

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

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 1:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

St. Gabriel Archangel

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Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 326-2404

Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Tuesday - 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.

Principal

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March 13, 2022 2nd Sunday of Lent

Here is the latest update on the 2021 Diocesan Annual Appeal in relation to our parish: As of **3/08/2022**, the pledged to date is **\$56,935** which is **85.69%** of the target from **214** parish households out of approximately 750. We need the support from all our parishioners to at least reach and exceed the target. Any money over the target is returned to the parish to support the parish budget. When you send in your pledge card and/or donation, you can send it directly to the diocese.

The pastoral council desires to have elections as stated in the diocesan directives on councils. According to the guidelines in these directives, two-thirds of the positions should be filled by election with the remaining one-third appointed. The Holy Family pastoral council has seven positions. In order to phase in the elections, two positions will be open this year for election. There should be four people running. The weekend for the elections is set for the weekend of April 30th-May 1st.

The pastoral council is one of two councils that parishes are to have with the other being the finance council. The pastoral council concerns itself with all aspects of the parish except finances and the temporal goods which are under the domain of the finance council. A person who can be placed on the slate is to be a registered member of the parish, supports the work of the Church and parish, and will work together for the best of the parish and not for oneself or one issue. One who is interested in being in the upcoming election must put it in writing and submit it to Msgr. Stoetzel by March 15th.

Stations of the Cross are Mondays in Lent at **2:50 PM** and Fridays at **8:30 AM** both at St. Gabriel, and Fridays at **4:30 PM** at St. John. Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent, and Good Friday are days to abstain from eating meat from age 14 and up. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days to fast which means eating one full meal with the other two equaling another meal for Catholics from age 18 up to 59.

Effective immediately, those who desire to receive the Body of Christ in Holy Communion on the tongue can do so at communion and not after Mass.



St. Gabriel Archangel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-MARCH 19/20

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS--MARCH 19/20

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Sunday 8:00 am No servers at this time

LECTORS-MARCH 19/20

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Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-MARCH 19/20

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SCRIP WORKERS-MARCH 19/20

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Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer



St. John Nepomuc

HOME COMMUNION FOR MARCH 20

Shirley MacEachern & Merle/Barb Fromment

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-MARCH 19/20

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS-MARCH 19/10

Saturday 7:00 pm No servers at this time

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer (Call Msgr. @ 608-326-6511)

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FISH DINNER

FISH FRY- Friday, March 18th in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Broiled and deep fried cod, baked potato or french fries, coleslaw, beverages and bars. \$12.00 for adults, \$5.00 for students 6-12 and under 6 are free. Grilled cheese & fries-\$1.00 for kids 12 and under. Carry-outs will be available. All proceeds will go to Prairie Catholic School. **ALL ARE INVITED.**

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

Prairie Catholic School is looking for a part time art teacher, a part time Spanish teacher and a part time Religion teacher for the 2022-2023 school year.

We are looking for a full time middle school teacher for the 2022-2023 school year.

We are also looking for a full time 4K teacher for the 2022-2023 school year.

Please contact Principal Spindler if interested.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 14	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Vulmar Bohnenkamp
Tuesday, March 15	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	John Powers
Wednesday, March 16	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Karen Fritsche
Thursday, March 17	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Bill Rice
Friday, March 18	7:30 am	St. John's Church	V J Benda family
Saturday, March 19	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	Tim Looney
Sunday, March 20	8:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Jason (Tony) Teynor
	10:00 am	St. John's Church	Rudy Long

Physical Education classes are learning various skills in many different activities this year. Classes in grades 3rd through 8th just finished up on improving their skills and knowledge on floor hockey. Grades 4k through 2nd worked on manipulating objects with various items. Students in all grades are currently working on improving their hand and eye coordination skills with racquet sports. Grades 3rd through 8th will be participating in badminton and pickleball. Grades 4K through 2nd are working on manipulating objects with short-handled lollipop paddles and various objects.

Middle school Health classes have been working on conflict resolution and currently just started working on environmental health. They are learning the six different variables of environmental health.

Elementary students in Technology classes are continuing to improve their computer skills through various activities. Grades 3rd and 4th are working on projects with Google Sheets and Slides. They are excited to learn and show off their newfound skills. Kindergarten through 2nd grade is learning their way around a computer and improving their typing skills.

I am proud of all the students and all the hard work they have put into improving their knowledge and skills in all the classes so far this year.

Mr. Mike Wallace
PE/Health/Tech Teacher
Prairie Catholic School

BAPTISM

We welcome into the family of God, **Eleanor Jean Udelhoven**, daughter of Tyler Udelhoven and Holly Connor, through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Eleanor Jean** and her family.

BAPTISM

We welcome into the family of God, **Grayson Lee Erdenberger**, son of Austin and Marah (Key) Erdenberger, through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Grayson Lee** and his family.

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. **Please pray for:** Tammy Nolan, Sara Graser, Jeff Krohn, Trudy Adams, Eldon Arms, Patricia McCoy, Joe Bierman, Elizabeth June Creager, Michele McCabe, Laura Meyer, Lota Aguilar, Irene Schauf, Nancy Gher and Norma Gillitzer

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

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, March 13

Daylight Saving Time begins
11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy - please join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

Monday, March 14

2:50 Stations of the Cross at St. Gabriel's

Tuesday, March 15

Wednesday, March 16

6:30 Sophomore Confirmation Class
6:45 Grade School CCD Classes

Thursday, March 17

Adoration after the 8:30 am Mass at St. Gabriel's
Benediction at 1:00 pm
5:00 Pastoral Council meeting

Friday, March 18

8:30 Stations of the Cross at St. Gabriel's
4:00 Fish Fry in Fellowship Hall
4:30 Stations of the Cross at St. John's
5:15 Lenten Bible Study

Saturday, March 19

Sunday, March 20

11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy - please join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

Readings for the week of March 13, 2022

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for March 6	\$6,681.00	\$7,173.00
Plate for March 6	<u>630.00</u>	<u>381.17</u>
Total	\$7,311.00	\$7,554.17

The second collection came to \$269.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.