

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

710 S. Wacouta Ave.

Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 608-326-2404

Rectory Office Hours

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

Available by telephone

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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Parish Nursing Program

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February 19, 2023 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Lenten Season will begin on Wednesday February 22nd with Ash Wednesday. Here is the list of times for Masses and services on that day: **7:00 AM: Service at St. Gabriel, 8:30 AM Mass at St. Gabriel, 12:15 PM: Service at St. John, 5:15 PM: Service at St. John, and 7:00 PM: Mass at St. John.** Please be on time.

Stations of the Cross are Mondays in Lent at **2:50 PM**, and Fridays at **2:50 PM** 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 one full meal with the other two equaling another meal from age 18 up to 59.

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 by the pastor. The Holy Family pastoral council has seven positions. Three positions will be open this year for election. There should be six people running. The weekend for the elections is set for the weekend of May 6th-7th.

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 aspects of the parish except finances and 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 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.



St. Gabriel Archangel

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS--FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 4:00 pm Jack Wallace & Steve Lechnir

Sunday 8:00 am Landon Thiry & Tanner Koresh

LECTORS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

SCRIP WORKERS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

Readings for the week of February 19, 2023

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 (8a)/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19/Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 5:27-32

Next Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 (see 3a)/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11



St. John Nepomuc

HOME COMMUNION FOR FEBRUARY 26

Ruth Check Gates & Pat Lenzendorf

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS-FEB 25/26

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 7:00 pm Braxton Trautsch & Breileigh Trautsch

Sunday 10:00 am Hailey Cejka & Hayden Cejka

LECTORS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-FEBRUARY 25/26

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

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Scripture study group will be studying *The Paschal Mystery* published by Word on Fire and Bishop Barron during Lent. Meeting time and place are the same. Please join us and deepen your relationship with Jesus during this special time. Books are available in rectory church office or at the study. Thanks. Ann and Deacon Mark 608-326-5459

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 20	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Bill Betzle
Tuesday, February 21	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Leo & Mildred Zimmerman
Wednesday, February 22	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Loren & Diane Fishler
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	Ruth Lessard
Thursday, February 23	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Ed & Martha Wachter
Friday, February 24	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Maureen Saunders
Saturday, February 25	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	George & Ora Panka
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	Michael (Mick) Kramer
Sunday, February 26	8:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
	10:00 am	St. John's Church	Joseph Prew

Lottery Calendar Winners for February 2023

\$100.00: Darci & Thom Walker, Portland, OR; Carol Mullikin, PdC; Nate Simen, Bloomington, IL; LuAnn Lipke, PdC; Mark Gillitzer, PdC

\$50.00: Terry Skelly, Lone Rock, WI; Nathan Wedwick, PdC; Trudie Adams, PdC; Floyd Welsch, PdC; Brad Steiner, PdC

\$25.00: Collins Greene, PdC; Lucas & Elise White, Milwaukee, WI; Embarina Betzle, Kalamazoo, MI; Ryan Swatek, Onalaska, WI; Teresa Beers, Eastman, WI; Laura Parker, PdC; Shawn Kramer, McGregor, IA; Emily Neises, Coon Rapids, MN; Robert Sebastian, PdC; Marcia McCullick, PdC; Jennifer Wachuta, PdC; Jessica Willer, Baldwin, WI; Casey & Sam Rutter, Milton, WI; Tony Roh, Schertz, TX; Tessa Slama, PdC; Mary Wilkinson, Duncan, OK; Terri Duve, Caldwell, ID; Patricia Schauf-Yager, LaCrosse, WI; Howard & Paige Lohaus, Cotage Grove, WI; Ron White, PdC

Thank you to all who attended the Swiss Steak Dinner and to all who helped in any way. The money barrel winners were Oscar Eastman and Carol Walz. (\$92.50 each)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR....Our annual Fish Fry will be held on Friday, March 10th in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's.

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for: Special Intention, Oaklynn Petersen, Irmagard Hogensen, Special Intention, Andy & Carole Ottaway.

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

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, February 19

11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John Parish Hall unless noted otherwise. Coffee and cookies provided. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

Monday, February 20

Tuesday, February 21

Wednesday, February 22—Ash Wednesday—Day of fasting & abstinence

7:00 am Service at St. Gabriel

8:30 am Mass at St. Gabriel

12:15 pm Service at St. John

5:15 pm Service at St. John

6:30 pm Freshman & Sophomore Confirmation Class

6:45 pm Grade School CCD Classes at St. John School

7:00 pm Mass at St. John

Thursday, February 23

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

Friday, February 24—Day of fasting

2:50 pm Stations of the Cross at St. Gabriel

4:30 pm Stations of the Cross at St. John

Saturday, February 25

Sunday, February 26

11:00 am Lent and Easter scripture study group in St. John Parish Hall unless noted otherwise. Coffee and cookies provided. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

GRIEFSHARE

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

GriefShare is a support group that meets weekly. The program is nondenominational and features biblical concepts for healing from your grief. Learn more about GriefShare at www.griefshare.org. Meetings are held at St. Clement Catholic Church in Lancaster. Please contact Bill Manthe at 608-723-4990 or Marcia Hampton at 608-732-8849 for more information.

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for Feb 12	\$5,979.00	\$6,861.00
Plate for Feb 12	743.73	735.20
Annual Unit Dues	600.00	500.00
Total	\$7,322.73	\$8,096.20

The second collection came to \$123.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!