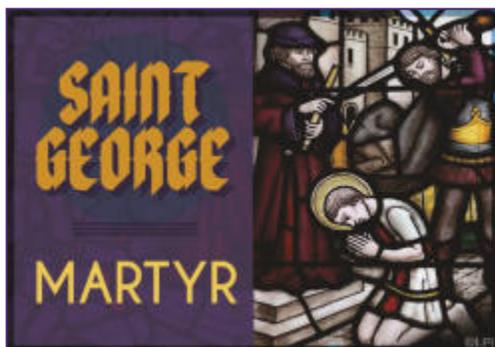


Exposition of Sacred Relics ~ Treasures of the Church
Held in the Church on Wednesday, April 28th at 6:30pm
Holy Name of Jesus Parish 1104 S. 9th Ave., Wausau, WI
Presented by Father Carlos Martins of Companions of the Cross

Holy Name of Jesus Parish welcomes you to a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics. Over 150 relics will be shown, some as old as 2,000 years.

Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Thérèse of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska.

There will also be a fragment of the Veil that belonged to Our Lady and some of the largest remaining pieces of the Wood of the True Cross in the world.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

St. John, Edgar is seeking an energetic CRE/Youth Minister. Candidates must be a practicing Catholic and be able to share the Catholic Faith to elementary and high school age youth and work with parents. This person should have working knowledge of Word, Publisher, Excel and good organizational skills. Average 10 hours/week and wage is negotiable. In the summer months a strong emphasis is on youth activities. The possibility of more than 10 hours per week depending on job duties.

Send resume and job application to: Saint John the Baptist Parish, Rev. Huff, PO Box 35 Edgar, WI 54426.

Saint Agnes, Weston Religious Education/Youth Minister Assistant: If you are looking for a positive work environment, somewhat flexible hours, and the great opportunity to help our youth grow in their faith, this job is for you. We need someone who can work 15-20 hours per week with Wednesday being the main workday. Starting pay is \$15/hr with the opportunity to earn more based on experience and/or job performance. The job duties include making sure classrooms are prepared for each CCD class, maintain CCD database, help with program scheduling, substitute teach CCD if needed, be available to assist with retreats and summer Vacation Bible School, help with planning and running youth events.

If you are interested email our office manager Deb for a job application: deb@stagnescatholicparish.com

St. Peter Parish, Stevens Point Music Director/Organist. Contact Fr. Joseph at 715-344-6115 or v_aruljoseph@hotmail.com

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