

# HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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## HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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## St. John Nepomuc

710 S. Wacouta Ave.

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 (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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*June 16, 2019 - The Most Holy Trinity*

REV. JAMES C. WEIGHNER, PASTOR

DEACON MARK GRUNWALD



## Most Holy Trinity

"He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you." *Jn 16:14-15*



## St. Gabriel Archangel

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JUNE 23RD

John Chaffee, Mary Prindle

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 4:00 pm Tom Steiner, Kathy Schneider & Laura Meyer

Sunday 10:00 am Michael Bornholdt, Megan Pedretti, Ann Lessard

### SERVERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 4:00 pm Shawn & JT Egstad  
Jack MacEachern & Olivia Colson

Sunday 10:00 am Julian DeGidio & Madilyn Coffield  
Lindsey Nolan & Jacob Mara

### LECTORS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 4:00 pm Mark Gilberts  
Sunday 10:00 am Charlie Connell

### USHERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Steiner, Bob Ziel, Jim Welsch & Cliff Stram

Sunday 10:00 am Nathan Mezera, Mark Hamann, Dick Tesar & Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteers  
Sunday 10:00 am Patrick & Tammy Nolan



## St. John Nepomuc

### HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JUNE 23RD

Chris Ingham, Mary Steiner

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 7:00 pm Linda Moser

Sunday 8:00 am Doris Krogman, Lucy Cornford, Donna Steiner

### SERVERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 7:00 pm Makayla Steger & Blake Thiry  
Zach & Caleb Mezera

Sunday 8:00 am Addison Kirschbaum & Scout Hall  
Harrison Osterkamp & Brice Krachey

### LECTORS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 7:00 pm Pat Mulhern  
Sunday 8:00 am Eric Teynor

### USHERS-JUNE 22/23

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

Sunday 8:00 am Paul Porvaznik, Mike Mara, Dennis Mezera & Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS-JUNE 22/23

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteers  
Sunday 8:00 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!

Weekday Mass Servers:  
June 18 - June 21  
Brice Krachey & Ryan Waller



Tuesday, June 18	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Ann Meyer
Wednesday, June 19	8:15 am	St. John's Church	† Glen & Darrel Beneker
Thursday, June 20	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	† Mary T. Shedivy
Friday, June 21	8:15 am	St. John's Church	† James McGinley
Saturday, June 22	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	† Carrie Breuer
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	† Pam Steiner Smith
Sunday, June 23	8:00 am	St. John's Church	† Nancy Aschom
	10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	For All Those Entrusted to Our Pastor

**Relationship with GOD More than Just SUNDAY:  
Go to the Upper Room**

Do you have an Upper Room in your life? A sacred place where this often dim and muddled world of ours can be lit up by the grace of God? The average Christian recognizes the expression “Upper Room” easily from the Bible, though he or she may not recall all the holy things that took place there. We celebrated one of those holy events just last Sunday – Pentecost, of which we are reminded in today’s Gospel. It was in the Upper Room that the Apostles received that outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the “Spirit of Truth,” that Jesus had promised. On that day, the apostles were “clothed with power from on high,” manifested in a mighty rush of wind and tongues of fire. Their shaking knees were strengthened; they were changed from fearful men to courageous witnesses for Jesus Christ.

It was also in the Upper Room, the night before his death on the cross, that Jesus had washed the apostles’ feet and celebrated the Last Supper, instituting the gift of his Body and Blood in the Eucharist and establishing them as his first priests. Moreover, it was in the Upper Room that Jesus appeared to the apostles soon after his Resurrection, telling them not to be afraid – that he was not a ghost – and breathing on them already the first breath of the Holy Spirit and the power to forgive sins in his name.

With quiet, humble hearts, you and I are invited often to visit the Upper Room. There we gather also with Mary, the Mother of God and our Mother. It is no surprise that she was praying with the apostles in the days leading up to Pentecost. They needed her, a tender pillar of strength, to hold them up and keep them steadfast in the midst of confusion. So do we. What must it have been like for the disciples in those days? Sometimes they recognized the risen Jesus and sometimes – even standing next to him like Mary Magdalene or the two men on the road to Emmaus – they didn’t. And then, just as quickly as their eyes were opened and they saw him eat fish or bless bread, he was gone again. Yet by now they knew and believed. The last uncertainty vanished when doubting Thomas fell to his knees, sorry and ashamed, and said, “My Lord and My God.” What powerful memories the apostles must have carried of that Upper Room! As for us, even if we never make it to the Holy Land, to the place known and celebrated as the “Cenacle,” the Upper Room is open to us. Maybe it is a parish adoration chapel, a prayer nook or bedroom in our home, or just a quiet chamber in our heart. Sometimes we may run there like the apostles, seeking refuge from our fears or troubles. Other times we may go rejoicing and grateful. What matters is that in the Upper Room we are never alone. We are joined there by Mary, who intercedes for us, and by the other holy disciples, the Communion of Saints. At the center of course is Jesus, who continues to pour out to us the gift of his Spirit and to lead us to the Father. All of this is invisible to our earthly eyes, of course, but not to the eyes of faith. It is more real than the ground beneath our feet. Believe it, and go there often.

Chris Ruff, Director  
Office for Ministries and Social Concerns

**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, Janet Dickman, Peg Stoeffler, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Peyton Kraushaar, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie Eden, Ken Fleshner, Graham Shedivy, Lorna Porvaznik, John Rink, Dale LaBonne, Diane Fernette, Stacey Johnson, Frank Tiller, Carl Shedivy, Rosanna Mayer, Marilyn Rybarczyk, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gilman, Rose Miller, Letty Oehler, Art Boxrucker, Nora Vickerman, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Phyllis Waller, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Faye Tesar, Carol Kalish, Matilda Flansburgh, Joan Marie Tiller, Joseph Hamann, Janet Kahler, Judy Mezera, Owen Price, Kathy Leard, Scott Yeomans, Dorothy Gilkes, Andra Meana, M. Catherine Benoy, Irene Mitchell, Gaige Hatlin, Avalo A. Berns, Doris Bohnenkamp, Lyle & Rosella Ahles, Donna Teynor, Marita (Hoeger) Conley, Robert Hazen, Bernard “Butch” Boland, Jeffery Scott DuCharme, Gina Buettner, Audrey Mara, Sister Suzanne Gallagher, Nancy Knutson, George Kahler, Terry Zinkle, Charles Barney, Bonnie Boland, Steven Richard DuCharme, Rick Hamann, Pat Lenzendorf, Justina Koresh. Darlene (McKilip) Murana, Carl Kasperek., Paul O. White, Patricia Coorough, John Gillitzer, Carol Mullikin, Doug Dickman, Loren & Diane Fishler, Wayne Mitchell, Shanen Kazynski, Matthew Stubbe, Phyllis Tichenor.

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

**Don’t forget to use SCRIP over the summer months. We all need to purchase groceries, gasoline, etc. Plus our gift cards make great gifts for any occasion. SCRIP is such a painless way to make extra funds for our parish and school. You can purchase SCRIP after Mass on the weekends or at the rectory offices Tuesday through Friday.**

**We will be having a farewell party for Fr. Jim on Sunday, June 30th from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall at St. John’s Church. Everyone is invited.**

  
**SAVE the DATE!**  
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## 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 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 set for Wednesday, August 14th, 2019 Brewers vs. Minnesota Twins. The bus will leave from St. John's School Parking Lot at 7:30 am. Game time is 1:10 pm. Cost is \$15.00 for students and \$30.00 for adults (no refunds if you pay and 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 donations for the meal on the bus coming home.

Everybody attending the trip will need to fill out a diocesan permission slip (students & adults). We will hand these permission slips out once we have the completed registration form & payment. Registration forms can be picked up in the back of churches by the Scrip Table. If you have questions call Ken or Mary Stoeffler at 563-329-0149.

## The Annual Appeal year-end is quickly approaching - 6/30/19.

All payments must be postmarked by 6/30/19 in order to get credit for this appeal year. We are still short about \$11,000.00 of our goal. Any payments received after 6/30/19 will be applied toward next year's appeal. Please send payments to:

Diocese of La Crosse, Attn: Annual Appeal  
PO Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004

Names to be added to our donor list are:  
Michael & Melissa Stram, Tim & Cecelia Vorwald.

If you have not yet made a donation, please consider it as the parish will have to make up the amount we are short.

## WEDDING BANNS

*Adam Philip Gagliardi & Kelly Ann Heal (III)*

## 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, June 16

Monday, June 17

Tuesday, June 18

3:30 pm Mass at Prairie Maison

Wednesday, June 19

Thursday, June 20

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 at St. John's

Friday, June 21

Saturday, June 22

Wedding of Adam Gagliardi & Kelly Heal at St. John's

Sunday, June 23

## Readings for the week of June 16, 2019

Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

## PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for June 9th	\$6,740.00	\$6,260.00
Plate for June 9th	681.26	915.75
Electronic Transfers	<u>2,192.00</u>	<u>1,992.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$9,613.26</b>	<b>\$9,167.75</b>

The second collection came to \$428.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

