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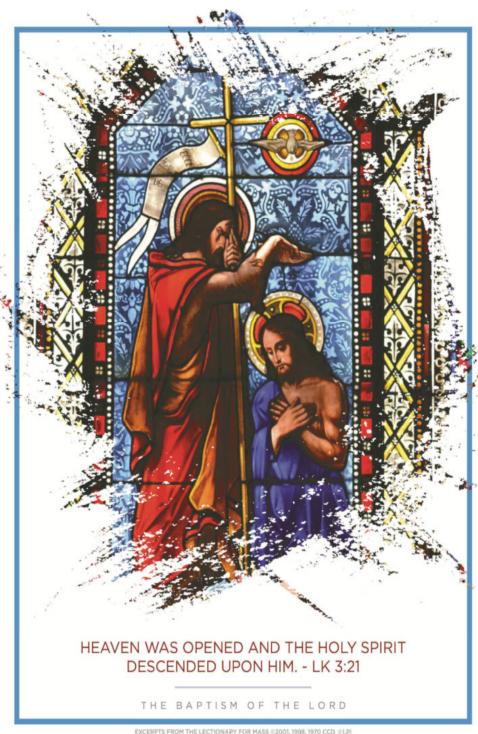
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Mass Times and Intentions (Jan. 8-16)

SAT

**4:00 PM** Sadie Skibinski

**SUN** Rosary for peace after 9:00 Mass

7:30 AM Demi Sprecher9:00 AM Mae Stellmacher

**10:30 AM** For the People of the Parish

MON

**7:30 AM** Pat LaMasney

**TUES** 

**5:15 PM** Theresa and Lisa Reeve

WED

**8:30 AM** Rod Ripley

**THUR** 

**5:15 PM** Jeanne Olsen

FRI

**7:30 AM** Joe Naquin, Sr.

**SAT** 

**4:00 PM** Living and Deceased Members of

the Council of Catholic Women

**SUN** Rosary for peace after 9:00 Mass

**7:30 AM** Lawrence and Marie Rose **9:00 AM** For the People of the Parish

10:30 AM John Rucolas

Readings for the week of January 09, 2022

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/

Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/ Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-

14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/

Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9,

10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/

Mk1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/

Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/

1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

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Our parish Mass is televised Sundays at 10 AM; Cable Ch. 10 or (Charter) Ch.43 or streamed from our website. www.baraboocatholic.org.

The main body of the church is equipped with a Hearing Loop. Have your hearing aid T-coil turned on or ask an usher for a Loop Listener.



#### **Bulletin Announcements**

We ask that bulletin announcements be sent to the Parish Office by 5: 00 p.m. on Monday for publication the following weekend.

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Parents are required to attend a preparation session if this is a first child or if it has been three years since the last child was baptized. For more information contact Becky, 356-5353.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

The policy for the Catholic Dioceses of Wisconsin requires a six month minimum preparation process before the marriage. To schedule a wedding call the Parish Office at 356-4773.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday morning 9:00 -9:30 a.m., Monday 6:50-7:20 a.m. or anytime by request. Communal celebrations are scheduled during Advent and Lent.

#### **Parish Membership**

We welcome new members to our parish family. Contact the Parish Office to register or register on –line at stjosephbaraboo.info. Click on "Church" and look for "Parish Registration" and "Time & Talent".

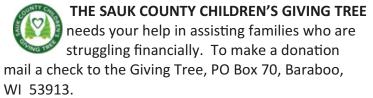
#### Ministry to the Sick/Homebound

To join our Prayer Chain, or to request prayers, a prayer shawl, or Holy Communion, please contact our Homebound Communion Coordinator at 356-4773.

Monday (10)		Private Sacrament of Reconciliation, Reconciliation Room	St. Joe's
	12:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration, Church (until 8:00 PM)	Week at a Glance
Wednesday (12)	6:00 PM	Faith Formation Grade 1-8: Gym	(Jan. 9-16)
	6:00 PM	Men's Group - Wild Goose, Martha and Mary Hall	
	7:30 PM	Faith Formation Grade 9 & High School Youth Group, Stage	
Thursday (13)	1:30 PM	Bible Study, Martha and Mary Hall	
	7:00 PM	Bible Study, Martha and Mary Hall	
Saturday (15)	9:00 PM	Private Sacrament of Reconciliation, Reconciliation Room	
	10:00 AM	Usher Update, Martha and Mary Hall/ Church	
		No Bingo	
Sunday (16)	1:00 PM	Card Party, Gym	

#### **HELP IS AVAILABLE For Those In a Crisis**

**Pregnancy** - Catholic Charities Pregnancy Crisis Center 1-888-485-7385





#### **SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

After Jesus was baptized, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice

was heard "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

As you help those who are suffering, know in your heart the truth of the words "you are my beloved with whom I am well pleased."

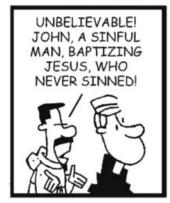


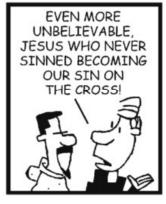
#### The Baptism of the Lord

Today's reading from the Acts of the Apostles makes it clear that the Good News about Jesus is for all people to

THE SAUK COUNTY CHILDREN'S GIVING TREE hear, that Jesus Christ is the Lord of all, and that the goodness of peace is God's desire and gift for all. As we continue our baptismal call to tell others about Jesus Christ, spend some time in prayer, asking God who in your life needs to hear the Gospel message. How can you share this message with them? How and when do you talk about Jesus and your Catholic faith with others?

#### BAPTISM OF THE LORD







# Life Long Faith Formation



"A true understanding of the gift we G. Make Disciples have in our Catholic faith should send Ulations us to the rooftops, shouting with joy and gratitude the words of the psalmist: 'Come and hear, all you

who fear God, and I will tell you what he has done for me." Evangelizing Catholics: A Mission Manual for the New Evangelization, Scott Hahn



Come. learn more about Jesus and our Catholic faith by joining others on Thursdays at 1:30 or 7:00 pm in Martha and Mary Hall.



**BAPTISM LEARNING SESSION** January 18 at 6:30 pm in the Holy Family Room of the church.

Please contact Becky (608-356-5353) to register for this session.

## Parish & Community Announcements

THANK YOU from the Baraboo Food Pantry for the donations received as part of our Fourth Sunday Collections. In December you donated \$530. **THANK YOU** also for the donations to Pathway Home, the Baraboo homeless shelter. The donations amounted to a trunk full of cleaning supplies and \$171 in cash.

#### **USHERS** Save the date! Sat. Jan. 15

Refresher/Training morning for all current ushers and interested parishioners with a gift of hospitality who want to serve as an Usher. Updated guidelines and review of new emergency procedures will be some of the topics covered. Refreshments served. Sat. Jan. 15 at 10:00 a.m. in Martha and Mary Hall. RSVP to Teresa Kash 608-963-1637 or teresamkash@gmail.com

#### JOIN US!

After a year hiatus, CCW card parties are back. Join us for 4-handed Euchre with refreshments. The card parties begin at 1 pm. While we can't



guarantee winning cards, we hope you will enjoy the afternoon. Card parties will be held in St. Joseph's School Gym. Masks optional but recommended.

> January 16 February 13 March 13



#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST.

After all Sunday Masses on January 23rd. Suggested offering is \$6 per meal.

**PARISH LIBRARIAN**: For many years Monica Harrison faithfully volunteered as the Parish Librarian. With Monica's death in December we would appreciate someone volunteering to fill her position The Librarian volunteer stops in periodically to re-shelve books, sorts through donations to see which books are appropriate to use in the Parish Library, occasionally orders new books, occasionally writes blurbs for the bulletin highlighting material in the library.

If you would be interested in this activity please talk to Fr. Jay or Kathy Siberz.

The Parish Library is located within the Reconciliation Room, just off the Narthex.



#### FOURTH SUNDAY COLLECTIONS- Jan. 23rd

This month we will be collecting cash for the Baraboo Food Pantry.

In addition we will be collecting items needed for People Helping People.

Founded in 1998, PHP is a faith-based, non-profit charity whose mission is to strengthen our community by giving direct help to low-income families and disadvantaged job seekers. PHP provides families with food, children's clothing and school supplies throughout the year, and provides free career training and personal mentoring to people who have the most difficulty getting jobs and staying employed.

(taken from the PHP website)

This month PHP is in most need of general school supplies, men's medium to XL: Plain T-shirts, socks and underwear.

They are also in need of funding to help their new Sauk County Career Training Center.

To donate you can visit their website at phpofwisconsin.org. Or drop off or mail donations at 805 Broadway, Baraboo.

"Salt and Light S.A.L.T. BLOCK Together"

Rylan Harrison Drinnon is alive today because a team of surgeons at the Cleveland Clinic performed a complex, three-hour surgery to remove a tumor from his heart while he was still in the womb. Rylan

was born on July 13 to Sam and Dave Drinnon, of Pittsburgh, approximately 10 weeks after he and his mother underwent the surgery. Mother and baby are doing well.

Read the entire story @ <u>Unborn Baby Removed From</u> Mother's Womb for Heart Surgery, Then Put Back In -LifeNews.com

Contact Bob Dorn (920-988-6916) if you can cover the St. Joseph Parish commitment to play at Planned Parenthood on Wednesday, January 12, 2 to 4 p.m.

Sauk County RTL will be holding it's "Rally for Life" on Saturday, January 22, at 2 p.m. on the Court House Square in Baraboo.

**FARMERS HOTLINE** The Catholic Rural Life Conference has established a Wisconsin phone hotline for farmers for mental health services. Please see https://

www.midwestfarmreport.com/2020/07/02/farmcenter-now-offers-24-7-hotline/.

Or call 1-800-942-2474

Remember, keep Holy the Sabbath

Do you know when you were baptized? The grace of
God appeared at that moment in each of our souls to
make us heirs of eternal life. This Sunday, today, make
the Sign of the Cross as a remembrance of that very
special sacramental day.

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**PLEASE JOIN US!** Following the 9:00 there will be a rosary said for peace and for healing of our nation. It will also be live-streamed for those of you who want to participate from home.

#### THANKS TO OUR BULLETIN SPONSORS!

This week we welcome Hill's Wiring. Serving the Baraboo area since 1916 they offer a full line of electrical services. No job is too big or too small for their team! Call 608-356-9797 or visit their website at hillswiring.com.

#### **SCRIP WORD OF THE WEEK: News**

Income

As of January 1st, Kwik Trip is only accepting "pay at the pump" methods of paying. Kwik Trip scrip is a great way to do that!

Don't put your credit card at risk! Use a Kwik Trip gift card to pay at the pump and help earn money for the parish!

Scrip can be purchased after the weekend Masses or from the Parish Office during the week.

Scrip = gift cards = profit for the parish!

Stew	vardship Of Treasure—Thank You!  December 26-January 1			
	Weekly	Weekly	Weekly Over	
	Income	Budget	(Short)	
Offertory	\$28,098.08	\$19,230.77	\$8,867.31	



# BISHOP HYING PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND IN FEBRUARY

You are invited to join Bishop Donald Hying on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from February 14-26, 2022. We will visit and pray in the most holy sites

associated with the life of our Lord, including Bethlehem, Galilee, Nazareth, Cana, Capernaum, Jericho, Jerusalem, and we will conclude in Istanbul, Turkey. For more information, please call 800-713-9800 or email travel@pentecosttours.com.

**CARE NET OF DANE COUNTY** is hiring overnight and weekend staff to work with mothers and young children at its Elizabeth House facility. Read the job description at https://

friends.carenetdaneAdvocate.July2020.pdf.



# WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Bring the Holy Spirit into marriage. Sign up today to attend

the next <u>in person</u> Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb. 11-13 in Madison, WI; April 22-24 in Brookfield, WI or June 24-26 in Geneva, IL. For more info go to: **alifetimeoflove.org** or call **(888) 574-5653**.

#### **HELP WITH ANNULMENTS**

In an effort to improve our diocesan ministry to divorced Catholics and those in irregular marriage situations, our



diocesan Tribunal has expanded its services to include a Pre-Petition Case Advisor. This advisor explains the Church's teaching on marriage, makes a personal assessment of any moral and canonical remedies available, and assists in petitioning for an annulment.

Amy Klarkowski, the Moderator of the Tribunal. Chancery for the Diocese of Madison from 2014 to 2019, will serve in this capacity.

If you have questions about marriage nullity or how to petition for a declaration of nullity, contact Ms. Klarkowski directly at 608/821-3068 or email <a href="mailto:amy.klarkowski@madisondiocese.org">amy.klarkowski@madisondiocese.org</a>

Your information will be kept confidential and services are at no cost to you.

#### **BAPTISMAL BIB**

#### Question:

At my grandson's Baptism, the priest put a bib on the baby. I do not remember seeing this before. Why is this done? Is it something new?

#### Answer:

When an adult is baptized, there is a part in the ceremony when the newly baptized is vested in a white garment. It is symbolic of the changes that baptism brings in the life of the baptized as they are freed from the bonds of sin and brought into the saving grace of Christ. Realities that are so profound are symbolically presented so that we might better grasp and understand them.

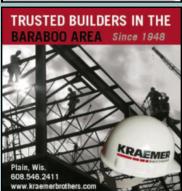
Infants are often dressed in a baptismal dress, which is the baptismal garment. In some places, the bib is used as a kind of baptismal garment. At the place in the ceremony where the investiture takes place, the bib is used. Some are poncho-like and fit over the baby's head. Others are simply placed on the baby's chest. If the baby is dressed in a white garment, nothing else is needed. The prayer says it all: "See in your white garment the outward sign of your Christian dignity ... bring that dignity unstained into the everlasting life of heaven." In baptism, we are given our purpose and goal in life as believers and this is symbolized by the white garment.















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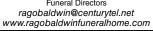
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