

*Welcome to St. Joseph's Parish...*



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**JANUARY 9, 2022**

**RECTORY**

Mailing Address:  
712 Godwin Circle  
Friendship, WI 53934  
(608)339-3485

**Office Hours:**

Tuesday and Wednesday  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday - 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday - 10:00 a.m.

**Daily Mass Schedule**

Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m.

**Confession:**

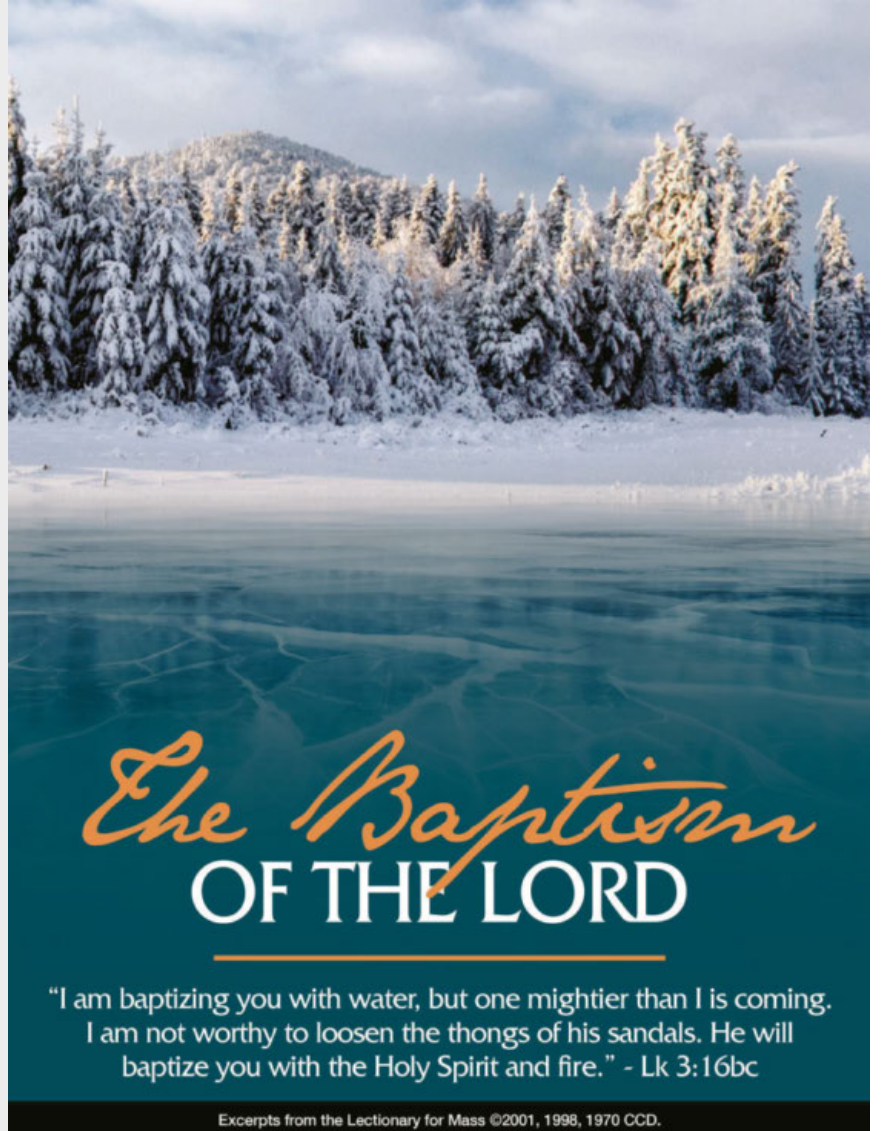
Saturday - 3:30 pm - 3:45pm  
Sunday - 9:30 am - 9:45 am  
or by appointment.

**Parish Staff**

Fr. Dave Bruener

**Parish Secretary**

Beth Griffith  
(608)547-1729



*The Baptism*  
**OF THE LORD**

"I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming.  
I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will  
baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Lk 3:16bc



**RCIA / Adult Formation.** Are you interested in the Catholic Faith? Or do you know someone who is?

If you are not Catholic and interested in becoming Catholic or if you would just like to know more about the Catholic Faith, formation will be offered. Each week, a specific faith topic will be studied, so if you only have interest in a specific topic, you can go to that class and you do not need to attend all the classes. Please talk to Father or contact the office for more information.



*I would like to thank all for their Christmas and New Year's Wishes, Prayers, Cards and Gifts. It was very kind of you all think of me.*

*God Bless You,*

*Father Dave*

**Two good Catholic Resources:**

- 1- Relevant Radio—Channel 93.9 FM
- 2- EWTN on t.v.

**Please take advantage of these resources!**

**Diocesan Annual Appeal**

Goal:	\$25,320.00
Total Pledged & Received:	\$17,455.00
Recurring Gift:	\$50.00
Recurring Received:	\$330.00
Amount Received:	\$14,280.00
Over/(Under) Goal:	(\$7,865.00)
Percent of Goal Pledged:	68.94%
Percent of Goal Received:	56.4%

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Average Gift Amount:	\$235.88
Number of Donors:	74



The Diocese of La Crosse, through its policies and procedures, seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Karen Becker, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Becker at 608.791.0179 or [intakeagent@diolc.org](mailto:intakeagent@diolc.org). The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: [diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting](http://diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting). **Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities.** Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local parish and on the diocesan website. If you have any questions about the Diocese of La Crosse and the implementation of the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*, please contact Teresa Brown, Diocese of La Crosse, at 608.791.2679; or [tbrown@diolc.org](mailto:tbrown@diolc.org).

# Mass Intentions for the Week

**Monday, January 10th: NO MASS**

**Tuesday, January 11th:**

8:30 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Mass

✦ Louise Hagen by Marti Relle

**Wednesday, January 12th NO MASS**

8:30 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Mass

✦ Robert Wagner by Harvey & Bev Wagner

**Thursday, January 13th:** Saint Hilary, Bishop,

Doctor of the Church

8:30 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Mass


✦ Bea Janiszewski by Rick & Irma Semrow

**Friday, January 14th:**

8:30 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Mass

✦ Mary Kay Brazeau by Jack Bischel


 There will be an hour of Eucharistic adoration, following Mass.

**Saturday, January 15th:**

4:00 p.m. MASS

Health of Terri Page & Mary Halase

**Sunday, January 16th: SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10:00 a.m. MASS

✦ Frank & Rose Inda by Bob & Diane Inda

**Monday, January 17th: NO MASS**



Pope's Prayer Intention  
January 2022

**For True Human Fraternity.**

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecutions; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

*Allowing for social distancing in church, you can also participate in Mass and receive communion outside. Please let someone know you are wanting to receive communion. Just tune in to station 87.9 on your car's radio. Thank You!!*

## Parish Contributions from January 1st & 2nd, 2022

Adult Envelopes:	\$2601.00
Offertory:	979.13
Memorial (Harvey Wagner):	2525.00
A-F County Market Receipts:	<u>1459.10</u>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$7564.23</b>
<b>Building Fund:</b>	<b>\$1459.00</b>



### Young Adult's Group

Father Dave would like to get a Young Adult Group gathering established in our parish. This is for those parishioners who are in the age range of 20ish-40ish. The first gathering would be on Friday

evening, January 21st, starting with adoration and prayer from 6:00—6:30. Following adoration, there will be time for socializing, and refreshments will be served.

Please RSVP for this event by calling the rectory at 608-339-3485.

Thank You very much!

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**VIGIL LIGHTS:** There are small votive candles on the west side of the church, under the Statue of Prague. \$1.00 donation. You light these candles yourself along with your prayers/intention.

There are also larger vigil lights located near the west side of the altar. If you would like one of these candles lit for your intention, please place \$3.00 in an envelop, labeled vigil lights. These are 5-day candles. **These candles will be lit by the parish secretary only! No one else is to lite them!**



If you wish to receive a donation receipt from the church, please complete this form and place in collection basket or mail to the office. If you do not have envelopes, please do not expect a donation receipt as only envelop holders monetary donations are recorded. Thank You

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