

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.

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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

Brenda Spindler

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July 18, 2021 - 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time



SUNDAY, JULY 18, 2021

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. - Mk 6:34



St. Gabriel Archangel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-JULY 24/25

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

SERVERS--July 24/25

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

LECTORS-July 24/25

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

USHERS-JULY 24/25

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

SCRIP WORKERS-JULY 24/25

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

HOME COMMUNION FOR July 25

Chris Ingram & Mary Steiner

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-July 24/25

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer
Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

SERVERS-JULY 24/25

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Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer (Call Msgr. @ 608-326-6511)

LECTORS-JULY 24/25

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer
Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

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NO SCRIP SALES AFTER MASS

Readings for the week of July 18, 2021

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc,-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17 [1b]/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28 [24b]/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [cf. Jn 6:68c]/Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [14a]/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 19	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Lana Gratace
Tuesday, July 20	7:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Darlene Moris
Wednesday, July 21	7:30 am	St. John's Church	Tammy Nolan's Health
Thursday, July 22	7:30 am	St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
Friday, July 23	7:30 am	St. John's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
Saturday, July 24	4:00 pm 7:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	Joan Poots Lana Gratace
Sunday, July 25	8:00 am 10:00 am	St. John's Church St. Gabriel's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish Fred & Agatha Breuer

Dear parishioners and visitors,

It is said that nasty habits are hard to break. We all have bad habits that we might recognize even though others can point them out quite readily. The greater thing is to break away from them and have good habits. Too often we give up or become complacent; therefore, nothing changes. It was the Lord in his Sermon on the Mount that he said that we are to be perfect as our heavenly Father is perfect. In another version of the Bible, it quotes Jesus saying be perfected as your heavenly Father is perfect. Some might give up even before trying; this is not the spirit to have. When we know our bad habits, we are to make every effort to turn our bad habits into good ones.

Look at your lives and recognize the bad habits. This is done usually in the Lenten Season but it should be done daily to make good habits out of bad. It could be that several bad habits are minor but we certainly have ones that are major. We should take one at a time working on it until you don't do it any longer, and proceed with the next. Don't be a quitter. If you want to feel good about yourself knowing you are pleasing God, work eagerly to rid of the bad habits by having good ones.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

Announcements

The office will be open sporadically for the next several weeks until a new administrative assistant is hired. Please call first (608-326-6511) before coming to make sure someone is there.

The Holy Family Men's Club will sponsor the Corn and Brat Fest after the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, July 25th outside St. Gabriel Church. Please note this is one of three Sundays the location of the 8:00 and 10:00 AM Masses switch. **So, next Sunday, the 8:00 AM Mass will be at St. John and the 10:00 AM at St. Gabriel.**

If you desire to have a Mass intention said for your beloved dead or a special intention, please contact the parish office (608-326-6511). An intention is \$10.00 per Mass. Presently, there are openings because Mass is said every weekday and three out of four on weekends. One weekend Mass must be said for the parish family as stated in canon law. Requests are made more frequently for the weekend Masses than weekday Masses. It is important for the Church to pray for her beloved dead asking the Lord to forgive sin and granting eternal rest.

Now that a semi-normal life has returned after covid, the parish wants to schedule again lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and servers for the weekend Masses. If you are interested in any of the ministries, please contact Msgr. Stoetzel at 608-326-6511. It will take time to get back to a full schedule. Presently, only two people are needed to distribute Holy Communion.

The 2020 Diocesan Annual Appeal is over. We fell short of the parish target by **\$2,685.00**. However, a household and members of the parish gave a kind donation for the amount, and the balance has been paid. Thank you very much to them and to all who gave and supported the appeal!

JWALKER MISSION TRIP UPDATE!

HELP ONE ANOTHER This is what Jesus teaches us. This is what I do. And I do it with my heart." Pope Francis

THANK YOU just doesn't seem adequate for the appreciation we feel for your amazing generosity. We are blessed to be in a parish that supports and encourages our young people in so many ways. There will be 42 of us leaving on a Warco bus about noon on Friday, July 23 and returning on Friday, July 30. We will be working with Catholic Charities once we arrive in Lake Charles, Louisiana. Our jobs will include dry walling, sanding, insulation, and lots of general landscaping clean up. 3M was most generous and has donated many of the supplies we need for these jobs including goggles and plenty of masks.

Our group has been overwhelmed with the amount of scholarships and donations that have come in. (If you still want to make a donation of any amount to help with traveling costs you still have time.) Please pray for this group for safe travels, safe working conditions and that we can provide relief for as many as possible.

"To live charitably means not looking out for our own interests. But carrying the burdens of the weakest and the poorest among us." Pope Francis

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for July 11	\$10,887.00	\$7,038.00
Plate for July 11	810.50	461.54
Total	\$11,697.50	\$7,499.54

The second collection came to **\$456.00** and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education-Program expenses. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

Work List for Brat Fest – Sunday, July 25th

St. Gabriel's Parish Lawn – 10:30AM-5:00PM

Chairmen: Ed Steger & John Gillitzer

Saturday Morning Kitchen Detail: 8:00AM Start

Husk Sweet Corn, Prep food – any volunteers who can help (10-12 men). Set up tents and tables

Set Up on Sunday Morning: 7:00AM

Ed Steger, Joe Gillitzer, any volunteers

Food Stand: 10:30AM-1:30PM

Larry Dahman, Bill Huser, Russ Gillitzer Tom Stram, Gene Kirschbaum, Volunteers needed

Cooks: 10:00AM-1:30PM

Jim & JJ Jackson, Jim Welsch, Mick Rooney, Brian Nelson

Food Stand: 1:00PM-4:00PM

Brad Linder & sons, Brian Groom, Tim & Terry Steger, Volunteers needed

Cooks: 1:30PM-5:00PM

Derek Eastman & sons, Bill Nicholson, Dan Titlbach,

Food Stand: 3:30PM-5:00

Mike Stram, Jim McGrath, Bob Ziel, Ken Stoeffler, Volunteers needed

Money Barrel & Raffle Ticket Sales

Gary Howe, Mark Hamann, Mark Gilberts, Volunteers

Clean up and take down 4:00 to 6:00

Terry Igou, Rob Steger, Terry Steger, any available help

Bake Sale

Mary Frydlund, Need any volunteers to assist

Bingo Workers Needed 11:30

Due to the number of requests and space in the bulletin, names submitted for the prayer-corner will be deleted after one month. Please accept our apologies for any inconveniences

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for: Tammy Nolan, Sara Graser, Jeff Krohn, John Luster, Sr.; Gwenneth (Berns) Maass ; Trudy Adams

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

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, July 18

11 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy - please join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459

5 pm Bazaar Meeting at St. John's Hall

Monday, July 19

Tuesday, July 20

Wednesday, July 21

Thursday, July 22

Adoration after the 7:30 am Mass at St. Gabriel's

Benediction at 1:00 pm

Friday, July 23

Saturday, July 24

Sunday, July 25

11 am Scripture Study in St. John's Sacristy - please join us. Any questions, call 608-326-5459

10:30 - 5 pm Brat Fest

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

Help Wanted

We are looking for a part-time Art Teacher for the upcoming school year. Please apply on Wecan or contact Principle Spindler @ 608-326-8624 Ext. 3 if interested.

We are looking for a full time Daycare Teacher. Please contact Kristin Tietjen at 608-326-8624 Ext. 1 if interested.

We are looking for a part time Teachers Aid for our 4K program. Please contact Principal Spindler at 608-326-8624 Ext. 3 if interested.

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