

HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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St. John Nepomuc

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Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 326-6511

Rectory Office Hours

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

St. Gabriel Archangel

506 N. Beaumont Rd.

Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 326-2404

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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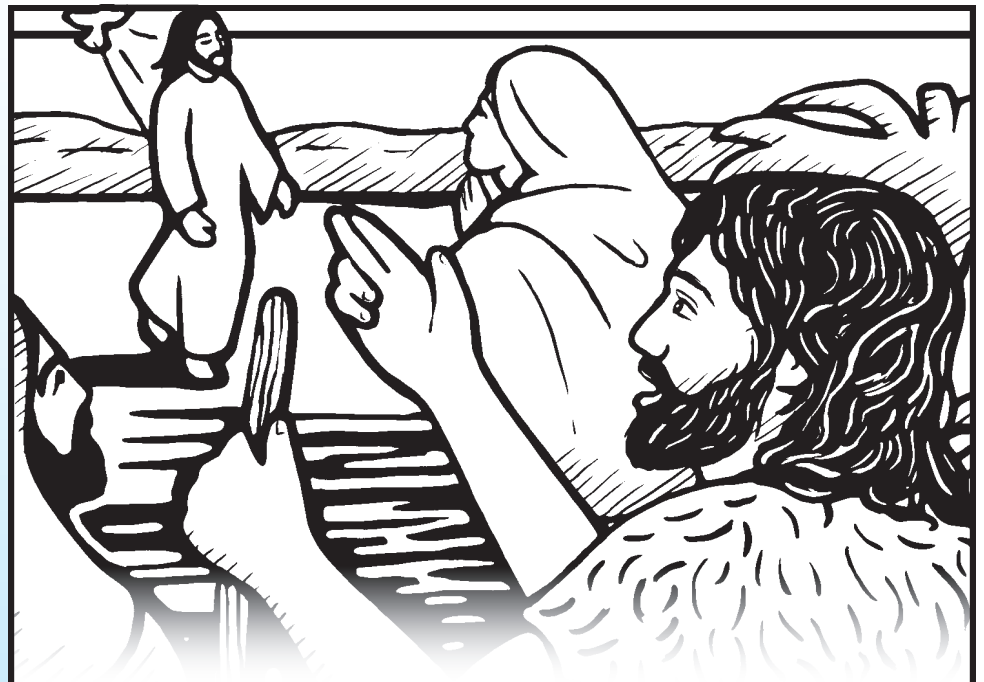
Parish Nursing Program

Rose Bauer, Shirley Cipra (326-8553)

January 15, 2017 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

REV. JAMES C. WEIGHNER, PASTOR

DEACON MARK GRUNWALD



2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God." *Jn 1:32-34*



St. Gabriel Archangel

HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JAN. 22ND

John Chaffee, Mary Prindle

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 4:00 pm Kathy Schneider, Don Cipra & Mark Gilberts

Sunday 8:00 am Becky Henry, Jeri Kluesner, Lucy Cornford

SERVERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 4:00 pm Paige & Max Schneider
Ava & Ella Hager

Sunday 8:00 am Chase & Madilyn Fisher
Kennedy Kirschbaum & Scout Hall

LECTORS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Ambrose

Sunday 8:00 am Joe Atkins

USHERS-JANUARY 21/22

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

Sunday 8:00 am Nathan Mezera, Butch Boland, Jerry Matousek, & Dick Tesar

SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 4:00 pm Teresa Jaynes

Sunday 8:00 am Brad & Jenni Linder



St. John Nepomuc

HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JAN. 22ND

Kathleen Deluhery, Joan Poots

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 7:00 pm Deacon Mark Grunwald

Sunday 10:00 am Deacon Mark Grunwald, Karen Hertrampf & Windy Mezera

SERVERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 7:00 pm Garrett Young & Macey Banasik
Blake Thiry & Matt Rogge

Sunday 10:00 am Kendall Hill & Nick Mara
Gabriel Munson-Fishler & John Titlbach

LECTORS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 7:00 pm Cory Steger

Sunday 10:00 am Steve Schwager

USHERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 7:00 pm Tim Looney, Dan Schickert, Alex Schaefer & Mark Forsythe

Sunday 10:00 am Paul Porvaznik, Mike Mara, Dennis Mezera & Mark Mara

SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 21/22

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteers

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteers

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!



Tuesday, January 17	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Edmund Jelinek
Wednesday, January 18	8:15 am	St. John's Church	† Paul Kovarik
Thursday, January 19	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Connie Esser
Friday, January 20	8:15 am	St. John's Church	† Rosella Scherlin
Saturday, January 21	4:00 pm 7:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	† Anita Steger For All Those Entrusted to Our Pastor
Sunday, January 22	8:00 am 10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	† Mary Ellen Shedivy † Fr. Jack Wambach, S.J.

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.)

'SUPPORT YOUR PARISH WITH SCRIP!!'

Let me ask a quick question: in the past month, have you purchased any of the following?

Groceries

Gasoline

Household items

Have you eaten out at any number of local restaurants?

If you answered yes to one or more of the above, did you know that with a little pre-planning, you could be supporting your parish in a much needed fundraising effort by using Scrip? Now the question becomes 'Do you know what 'scrip' is? It is a national fundraising program that serves local organizations. Many organizations such as Holy Family Parish and Prairie Catholic School, sell scrip as an ongoing fundraiser. Basically, gift cards are purchased at a discounted rate and sold at face value, and the organization keeps the difference. Discounts range from 1% all the way up to 16%! This is such an easy way to support your parish-by buying things that you would anyway without spending more. Scrip is great for everyday items like gas and food, can be used for big ticket things like home improvements, tires and televisions and everything in between. Scrip cards make great gifts, too!

Maybe you've thought about buying Scrip, but you did not understand how it worked, it wasn't convenient or you forgot. Now it's become even easier-you can order directly online through shop-withscrip.com; you set up an account and place your order, using the school number (315114L45414) to make sure you're supporting our parish. You are still able to write a check to the scrip program and pay when you pick up your order if you are not comfortable paying online. The scrip coordinator will contact you about where you would like to pick up your order. You do have the option of paying online with your bank account-the website doesn't accept credit cards. Scrip will be available to purchase at the Prairie Catholic School office at St. Gabriel's starting January 16th, and it will continue to be sold after masses and at both rectories. If you have questions about the scrip program, please call or stop in at either rectory or the school office.

TO BEGIN YOUR DAY- Morning Prayer

I adore Thee, O my God, and I love Thee with all my heart. I give Thee thanks that Thou hast created me, made me a Christian, and preserved me this night. I offer Thee the actions of this day; grant that all of them may be according to Thy holy Will, and for Thy greater glory. Save me from sin and from all evil. Let Thy grace be always with me.

Amen

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, Nancy Patzner, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Margaret Konichek, Geraldine Barr, 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, Eugene Gillitzer, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Scott Plondke, Richard Gillitzer, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Vickie Samples, Nancy Aschom, Phyllis Waller, Jack Dahl, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Faye Tesar, Ronnie Schlueter, Dean Heintz, Norb Aschom, Robert McCarty, Matilda Flansburgh, Michele Gale Tiller Karr, Mary Jo Carl, Joseph Hamann, Stan Garnsworthy, Bonnie Reilly, Janet Kahler.

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

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Prairie Catholic School will once again celebrate Catholic School's Week the last week of Jan\ first week of Feb. On Wednesday Feb 1 we will host a Burgers and Fries Night, a Book Fair in the Library and a talent show with performances by students and staff. Please join us on Wed Feb 1 at our school. We will also have our new gymnasium and Day Care areas open for tours. Hope to see a great turnout.

SWISS STEAK DINNER

Sunday Feb 5th is the annual Swiss Steak Dinner at St Gabriel school. Tickets and notices have been sent, so please make plans to attend this popular parish mid-winter gathering. More details will be in upcoming bulletins.

CHILI DINNER

Our men's club is bringing back a popular event this winter, a chili dinner. There will be grilled cheese sandwiches and chili served on Sat Feb 25. Exact serving times will be published soon.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALANDERS FOR THE ABOVE EVENTS AND MAKE PLANS ON JOINING YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS AND OTHERS FOR SOME GREAT MEALS.

Prairie Catholic Sweepstake Calendars are on sale for the year of 2017-2018. \$20.00 per calendar or 6 for \$100. The calendars are available at both rectories or from John Fischer (326-2827).

JWALKERS BREAKFAST at Hardees on Saturday, January 21st -\$6.00 all you can eat. Serving from 7:00 to 10:00 am. You can purchase tickets at St. John's Rectory or any JWalker or contact Mary at 563-329-0149.

Readings for the Week of January 15, 2017

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40/Mk 3:7-12
Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47/Mk 3:20-21
Next Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Catholic Charities is in need of additional volunteers. We are looking for people to offer transportation to doctor appointments and for front desk volunteers to offer office support to our staff. We are also continuing our search for volunteers for snow shoveling. If you or someone you know would like to volunteer with us or if you would like more information on volunteer opportunities, please call Sandy at 608-326-1616 or 608-519-8046 (direct dial). We thank you for all your continued support of Catholic Charities and all of its programs! May you all have a blessed New Year!"

SOUP AT NOON will be held today, Sunday, January 15th at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Wauzeka. Serving will begin at 11:00 am. Chicken Noodle, Veg. Beef, Creamy Veg., & Bean n/Ham, Sandwiches, Desserts & Beverage. Cost \$7.00 for adults and Ages 6-11 will cost \$4.00; 5 and under are FREE. Carryout's available. All are invited.

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for January 8th	\$6,930.00	\$6,076.00
Plate for January 8th	727.88	500.35
Electronic Transfers	<u>1,347.00</u>	<u>1,512.00</u>
TOTAL	\$9,004.88	\$8,088.35

The second collection came to \$729.11 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, January 15

Non-perishable food collection for our local food pantry; collection boxes in the back of the churches

Monday, January 16

Tuesday, January 17

3:30 pm Mass at Prairie Maison

Wednesday, January 18

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

Thursday, January 19

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

5:00 pm Parish Council meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Friday, January 20

Saturday, January 21

7:00 to 10:00 am JWalkers Breakfast at Hardees; all you can eat for \$6.00

Sunday, January 22

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED TO THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL.

We will continue to list the names of all who responded. We will begin with around 50 parishioners and run them for a few weeks and list 50 or more, so if you don't see your name it will appear in following bulletins.

Norbert & Nancy Aschom, Jesse & Gayle Aspenson, Joseph & Sharon Atkins, Irene Beneker, Mary Berger, Avalo & Lucille Berns, Eugene & Colleen Bouzek, William & Wanda Check, Roger & Joan Check, Patricia Coorough, Brian & Jean Ann Dillman, Loren & Ann Dohse, Mary Duffy, Jeffrey & Karen Fisher, Leo & Patti Flanders, Mark & Kati Forsythe, Karen Fritsche, Merle & Barb Frommelt, Roy & Vicki George, Mark Gerhards, Howard Gillitzer, John & Norma Gillitzer, William & Rita Hamann, Michael & Linda Heal, Jean Heiring, Dennis & Martha Hoeger, David & Connie Hudson, Jerome & Dixie Jackson, Gene & Helen Jelinek, Patricia Kramer, Daniel & Delores Kusmaul, Eugene LaPointe, Timothy & Theresa Looney, Patrick & Catherine Lorenz, Michael & Shirley MacEachern, Michael & Deborah Mara, Thomas Mara, Maurice & Bette Mayer, Michael & Kayla Mezera, Cletus Mezera, Aelred & Maria Mezera, Elizabeth Munson, Keith & Rochelle Neisius, Betty Nolan, Joseph & Rosemary Novey, Bernard O'Connell, Richard & Verna Panka, Kyle & Michele Pattison.

REMINDER: If you use a cell phone for your main phone, we would like to know your phone number if you have not yet given it to us. Many thanks!