



**AUGUST 29, 2021**

**TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MASS TIMES**

Saturday: 5:30 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am  
Weekday Masses at St. Matthew:  
Tuesday and Friday: 7:45 am  
1st Friday: 6:30 pm

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**22<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

He summoned the crowd again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile." - Mk 7:14-15

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**BAPTISMS:** A class for both parents is required before the baptism of a child. Call the parish office.

**MARRIAGES:** Registered, practicing members, call the pastor at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

**RECONCILIATION:** Anytime by appointment

**PARISH REGISTRATION:** Forms are available in the vestibule or contact the parish office.

# MASS Intentions

## This Week

Saturday 8/28/2021 5:30pm Alice Komos

Sunday 8/29/2021 8:30am Richard Granger

## Next Week

Saturday 9/4/2021 5:30pm Ron & Cecilia Keil

Sunday 9/5/2021 8:30am Craig Cesarz

## MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE

Mass intentions can be scheduled for \$10 each by contacting the Parish Office. Dates are first come, first served and are only considered scheduled when payment is received. **There are still some dates available in 2021!** Please contact the Parish Office with any questions or if you are interested in scheduling a Mass.



## ATTENTION LECTORS, USHERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS!



**A schedule to sign up for August and September is available in the Vestibule, or you may call or email Jen in the Parish Office to be put on the schedule.**

Eucharistic Ministers will only be needed on weeks when Deacons do not preach. All ministers are asked to please arrive at least 20 minutes prior to Mass. Thank you.

## TRY WESHARE ONLINE GIVING

WeShare is a form of Stewardship giving that is done online. It is easy and convenient. Go to <https://stmarybythelake.weshareonline.org/>.

Scroll down and click on "Donate Online" and follow the instructions. Call the Parish Office if you have any questions.



## FOOD PANTRY

The North Side Food Pantry that we support is in need of supplies. They are humbly asking us to "come thru again" with these specific items:



- Jelly/Jam
- Dry/instant potatoes
- Soup (no cream of)
- Laundry soap
- Dry pasta (shells, elbow, egg noodles)
- Spaghetti O's
- Pork & beans
- Pancake Syrup
- Pancake Mix

Food may be dropped off in the blue barrel at the Parish Office on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 8:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. If you know anyone who needs food, please send them over to the Food Pantry.

**Additional Food Barrel:** In addition to the barrel being out on Tuesdays and Thursdays, there is now a barrel in the vestibule of church. You can now drop off food on weekends when you come to church.

## THE BOOK OF REVELATION BIBLE STUDY



The *Book of Revelation* is the most sensationalized and the most misunderstood book in the Bible. It has inspired many apocalyptic films and books. But what does the Catholic Church teach about this cryptic

book of the Bible? *Revelation: The Lion and the Lamb*, is a four week, in person Bible study that explains the cryptic passages of Revelation, putting this book in the context of its origin and of the Church's wisdom.

*Revelation: The Lion and the Lamb* will take place at St. Mary by the Lake in church **beginning September 1st** at 1:00 pm and 6:30 pm and continuing every Wednesday. For more information or to register for the study, go to [www.stmarybythelake.org/adult-formation](http://www.stmarybythelake.org/adult-formation) or contact Heather Warner at 262-639-3616 or via email: [hwarner@stmarybythelake.org](mailto:hwarner@stmarybythelake.org).

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The mission of the Prayer Shawl Ministry is to provide hope, comfort and healing. It is a unique way of reaching out to the community in a very tactile way. A prayer shawl can be seen as a symbolic "hug" from God and is reminder of God's ever-present love. A prayer shawl is a labor of love in prayer and work. The shawl maker always begins with prayer, and prayer is continued throughout the creation of the shawl. A priest blesses the shawls before they are gifted.



Do you know someone who is in need of a prayer shawl? Perhaps you know of a friend or family member undergoing a physical or emotional challenge or someone who has experienced a personal loss or needs a tangible reminder that there are people who care.

Prayer shawls are given to celebrate the happy occasions filled with hope too, such as marriage ceremonies or the birth or baptism of a baby.

Prayer shawls are available to share in the church vestibule or by contacting the parish office.

The Ministry is open to anyone who has the skills to knit or crochet or who would like to learn. Contact the Parish Office.

## WORSHIP & FAITH FORMATION



We remember in prayer all who are sick or suffering. If you or a loved one would like to be added to this list, please contact the Parish Office. To maintain privacy, please confirm the person submitted is aware their name will be published.

Patricia Bladzik  
Kevin Burgey  
Eryn

Virginia Fitzgerald  
Joan Grontkowski  
Joe Guertin  
Jim Kardos

Elaine Koshere  
Jenny Kraase  
Christopher Kroes  
Sarah M.

Saralee Mayew  
James (Jamie) Michael  
Carolyn Potter  
Joyce Ramczyk  
Julie & Scott S.  
Diana Salamone  
Tom Schultz

Barbara and Dan Schuster  
Calvin Sustachek  
William & Diane Wagner

For the children who are not in school, that they continue to receive school support, love and sustenance.

That all affected by the pandemic stay safe, especially the elderly.

For the swift end to this crisis.

For all first responders in Racine County.  
For a good friend of Kathy S.

For the daughter of the Guertin family who is volunteering her nursing services in California.

*Please remember to notify the Parish Office of any updates to the prayer list, including when to remove yourself or a loved one from the list. Thank you!*

### LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

What makes a person wise and intelligent? Certainly it is not the ability to memorize facts or minute details about a situation. What makes a person wise and intelligent is when their words and actions harmoniously unite and produce virtue. A person can know many facts and even do the right actions but still have a grave flaw in their character. We sometimes want to delude ourselves into thinking that as long as we are "doing" everything correctly, we are automatically in right relationship with all. Such is sadly not the case in the kingdom of God. We are called not to be just hearers of the Word, but doers as well. That means getting to the heart of what laws and rituals are meant to signify and nurture. If we do not bring the actions home, where they belong, and allow them to speak of the goodness, mercy, compassion, and love of God, then they are simply empty worthless gestures. Welcome the Word that has been planted within you so that you can be a truly wise and intelligent disciple of Jesus Christ.

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### FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION



Registration is now underway for the 2021/2022 Faith Formation Program. You may register online at <https://www.stmarybythelake.org/faith-formation-2021-22-registration>. Information about the program and calendars are available on the website under Faith Formation. Please call Heather Warner if you have additional questions.

### ARE YOU REGISTERED?

If you are not registered in our parish, please consider doing so. Also, please encourage your friends and family to register!

Registering is important because:

- If a parish doesn't know who is out there, how can it adequately serve the needs of all?
- When the services of the Church are needed - such as for a wedding, Baptism or funeral - it is easier if the person is registered.
- Registered parishioners receive helpful information about our parish including periodic mailings.

Registering is easy. Contact the parish office today!

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS! ST. MATTHEW 180<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION!

Join the faith community of St. Matthew on the weekend of September 18-19 in commemorating this significant milestone. On both days, we will have display of many artifacts, documents, and photos from our rich parish history. Also, on both days we will have tours of the Little Brick Church led by long time parish members, and refreshments in the Gathering Space. On Saturday only, Bishop James Schuerman will be concelebrating the 4:00 pm Mass with Fr. Pat, and at 5:30 pm, we will have a guest speaker, Fr. Steven Avella (archdiocesan historian) who will give a short talk on the history of our great parish! On both days, you may be able to rub elbows with some of our former staff members who have been invited to join us that weekend. You won't want to miss it!



### DOWNLOAD THE PARISH APP



Parish App is an important part of this initiative. The St. Mary by the Lake App will allow us to send you useful and important messages regarding our parish life and events. It also has many more features that are helpful to everyone's spiritual journey such as: the Mass schedule, daily Readings and Gospel that can be read and followed during the Mass or wherever you are, easy access to the parish weekly bulletin, the Parish calendar and much more! So, be sure to download the app after Mass today by visiting the parish website at: [stmarybythelake.org/parish-app](http://stmarybythelake.org/parish-app) or:

To directly download the app:

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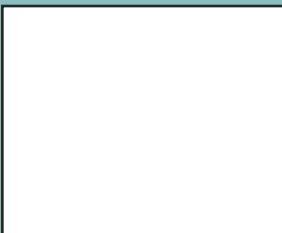
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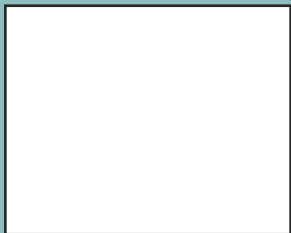
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