

# HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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## HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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## St. John Nepomuc

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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 (Monday - 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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*January 31, 2021- 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**MONSIGNOR CHARLES DAVID STOETZEL, PASTOR**

**DEACON MARK ANDREW GRUNWALD**



*4<sup>th</sup> Sunday*  
**IN ORDINARY TIME**

He cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" - Mk 1:24

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## St. Gabriel Archangel

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS--FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 4:00 pm No Servers at this time

Sunday 8:00 am No Servers at this time

### LECTORS-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### USHERS-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteers

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteers

### SCRIP WORKERS-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 4:00 pm No Scrip Sales after Mass

Sunday 8:00 am No Scrip Sales after Mass

### **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

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS-FEBRUARY 6/7

Saturday 7:00 pm No Servers at this time

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Saturday 7:00 pm No Scrip Sales after Mass

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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

### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 1 NO MASS

Tuesday, February 2 NO MASS

Wednesday, February NO MASS

Thursday, February 4 NO MASS

Friday, February 5 NO MASS

Saturday, February 6  
4:00 pm  
7:00 pm

St. Gabriel's Church  
St. John's Church

Teresa Jung  
Donald Draka

Sunday, February 7  
8:00 am  
10:00 am

St. Gabriel's Church  
St. John's Church

Frank Nolan  
Al & Lucille Berns

Dear parishioners and visitors,

This week marks Catholic Schools Week in the United States. It is an annual celebration to recognize and salute the work of these schools. Many Catholic, religious orders were established to educate Catholic youth who were denied a public school education when our nation was founded. It gave many children, whose parents came to America, the chance to get a good education and teach the Catholic faith. Catholic schools provide the opportunity to offer a competing education so that it is not controlled by one group; it enhances both systems.

Catholic schools have faced many challenges and this year is no exception with the coronavirus pandemic. However, with a great safety plan in place, the year is going very well. It has been tough and demanding but the school has remained open teaching students every day. This is best for students and parents.

I hope our parish family will continue to support our parish grade school with prayers and financial giving. It is a tremendous sacrifice the parish makes which we want it to pay-off hoping the next generation of Catholic adults will appreciate a great Catholic, well-rounded education.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

### **Announcements**

As in compliance to the Governor's executive order on November 18<sup>th</sup>, all people from age 5 and up are to wear face masks indoors in confined areas including churches. The penalty could be up to \$200.00 for non-compliance. It is anticipated this will be in effect through the end of March, 2021. Thank you.

Here is the sixth announcement on the **2020 Diocesan Annual Appeal** as of **January 26<sup>th</sup>**: **Pledged - \$44,000.00** which is **70.48%** of the target amount from **202** parish households. Thank you very much to those who have given thus far, and we are counting on the rest to do your part to make it successful.

**Msgr. Stoetzel will be on vacation from January 31<sup>st</sup> – Feb 9<sup>th</sup>. Fr. William Dhein from the diocesan offices will be celebrant of the Masses on the weekend. Please welcome him to the parish.**

## **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, 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, Nora Vickerman, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Richard & Shirley Ambrose, 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, 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, Darlene (McKillip) Murana, Patricia Coorough, John Gillitzer, Carol Mullikin, Doug Dickman, Loren & Diane Fishler, Wayne Mitchell, 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, Sue Groom, Arlene Willms, Ryan Kozelka, Kathy Kurt, Rachel Bakken, Ron Ore, Lora Chamberlain, Christina Toberman, Mary Jane Mezera.

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

**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.**

## **PARISH SUPPORT**

	<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
Envelopes for January 24	\$5901.00	\$10,058.00
Plate for January 24	339.60	480.81
Heat & Util. Envelopes	<u>210.00</u>	<u>1,067.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,450.60</b>	<b>\$11,605.81</b>

The second collection came to \$253.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED TO THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL. We will be listing the names of all who responded. We will begin with around 30 to 40 parishioners and post them for a few weeks. If you do not see your name this time it will appear in future bulletins.

Richard & Shirley Ambrose, John & Patricia Balk, Robert & Nancy Becker, Patricia Boldt, Lisa Breuer, John & Patricia Check, Art & Carolyn Conley, Jerry & Joanne Cummings, Joan Draka, Thomas & Jean Farrell, Elaine Gillitzer, John & Norma Gillitzer, Ronald & Dianne Goodman, Theresa Heal, Steven & Shirley Hendrix, Alan & Deanne Hromadka, Jeff & Amy Krohn, Gerald & Judith Kuchenbecker, Ann Lessard, Timothy & Theresa Looney, Audrey Mara, Jeanine Mara, Michael & Deborah Mara, Thomas Mara, Patricia McCoy, Elaine Moris, Mary E. Pellock, Lucille Phelps, John & Ann Rink, Lauretta Rod, Donald & Charlene Roh, Helen Schneider, Melanie Schneider, Monica Shedivy, Edward & Donna Steger, Jerald & Rose Trautsch, Gerald Wachuta.

**SCHOOL NEWS...** Happy New Year! It has been a great start to the new year in 4th grade. All my students have been in attendance and jumped right back into working hard! In Religion class we are learning about the chronological events in Jesus's life, learning to locate those events in the bible, the liturgical year and the Catholic Calendar, and introducing them to different Saints. In science we have just started our Plants, Animals and Ecosystems section. Having green plants in our room should help repel the winter blues! In Math they are learning about measurements. This includes standard and metric units, so if you are building, repairing a project or cooking something at home please let your child watch or participate if possible. Using tape measures, rulers, measuring cups, etc, and seeing how we use measurement in our everyday lives makes learning math more relevant for them. In Language Arts we will be finishing up our Verb unit and transitioning into the Adjectives. This should help spice up their writing! Social Studies will be taking us into our own history and what our families' journey to Wisconsin was like. I would like to thank you for helping your child fill out their family's history worksheets. During Reading, the class will be taking a break from the traditional reading book and introduce the eco friendly books written by Jean Craighead George. We will read one of her books, "There's an Owl in the Shower" to enhance what we will be learning about in science.

Thank you all again for letting me teach your children.

*Mrs. Sandy Lloyd*

## 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

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Sunday, January 31

3:00 pm JWalkers will meet in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's

Monday, February 1

Tuesday, February 2

Wednesday, February 3

6:30 pm Sophomores Confirmation Class in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's

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

Thursday, February 4

5:15 pm PCCW will meet in the Fellowship Hall at St. John's

Friday, February 5

Saturday, February 6

Sunday, February 7

## IN SYMPATHY

Please remember **Raymond L. Check, Russell W. Eulgem, and Justina (Jessie) Koresh** in your prayers. Their funerals were held in the past week at Holy Family Parish. May God grant **Raymond, Russell & Justina** eternal life and comfort to their families.

**LOTTERY SWEEPSTAKE CALENDARS are still for sale.** Thirty monthly prizes. You can purchase them at St. John's Rectory, at Prairie Catholic Schools or call John Fischer (326-2827). Six for \$100.00 or \$20.00 per calendar. **Time is running out. First drawing is February 7th.**

## BAPTISM

We welcome into the Family of God, **Scarlett Jo Becwar**, daughter of Darren David & Chelstie (Rieck-Wilcox) Becwar, through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Scarlett Jo** and her family.

### Readings for the week of January 31, 2021

**Sunday:** Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 [8]/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

**Monday:** Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24 [25]/Mk 5:1-20

**Tuesday:** Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [8]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

**Wednesday:** Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a [cf. 17]/Mk 6:1-6

**Thursday:** Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 [cf. 10]/Mk 6:7-13

**Friday:** Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc [1a]/Mk 6:14-29

**Saturday:** Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mk 6:30-34

**Next Sunday:** Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-3