Diocesan and Community News

Eucharistic Revival - 2022 through 2025:

Visit: eucharisticrevival.org for more information.

Message for the week of June 4:

The Eucharist and the Most Holy Trinity – Father. Son and Holy Spirit Jesus gave His life for us so that our sins can be forgiven and we can be united in a relationship of love with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We refer to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the most Holy Trinity – three Persons in one God. When we receive the Eucharist, in reality, we are not only receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus, but all three Persons of the Blessed Trinity. Let's pray this right now and every day this week: "The grace of Lord Christ Jesus and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you" (Paul's Letter to the Corinthians 13:13)

<u>Caregiver Opportunities</u>: The Villa St. Joseph is seeking applicants for part-time help on all shifts for LPN's or RN's. Includes every other weekend. Training provided. Apply at <u>fspa.org/careers</u> and look under Villa tab.

Join the March for Life Wisconsin at the State Capitol June 24: Participate in the largest gathering of pro-lifers in our state! The Third Annual March for Life Wisconsin is this Dobbs Day – June 24, 2023, commemorating the historic Dobbs v. Jackson Womens' Health Organization ruling which overturned Roe v. Wade. Rally for life as we press onward to cherish and protect every preborn child! For complete information and to register (by Monday, June 12) visit prolifewi.org/marchforlife, or use your smartphone's camera to scan the QR code to the left. Buses will be available for pickup from Wausau, Stevens Point, Eau Claire, Tomah and La Crosse.

Chicken Q: The 120th annual St. Charles Homecoming Celebration will be held after the 9:30 a.m. Mass on **Sunday, July 2**, at the church, 707 Eagle St., Genoa. Food will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and will include Rooster Andy's grilled chicken and sides, and homemade risotto made by parish members. Kid hot dog meals will also be available. Cost is \$15 for a chicken dinner or \$6 for a hot dog meal. Raffles, a bake sale, beverages and kid games will also be available. Please note this celebration is no longer held on Independence Day.

GO Outreach Host Families Inquiry: Global Outreach is looking for families to host an exchange student. Aquinas has had a Global Outreach student each of the last two years and would like to continue working with this program again next year. Please consider taking part in this experience! Go to https://globaloutreachprogram.com/ for more information.

Kids Korner

The Holy Trinity

Today we are celebrating the feast of the Holy Trinity. "Trinity" means "three" and tells us that there are three Persons in God. There is only one God, but God is a relationship of the Father and the Son (Jesus) and the Holy Spirit.

Each of the Persons in the Holy Trinity is really God, so the Father is really God, and Jesus is really God, and the Holy Spirit is really God. But they are not all the same Person. Each of the Persons in the Holy Trinity is also equal to all the others. So the Father is not greater than the Son or the Holy Spirit; they are all equal.

Sometimes we can undersand the Holy Trinity as if it were like a family. Each of the persons is different, but the family wouldn't really exist if any one of them were missing. The Holy Trinity is also a relationship of love. Because God is so full of love He wanted to share it with others, so that is why He made us! When we live the way God wants us to we are joining in the life of the Holy Trinity. Isn't that amazing?



From the Cemetery Committee: It has come to the attention of the Cemetery Committee that several headstones in our cemetery are in need of repair/maintenance. Following is a list of the names on those headstones. It is the family's responsibility to take care of these headstones. If you are a family member or know of a family member, please consider taking care of the necessary repairs and/or contacting family members. If interested, the Committee does have the name of a person who does this kind of work. If you have questions, please contact one of the Committee members.

Row 1 Johann & Catharina Brecht, John Bell

Row 4 Anton Kerska

Row 5 John & Anna Burbach

Row 6 Ernest Muenzenberger

Row 7 Anton & Margarete Lomis

Row 10 Anna Arentz, John & Katherina Burbach

Row 11 Nick Fischbach, Nick Antony

Row 12 Edmund Ott

Row 13 Vaclav Silha

Row 15 Mathias & Anna Becker

Row 16 Walter & Mabel Cavadini

Row 17 John & Anna Weber

Row 19 Peter & Margaret Hurtz

Row 22 Joseph & Mary Korn

Row 24 Mary Repky, Clarence & Mildred Muenzenberger

Row 25 Joseph & Wilma Clements

Row 26 Gasper

PASTOR

Fr. Biju Chennala Kunjukutty, MSFS

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	8:00 PM
Sunday	10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday and Friday.....8:00 AM ADORATION

Wednesday......7:30 PM to 8:30 PM

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays during Adoration & By Appointment

PARISH OFFICE (located in the church Sacristy)

Hours: Wednesday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM Friday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Melissa Schaub......Secretary/Bookkeeper Office Phone: (608) 486-2180

Home Phone: (608) 486-4012

Bulletin deadline:Wednesday Email: parishoffice@stpmr.diolcparish.org

Fax: (608) 486-2181

PARISH WEBMASTER Christopher Pundzak

SACRISTANS Richard Korish & Austin Menn

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mary Hundt, Coordinator.....(608) 780-6172

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Gary Flock, Michael Hundt, Rachel Persson, Brandon Flock, Mark Nicolai & Louisa Peterson (Committee liaisons: Peter Benzing & Leo Leis)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Tom Schaub, Mark Stephenson, Rob Slattery, Peter Benzing, Chris Pundzak, Kathy Flock

PCCW - Parish Council of Catholic Women

Pam Benzing, Mary Bach-Filla, LaVonne Hundt

CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Leo Leis (Chairman), Mark Gronemus, Jared Lucey, Don Halderson, David Scharping

CEMETERY SEXTON Tom Schaub...(608) 486-4012

FUNERAL COMMITTEE CHAIR

Debra Leis.....(608) 632-7830

MUSIC

Terese Slattery, Coordinator.....(608) 452-4605 Leland Gregorich, Organist

St. Peters Catholic Church Middle Ridge, WI W697 State Hwy 33 Rockland, WI 54653



Parish website: <u>www.saintpetersparish.net</u>
MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY
JUNE 4, 2023

FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONE AND ONLY SON, THAT WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM SHALL NOT PERISH BUT HAVE ETERNAL LIFE.

JOHN 3:16

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR:

- Joining the Parish Weddings Baptisms
- Anointing of the sick (Please call Father Biju's cell phone)
- If you are home-bound & would like to be visited

Parish Intentions

<u>6/7 Wed. 8:00 AM</u> –

† Steven Hundt (AH) 6/9 Fri. 8:00 AM – 45th

Anniversary of Patrick & Terese Slattery (PTS)

<u>6/10 Sat. 8:00 PM</u> –

† David Cummings (RER) <u>6/11 Sun. 10:00 AM</u> – Family of (†) Nora Grabowski (MSG)



Goal: \$85,000 Parish Share: \$55,250

Total Pledged: \$47,900 Goal Balance: \$39,400

Annual Appeal portion to by paid by 6/30/23: \$11,815

Pray Often & Daily!!!

Parish Finances (Fiscal Year Budget)

Weekly Target - \$1,700.00 Last Week's Total - \$1,035.00

-\$665.00

Year to Date Target - \$81,600.00 Year to Date Total - \$92,423.21

+\$10,823.21

Readings for June 11, 2023

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16 **Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

Gospel Reading: John 6:51-58

Prayer for Spiritual Communion: My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire You with all my heart. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, I ask you to come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already in my heart and unite myself to You completely. Please do not let me ever be separated from You. Amen.

Ministry Servers

Saturday June 10 – 8:00 PM

Servers: Isabell Korn

Brielle & Brooklyn Lundeen Ushers: Tom Schaub & Bill Korn

Lector: Melissa Schaub

Sunday June 4 – 10:00 AM

<u>Servers</u>: Madi & Allis Gronemus <u>Ushers</u>: Gary Gronemus & Leo Leis

Lector: Ann Hundt

Reminder We understand everybody's schedules get busy. If you are not able to make it on a day you are scheduled PLEASE make the effort to find a replacement or at least let somebody know ahead of time!!

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday @ 7:30 until 8:30 PM

Come spend some quiet time with Jesus. Confessions available.

Parish Calendar of Events

Sun. June 4 - Rosary in church @ 7:30 PM

Mon. June 5 - PCCW Meeting @ 7:00 PM

Thurs. June 8 - Sauerkraut Supper meeting @ 7:00 PM

Tues. June 13 - Parish Finance Council meeting @ 6:30 PM

<u>Fri. July 7</u> – Anointing of the Sick Sacrament available; contact Fr. Biju to schedule

Sun. July 16 - Parish Potluck Picnic at Ballfield after mass



NOTE: When sending money for flowers, mass intentions, church support or special collections PLEASE make out separate checks or cash as these things go into different accounts and it is easier for bookkeeping purposes. Thank you.

St. Joseph's Ridge Mass Times

Saturday 4:00 p.m. and Sunday 8:30 a.m.
First Saturday Mass......8:30am
Confession time available after Mass
Monday5:30pm

Tuesday...... 5:30pm
(Adoration before Mass beginning at 5:00 pm)

Thursday.....8:30am

From the Pastor's Pen

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. This feast invites us to consider what we believe about God, who has revealed himself to us in the Trinity—one God in three persons. The greatest mystery of Christian faith. God who creates, redeems and sanctifies. This weekend we will hear from 2nd Cor 13. In verse 13 St Paul writes "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you." The same prayer is often used at every eucharist to greet. It reminds us of the greatest mystery: Trinity.

Again, every person is baptized in the name of trinity. In *Mt* 17:1-5 we find when departing from his disciples, Jesus sends them to baptize in the name of the three divine Persons, so that the whole world may come to share in the eternal life of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit (*Mt* 28:19). We profess our faith in the Trinity whenever we pray our creed. God who is love and unity invites every faithful to become aware of His nature, to believe in Him and imitate Him by living a life worthy of the trinity.

Please see the bulletin about a polka mass on Sunday, June 11th 8:30 am at St. Joseph Parish. It's also the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. Please spread the news and we are inviting one of the Norbertine priests to celebrate mass and speak about Eucharist on this special year of revival.

Last week on Saturday we had an episode of a homeless person in the St. Joseph church who was not in their right mind and we had to call the cops to deal with the situation. Thanks to the intervention of David Brown and Teresa Brown and the ushers.

The Inspired by the Spirit campaign will come to an end with the last week of this month. This weekend is the Commitment weekend. I appreciate your generosity and participation of everyone.

I pray for God's blessings on Myles Raymond Leis, son of Duane & Abigail, who will be baptized this weekend. Thanks to all who sent me cards and prayed for me on my birthday. Have a great week.

Live Jesus, Fr Biju MSFS

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<u>Upcoming meetings</u>: The PCCW will meet on Monday June 5th at 7:00 PM. The Sauerkraut Supper committee will meet on Thursday June 8th at 7:00 PM. Changes to our annual fundraiser will be discussed. Please plan to attend.

<u>Hearing Assistance</u>: For anyone finding it difficult to hear during mass we now have head sets available in the sacristy that can be used to help. They are linked into our sound system directly.

<u>Anointing of the Sick</u>: Fr. Biju will be available to perform this Sacrament on the first Friday of the month after daily mass. Please contact him directly if you or a family member would like to receive. **This is available Friday July 7**th.

<u>First Sunday Rosary</u>: We pray the rosary on the first Sunday of each month in church at **7:30 PM**. The next one will be **June 4th**. Please plan to attend to pray as our Holy Mother has called us to do.

Recycle Your Religious items from home: A Religious Recycle Group will be stopping by to collect Religious items that need a new home. Items they take are anything Catholic such as Statues, Rosaries (Broken rosaries OK), Crucifixes, Holy Medals, Holy Cards, Framed Pictures, Prayer Books and Bibles as well as used instruments. Items they do not take are Religious Books, Pamphlets, Wax Candles, Angel Figurines (Saint Angels are fine). Please bring your items in to the parish office no later than Sunday June 11th.

<u>Polka Mass at St. Joseph Parish</u>: Please come and listen to polka music before and during mass on June 11th at 8:30 am at the St. Joseph Parish-St. Joseph Ridge. Music will start approximately at 8:20 am and continue throughout mass. Everyone is welcome to attend!!!

<u>Do you have a need for healing - spiritual, physical, psychological, emotional?</u> Join us for Mass and a Healing Service on Monday, June 12th at Sacred Heart Church in Cashton, WI (1205 Front Street) *Schedule of Evening:* —4:30 pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins, The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available throughout the evening beginning at 5:30 pm. —5:30 pm - Holy Mass. After Mass - Adoration continues with Prayers of Healing & Deliverance. Our clergy and prayer teams will pray over those who desire it.