

HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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St. Gabriel Archangel

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Holy Days

Mass times to be announced.

Baptism

Please call St. John's Rectory office.

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September 6, 2020 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONSIGNOR CHARLES DAVID STOETZEL, PASTOR

DEACON MARK ANDREW GRUNWALD



23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother.” - Mt 18:15



St. Gabriel Archangel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-SEPT. 12/13

Saturday 4:00 pm One Volunteer
 Sunday 8:00 am One Volunteer

SERVERS--SEPT. 12/13

Saturday 4:00 pm No Servers at this time
 Sunday 8:00 am No Servers at this time

LECTORS-SEPT. 12/13

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer
 Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

USHERS-SEPT. 12/13

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteers
 Sunday 8:00 am Volunteers

SCRIP WORKERS-SEPT. 12/13

Saturday 4:00 pm No Scrip sales at this time
 Sunday 8:00 am No Scrip sales at this time

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**



St. John Nepomuc

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Readings for the week of September 6, 2020

Sunday: Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12 [9]/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12 [9]/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps 13:6ab, 6c [Is 61:10]/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17 [11]/Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24 [24b]/Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12 [2]/Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18 [17]/Lk 6:43-49

Next Sunday: Sir 27:30-28:7/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8]/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 7	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Dr. Daniel & Esther Fagan
Tuesday, September 8	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Ryan Kozelka - Health & Healing
Wednesday, September 9	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Carl Laufenberg
Thursday, September 10	8:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Joan Poots
Friday, September 11	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Keith Kozelka
Saturday, September 12	4:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church	Edward W. Fritsche
	7:00 pm	St. John's Church	Steve Jelinek
Sunday, September 13	8:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
	10:00 am	St. John's Church	Fr. Paul Fagan - 60th Ordination of Priesthood

Dear parishioners and visitors,

This weekend is the third and last holiday of the summer celebrating Labor Day which began in the later 19th century in the United States. Other countries have celebrated this day to some degree but was placed on the first Monday in September in the United States. It celebrated the formulation of labor unions. In the past, these unions pushed and won rights for laborers. Unions have diminished in numbers and power over the decades for various reasons.

Even though labor unions have diminished in our nation, it is important to remember that God has given all of us the ability to use our creative talents for the betterment of humanity. All our work should be for its betterment and not its destruction, and it should glorify God.

We continue to pray for all laborers, and putting more people back to work caused by covid-19. For all those enjoying and traveling this holiday, we pray for safe traveling.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

Announcements

The diocese will be announcing soon the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday will be put back into effect beginning the weekend of October 3rd-4th. All Catholics are to attend except for those who have respiratory ailments that covid-19 could compromise their health.

As in compliance to the Governor's executive order on July 30th, all people from age 5 and up are to wear face masks indoors in confined areas including churches effective August 1st. The penalty could be up to \$200.00 for non-compliance. It is anticipated this will be in effect through September 28th. Thank you.

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, 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, Rosanna Mayer, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gilman, Rose Miller, Art Boxrucker, Nora Vickerman, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Giltzter, Lynette Reichmann, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Richard & Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Phyllis Waller, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Carol Kalish, Matilda Flansburgh, Joan Marie Tiller, Joseph Hamann, Janet Kahler, Judy Mezera, Owen Price, Kathy Leard, Scott Yeomans, Dorothy Gilkes, Andra Meana, Gaige Hatlin, Avalo A. Berns, Doris Bohnenkamp, Lyle & Rosella Ahles, Marita (Hoeger) Conley, Jeffery Scott DuCharme, Gina Buettner, Audrey Mara, Sister Suzanne Gallagher, Nancy Knutson, George Kahler, Terry Zinkle, Charles Barney, Rick Hamann, Justina Koresh. Darlene (McKillip) Murana, Patricia Coorough, John Giltzter, Carol Mullikin, Doug Dickman, Loren & Diane Fishler, Wayne Mitchell, Shanen Kazynski, Matthew Stubbe, Robert McCarty, Phyllis Tichenor, Virginia A. Walz, Jennifer Lessard, Joe Prew, Linda Sweeney, Jeanelle Westerfield, Nick Morgan, Mary Duffy, Robin Valley Massey, Edith Adamson, Gracie Quam, Deacon Mark Grunwald, Jeff & Sue Groom, Arlene Willms, Ryan Kozelka, Kathy Kurt, Rachel Bakken, Lonnie Achenbach.

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

All parishioners should have received their Raffle Tickets for the drawing on September 20th. Please try to sell your tickets or purchase for yourself as this is one of our biggest fundraisers for the year. The day of the Chicken Q (Sept. 20th) there will be a table by the Chicken Q drive thru to drop off your raffle tickets or you may place them in the collection on the weekend or drop off at either rectory. Thank you.

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for August 30th	\$6,327.00	\$7,713.00
Plate for August 30th	583.30	843.28
Heat Envelopes (add'l)	50.00	.00
Assumption (add'l)	<u>35.00</u>	<u>.00</u>
TOTAL	\$6,995.30	\$8,556.28

The second collection came to \$305.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Rummage Sale Donations - Every Tuesday September 8th to Sept. 22nd you can drop off donations at St. John's School for our rummage sale in early October. Someone will be at school from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm on Tuesdays We will be accepting clean winter clothing; outerwear, shoes, boots, toys & puzzles, books; household items, tools, kitchen items, jewelry, Fall & Christmas decorations, sporting goods and bedding.

We cannot accept electronic items: televisions, satellite receivers, computers, monitors, air conditioners, microwaves, large kitchen appliances, furniture, mattresses, children's car seats.

BAPTISM

We welcome into the Family of God, **Parker John Gillitzer**, son of Dustin A. & Shana (Eckman) Gillitzer through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Parker John** and his family.

CCD - Religious Education Classes for grade school students will begin on Wednesday, Sept 23 at 6:15 pm in St. John's School. **ONLY NEW Students** need to pre-register. Please call Pat @ 326-8774.

Every week we are looking for volunteers for **Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, & Lectors**. We need one lector and one Eucharistic Minister for each Mass on the weekend. **PLEASE call the rectory at St. John's (326-6511) if you can help us out.**
Thank you.

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

HOLY FAMILY PARISH CHICKEN Q
Drive Thru
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH
11:00 am - 3:00 pm
St. John's Church
1/2 Chicken, Potato Salad,
Baked Beans, Dinner Roll & Cookie
Ticket price \$10.00

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

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Monday, September 7 - Labor Day

Tuesday, September 8

Wednesday, September 9

8:15 am Scripture Study in the Fellowship Hall

6:30 pm Freshmen Confirmation class in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's

Thursday, September 10

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

6:00 pm Finance meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Friday, September 11

School News...Hola, me llamo Sra. Berns (Hi, my name is Ms. Berns) You may have guessed that I am the new Spanish teacher at Prairie Catholic. I have taught for 31 years, 26 of them in the state of Wisconsin. In my career I have mostly taught French although I have taught a few years of Spanish before as well as worked with Spanish and Hmong speakers in English language learner (ELL) programs in this state for several years. I have taught 22 years up north in the D.C. Everest school district by Wausau and 4 years at Lancaster High school. I have returned to the area to be with family and am a member of Holy Family Parish.

I have typically taught world language to grades 7-12 and ELL 6-12 so elementary students will be a new challenge for me. I have an MA in French Literature from Purdue U. and also MA in Education from Saint Mary's U. of MN. as well as degrees in French, Spanish and ELL from Northern Iowa. I am excited to find out what the language proficiency is of my new students and I hope to build upon their skills throughout the upcoming school year. We will be following the state standards of world language proficiency spheres of communication, culture, comparisons, community and connections. We will be learning about several of the 27 Spanish speaking countries and their cultures. If you have a student at home learning Spanish in school, please encourage them to practice and tell you things in Spanish! Our first units will be greetings and the Spanish speaking world in general. Get out your maps and find the countries that speak Spanish.

As well as teaching Spanish, I will also be the new art teacher. I personally have loved art and have done ceramics and paper tole crafts for several years as well as traveled and taken art courses in countries like France, Spain and Mexico. This year we will concentrate on the basics of art : forms, shapes, colors, symmetry, perspective and composition. This will include using several different mediums such as crayon and pencil sketching, seasonal art projects, painting, 3d projects with multi media sculptures and techniques. Part of the art standards in Wisconsin is the ability to explain your art and evaluate one's own work. Students will be asked to do this on a monthly basis. Our first units will be on shapes, forms and colors. We will be sure to have lots of fun too!