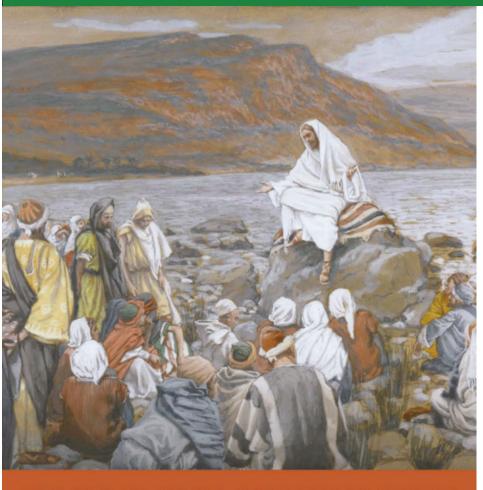


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7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you." - Mt 5:44

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February 19, 2023

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Saturday: 4:00 PM

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Monday: 5:30 PM

Tuesday-Thursday 8:30 AM

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ST. CHARLES EARLY CHILDCARE PROGRAM

6:30AM-6:00PM | 715.723.2161 | 18m to 12yrs CFAUSD 4K Program (formerly BB4C)

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO PRIMARY

GRADES K-2 | 715.723.5827

HOLY GHOST ELEMENTARY

GRADES 3-5 | 715.723.6478 Principal: Jerry Smith

NOTRE DAME MIDDLE SCHOOL

GRADES 6-8 | 715.723.4777

McDONELL CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

GRADES 9-12 | 715.723.9126 Principal: Eric Wedemeyer

MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

BE PERFECT AS YOUR HEAVENLY FATHER IS PERFECT

How often, after making a mistake, does someone say, "Nobody's perfect"? Or perhaps, "I'm no saint"? As true as these statements may be, we cannot be complacent with our lack of perfection or holiness. Jesus says in today's Gospel, "So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect." Through Moses, God says in our First Reading, "Be holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy." These are commands from the highest authority—God himself—and they cannot be ignored.



Monsignor Michael J. Gorman

Aside from the fact that all human beings have been created in the image and likeness of God (cf. Genesis 1:26)—Saint Paul, in today's Second Reading, gives us another basis for these imperatives: "You are the temple of God, and...the Spirit of God dwells in you...the temple of God, which you are, is holy"! This flows directly from our baptism into Christ.

Today's Responsorial Psalm praises the kindness and mercy of God. Jesus' teaching in today's Gospel takes us beyond the demands of "retributive justice": the concept of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. This occurs three times in the Old Testament: in Exodus 21:24-25, Leviticus 24:20 and Deuteronomy 19:21. This is known as the lex talionis or the law of retaliation. In theory it is meant to limit retaliation for an injury by keeping it proportionate to the crime. However, when will the violence end? The newly-inflicted injury, even if it is payback, invites another violent response. On the contrary, Jesus' teaching seeks to put an end to retaliation by calling for mercy and forgiveness instead of returning insult for injury. He calls us to live in a way that sets us apart from those who are "pagans": to be good even to those who may not be good to us. The word of God today forces us to ask ourselves, "Can we, who have been forgiven much evil by a kind and merciful God, fail to forgive those who hurt us?" When we pray in the Lord's Prayer, "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us"—that "as" means "just as" or "to the extent that." When we read it that way-"Forgive us our trespasses to the extent that we forgive those who trespass against us"—we see the obligation that asking for God's forgiveness places upon us.

Lent begins this week on Ash Wednesday, February 22. The regulations for fast and abstinence on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent are found elsewhere in the bulletin as well as the schedule of Masses and services for both parishes. Students in the religious education programs are to attend Mass in their parishes that evening. Of course everyone is welcome to attend any of these Masses.

While fasting and abstinence are good Lenten penances that enhance our self-discipline, they go hand in hand with works of charity or almsgiving. The children of our diocese traditionally have their "mite boxes" in which they may put a daily offering. These proceeds go to the Missionary Childhood Association, a papal missionary society. We have something similar for adults called Operation Rice Bowl. The idea is that what we save by fasting or "giving something up for Lent" we can use to feed the poor. So this weekend and on Ash Wednesday you are invited to take home a "rice bowl" into which you can put these daily savings or, as I do, just write out a check at the end of Lent. These proceeds go to Catholic Relief Services, an agency of the United States Catholic Bishops. CRS is sending aid to the victims of the recent devastating earthquake in Turkey and Syria in which tens of thousands have died or are homeless. So let's all—child or adult—make a difference as we strive to grow in holiness and charity this Lent.

Pray the Rosary this week for the families of our parishes, especially those who are experiencing any kind of turmoil; and for the survivors and relief workers in Turkey and Syria. As always pray for peace and the safety of military personnel serving abroad.

May God bless his people with peace. Monsignor Gorman

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Monday, February 20

Presidents' Day

5:30 PM Mass, & John Moonen St. Charles St. Peter

6:30 PM Novena

Tuesday, February 21

St. Peter Damian

St. Charles 8:30 AM Mass,

Gertrude Casper

Wednesday, February 22

Ash Wednesday

6:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes St. Peter 8:30 AM Mass. & Dan Prince St. Peter

St. Charles 12:10 PM Mass, & Roland & Margaret Schneider

5:30 PM Mass, & Virginia Dolesy St. Charles

7:00 PM Mass, & Edward & Mildred Bowe St. Peter

Thursday, February 23

St. Polycarp

8:30 AM Mass, & Vi McMahan St. Charles

Friday, February 24

8:30 AM Mass, ⊕ Matt Martin St. Peter

Saturday, February 25

St. Charles 4:00 PM Mass, ⊕ Patricia Sokup 6:30 PM Mass, & All Entrusted to Our Pastor's Care St. Peter

Sunday, February 26

1st Sunday in Lent

6:00 PM Rosary

7:30 AM Mass, & Evelyn Weyenberg St. Charles 9:00 AM Mass, & Delores Bresina St. Peter 10:30 AM Mass, ⊕ Laverne Vogelpohl St. Charles

Readings for the week of February 19, 2023

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13

(8a)/1 Cor 3:16-23Mt 5:38-48

Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29

Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 Tuesday:

Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: JI 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17/2

Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19/Mt 9:14-15

Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 5:27-32 Saturday:

Next Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 (see 3a)

> Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11 ©LPi

7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





St. Charles

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO MINISTRIES

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25 4:00 PM

SERVERS: Sam Kuechenmeister.

Elin Leinenkugel, Peter Murphy

Norb Gaier, Libby Leinenkugel READER:

CANTOR: Mike Steinberger

Debbie Armstrong, Steve Armstrong, **EMOC:**

Linda Dresel

USHERS: Pat Horan, Daniel Wahl,

Terry Wedemeyer, Needed

SACRISTAN: JoAnn Vahlenkamp **ROSARY:** Milford Lechleitner

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26 7:30 AM

SERVERS: Emily Thaler, Andrew Thaler,

Anna Thaler

READER: Ginger Harings, Lynn Gilbertson

CANTOR: Gary Reither

EMOC: Matt Amundson, Cathy Greenseth,

Erin Ripienski

USHERS: Needed, Rik Greenseth,

Stan Prince, Tony Willkom

SACRISTAN: **Ginger Harings** ROSARY: Tom Weyenberg Cathy Greenseth SCRIP:

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26 10:30 AM

SERVERS: Lauren Buescher, Aubrey Buescher,

Brady Rubenzer

READER: Gini Dachel, Jill Pomietlo

CANTOR: **Delaney Smiskey**

EMOC: Linda Marinello, Charline Clay Myers,

Diane Schemenauer

USHERS: David Grinnell, Mike Horan,

Jerry Kuehl, Needed

SACRISTAN: Beth Leahy SCRIP: Linda Marinello

DONATION COUNTERS: Diane Koss, Jill Doermann

ASH WEDNESDAY

Liturgical Minister Schedule (Page 5) Revised from February 12 bulletin.

ST. PETER MINISTRIES

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25 6:30 PM

SERVERS: Evan Buescher, Benedict Buntz,

Justin Quall

Gary Loew **READER:** Mary Krall **CANTOR: ROSARY:** Sonia Buntz SACRISTAN: Eric Buntz SCRIP: Lori Eisenreich

SUNDAY. FEBRUARY 26 9:00 AM

SERVERS: Adam Geissler, Charles Geissler,

Scott Wild, Jr.

READER: Lori Grant Youth Choir **CANTOR:** SACRISTAN: Carrie Geissler

ROSARY: Todd and Ellen Rochester SCRIP: Steve and Ann Plendl **DONATION COUNTERS:** Mary Steinmetz,

Dorinda Wynimko

FAITH FORMATION

Religious Ed (RE) & Sacramental Prep Alexis Pomietlo Director of Religious Education <dre@stcharles-cf.com> www.chippewafallsfaithformation.net

Alexis Pomietlo

Hello and a blessed Sunday to you all!

If you're anything like me (and I hope there's at least one of you out there), you are guilty of recommending a novena or litany to someone without ever praying it once yourself. My most recent experience with this involved the Surrender Novena. After recommending it to other people at least two or three times, I thought, *Okay it's time to pray this myself.*

It was put together by Servant of God Fr. Don Dolindo Ruotolo, the spiritual director of St. Padre Pio. He was an incredibly humble man who sought God's will and really nothing else in life. In his personal prayer, he was given extraordinary communication with Jesus and these serve as the basis for the nine reflections given throughout the course of the novena. The goal is to remind us that we can truly entrust our lives to God—every single facet (money, relationships, dreams, heartaches, etc.)—and He will take care of us. This reflection on Day Three stopped me in my mental tracks:

In pain you pray for me to act, but that I act in the way you want. You do not turn to me, instead, you want me to adapt to your ideas. You are not sick people who ask the doctor to cure you, but rather sick people who tell the doctor how to. So do not act this way, but pray as I taught you in the Our Father...

God wants us to trust that He both can and will take care of us. He wants us to surrender our need for control at the foot of the Cross. Learning how to relinquish our desire for control is most definitely a daily practice, but this is where true peace comes from. I'm extremely grateful God gave me the grace to actually follow through with this novena, and can now legitimately and wholeheartedly endorse it to all of you!

"The Screwtape Letters" Lenten Discussion Group

Join with other Chippewa Falls area Catholics as we explore C.S. Lewis' book, "The Screwtape Letters". By looking at corruption of a human soul from the perspective of a devil, we'll learn how to not be a Christian while at the same time discovering how to be a Christian through loving things the devil hates and hating things the devil loves.

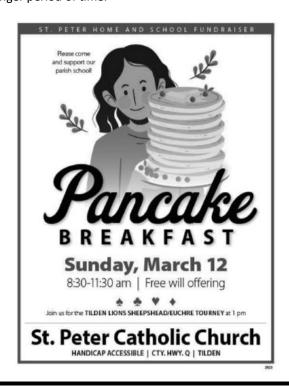
Our adventure begins Saturday, February 25 and runs each Saturday until April 1. Meetings will be 9:30am-11:00am in Holy Ghost Elementary School (come in the back door off the big parking lot). Bring your own book or purchase one at the first meeting (\$10). No reading necessary before the first meeting. Bring your own coffee, we'll provide the rolls. *Members of all area parishes are welcome*.

SC Parish Center Construction Update





On February 14, the adaptive switch was being tested on the interior door leading into the ramp entrance to the church. Not only will it open and close for easy accessibility. It will also have a hold so when our school classrooms attend Mass it will stay open for a longer period of time.





Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Virginia M. Keyeski

whose funeral will be held on Thursday, February 23, 2023, at St. Charles Borromeo. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

St. Charles Pastoral and Finance Councils

Approved minutes of the St. Charles Pastoral and Finance Councils can be found posted outside the Divine Mercy Chapel on the bulletin board. Minutes are approved at the following council meeting.

St. Charles Crochet/Knit Group

Do you like to crochet or knit? Allison Amundson would like to start a group to meet once a month to make baby blankets to be given to our newest members of the church at their baptism. All skill levels are welcome. If you are interested please email Allison at greensetha@gmail.com.

Chili Cook-Off at Holy Ghost - February 19

The Chippewa Falls Catholic Community will have a Chili Cook-Off Sunday, February 19, 12:30-3:00pm, with 1:00pm judging, at Holy Ghost Parish. Fun for the whole family, open to all. Come eat all the chili you can! One chili entry per person. Judges include area Priests.

Your family eats for free if you bring a chili, \$3 per person without a chili entry. Card games, open gym for the kids. RSVP at this link: https://bit.ly/3VuWXj5 or email Paula Hanson at: phanson@ourladyofthefalls.org

Eucharistic Revival - A minute with Jesus

We can always deepen our understanding and devotion to this great mystery of Jesus' *true* Presence in the Eucharist. **18) Jesus teaches us that He is truly present in the Eucharist.**

It is normal for us to struggle to believe this mystery. Uncertainty (doubt through lack of understanding) can be a healthy part of faith. When you are seeking God in prayer, hesitation in accepting the true Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist plays an important role in growing in faith because He will always come in to strengthen our faith in response to our desire to believe this Truth.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week: Jesus, please strengthen my faith to believe that You are truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

This week, read how Jesus responds to those who are questioning the mystery of the Eucharist in John 6: 52-59.

Eucharistic Revival Conference - March 3-4 (Free)

The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe will host a Eucharistic Conference offered by the Norbertine Fathers on Friday, March 3, and Saturday, March 4, 2023. Days begin with 8:30 AM Mass. Attend one or both days, with a variety of presentations on each day. Registration is not required and there is no cost to attend. The Conference will include the Eucharistic Miracles Display. View entire schedule guadalupeshrine.org/post/eucharisticconference

ASH WEDNESDAY

Liturgical Minister Schedule

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO MINISTRIES

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 12:10 PM

SERVERS: Ron Bresina, Peter Murphy

READER: Jill Pomietlo
CANTOR: Bekka Beaufeaux

EMOC: Cathy Greenseth, Betty Hedrington,

Lorraine Gardow

SACRISTAN: Cathy Greenseth

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 5:30 PM

SERVERS: Matt Amundson, Steve Armstrong

READER: Tom Weyenberg **CANTOR:** Greg Gilbertson

EMOC: Debbie Armstrong, Robert Parkhurst,

Mike Horan

SACRISTAN: Barb Parkhurst

ST. PETER MINISTRIES

ASH WEDNESDAY, **FEBRUARY 22 6:00 AM**Service of the Word and Distribution of Ashes

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 8:30 AM

SERVERS: School Children READER: School Children SACRISTAN: School Children

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 7:00 PM

SERVERS: Benedict Buntz, Thomas McDonald,

Francis McDonald

READER: Adam Bohl
CANTOR: Mary Krall
SACRISTAN: Sonia Buntz
ROSARY: Eric Buntz

Lent/Easter Signs

The Knights of Columbus will be giving away Lent/Easter yard signs starting Ash Wednesday.

These signs remind us to follow the three pillars of Lent which are to **Pray**, **Fast** and **Give**. Please pick one up and display it in your yard during Lent through Easter.

After Éaster, please keep the signs to re-use next year, do not throw them away. Thank you for participating in the 40 days of Lent.



FRIDAY NIGHT BINGO at 7:00 PM

Food and refreshments are available beginning at 5:00 PM.

Proceeds go to local charities.

Knights of Columbus Hall 236 Pumphouse Road Chippewa Falls <www.kofc974.com>

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FINANCES

February 12, 2023

ADULT GIVING	ST. CHARLES	ST. PETER
Weekly Budget	\$9,390.00	\$2,303.00
Envelope Contributions	\$4,683.00	\$2,068.00
Online Giving	\$2,205.35	\$ 790.10
(Shortfall)/Over	\$(2,501.65)	\$(1,527.90)
Budget Thru 06/30/2023	\$488,280.00(100%)	\$228,072.00(100%)
Budget Thru 02/12/2023	\$309,870.00(63.5%)	\$144,738.00(63.5%)
Collected Thru 02/12/23	\$266,941.81(54.7%)	\$116,933.26(51.3%)
(Shortfall)/Over *	\$(36,039.84)*	\$(27,804.74)*

This section shows the weekly and yearly budget for adult envelope giving. *This last number shows the amount that we are (short) or over to make our adult envelope budget from 7/1/2022 through the current week.

EXTRA COLLECTIONS	ST. CHARLES	ST. PETER
Youth	\$ 7.00	\$ 17.00

St. Charles Building Fund 5/1/2019 thru 02/07/2023

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Goal	\$2,500,000.00		
Total Pledged	\$1,701,382.89		
Beginning Balance	\$ 307,915.45		
Pledges Received	\$2,123,427.32		
Interest Earned	\$ 110,222.30		
Less Expenses	-\$2,229,429.11		
Total in Savings	\$ 312,135.96		
Diocesan Loan	\$ 846,647.48		



CHRISTIAN MOTHERS' NEWS



St. Peter 2023 Christian Mothers' Officers

President: Megan McChesney Vice President: Position Available Treasurer: Position Available Secretary: Position Available Email: spparishofficers@gmail.com

February Church Cleaning: St. Anne Circle

Weekly please vacuum church entrances, wash windows on doors, sanitize doorknobs and handles, clean restrooms, do a walk-through of the church, check the basement. St. Anne is still in need of circle chairs.

Save the date

The Chicken Dinner is scheduled for April 19, 2022.

St. Peter Mega Raffle

Tickets are still available before and after Mass. You may also contact an officer via email at spparishofficers@gmail.com to make purchase arrangements.

> **Grand Prize: \$4,500** 2nd Prize: \$2.000 3rd Prize: \$1,500 4th & 5th Prizes: \$500 6th thru 10th Prizes: \$200

We no longer can split between four people.

Drawing will be held Sunday, March 12, 2023 after the 9 AM

Mass. Need not be present to win.

Peter's Patter

St. Peter Catholic School 715.288.6250 www.stpeterschooltilden.com

Here we are halfway through February already! We definitely are enjoying the warmer days and more sunshine.

Recently, Gracie Simon, Madelyn Wahl, and Lacie Simon represented St. Peter School at the Regional level of the Spelling Bee. We thank them for being great representatives of our school.

Our entire student body spent a Friday afternoon making cards for residents of the Chippewa Veterans Home and Meals on Wheels with the help of Jan Loew and Vicki Ruff. Everyone worked very hard and we made approximately 250 cards!

The fifth through eighth grades went to the Chippewa Moraine Ice Age Center in New Auburn. They enjoyed hiking outside, playing games, and roasting hot dogs and marshmallows. They also learned a lot about the geography and history of the land in the area. It was a great day. Thanks to our chaperones who helped out!

Are you ready to get out your grill? We are selling brats, hot dogs, and beef stix from Mike's Star Market as a school fundraiser. Please contact a school family or the school office if you are interested in ordering or see our school Facebook page for more information.

St. Peter School Staff and Students

Enrollment now open for the 2023-24 School Year

Please contact our school if you and your family would like to take a tour, meet our teachers and see how a Catholic education can make a difference. We partner with your family offering a Catholic education for your grades 1-8 students. Call 715.288.6250.



McDONELL AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS (MACS)

1316 Bel Air Blvd., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729 McDonellAreaCatholicSchools.org * 715.723.0538

Enrollment is open for the 2023-24 School Year

Contact Admission Coordinator Kathleen Adams for enrollment questions by email <k.adams@macs.k12.wi.us>. Contact Business Manager Teresa Dachel for financial questions at <t.dachel@macs.k12.wi.us> or call the MACS Central Office 715.723.0538 x3301

Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) - Taking Applications (mcdonellareacatholicschools.org/admissions/wi-parental-choice-program.cfm)

Review the income bracket in the above link to see if you qualify.

- WPCP closes for applications Thursday, April 20, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.
- Late applications and late required documents will not be accepted due to DPI requirements.
- If you are a current MACS family participating in the Choice program you will need to re-apply.
- If you are a current MACS family not currently in the Choice program and are interested in applying for Choice you must meet the income qualifications and your child must be entering grades 4K, K, 1 or 9.

Tuition Deduction

When filing your 2022 state tax forms, individuals may deduct the tuition expenses they paid from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022, up to \$4,000 for each dependent child in grades K-8 grade and up to \$10,000 for each dependent child in grades 9-12. The WI form Schedule PS (from the WI gov site) defines what is tuition and examples of what is not tuition. For more information see the home page of the MACS website (News and Announcements) or call the MACS Central Office.

Children Activities for the Summer of 2023

Are you looking for faith-filled activities for your grade 4k-12 children for Summer 2023? Take a few moments to fill out this form https://tinyurl.com/cfym23info. Help give us an idea of interests for your children for the summer. The survey includes those interested in Totus Tuus, Vacation Bible Study (VBS), Steubenville, Mission Trips, and Summer Fun Youth Nights, among other opportunities. Filling out the form will also sign you up for updates on the summer as details are finalized.

Be Part of an Amazing Adventure in Faith – Join the Lay Formation Institute!

Registration is now open for the next two-year Lay Formation cycle that begins in fall of 2023. Draw closer to Christ and deepen your knowledge of the Faith in a joyful community of learners! See complete information and application form at diolc.org/lay-formation. Discuss with your pastor and contact the Office for Ministries and Social Concerns at ministries@diolc.org or call 608.791.0161.

New Leader of Prayer Class Begins in July 2023

Applications are now open for a new class of men and women who wish to serve as Leaders of Prayer for the Diocese of La Crosse. This is a three-part course of study by which lay persons are prepared and commissioned to serve their parishes by bringing Holy Communion to the sick; conducting a Liturgy of the Word on weekdays when a priest is unavailable (or on Sunday in care facilities or jails); and by leading parishioners in prayer at other times. Applicants must have completed the Lay Formation Institute and be sponsored by their pastor. For more information and to apply, visit <diolc.org/leader-of-prayer>.

MEMBER INFORMATION

Who is a parishioner?

One who is registered and regularly participates in the liturgical life of the parish and demonstrates support of the parish mission by completing and fulfilling an annual commitment of time, treasure and talent.

To register in the Parish: We welcome anyone interested in being an active member of our parish. Please call the parish office (715-723-4088) and make an appointment with Msgr. Michael Gorman.

Baptisms: First-time parents must attend an instruction class, which is held every three months. Parents are encouraged to plan ahead and attend the class prior to the birth of their child. Please contact the parish office to sign up for the class.

Marriages: Couples are required to contact Father at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date and BEFORE making any other arrangements or reserving a reception hall.

Anointing of the Sick: If you would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, please see Father after Mass. The sacrament is available to all who are ailing physically, mentally or spiritually.

Hospitalized/Homebound: If you are in the hospital or homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the parish office.

Phone or Address Change:

Please contact the parish office if you no longer have a landline phone, moved, or have a new address.

Bulletin Deadline: Please have all information to the office by Friday noon, one week before the date printed in the bulletin or two weeks before a holiday bulletin.

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