

# St. Patrick Catholic Community

324 Nicolet Blvd., Menasha WI 54952

“Joyfully serving God and our neighbor  
with open hearts and helping hands.”



## St Patrick Catholic Community

324 Nicolet Blvd

Menasha, WI 54952

Phone: 725-8381

E-Mail: [stpatmen@gmail.com](mailto:stpatmen@gmail.com)

Web Site: [stpatricksmenasha.org](http://stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Mass Times:

Tuesday—Friday: 8:00am

Sunday: 8:30 & 10:30am

**Reconciliation:** Sunday 9:45-10:15am, except Holidays

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday by appointment only.

## PARISH STAFF

### Temporary Administrator:

Fr. Jude Egbuna (x102)

[frjude@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:frjude@stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Deacon:

Kurt Grube

[deaconkurtgrube@gmail.com](mailto:deaconkurtgrube@gmail.com)

### Faith Formation:

Katy Shaffer (x107)

[faithformation@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:faithformation@stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Discipleship/Communications

#### Coordinator:

Erin Goyette (x103)

[egoyette@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:egoyette@stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Musician:

Seth Duprey

[sdupreymusic@gmail.com](mailto:sdupreymusic@gmail.com)

### Secretary:

Jeanne Hesprich (x101)

[jhesprich@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:jhesprich@stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Business Manager/Bookkeeper:

Anne Greif (x112)

[agreif@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:agreif@stpatricksmenasha.org)

### Maintenance:

Rudy Matousek

[rmatousek@stpatricksmenasha.org](mailto:rmatousek@stpatricksmenasha.org)

## PARISH TRUSTEES

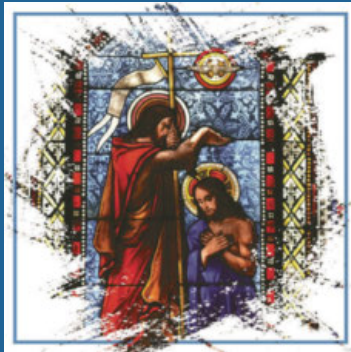
Kristen Bergstrom

[kbergstrom@new.rr.com](mailto:kbergstrom@new.rr.com)

Deb Galeazzi

[jjgal4@aol.com](mailto:jjgal4@aol.com)

**Consider St. Patrick's in your Will  
and Estate Plans.**



January 9, 2022

## The Baptism of the Lord

*Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11;  
Psalms 29:1-4, 9-10 or Psalms 104:1b-4,  
24-25, 27-30; Acts 10: 34-38 or  
Titus 2:11-14, 3: 4-7; Luke 3:15-16, 21-22*

*“We are called to live our baptism every  
day, as new creatures, clothed in Christ.”*

*— Pope Francis*

**First Reading:** The prophet Isaiah was called to bring words of comfort and good news to the beleaguered Israelites held captive in Babylon. How do you minister to those in your life struggling to find God's presence ?

**Second Reading:** Paul taught Titus that baptized believers are called “to live temperately, justly, and devoutly.” How well do you think you live by this moral and ethical standard ?

**Gospel Reading:** We hear today the account of the baptism of Jesus and God's words from heaven, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.” What do you imagine Jesus did (prior to the start of his public ministry) that was so pleasing to God ? ©LPi

As we celebrate this feast of the Baptism of the Lord, we can study His actions at the Jordan River as a powerful example of servant leadership. We see in Jesus a type of leadership that is characterized by humility and leading by example.

Certainly, the sinless Savior did not need a baptism of repentance! But Jesus humbly made Himself one with his people to draw us to Him and create a relationship with us so that we would be open to His teachings and influence. As a servant leader, we also see that Jesus leads by example. He doesn't just tell the people they need to be baptized. He shows them how and does it Himself to teach them. To lead like Jesus, we, too, must “walk the walk” and not just “talk the talk.” If we want those who we lead to be generous and hard-working, then we must show them how to do this by demonstrating generosity and hard work ourselves.

Immediately after His baptism, we learn of the powerful affirmation of the Father who opens the heavens, sends the Holy Spirit upon Jesus in bodily form, and says audibly, “This is my beloved Son with whom I am well-pleased.” Let us be filled with gratitude for our amazing God and be reminded that when we are grateful followers of Jesus and servant-leaders in imitation of Him, the Father will be well-pleased with us, too.

*— Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*

## Mass Intentions

8:30 Sunday Mass is livestreamed at  
[www.facebook.com/stpatricksmenasha](http://www.facebook.com/stpatricksmenasha)

**Tuesday, January 11, 2022**

8:00am All parishioners

**Wednesday, January 12, 2022**

8:00am All parishioners

**Thursday, January 13, 2022**

8:00am All parishioners

**Friday, January 14, 2022**

8:00am All parishioners

**Sunday, January 16, 2022**

**2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time**

8:30am Mark & Dorothy Buchinger

10:30am Ruth Salazar



To schedule a Mass Intention or a Sanctuary Candle, call the Parish Office at 725-8381. Cost: \$10 each.



### WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained

**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. ©LPi

## Ministry Schedule

**Sunday, January 16, 2022**

**Sacristans:** John & Sue Sokolowski

**8:30AM Mass**

**Song Leader:** Judy Piel

**Altar Servers:** volunteers needed

**Lectors:** Cheryl Stinski, Dennis Plante

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Bill Rohrer

**Hospitality Ministers:** Amy Panzer, Cathie Schafer, Kurt Toeppler, volunteer needed

**Scrip:** Diane Schumacher

**10:30AM Mass**

**Song Leader:** volunteer needed

**Altar Servers:** Amelia Herzog,

**Lectors:** Crystal Malenofski, Mike Ruelle

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Amanda Herzog

**Hospitality Ministers:** Cliff & Ben Herzog, volunteers needed

**Scrip:** Michael Van Handel

**Sunday, January 23, 2022**

**Sacristans:** Bob & Judy Piel

**8:30AM Mass**

**Song Leader:** Norah Lee

**Altar Servers:** Jada & Larkin Hoehne

**Lectors:** Karen DesJarlais, Dennis Plante

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Liz Franzoi

**Hospitality Ministers:** Bob Piel, Cathie Schafer, Tom Skibba, Kathy Humski

**Scrip:** Charlene Brumbeoloe

**10:30AM Mass**

**Song Leader:** Jen Walentowski

**Altar Servers:** Noah & Joey Van Handel

**Lectors:** Mike Ruelle, Jerrod Shaffer

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Lisa Van Handel

**Hospitality Ministers:** Katy Shafer, John & Deb Galeazzi, volunteer needed

**Scrip:** Charlene Brumbeoloe

### St. Patrick's Weather/Cancelation Policy



INCLEMENT  
Weather Policy

If at any time the Neenah and Menasha schools close due to inclement weather, St. Patrick's Parish Office will be closed and any scheduled events, programs or meetings for

that day will be canceled. Closing and cancelations will be posted on our Facebook page and via email blast.

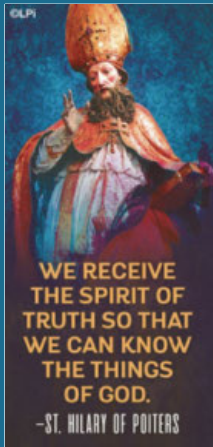
In the unlikely event that mass is cancelled it will be posted on our Facebook page and via an email blast.

If a priest cannot be present to celebrate Sunday masses, a Communion Service will be offered.

**Discover! Follow! Worship! & Share Jesus!**

◆ STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCE ◆

Jan 1st/2nd/ Envelopes and Loose Giving	\$2,632
YTD Envelope/Loose Giving/Electronic	\$186,143
YTD Budgeted Envelope/Loose/Electronic	\$191,368
Electronic Giving for January as of 1/7/22	\$9,881
Weekly Long Term Maintenance	\$597



**SAINT OF THE WEEK  
EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH**

**St. Hilary of Poitiers | January 13**

Born a pagan, St. Hilary (c. 315 – c. 367) studied philosophy and the meaning of life, eventually making his way through the bible. He became a convert and was appointed bishop of Poitiers in 353. Sometimes referred to as the Hammer of the Arians, St. Hilary defended the Nicene Creed against a popular heresy, Arianism. He was exiled to Phrygia for opposing

Roman emperor Constantius II, who preferred the heresy which denies Christ's divinity. From Phrygia St. Hilary fought with his pen, zealously writing against the heresy.

Eventually he was allowed to return to Poitiers, but did so by a circuitous route, preaching against Arianism all the way. St. Hilary was likely the first writer of hymns in the West, his writings on the Trinity, Psalms and Gospel of Matthew survive today. St. Hilary was created Doctor of the Church, a title given to those who provided important contributions to theology and doctrine, in 1851 by Pope Pius IX. ©LPi

WE RECEIVE  
THE SPIRIT OF  
TRUTH SO THAT  
WE CAN KNOW  
THE THINGS  
OF GOD.  
-ST. HILARY OF POITIERS

# MISSION OPPORTUNITIES SUMMER 2022

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE NEENAH/MENASHA CATHOLIC PARISHES

June 5-8 • Grades 7-12 • Neenah/Menasha, WI  
June 12-18 • Grades 8-12 • New Castle, PA  
July 9-17 • Grades 9-12 • New Orleans, LA

\*\*The grades listed are grades the students are going into during the fall of 2022\*\*

Informational Meetings:  
(with FREE pizza!)

January 27 at St. Margaret Mary, Neenah

When: 5:30 - 7pm  
Who: Students grades 6-12 and their parents  
Why: To learn about some AMAZING places where God can work through you in AMAZING ways!

Please sign up with this QR Code to help us get a rough estimate for dinner:



SCAN ME



ST. MARY AND ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST YOUTH MINISTRY

# Winter Youth Events 2022

ST. MARY AND ST. JOHN YOUTH MINISTRY

# CHRIST IS OUR LIGHT: GLOW NIGHT!

**What:** Overnight lock-in at the Church

**When:** January 15 at 5:45pm - January 16 at 9am

**Where:** St. Mary, Menasha

**Who:** Middle School students (grades 6-8)

**What to bring:** sleeping bag/blankets - pillow - arrive in Mass clothes - other comfortable clothes/PJ's - toothbrush/toiletries - flashlight(if you have one) - PG movies - small snack and pack of glowsticks to share - 2021-22 Liability Waiver (if not already completed) - suggested donation \$5

Sign up with the link in our Facebook group: St. Mary and St. John Youth Ministry  
Contact Bethany with Questions at [bdoll@smcatholicsschools.org](mailto:bdoll@smcatholicsschools.org)

## What to Look Forward to in 2022 at St. Patrick's!!!

**Lenten Fish Fry's**  
March 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, April 1<sup>st</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022



**Cel O'bration Week**  
March 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, & 20<sup>th</sup>

**Tenebrae Soup Supper**  
April 15<sup>th</sup>

**Memorial Day Carnival**  
May 30<sup>th</sup>

Email Bethany Doll with questions: [bdoll@smcatholicsschools.org](mailto:bdoll@smcatholicsschools.org)

Keep an eye on our Instagram and Facebook page for most recent updates!

 @smjyouthministry  St. Mary and St. John Youth Ministry

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS!



**BORSCHÉ** Since 1945  
**ROOFING PROFESSIONALS, INC.**  
 Commercial • Industrial • Re-roofs • Repairs  
 Emergency Leaks & New Construction  
**Call 920-733-4064**  
 N2971 Hwy 15, Hortonville, WI  
 www.wiroofer.com

**24 hrs DRUCKS**  
**SUDDEN SERVICE**  
 PLUMBING • HEATING/COOLING  
 ELECTRICAL  
**888-461-4415**  
 www.drucks.com

Oakridge Gardens REHABILITATION & MEMORY CENTER  
 "Serving Neenah Menasha Since 1980"  
 Oakridge Gardens Nursing Center, Inc.  
 (920) 739-0111 | oakridgegardens.com  
 The Gardens of Fountain Way, LLC Assisted Living  
 Gardenview, Inc. Assisted Living

support our ADVERTISERS

**Volunteers Needed**  
 Call 727-1766 or go to  
 www.svdjneenah.com/volunteers  
 All proceeds from store remain LOCAL to help area families.  
 Mon-Fri 9:30-6 • Sat 9:30-4  
 1425 S Commercial St

**Fox Valley Quality Cleaning & Supply, Inc.**  
**Bob Cops, President**  
 5321 Long Court • Appleton, WI 54914  
 (920) 733-3244

**GOGGIN & GOGGIN, LLC**  
**LAW OFFICES**  
 429 S. Commercial St., Neenah Wills • Estate Planning • Probate  
**Daniel R. Goggin, Sr. Retired**  
**Daniel R. Goggin II**  
 722-4265

**ADT-Monitored Home Security**  
 Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary
- Flood Detection
- Fire Safety
- Carbon Monoxide

ADT Authorized Provider **SafeStreets** **1-855-225-4251**

**MIHM'S Charcoal Grill**  
 Outside Taste... From An Inside Place!!  
 342 Chute Street Menasha, WI  
 11 a.m. - 9 p.m., Tue - Sat  
 Closed Sun & Mon  
**Take Out 920-722-0306**  
 www.mihmscharcoalgrill.com

**STAND OUT**  
 with a PREMIUM DIGITAL AD on PARISHESONLINE.COM



**CONTACT US AT 800-950-9952**

Repair & Service All Brands

**ABBY'S** Heating & Cooling  
 Low Prices and Quality Installation  
 Residential Air Conditioning & Furnaces  
 "Over 35 Years Experience"  
**\$100.00 OFF** on your new Furnace or A/C with this coupon.  
 Menasha  
**920-720-5794**  
 abbysfurnacereplacement.com

GROW YOUR BUSINESS WHILE SUPPORTING YOUR LOCAL PARISH.



Purchase a bulletin ad today!

**KESSLER FUNERAL HOME**  
 920-722-6464 • kesslerfh.com  
 304 S. Commercial St., Neenah, WI  
 Patrick L. Fahrnkrug - Owner/Funeral Director

**SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL PARISH.**  
 Buy a bulletin ad space today!

**NEVER MISS A BULLETIN!**  
 Sign up to have our weekly parish bulletin emailed to you at [www.parishesonline.com](http://www.parishesonline.com)



**FOX STAMP, SIGN & SPECIALTY**  
 RUBBER STAMPS & SIGNS  
 725-2683  
 618 Airport Road • Menasha, WI 54952  
 www.foxstamp.com  
 Jon & Pat Zeiningert, Parishioners

**WE'RE HIRING**  
**AD SALES EXECUTIVES**  
 BE YOURSELF. BRING YOUR PASSION. WORK WITH PURPOSE.

- Paid Training
- Some Travel
- Work-Life Balance
- Full-Time with Benefits
- Serve Your Community

Contact us at [careers@4lpi.com](mailto:careers@4lpi.com)  
 www.4lpi.com/careers

**AVAILABLE FOR A LIMITED TIME!**  
**ADVERTISE HERE NOW!**  
 Contact **Mike Kaczmarek** to place an ad today!  
**mkaczmarek@4LPi.com** or  
**(800) 950-9952 x2953**

**Assisted Living & Memory Care**  
 The Landings of Kaukauna  
 Enjoy \$1000 off in Your First Month  
 (920) 319-3954

**We've Missed You!**  
 Welcome Back to Mass



Stay connected to our faith community no matter where you are by signing up to get our bulletin delivered straight to your email!  
[www.ParishesOnline.com](http://www.ParishesOnline.com)

**WESTGOR FUNERAL HOMES**  
 A TRADITION OF SENSITIVE SERVICE  
 NEENAH 722-7151  
 MENASHA 720-0314

**FREE AD DESIGN**  
 WITH PURCHASE OF THIS SPACE  
**CALL 800.950.9952**