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**Sacrament of Reconciliation**
Saturdays - 4:00 P.M. as long as someone is present

**Sacrament of Baptism**
at weekend Masses
Please Contact the Rectory

**Sacrament of Marriage**
Please contact the parish as soon as engagement is announced - Minimum 6 months in advance

**Mass Times:**
Saturday - 4:45 P.M.
Sunday - 8:15 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.
Weekdays-8:00 A.M. Tuesday-Friday
Holy Day -Announced in the Bulletin

We are a Proud Supporter of
Aquinas Catholic Schools

**New Parishioners**
Are always welcome - Registration information available in the gathering area or call the parish office
Mass Intention
THIS SUNDAY’S MASSES, January 4-5
Sat – 4:45 – Mary Schrabeck
Sun – 8:15 – Sylvester and Marie Becker
   9:45 – Karen Powers
WEEKDAY MASSES, January 7-10
Tue – 8:00 – Emily and Frank Uhler, Sr.
Wed – 8:00 – Mike Hafner
Thu – 8:00 – Marian Perviski
Fri – 8:00 – Jim Grenisen
NEXT SUNDAY’S MASSES, January 11-12
Sat – 4:45 – Howard and Eleanor Young Family-
   Living and Deceased
Sun – 8:15 – Sharon McCabe
   9:45 – Wayne Swinghammer

Christmas Flowers were given in Memory of Neil Hengst by Andrew and Geri Hengst.

Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time and talents to making our Christmas celebration so beautiful!! To Mary Lichtie and all who helped her to do the beautiful decorations throughout the church; to Ron and Robert Fitzpatrick for setting up the cribs; to Tracy Erickson, Mary Kulas, Linda Bechly, and all the vocalists and instrumentalists who provided the fantastically beautiful music; to all the lectors, servers, ushers, eucharistic ministers, and gift bearers without whom there would be no mass. And all the money counters who came in extra times. We thank each and every one of you for your service to God’s liturgy at Holy Trinity!!! You are the BEST!!!

Parish Council Meeting Tuesday, January 14 at 6:30 p.m. at the Rectory.

St. Anne’s Ladies Christmas Party Wednesday, January 15, 6pm in Leo Hall for all ladies of the parish

Men’s Club Meeting Wednesday, January 22 at 7:00 p.m. in Leo Hall. All men of the parish are welcome.

Mark your calendar – Holy Trinity Men’s Club Pancake Breakfast is Sunday, February 2.

Liturgical Roles January 11-12
Sat-4:45-Dan Boeck, Whitney Cox
   Kori Verrall, Dennis Dobeck
Sun-8:15-Anna Fleming, Beth Smith
   Ben Erickson, Josie Erickson
Sun-9:45-Donna Puent, Kathy Gartner
   Isaac Schumacher, Anna Schumacher
Attention ALL VOLUNTEERS: Appreciation Party in Leo Hall on Saturday, January 18 at 5:30 p.m. Catered by the Log Cabin in Bangor. Please RSVP by Thursday, Jan. 8 so we can get an accurate number to them. Sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area, send an e-mail, note or call the parish office. EVERYONE who gives their time and talent to the parish AND THEIR FAMILY are invited — Liturgical Roles, Music, Fundraising Events, Serve Funeral Lunches, Oktoberfest Cleanup, SCRIP Sales, Open Envelopes, Pastoral Council and Finance Council, Any Event Sponsored By The Parish.

Our Diocesan Annual Appeal target this year is $63,470. We have $33,718.10 from 132 donors. We are $29,751.90 short of the target—Last year we had 240 Donors — WE NEED EVERYONE to reach our goal.

You can buy SCRIP (Gift cards to grocery stores, restaurants and retailers) who give a percentage of the purchase price to the parish. 60% of that profit can be designated to the Diocesan Annual Appeal and you will receive credit for the donation. SCRIP is available after Masses in the gathering area or at the Parish Office. Available cards include: A & W, Amazon, Barnes and Noble, Burger King, Cabelas, Culvers, Dick’s Sporting Goods, Festival, Kohls, Kwik Trip, Fiesta Mexicana, Marcus Theatres, McDonald’s, Moka, Menards, Papa Murphy’s, Subway, Taco Bell, Target, Texas Roadhouse, Walgreens and Walmart – Different denominations available for some businesses.

Wisconsin Right to Life Signature Ad will be in the La Crosse Tribune on Sunday, January 19. There is a sheet in the Gathering Area to collect names of those who support legal protection of unborn children. Donations of $3 Name/$5 Family appreciated.

Contribution Statements for 2019 will be mailed in the next couple of weeks. If you need the information before that, please contact the Parish Office and we will be happy to get it for you. Contributions to the Diocesan Annual Appeal will be sent by the Appeal Office.

Lectio: Eucharist. Join us for an in-depth look at where the Eucharist is found throughout the pages of the Bible. Learn our Jewish roots which help us understand the true source and summit of the Catholic faith, the Eucharist. Dr. Pitre reveals better understanding of the original Greek and Hebrew text of the Bible, showing us how true meaning is lost in the translation in our modern Bibles. Through his teachings, Dr. Pitre helps us see how the Eucharist is part of God’s divine plan. Different sessions are available including one at Holy Trinity on Wednesdays from 1:00-2:30 beginning at the end of January—The same session is offered on different days at different parishes to accommodate your schedule – you do not need to attend the same place each week. Information poster and registration forms in the Gathering Area.

The movie Unplanned will be shown at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall on Wednesday, January 15 at 6:30 PM. This will be a free showing with donations accepted to Pro-Life Wisconsin. Discussion led by Deacon David Allen and Marie Allen afterward, and copies of the movie will be available. Contact Marie Allen with questions: 608-784-5189

**Parish Finances** December 24-January 3

**NEEDED PER WEEK:** $7,496.32
**EXPENSES:** $12,419.33
**INCOME:**
- Adult Envelope: $19,760.00
- Plate: $1,498.02
- Other: $3,866.00

$1,063.00 was given to Leo Hall Renovation Fund

**Aquinas Catholic Schools Open House Dates**
- Aquinas High School - Monday, January 13th – 6:00 P.M. (All Grades 9th-12th)
- Aquinas Middle School - Wednesday, January 15th – 6:00 P.M. (All Grades 7th-8th)
- St. Patrick Elementary School – Sunday, January 26th (after Mass) – 8:00 A.M. - Noon & Thursday, February 6th – 6:00 P.M. & Friday, February 7th 1:00 P.M. (All Grades 3P-6th)
- Cathedral Elementary School -Tuesday, February 4th – 6:00 P.M. & Wednesday, February 5th – 1:00 P.M. (All Grades 3P-2nd)

Are you interested in Aquinas Catholic Schools? We’re hosting shadow days for St. Patrick Elementary School, Blessed Sacrament Elementary, Aquinas Middle School, and Aquinas High School for the 2020-21 school year. Shadow days at Aquinas Catholic Schools are a great way to experience a day in the life of a student and is the best way to see if Aquinas is a good fit for you! As you will have the opportunity to see our schools, attend classes, meet students and teachers, and enjoy a complimentary lunch in our cafeteria. Visit www.aquinascatholicschools.org/visit-our-schools

**Discerning a Vocation to the Permanent Diaconate?**
If you are a man between 30 and 60 years of age and think God may be calling you to be a permanent deacon, there will be a Diaconate Discernment Retreat on Saturday, April 4, 2020. The first step is to contact Deacon Kevin Ray, Director of the Office for the Diaconate. Email kray@diolc.org, or call 608.791.2665

**Is your marriage drifting apart?**
Retrouvaille is designed to give you the tools you need to restore joy and hope to your marriage. Next retreat in our area will be February 14-16, 2020, at St. Anthony Spirituality Center in Marathon. "We Needed to Refresh Our Marriage ...It was wonderful.” See more comments from program participants at HelpOurMarriage.org. For more information, call 877-922-HOPE (4673) https://diolc.org/marriage/marriage-help/
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Meetings Announced in Bulletin

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Dad & Donald Hutzenbuehler
Remembering all of the great memories we created during this season. Giving Thanks, Tonie