

# HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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## HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Website: [www.prairiecatholic.org](http://www.prairiecatholic.org)

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**St. John Nepomuc**

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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

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**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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October 24, 2021 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



## 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52



## St. Gabriel Archangel

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS--OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 4:00 pm Addilyn Lindner & Stephanie Welter

Sunday 8:00 am No servers at this time

### LECTORS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### USHERS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer



## St. John Nepomuc

### HOME COMMUNION FOR OCTOBER 31

Sharon Atkins and Janet Lueck

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 7:00 pm No servers at this time

Sunday 10:00 am Prestin Nolan & Kristin Nolan

### LECTORS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### USHERS-OCTOBER 30/31

### SCRIP WORKERS-OCTOBER 30/31

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### **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**

### **Readings for the week of October 24, 2021**

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/  
Mk 10:46-52

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21 [21a]/  
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [3a]/  
Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30/Ps 13:4-5, 6 [6a]/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5a]/Lk 6:12-16

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15,  
17-18 [14a]/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb 7:23-  
28/Mk 12:28b-34

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, October 25	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Father Greg Lucey
Tuesday, October 26	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	No Mass
Wednesday, October 27	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Communion Service
Thursday, October 28	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Roy and Alice Flom
Friday, October 29	7:30 am	St. John's Church	David L'Heureux
Saturday, October 30	4:00 pm 7:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	Frank Nolan Donald Lochner
Sunday, October 31	8:00 am 10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish Mr. and Mrs. John Novey

Dear parishioners and visitors,

The 2021 Diocesan Annual Appeal will be getting underway very soon, and perhaps you have already received information asking for your contribution. Last year, the total amount was \$5,675,035.00 which it has gone up 2% to \$5,788,535.00. The target amount for our parish in 2020 was \$62,425.00; this year, it is \$66,445.00 or an increase of \$4,200.00. Last year, we made our target amount which came at the very end in June. The target amount for each parish is determined by some factors from the Annual Report to the Bishop then divided proportionally among the +150 parishes in the diocese. The amount fluctuates every year depending on the total amount set and how each parish did based on these factors.

I ask for your financial support again on the appeal. The monies given supports many projects in the diocese and universal Church. Several programs that our parish provides have benefitted receiving money from grants that the appeal funds. Also, if our parish goes over the target amount, that money is returned to the parish which helps us in the parish operational budget. If we do not reach or go over the target amount, the parish has to pay for the difference out of its funds used for payroll and paying bills.

When you receive the information from the diocese, please pray on what you can give. I will be giving my contribution soon which I plan to give \$1,000.00. I hope you will be very generous with your contribution showing to God your gratitude for the blessings given to you.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

### Announcements

Please note the Holy Family Fall Fest will be Sunday, November 7th . The Masses that morning will switch sites: the 8:00 AM will be at St. John and the 10:00 AM at St. Gabriel.

Support and enjoy the dinner and festivities. The money generated supports the operational budget of the parish.

## LaCrosse Conference on the Natural Christian Family

On Saturday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, a conference titled "Fruitfulness On the Land -Celebrating the Natural Christian Family" will be held at the Faith Lutheran Church (LCMS), 1407 Main Street in LaCrosse. The speaker is Dr. Allan Carlson, a historian of the family, who recently retired as a history professor at Hillsdale College. Earlier in his career, he taught at the Catholic University of America. He is a founding member of the World Congress of Families, and throughout his career has published many articles and books on pro-family topics. The conference is being sponsored by friends of the Fellowship of St. James, a group consisting of Protestant, Orthodox, and Catholic Christians who share a strong belief in the doctrines of the Nicene Creed and traditional Christian moral teaching. Check in is at 9:00 am with the talks beginning at 9:30 and ending at 4:00. Lunch is provided, and a nursery and program is provided for children. Cost is \$10 for adults. Registration forms are available at both churches. For more information, contact Deacon Mark Grunwald at 608-326-5459.

The PreK class is enjoying the beautiful changes of Fall. The boys and girls are busy creating projects for the season along with practicing their numbers, letters and colors. They look forward to the daily challenges and lessons in the classroom. We love the idea that God's World is all colors!~

*Mrs. Janet Steiner*

The mission of Prairie Catholic School is to nurture Christ centered students through spiritual growth, academic excellence, and service to others in a safe and caring environment.

## PARISH SUPPORT

	<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
Envelopes for Oct 17	\$6,686.00	\$9,277.00
Plate for Oct 17	<u>1,005.00</u>	<u>501.35</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,691.00</b>	<b>\$9,778.35</b>

The second collection came to \$792.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

Compassionate and Loving Father,  
In the face of confusion and concern  
impart to us the calm of your presence.  
In You allow us to find hope and healing.  
Be with those who serve the sick and give them Your  
caring hands.  
Be with those who lead and give them Your Spirit of  
wisdom.  
Be with those who have fallen ill and give them Your  
comforting heart.  
Wrap your arms around our world  
and hold us in your love.  
Allow us at this time of trial to then  
serve as instruments of that love to all we meet.  
We ask this in Your Name. Amen

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember Dwaine Posten in your prayers.  
His funeral was held on Oct 20 at St. John's  
Church. May God grant eternal life to Dwaine  
and comfort to his family.

Please remember Mary Beth Staszewski in your  
prayers. Her funeral was held on Oct 22 at St.  
John's Church. May god grant eternal life to Mary  
and comfort to her family.

Pease remember Jason (Tony) Teynor in your  
prayers. His funeral was held on Oct 23 at St.  
Gabriel's Church. May god grant eternal life to  
Tony and comfort to his family.

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**HOLY FAMILY FALL FEST**  
**NOVEMBER 7TH**  
**CAFETERIA STYLE**  
**CHICKEN AND HAM DINNER**  
**10:45 am to 1:00 pm**  
**CAFETERIA STYLE SUPPER AT 4:30**  
**GAMES, PRIZES, RAFFLE AND**  
**ENTERTAINMENT**

REMINDER.....WHY NOT USE SCRIP FOR ALL YOUR  
SHOPPING NEEDS. ALSO OUR SCRIP GIFT CARDS MAKE  
EXCELLENT GIFTS FOR ANY OCCASION. SCRIP IS SUCH A  
PAINLESS WAY TO MAKE EXTRA FUNDS FOR OUR  
SCHOOL AND PARISH

### 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

### THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, October 24

11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy -  
please join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459  
3:00 pm until 6:30 pm Confirmation Class Retreat

Monday, October 25

Tuesday, October 26

Wednesday, October 27

7:30 am Communion Service  
6:30 pm Sophomore Confirmation Class  
6:45 pm Grade School CCD Classes at St. John's School

Thursday, October 28

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

Friday, October 29

Saturday, October 30

Sunday, October 31

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

### FALL FEST NOTES

We are looking for baskets to be donated  
for the Basket Raffle at the Fall Festival this  
year. Please contact the Rectory at  
326-6511 or Mary Stoeffler at 563-329-  
0149. Thank you for your generosity.

Due to the number of requests and space in the  
bulletin, names submitted for the prayer corner will be  
deleted after one month. Please accept our apologies  
for any inconveniences.

### 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, John Luster, Sr., Trudy Adams, Eldon  
Arms, Patricia McCoy, Joe Bierman, Elizabeth June  
Creager and Joe Prew.

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