

# HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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## HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

St. Gabriel Archangel

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Monday - Friday)

Holy Days

Mass times to be announced.

Baptism

Please call St. John's Rectory office.

Marriage

Please contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

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October 9, 2016 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

REV. JAMES C. WEIGHNER, PASTOR



## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." *Lk 17:17-19*



## St. Gabriel Archangel

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR OCT. 16TH

Jeri Kluesner, Sheila Linder

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Ambrose, Tom Steiner, Laura Meyer

Sunday 10:00 am Rhonda Stubbe, Becky Henry, Megan Pedretti

### SERVERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 4:00 pm Jon Nicholson & Ryan Waller  
Owen Teynor & Kori Jaynes

Sunday 10:00 am Gabriel Munson-Fishler & Nick Mara  
Lindsey Nolan & Dustin Nolan

### LECTORS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 4:00 pm Arlene Willms

Sunday 10:00 am John Chaffee

### USHERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Steiner, Cliff Stram, Bob Ziel,  
Jim Welsch

Sunday 10:00 am Mark Hamann, Jim McGrath, Kurt Kravchuk

### SCRIP WORKERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 4:00 pm Teresa Jaynes

Sunday 10:00 am Jeff & Jill Mara



## St. John Nepomuc

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR OCT. 16TH

Ann Quick, Donna Steiner

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 7:00 pm Mary Ellen Pellock

Sunday 8:00 am Doris Krogman, Peggy Gallagher &  
Lucy Cornford

### SERVERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 7:00 pm Allison Kennedy & Sadie Koresh  
Mathias Gerhards & Nick Holler

Sunday 8:00 am Dominique & James Reilly  
Nicole Rickleff & Allison Lindner

### LECTORS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 7:00 pm Rita Krahn

Sunday 8:00 am Charlie Connell

### USHERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 7:00 pm Merle Frommelt, Bernie Mayer, Tyler  
Rochleau, Alex Schaefer

Sunday 8:00 am Jim Gallagher, Ron Trautsch, Mike  
Mara, & Dennis Mezera

### SCRIP WORKERS-OCTOBER 15/16

Saturday 7:00 pm Erich & Megan Welter

Sunday 8:00 am Kevin & Jenni Campbell

WEEKEND MASSES: MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY REQUESTING THE MASS ARE ASKED TO BRING THE GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE TO THE ALTAR. PLEASE MAKE YOURSELVES KNOWN TO THE USHERS AND SIT NEAR THE GIFTS. THANK YOU!

## Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, October 11	NO MASS	St. Gabriel's Church	Fr. Jim is having surgery on his ankle
Wednesday, October 12	NO MASS	St. John's Church	
Thursday, October 13	NO MASS	St. Gabriel's Church	
Friday, October 14	NO MASS	St. John's Church	
Saturday, October 15	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	† Pete & Mildred Prew
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	† Anita Steger
Sunday, October 16	8:00 am	St. John's Church	For All Those Entrusted to Our Pastor
	10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Bill Rice

## OCTOBER, MARY'S MONTH

During this month of October, dedicated to Our Blessed Mother, I will devote a part of my article each week to Mary. We will begin with some quotations and reflections of St. John Vianney, Patron Saint for priests:

- "Avarice is an inordinate love of riches and the good things of this life. Jesus Christ, to cure us of it, was born in extreme poverty, deprived of all comforts. He chose a Mother who was poor. He willed to pass as the Son of a humble workman."
- "Happy is he who lives and dies under the protection of the Blessed Virgin."
- "I LOVE St. Joseph so much because he had the care of the Blessed Virgin."
- "Humility is like a pair of scales: the lower one side falls, the higher rises the other. Let us humble ourselves like the Blessed Virgin and we shall be exalted."
- "Let us live as the Blessed Virgin lived: loving God only, desiring God only, trying to please God only in all that we do."
- "The Blessed Virgin is like a good mother who, not content with looking after all her children in general, watches over each one separately."
- "Jesus on the Cross said to the disciple whom He loved: "Behold your Mother!" How sweet are those words to the Christian who is able to understand what depths of love they contain!"
- "JESUS CHRIST, after having given us all He could give, that is to say, the merit of his toils, His sufferings, and His bitter death; after having given us His Adorable Body and Blood to be the Food of our souls, willed also to give us the most precious thing He had left, which as His holy Mother."
- "The Blessed Virgin's life was full of sorrow...Every time her tender glance fell upon her Divine Son, she suffered..."
- "It is impossible to meditate with devotion upon the Mysteries of the Rosary and live in a state of sin."

## **ANNUAL APPEAL KICKOFF**

Please be aware that the Annual Appeal is coming soon. Watch your mailbox for the annual appeal letters. Please return the enclosed response card on 'Amen' Sunday, Oct. 22-23.

## **PRAYER CORNER**

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God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for: Eileen Sutton, Mary Ann Heisz, Jerry Matousek, LaVern Sutton, Janet Dickman, Peg Stoeffler, John Felder, Nancy Patzner, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Margaret Konichek, Geraldine Barr, Bill McCoy, Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie Eden, Ken Fleshner, Carrie Breuer, Graham Shedivy, Mary Gillitzer, Lorna Porvaznik, John Rink, Dale LaBonne, Dallas Valley, Mary T. Shedivy, Lavon David, Diane Fernette, Joe Ludvik, Stacey Johnson, Bernie O'Connell, Frank Tiller, Carl Shedivy, Rosanna Mayer, Marilyn Rybarczyk, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gilman, Sara Breuer, Rose Miller, Annabelle Stubbe, Karen Carroll, Richard Ginsterblum, Letty Oehler, Howard Gillitzer, Art & Celine Boxrucker, Nora Vickerman, Dave Bohnenkamp, Cecil Olson, Mary Kann, Herb Schneider, Eugene Gillitzer, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Janet Beinborn, Scott Plondke, Richard Gillitzer, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Vickie Samples, James Thompson, Nancy Aschom, Phyllis Waller, Jack Dahl, Joan Sheckler, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Faye Tesar, Lorraine Rice, Ronnie Schlueter, Dean Heintz, Norb Aschom, Jack Terhune.

If you have a special intention or loved one who is in need of prayers; please let us know so we can include them.

## **MEN OF THE CROSS**

Join Bishop Callahan for our second annual diocesan men's conference held this year at Our Lady of Peace Parish in Marshfield on Saturday, October 22nd! Speakers for this year's conference include Tim Staples, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers and Chris Padgett. Online registration is \$30 per person and \$40 at the door. Lunch is included. Please join us as we discern how God would have us be the men He has called us to be!

If you are interested, a bus will be available, leaving La Crosse Saturday morning and returning in the evening. If interested, please contact Terry Felt at 608-397-9039

Register today at [www.menofthecross.org](http://www.menofthecross.org)

## **PARISH SUPPORT**

	<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
Envelopes for October 2nd	\$8,903.50	\$8,565.00
Plate for October 2nd	<u>862.25</u>	<u>975.31</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,765.75</b>	<b>\$9,540.31</b>

The second collection came to \$630.50 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

Fall Bazaar profit report will be in next week's bulletin.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

4a **Lottery Calendar Winners**

**\$100.00:** Marlene Simmons, Eastman; Holly Horihan, Houston, MN; Deb Fishler, PdC; John Forst, PdC; Jason Adamany, PdC

**\$50.00:** Jeanette Clark, PdC; Butch & Mary Pedretti, PdC; Jamin Hitchcock, Ames, IA; JoAnn Lemon, Milan, IL; Hillary Scholz, Sun Prairie

**\$25.00:** Jim Ariss, PdC; Dawson Eastman, PdC; State Line Construction, PdC; Mike Bronson, PdC; Oscar Eastman, PdC; Millie Senesac, PdC; Derrick Boxrucker, PdC; Diane Rowley, PdC; Arlys Denning, McGregor; Ronald Becwar, PdC; Aaron Steiner, PdC; Elaine Moris, McGregor; Jimmy Gallagher, PdC; Carol Walz, PdC; Henry Bierman, PdC; Tasha Forde, PdC; Tom & Karen Steiner, PdC; Jayne Prew, Wauzeka; Chris Parker (won twice)

**Holy Name Raffle Winners**

**\$10.00:** Kathy Reilly, Cuba City; Rose Stram, PdC; Cameron Kester, McGregor; Ruth Moris, PdC; Rhea Laurin, Sullivan, WI

**\$25.00:** Patty Valley, PdC; Louis Steger, PdC

**\$100.00:** Janet Neisius, PdC

**Regarding Dr. Mark Grunwald's deaconate ordination on Saturday, October 29th**, people have asked about purchasing something for him. The parish will purchase a set of vestments, and there are some liturgical books that will be needed. If you would like, you may contribute to these purchases. Either contact the rectory or place a donation in the collection basket clearly marked that it is for these items.

**WOMEN OF CHRIST**

The Office for Marriage and Family Life encourages all women of faith to attend the 2016 Women of Christ Conference in Cedarburg, WI on November 5th. This statewide conference is known as the "best in the Midwest" and it open to Catholic women of all ages.

Speakers for this year's event include Archbishop ListECKI, Bishop Hying, Sister Miriam, James Heidland, Father John Burns, Susan Tassone and Ann Marie Wick.

To register for this event, go to:

<https://christianeventmanager.com/register/integrated/60>

**CONFESSIONS**

St. Gabriel's 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm on Saturday

St. John's 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm on Saturday

No scheduled confessions on days with weddings or funerals.

**THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH**

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**Sunday, October 9**

12:00 pm RCIA classes in the Fellowship Hall.

**Monday, October 10**

**Tuesday, October 11**

3:30 pm NO MASS at Prairie Maison

**Wednesday, October 12**

5:00 pm First choir practice at St. John's Church; new singers welcome

6:45 pm CCD Classes at St. John's School

**Thursday, October 13**

Adoration after the 8:15 am Mass at St. Gabriel's  
Benediction at 1:00 pm

6:00 pm Holy Family Finance Council meeting in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's

**Friday, October 14**

**Saints & Solz**

**5K Run/Walk & Kids Run-October 29, 2016**

**Where:** St. Gabriel's School, Prairie du Chien

**Time:** Registration opens (pre-registered and same day

9 am Kids 1/2 mile run

5K to follow kids run

**Why:** Fundraiser for technology upgrades

Encouraging community wellness

Celebrating 150 years of Catholic education in Prairie du Chien!

\*\*Registration before Oct. 16th will guarantee a t-shirt in your size\*\* [www.prairiecatholic.org](http://www.prairiecatholic.org)

**IN SYMPATHY**

Please remember **Herbert (Herb) J. Schneider** and **Colette M. Sandleback** in your prayers. Colette's funeral was held on Friday, October 7th at St. Gabriel's Church of the Holy Family Parish and Herbert's funeral was held on Saturday, October 8th at St. Gabriel's Church of the Holy Family Parish. May God grant them eternal life and comfort to their families.

**School News.....**

The month of September was packed full of learning for Prairie Catholic Kindergarten students. The class of all boys have been working with the alphabet, letter sounds, sight words and numbers. We ended the month with some fun activities. For Patron's Day we took a school wide trip to tour the Weighner Dairy and enjoy some ice cream! We also celebrated Johnny Applesseed's Birthday in our classroom with some fun apple treats!  
*Mrs. Huser*