PARISH MASS TIMES

ST. FRANCIS SOLANUS 1050 MAIN STREET, GRESHAM

Sunday | 8:30am Wednesday & Friday | 8:30am

ST. MARY W11842 THIRD STREET LEOPOLIS

> Sunday | 10:00am Thursday | 8:30am

RECONCILIATION

St. Francis: Sunday | 8:00-8:15am St. Mary: 2nd Saturday | 9:00am

HOLY HOUR

St. Francis: 1st Tuesday | 6:30pm

PERSONAL ADORATION

St. Francis: Tuesday | 6:30pm

ST. FRANCIS SOLANUS

Pastoral Council Chair:
 Colleen Smith
Finance Council Chair:
 Esther Schutt
Treasurer Trustee:
 Dan Huntington
Secretary Trustee:
Sandy Gawryleski

St. Francis Solanus CCW:

1st Thursday of March | 7pm All women of the parish are welcome as members.

Religious Education

Grades 1-12 Wednesdays 5:45pm-6:45pm at St. Mary

ST. MARY

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of our parish communities are to nurture a loving relationship with the Trinity through a faith filled liturgy that empowers our parishioners to reach out to all those who are in need of the love & mercy that God offered to the world through His Son's life, death, & resurrection.



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SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick: Arrangements can be made through Fr. Nonito or Fr. Hanz

Baptism: Preparation 2nd Saturday of month 9-11 am St. Michael Keshena.

Pre-register with parish office.

Marriage: Call the parish office 6 months in

advance to register. **Confirmation:** TBD

First Communion: May 2022

Religious Education: Bethany Grunewald

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

A NOTE FROM FATHER NONITO

Jesus proclaimed a prophecy taken from the writings of the Prophet Isaiah at the synagogue of his hometown Nazareth: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me...He has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor....to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord." The people listened intently to him as they waited to hear more from him. And then the words came: "Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing."

We can imagine how surprised, if not shocked, the people were when they heard Jesus say all this. They never imagined that Jesus would be the anointed one, meaning, the promised Messiah. For them, he was only a carpenter. How could he make such a claim? And yet, when we think of it, Jesus was initially familiar with their daily lives and struggles. He often helped those who were poor and sick. He also knew Scripture very well, not to mention Jewish laws and customs. Who would be a better Messiah? No one. No one could compare with him.

This tells us that Jesus, the Messiah, is not far from us; he is very close to us.

In Jesus, Fr. Nonito

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. FRANCIS SOLANUS

01/28 Russell Stoehr 01/30 Marcel, Jon & Idabel Reopelle & Vernon Hoffman Sr. & Ruth Hoffman 02/04 Russell Stoehr 02/06 Milton Herzfeld

ST. MARY

01/30 Don & Genevieve Loveland 02/06 Jeanne Asenbrenner, Marty Sybeldon



BIBLICAL REFLECTIONS AND PRAYERS FOR THE EIGHT DAYS...DAYS 6-8 January 21-23 DAY 6 "They saw the child with Mary his mother, and they knelt down and paid him homage" (Mt 2:11) Gathered in worship around the One Lord Readings Ex 3:1-6 Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God Ps 84 How lovely is your dwelling place, 0 Lord of hosts! Rev 4:8-11 Worship the one who lives forever and ever Mt 28:16-20 When they saw him, they worshipped him

DAY 7 "Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh" (Mt 2:11) The gifts of communion Readings Hos 6:1-6 For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice Ps 100 Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise Acts 3:1-10 I have no silver or gold, but what I have I give you Mt 6:19-21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also

DAY 8 "They left for their own country by another road" (Mt 2:12) Beyond the familiar routes of separation to God's new paths Readings Jer 31:31-34 I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel Ps16 You show me the path of life Eph 4:20-23 To be renewed in the spirit of your minds Mt 11:25-30 Because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent, and have revealed them to infants

Readings for the week of January 23, 2022

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30 Tuesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117: 1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18 Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mk 4:1-20 Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25 Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41 Next Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/

1 Cor 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4: 21-30

MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

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Liturgical Minsters St. Francis Solanus 01/23

Lector: Fran Minister: Mary

Ushers: Mike K., B. Hoffman,

Jason L. Jeff S.

01/30

Lector: Esther Minister: Michelle M.

Ushers: Mike K., B. Hoffman,

Jason L, Jeff S.

St. Mary 01/23

Lector: Karen S.

Server: Claire B., Zoey G. Ushers: Bob S., Darold P.

01/30

Lector: Linda B.

Server: Claire B., Zoey G. Ushers: Earl H., Tim M.

> Thank you for serving at the lord's table

NEWS & HAPPENINGS AT THE PARISHES



WELCOME!

The Lord has called all of us to a new way of living under His wonderful grace as our Savior. May joy and peace be yours as we praise our Lord and grow close to God and one another. It is a pleasure to have you worshipping with us. If you are considering joining our parish, please talk with Father Nonito or call the Parish Office at 715-787-3250. Anyone who has not officially signed up and would like to be a registered member, please stop in the office.

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FINANCIAL BLESSINGS ST. MARY 01/16/2022 Support \$1,110.00 B & G \$40.00

UPCOMING EVENTS
ST. FRANCIS SOLANUS
1/25 6:30PM
ADORATION
1/26 8:30AM MASS
1/28 8:30AM MASS
2/01 6:30PM
HOLY HOUR
2/02 8:30AM MASS
2/04 8:30AM MASS

UPCOMING EVENTS ST. MARY 1/26 5:45PM RE 1/27 8:30 AM MASS 2/02 5:45PM RE 2/03 8:30 AM MASS Congratulations to our newlywed couple, Beau and Megan (Smith) Brady!

On behalf of St. Mary's Church, we extend congratulations to Beau and Megan (Smith) Brady who received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Saturday, January 22nd in St. Mary's Church. Your wedding is will be remembered as the beginning of many joyous moments in your life together, the moment two people's lives become one; where love between a man and a woman is joined, by the Holy Church, in Sacrament.

Almighty Father, we ask you to bless Beau and Megan with love, happiness and guidance during their married life. Bless their parents who gave them the gift of life and raised them to be responsible for having their own family. Bless their wedding party and all their friends.

-Father Nonito and Father Hanz



Do you know that prayer changes things? If you would like prayers of healing or for other intentions, please join us! Come and see what the Lord is doing at St. Francis Solanus, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, January 23rd. Deacon Mark and others will be available to pray with and for anyone who would like prayers.

March for Life

The Menominee-Shawano Chapter of Wisconsin Right to Life will be having their **annual March for Life on January 23.** We will



meet at the Shawano City Hall Community center (adjacent to the Police Department) at 1:00pm and proceed to and around the County Courthouse and back to the center. consider participating and/or joining us at our march. Any questions, please call Karen at 715-851-3629 or Mike at 715-526-9139.



Hearts Filled with Hope is the theme for this year's Bishop's Appeal. Soon you will receive a letter from Bishop David Ricken asking for your support of the Appeal. By contributing, you help our parish and the Diocese share in the important work of reaching out to those in need. Your generous pledge or gift will help our parish meet its goal for the Appeal. Please read the materials that are enclosed with the letter and return your completed pledge card to the Catholic Foundation. If you did not receive a letter in the mail, please contact our parish office

Margie Reedy, Brad Hess, Barb Carroll, Margaret Hoffman, Roni Schultz, Mark Dillenburg, Debbie Brady, Mary Zahringer, David Carroll, Jim Knoke, Shelly Gudis, Kim Lamberies, Robert Lohrentz, Todd Lohrentz, Rod Lohrentz, Dana Walton, Vincent Carroll, Albert Schroeder, Ataloa Wadzinski, Steve Brockman, Kathy Zoglman-Felkner, Ed Wedde, Jenny & Makenna Wiitanen, Katelyn Fehrman, Robert Knowles, Pat Paiser, Ann Redmond



Prayer List: If you would like to add yourself or someone else to our parish prayer list please contact the parish office. When the specific need for prayer is over, please let the parish office now so that the name can be removed.

Bulletin News/Announcements: Deadline for new information is 9:00 am Mondays. Submit to parish office by email.



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