

# 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 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 (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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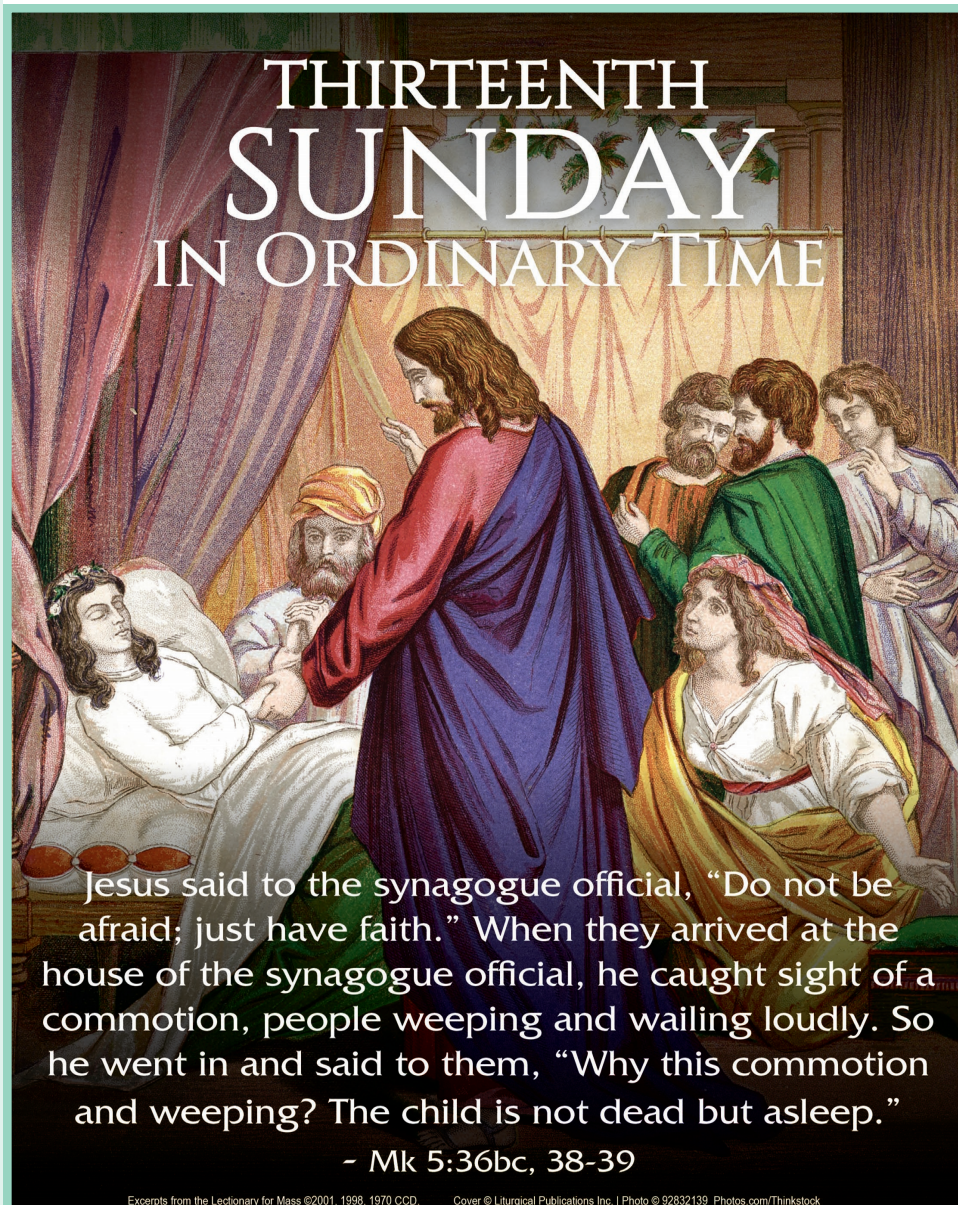
## Parish Nursing Program

Rose Bauer, Shirley Cipra (326-8553)

*July 1, 2018 - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

REV. JAMES C. WEIGHNER, PASTOR

DEACON MARK GRUNWALD





## St. Gabriel Archangel

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JULY 8TH

Joe Prochaska, Nancy DuCharme

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 4:00 pm Deacon Mark Grunwald, Mary Kirschbaum, & Tom Steiner  
 Sunday 10:00 am Becky Henry, Ann Lessard, & Megan Pedretti

### SERVERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 4:00 pm Shawn & JT Egstad  
 Allison Lindner & Ava Hagar  
 Sunday 10:00 am Julian DeGidio & Sawyer Swiggum  
 Dawson Eastman & Madilyn Coffield

### LECTORS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 4:00 pm Jeanette Steiner  
 Sunday 10:00 am Mark Gilberts

### USHERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Steiner, Bob Ziel,  
 Gene Kirschbaum, & Volunteer  
 Sunday 10:00 am Nathan Mezera, Tom Hampton, Mark Mara & Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS--JULY 7/8

Saturday 4:00 pm Melanie Schneider  
 Sunday 10:00 am Stephanie Vlaming



## St. John Nepomuc

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JULY 8TH

Shirley MacEachern, Merle & Barbara Frommelt

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday, 7:00 pm Linda Moser  
 Sunday 8:00 am Deacon Mark Grunwald, Donna Steiner & Gene Carlson

### SERVERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 7:00 pm Makayla Steger & Blake Thiry  
 Zach & Caleb Mezera  
 Sunday 8:00 am Logan & Tessa Higgins  
 Tommy Mara & Scout Hall

### LECTORS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 7:00 pm Corey Steger  
 Sunday 8:00 am Norb Aschom

### USHERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 7:00 pm Tim Looney, Doug Rickleff, Dan Schickert & Volunteer  
 Sunday 8:00 am Mike Mara, Paul Porvaznik, Ron Trautsch, & Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS-JULY 7/8

Saturday 7:00 pm Corey Steger  
 Sunday 8:00 am Jenny 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!

### WEEKDAY MASS SERVERS:

July 4th - July 6th  
 Madelyn Coffield & Dawson Eastman



Tuesday, July 3	3:30 pm	Prairie Maison	Special Intention
Wednesday, July 4	8:15 am	St. John's Church	† David Bohnenkamp
Thursday, July 5	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† John Steger
Friday, July 6	8:15 am	St. John's Church	Marita Conley (Health)
Saturday, July 7	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	† Laverne Steiner
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	† Donald Lochner
Sunday, July 8	8:00 am	St. John's Church	For All Those Entrusted to Our Pastor
	10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Louis & Rita Horkheimer

## PRAYER CORNER

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, Janet Dickman, Peg Stoeffler, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Peyton Kraushaar, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Geraldine Barr, Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie Eden, Ken Fleshner, Carrie Breuer, Graham Shedivy, Lorna Porvaznik, John Rink, Dale LaBonne, Dallas Valley, Mary T. Shedivy, Diane Fernette, Stacey Johnson, Bernie O'Connell, Frank Tiller, Carl Shedivy, Rosanna Mayer, Marilyn Rybarczyk, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gilman, Rose Miller, Karen Carroll, Letty Oehler, Art Boxrucker, Nora Vickerman, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Scott Plondke, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Vickie Samples, Nancy Aschom, Phyllis Waller, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Faye Tesar, Matilda Flansburgh, Joan Marie Tiller, Joseph Hamann, Janet Kahler, Judy Mezera, Owen Price, Sandra Marx, Kathy Leard, Scott Yeomans, Dorothy Gilkes, Andra Meana, M. Catherine Benoy, Irene Mitchell, Gaige Hatlin, Avalo A. Berns, Doris Bohnenkamp, Lyle & Rosella Ahles, Millie Senesac, Donna Teynor, Marita Conley, Greta Martin, Andrew Prew, Robert Hazen, Bernard "Butch" Boland, Jeffery Scott DuCharme, Gina Buettner, Audrey Mara, Sister Suzanne Gallagher, Nancy Knutson.

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

## SCAMS

The scams I wrote about in the past bulletins are affecting parishes all over the diocese. Please be extra careful in replying to any email using my name or a similar email address to the one in the bulletin not only from me but from anyone associated with the parish or diocese. You will never be asked for scrip cards or any such thing for the purpose of helping another. These seem to come out on weekends as well, to take advantage of a priests schedule, and the fact that you may be aware that those are our busy times, and you might be tempted to do something you would not do under ordinary circumstances.

## PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for June 24th	\$6,360.00	\$5,372.00
Plate for June 24	<u>1,099.00</u>	<u>988.65</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,459.00</b>	<b>\$6,360.65</b>

The second collection came to \$598.84 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

Dear Holy Family Parishioners,

As you realized I was away for the weekend 2 weeks ago, some may wonder where our priest went off to this time. It was not off to a fishing camp or some other place of recreation. I was able to coordinate with Fr Wolf to take the weekend Masses so I could accompany 29 of our high school parishioners along with 9 chaperones on a mission trip to south Texas, helping in the re-building following Hurricane Harvey from last summer.

This is not the first such mission trip I have been on, but it is the first with a group from Holy Family Parish. Every mission trip has its own challenges and rewards, and this one was no exception. The effort of all these young men and women and their chaperones was a great example of St Francis of Assisi's admonition to *preach always, and when necessary, use words*. Listening to the difference this group made in the lives of so many people was very edifying.

We were able to remain centered on the purpose of the mission by celebrating Mass every day. The readings lent themselves well to the topic of 'mission', and helped us to keep the focus not on what we were doing, but rather to whom we were offering our service as missionaries of Jesus Christ. Many times going into an area affected by natural disasters, the people living there have been evacuated. This year, however, we were able to meet many of the families that lived in the homes affected by the hurricane, which helped bring home some of the suffering they went through, and also drove home the fact that these people had nowhere to go when disaster struck, and they were living through the re-building process.

Due to this, another aspect of the trip became very clear as well. Many of the missionaries and the chaperones, especially those on their first mission trip, stated that they were expecting that they would be making an impact on the lives of the people they would encounter during the week. However, being with the victims and listening to their stories, they were not ready for the impact that was being affected in their own hearts. From my perspective, that is really the heart of doing these mission trips. Yes, we offer a much needed service to strangers following the command '*do unto others as I would have them do to me*'; but the ones that are changed the most are those that have taken the time and offered themselves, going out of their comfort zone, to be missionaries in a real sense for a week.

We would like to thank all those that supported this mission trip with scholarships and donations. Not everyone is able to physically go on such a trip, but everyone can be a part of the mission in other ways. We would like to invite everyone to a reception to hear the experiences from the missionaries and first hand stories. The reception will be on Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup> at the fellowship hall, with a program at 5:00. Please make plans to come see what we can accomplish together. God bless

Fr Jim

## Altar Servers Brewers Bus Trip

The date has been set for the Annual Holy Family Altar Servers Bus Trip. This trip is open to all Holy Family church servers in the current year 4th grade class and older. Parents & siblings of servers are welcome, but any student younger than 4th grade must be accompanied by a parent. The date is Thurs., Aug. 9th Brewers vs. The San Diego Padres. The cost is \$15.00 for students and \$30.00 for adults. NO refunds of money if you decide not to go. Price includes bus ride, game ticket, tailgating before the game and sandwiches, chips, dessert/beverage for the bus ride home. We will ask each family for some food donation for the meal on the bus coming home. You can pick up sign up sheets in the back of the churches by the Scrip tables. Any questions, please call Ken or Mary Stoeffler at 563-329-0149. Please drop off your sign up sheets at the parish office.

## WEDDING BANNS

*Eric (Rick) Rymarz & Theresa M. Bueltel (II)*

**THANKS TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED TO THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL. We have a few more parishioners to add to our list.** Irene Beneker, Mary Rupp, Anna Mae Steffensmeier, Greg & Kelli Taylor, Mark & Lisa Mara, Charles & Georgia Hutchison.

## *Want to love your spouse like God wants you to?*

Spouses know that great love is possible within the midst of the daily demands, yet at times, it can be difficult to show it as we could. Consider attending a Domestic Church retreat. Get real, concrete help so you can tap into what God has in store for you. Attending a retreat is your opportunity to begin a spiritual journey together (or deepen what already exists). It is also an introduction to Domestic Church for those interested in beginning formation in a Domestic Church circle. The next retreat is August 16-19<sup>th</sup> in La Crosse, WI. To register for the retreat, go to: [diolc.org/marriage-enrichment/](http://diolc.org/marriage-enrichment/) Direct all questions to [ahenzen@diolc.org](mailto:ahenzen@diolc.org).

## 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, July 1

Coffee & Rolls after the 8:00 am Mass at St. John's in the Fellowship Hall; drawing for the winners of the Holy Name Raffle and Calendar Sweepstakes

### Monday, July 2

### Tuesday, July 3

3:30 pm Mass at Prairie Maison

### Wednesday, July 4

Happy Independence Day

### Thursday, July 5

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

### Friday, July 6

### Saturday, July 7

## IN SYMPATHY

Please remember **Shirley M. Panka, Michael E. DeMuth, Madonna M. Kapinus** in your prayers. Shirley's funeral was held on Friday, June 22nd at St. John's and Michael's funeral was held on Friday, June 22nd at St. Gabriel's. Madonna's funeral was held at St. John's on Friday June 29th. May God grant them eternal life and comfort to their families.

## Readings for the Week of July 1, 2018

**Sunday:** Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

**Monday:** Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 [22a]/Mt 8:18-22

**Tuesday:** Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 20:24-29

**Wednesday:** Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17 [23b]/Mt 8:28-34

**Thursday:** Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10cd]/Mt 9:1-8

**Friday:** Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131 [Mt 4:4]/Mt 9:9-13

**Saturday:** Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 9:14-17

**Next Sunday:** Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

## HAVE A SAFE & HAPPY HOLIDAY

