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January 23, 2022 - *Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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Also see our website:
www.cathedralsjworkman.org

Liturgy

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 4:30 pm
 Sunday: 7:30 am, and 10:30 am

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday: 6:30 am, 12:10 pm
 Saturday: 8:00 am

Holiday and Holy Day Masses

Please see bulletin for Mass times on
 Holy Days and Holidays

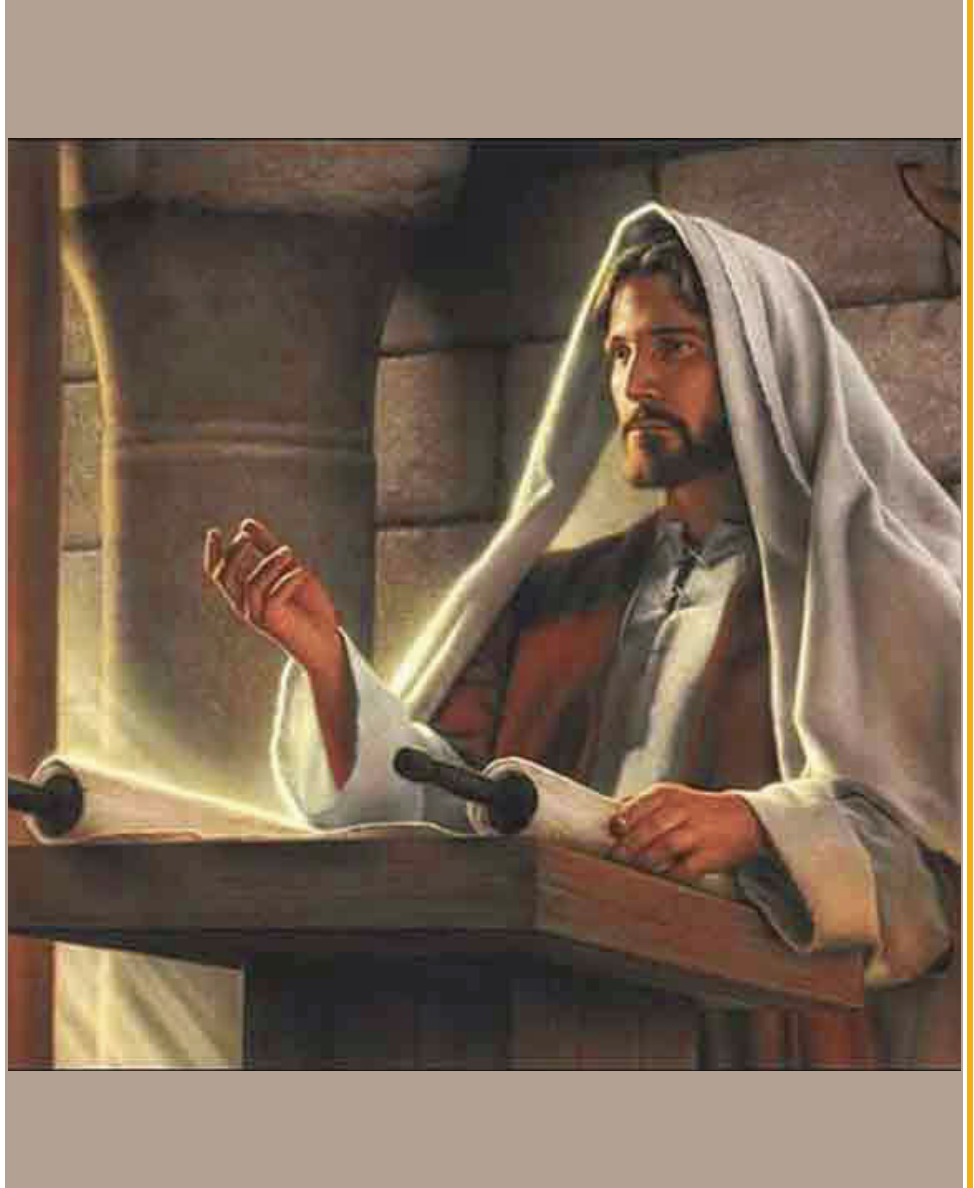
Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: After 8:00 am Mass until
 all are heard; and 3:45-4:15 pm
 Monday-Friday: 11:30-11:55 am

Eucharistic Devotions

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held
 each Wednesday following 6:30 am Mass
 concluding with Benediction at noon.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with de-
 votions is held on first Saturdays, following
 the 8:00 am Mass, concluding with Benedic-
 tion at 9:30 am



RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
 Closed Mondays: 9:00-10:00 am
 Closed Wednesdays: 9:00-9:30 am

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

**To follow Christ who is the way of
 Encounter and Engagement
 seeking to build
 the Kingdom of God in our midst!**

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Week of January 10 - 16, 2022

Estimated Weekly Need	• \$9,396.43
Envelopes & Plates	• \$3,423.00
ACH Contributions	• \$2,397.78
Total	\$5,820.78

St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral appreciates your continued generosity!

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The Cathedral is on Amazon Smile! Use the following link to select Cathedral as your organization to support: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-0826121>. What an easy way to support Cathedral!



Little Corner on the Eucharist

Hail O Saving Victim, offered for me and for the whole human race on the wood of the Cross. Hail, O noble and precious Blood, flowing from the wounds of Jesus Christ, my crucified Lord, and washing away the sins of all the world. Remember, Lord your creature, whom you redeemed by your Blood.

MASS INTENTIONS

- ♦ **Monday, January 24** (*St. Francis de Sales*)
6:30 am – Arlene Kaufman
12:10 pm – Carl and Helen Dick
- ♦ **Tuesday, January 25** (*The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle*)
6:30 am – Living/Deceased members of the Pham & Bui Families
12:10 pm – Patrick and Marjorie Garvin
- ♦ **Wednesday, January 26** (*Saint Timothy & St. Titus*)
6:30 am – Audrey Rother Twite
12:10 pm – Marilyn Zick
- ♦ **Thursday, January 27** (*St. Angela Merici*)
6:30 am – Gerald Jenks
12:10 pm – LeRoy Lyman
- ♦ **Friday, January 28** (*St. Thomas Aquinas*)
6:30 am – Intentions of Thomas VanderSchaaf
12:10 pm – Leroy Lyman
- ♦ **Saturday, January 29** (*Blessed Virgin Mary*)
8:00 am – Intentions of Thomas VanderSchaaf
4:30 pm – Edward and Lorene Bauer
- ♦ **Sunday, January 30** (*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*)
7:30 am – Intentions of Ron and Toni Weise
10:30 am – For the People of Cathedral Parish

AQUINAS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NEWS

2022-2023 ACS ENROLLMENT PERIOD BEGINS



On Monday, January 17, 2022, enrollment for the 2022-23 Aquinas Catholic Schools school year began! If you are interested in exploring your options when it comes to education, we would be happy to show you what Aquinas has to offer. Current Aquinas families can also begin the re-enrollment process at that time. Aquinas Catholic Schools is a Christ-centered family devoted to nurturing students of all faiths through educational excellence in its vibrant Catholic tradition.

Follow @AquinasCatholicSchools on Facebook to stay up-to-date on everything Aquinas.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Catholic Schools Week starts Sunday, January 30, 2022. Please take time to celebrate with the Catholic School students and their families in our diocese, and pray for the continued success of our Catholic Schools.

SOUP-A-RAMA AND BREAD BRAWL

The Education Committee of the Parish Pastoral Council invites you to their Soup-A-Rama and inaugural Bread Brawl, Saturday, February 5th following the 4:30 pm Mass. Sample soups and breads made by fellow parishioners. Vote for your favorites. Winners will have bragging rights for a year! We are seeking volunteers to make soups and breads. If you would like to participate in this fun event contact Sandy Perpich: 608.792.8032 or Jessica Skemp: 608.780.1420.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH THE WORKMAN

Cathedral Goal:	\$55,080.00
Total Pledged & Received:	\$44,590.00

Thank you to everyone who has so generously given to the Diocesan Appeal. We have reached 81% of our goal! Just a reminder that any amount pledged over our goal amount will come back to our Parish.

CALENDAR REMINDERS & BUSINESS

- Jan 25 Euchre Club 6:30 pm (Gathering Area)
- Jan 26 Return Program 1:00 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 2 Return Program 1:00 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 3 Book Club 9:00 am (Gathering Area)
- Feb 4 Young Adult Game Night 7:00 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 5 Soup-a-rama / Bread Brawl 5:30 pm (Gathering Area)
- Feb 8 Women's Rosary Group 7:00 pm
- Feb 8 Euchre Club 6:30 pm (Gathering Area)
- Feb 9 Return Program 1:00 pm (Library)
- Feb 9 Pastoral Council Meeting 6:30 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 14 KC #839 Meeting 6:30 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 16 Return Program 1:00 pm (Undercroft)
- Feb 18 Young Adult Cor Jesu 7:30 pm
- Feb 22 Euchre Club 6:30 pm (Gathering Area)
- Mar 2 Ash Wednesday
- Mar 3 Book Club 9:00 am (Gathering Area)
- Mar 4 Young Adult Game Night 7:00 pm (Undercroft)
- Mar 4 Stations with Soup Supper 5:10 pm
- Mar 6 Rite of Election w/ Bishop Callahan 2:00 pm
- Mar 8 Women's Rosary Group 7:00 pm
- Mar 8 Euchre Club 6:30 pm (Gathering Area)
- Mar 10 Parish Finance Council Meeting 9 am



Prayer of Blessing for the New Sanctuary Crucifix

This was the beautiful prayer of Blessing used for the new Sanctuary Crucifix. When you gaze upon this sacred image, prayerfully recall the prayer's spiritual sentiments locked in your hearts.

Blessed are you, Lord God, Father all-holy, for your boundless love. The tree, once the source of shame and death for humankind, has become the cross of our redemption and life.

When his hour had come to return to you in glory, the Lord Jesus, Our King, our Priest, and our Teacher, freely mounted the scaffold of the cross and made it his royal throne, his altar of sacrifice, his pulpit of truth.

On the cross, lifted above the earth, he triumphed over our age-old enemy. Cloaked in his own blood, he drew all things to himself.

On the cross, he opened out his arms and offered you his life: the sacrifice of the New Law that gives to the sacraments their saving power.

On the cross, he proved what he had prophesied: the grain of wheat must die to bring forth an abundant harvest.

Father, we honor this cross as the sign of our redemption. May we reap the harvest of salvation planted in pain by Christ Jesus. May our sins be nailed to his cross, the power of life released, pride conquered, and weakness turned to strength.

May the cross be our comfort in trouble, our refuge in the face of danger, our safeguard on life's journey until you welcome us to our heavenly home.

Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

LIFT HIGH THE CROSS

Thank you to everyone who donated, supported and shared in the joy of bringing the new crucifix at Cathedral to reality. The crucifix was "raised" on January 13th after several months of anticipation. The crucifix was manufactured in Ortisei, Italy and weighs in at approximately 450 pounds. The vertical beam of the cross is ten feet long!

CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The Cathedral Book Club will meet on Thursday, February 3rd from 9 am - 10:30 am in the Gathering Area. The discussion will be *A GENTLEMAN IN MOSCOW*, by Armor Towles. All are welcome! If you have questions, please contact Colleen Walsh at marycolleenwalsh@yahoo.com or 608.781.3404.

SACRAMENTS & SERVICES

Marriage

Couples requesting the celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage should contact the rector at the time of formal engagement or at least six months prior to the anticipated date of marriage. If a couple wishes to be married as a registered member of our parish, they must actively participate in the faith (Sunday worship) and be a registered member of Cathedral parish at least three months prior to requesting the Sacrament of Marriage. Weddings are not celebrated during Lent.

Baptism

Parents may request the baptism of their infants at least two months prior to the anticipated date of baptism. To request baptism, please call 782-0322.

Wills & Estates

As you prayerfully execute your will or do estate planning, please consider keeping the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in mind. The most common and simplest way to include the parish in your last wishes is to include a bequest in your will or trust.

Hospital Visits & Visitation of the Sick:

To secure a priest for unplanned or emergency admissions to a local hospital, it is important that the patient, if possible, or a family member and/or friends, contact the hospital pastoral care department to have the on-call priest administer the sacraments. The on-call priest is considered part of the pastoral team and does not count toward the maximum number of visitors per day rule.

If you become homebound because of illness or a post hospital stay, and would like to be visited; or those who are seriously ill or have been sick for a long period of time should receive the Sacrament of the Sick and Holy Communion. Those with preplanned hospital procedures should call the parish office to make arrangements for anointing. If possible, one should be anointed apart from a hospital stay since there are visiting restrictions.

Cathedral Prayer Chain

Notice to all Cathedral Parishioners. The parish has a prayer chain that you may request prayers to be said, and pray for the needs of others. Send your prayer requests to Mari at <https://cathedralsj-workman.org/prayer-request/>.

THANK YOU

CHRISTMAS CLEAN-UP

Thank you to ALL that helped with the take down of the Christmas decorations, I couldn't have done it (in record time) without all of you! - Sara Taggart

Mike Knapik, Olivia Gadiant, Laura Boden, Mayanna Vanderschaaf, Nick & Lauren Harding, Jamie Krumel, Brandon Dane, Matt Style, Luke Zoroufy, Joann Stacey, Zach Tudahl, Jimmy Steuck, Norm & Mari Erickson, Ahn Pham (thank you for the pizza!), Chris & Clare Ruff, Ellie St. John & Bunny, Sean & Sarah Wetterlin, Amber Taggart, Monsignor Gilles and our pizza delivery man Caleb Taggart!

WISCONSIN RIGHT TO LIFE

The Wisconsin Right to Life Signature Ad is due for publication today, Sunday, January 23, 2022 in the La Crosse Tribune. The participation of our Cathedral Parish, last Sunday, was the greatest ever in signatures and contributions. Thank you for being a powerful witness to the sanctity of human life!

BIRTHRIGHT OF LA CROSSE FUNDRAISER

The annual fundraiser for Birthright of La Crosse is here! Birthright is an international organization with a La Crosse chapter since 1976. Birthright is available to those with an unintended pregnancy to provide information, a listening space, and love along with referrals and emotional and spiritual support when needed. Envelopes will be available January 22 - 23. Please read the insert and return the envelope with your tax-deductible donation at your earliest convenience, but no later than March 6th. Thank you and please know that your pro-life support will be appreciated by moms, dads and babies in the womb!

Bulletin Deadline:

The Cathedral Bulletin regular deadline is 4:00 pm each Monday. Prior to major holidays, announcements should be received at least two weeks prior to printing so all can enjoy the holiday.

RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP & STAFF

The Most Reverend William P. Callahan, OFM Conventual Bishop of La Crosse	
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HOPE AND HEALING FOR STRUGGLING MARRIAGES

The Retrouvaille Program helps couples restore marriages and rebuild loving relationships. The three-phase program begins with a weekend stay in the Wausau area. A series of "post sessions" provide ongoing healing and support. Presentations are given by couples who share their personal struggles in marriage and tools they used to rediscover their love. No couples are turned away due to finances. Find more information: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or 1.877.922-HOPE (4673) All calls confidential. Next program is February 18-20, 2022. Early registration is recommended.

C.S. LEWIS READING GROUP

If you've ever enjoyed works such as The Chronicles of Narnia or Mere Christianity, then you may like to join the C.S. Lewis Reading Group which is being launched by one of our parishioners. For details, please see PintsWithJack.com/LaCrosse.

FORMED.ORG

St. Francis de Sales became a hero during the Catholic Reformation for his pastoral care and spiritual writings. In Saint Francis de Sales: Pastor of Souls, join Dr. Chris Blum as he walks through the life of this great saint, who is celebrated on January 24th!

STAY CONNECTED WITH THE CATHEDRAL FROM HOME OR ON THE GO!

There are a number of ways to stay connected with St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral parish life whether at home or on the go:

- Like us on Facebook – <http://facebook.com/cathedralsjw>
- MyParish App – text "app" to 88202 or visit the Google Play Store or visit the Apple App Store
- Parish Website – cathedralsjworkman.org
- Live Streamed Masses – Sundays and Weekdays
- Bulletin – Online & available in the Gathering Area
- Email – office@cathedralsjworkman.org
- Telephone – 608/782-0322

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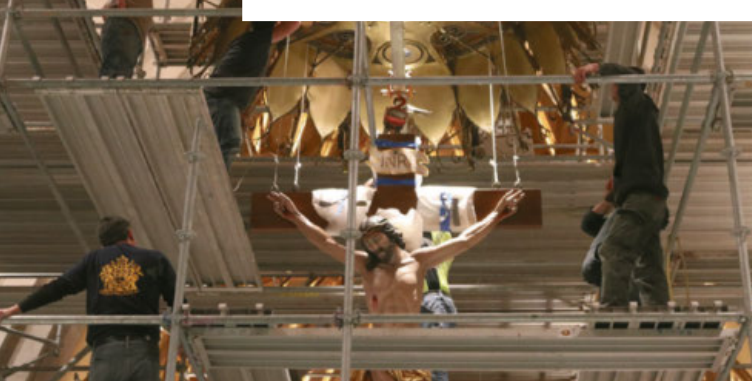
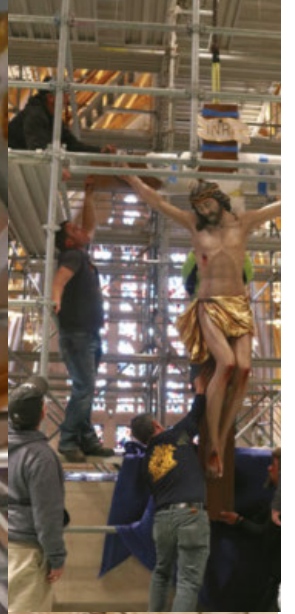
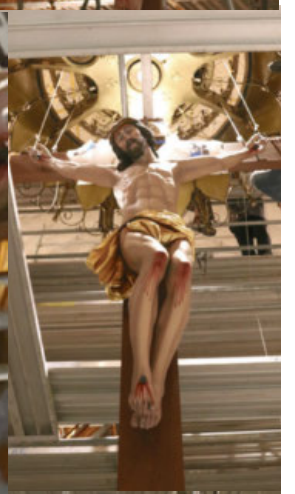
Ted Knutson, President of Aquinas Catholic Schools
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Other Websites – <http://www.cathedralsjworkman.org>
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