

PASTOR

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday..... 4:00 pm
Sunday..... 8:30 am

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

First Saturday Mass... 8:30 am
Monday..... 5:30 pm
Tuesday
Adoration 5:00 pm
Mass 5:30 pm
Thursday 8:30 am

CONFESSIONS

- First Saturday after 8:30 am Mass
- 3:30—3:45 pm (before Saturday Mass) or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE

Barb Mikshowsky 608-788-1646
Bulletin deadline: Wednesday
sjrp2601@gmail.com
Office hours vary, call or email with questions

**Fr Biju also serves
St. Peter's Parish, Middle Ridge
(608) 452-4680**

Adoration:

Wednesday..... 7:30-9:00 pm

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday..... 8:00 pm
Sunday..... 10:00 am

Weekday Mass Schedule:

Wednesday..... 8:00 am
Friday..... 8:00 am

**CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE
TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR:**

- ◆Joining the Parish
- ◆Weddings or Baptisms
- ◆Anointing of the sick (also call Fr. Biju cell phone)
- ◆If you are home-bound and would like to be visited

St. Joseph Parish

of

St. Joseph Ridge

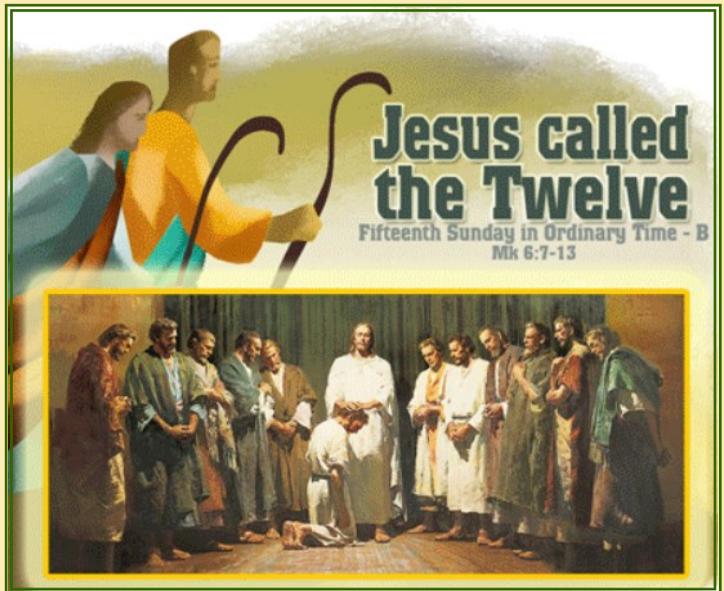
W2601 State Road 33

La Crosse WI 54601

July 14, 2024

15th Sunday

in Ordinary Time



***The Twelve drove out
many demons,
and they anointed
with oil many who were sick
and cured them.***

~ PARISH INTENTIONS ~

SATURDAY, JULY 13TH

~4:00 pm - † Francis and Roxanne Schmidt (IS)
 Lector: Donnie Weber
 Servers: Volunteers Ushers: Volunteers

SUNDAY, JULY 14TH

~8:30 am † Allen and Joseph Gerke (BG)
 Lector: Sally Miller
 Servers: Volunteers Ushers: Volunteers

MONDAY, JULY 15TH

~5:30 pm -† Ralph & Evelyn Mikshowsky
 (M&CM)

TUESDAY, JULY 16TH

~5:00 pm *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*
 ~5:30 pm -† William & Ida Bahr (MB)

THURSDAY, JULY 18TH

~8:30 am-† Heganbarth & Kammel families
 (Family)

SATURDAY, JULY 20TH

~4:00 pm - † Madonna Bahr (Leis family)
 Lector: Bill Weber
 Servers: Volunteers Ushers: Volunteers

SUNDAY, JULY 21ST

~8:30 am † Arnold Meyers (L&DC)
 Lector: Sally Miller
 Servers: Volunteers Ushers: Volunteers

~ PARISH CALENDAR ~

July 16—7:00 pm Finance Council Meeting
August 7—6:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting

~ FAITH Enrichments ~

*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Tuesday evenings 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Mass

~ 8 Ways to Pray During Eucharistic Adoration ~

- Read Spiritual Books • Ask for Intercession
- Meditate • Offer a Holy Hour • Write a Prayer Journal
- Read the Scriptures • Pray Spontaneously
- Ask the Saints for help

Spending time with our Dear Lord!!!

*** Anointing of the Sick** - Father Biju will be available for anointing of the sick after the first Saturday mass of each month or contact Fr. Biju directly if you or a family member would like to receive the sacrament.

*** Confession**

First Saturday of each month after 8:30 am Mass or 3:30—3:45 pm before 4:00 pm Mass or by appointment . Please contact Fr. Biju to set up a time.



*** Mass Intentions**

Please contact the Parish office phone #788-1646 or email sjrp2601@gmail.com if you would like to schedule mass intentions. Or there are envelopes in the back of church.

MASS STIPEND FEE CHANGE

In accordance with a decision of the Bishops of Wisconsin, starting on July 1st, Mass stipend fees will increase from \$10 to \$20

~ Contributions for the past week ~

Adult Envelopes(23) :	\$ 1,275.00
Plate collection:	\$ 275.00
Flower donation:	\$ 100.00
Votive candles:	\$ 67.00
Total:	\$1,717.00



5-year Goal:	\$140,000.00
Pledged:	\$148,305.00
Received:	\$66,420.00
Remaining Amount:	\$73,580.00

FROM THE PASTOR

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

National Eucharistic Congress - July 17–21, 2024, Lucas Oil Stadium INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

On July 16, 2024, all four branches of this historic Pilgrimage will converge in Indianapolis for the 10th National Eucharistic Congress a milestone within the Revival and a historic moment for the Church in the U.S. The 4 Routes, (Marian Route (North), ST. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route (East), ST. Juan Diego Route (South), ST. Junipero Serra Route (West). 60 days on the road 1,000 hosts 6,500 miles traveled 100,000 plus total participants. The pilgrimage is modeled after the road to Emmaus and is an invitation for pilgrims to encounter the risen Christ on the journey and in the breaking of the bread. Two recent stops highlighted the diversity within the Catholic Church, with a June 30 liturgy celebrated by Bishop Mar Joy Alappatt at the Syro-Malabar-rite (from south India) cathedral in Bellwood, before crossing into the Diocese of Gary, Indiana, where pilgrims attended adoration at St. Mary’s Byzantine Catholic Church in Whiting July 1. Pray for the success of this great event.

This weekend we find Jesus sending out the Twelve. These twelve are also called “apostles.” The word *apostle* means “one who is sent.” They are sent out to preach repentance, to heal and to drive out demons. He first summons them. Anyone who does not allow himself to be first summoned by Jesus cannot go into the world with His message. Personal relationship with Jesus is a necessary condition for being sent. In this bond with Him love grows and faith deepens. This association gives us courage and zeal. Today we are invited, each one of us, to recognize our own calling both individually and collectively and to seek to know what God asks of us in order to spread the Kingdom. A Christian must consciously fit their lives between being summoned and being sent. This is the nature of Christianity. This is what the evangelization is all about. Have a blessed week!

Live Jesus ~ Fr Biju MSFS



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Pilgrimage**

ROUTES

-  Marian Route
-  St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route
-  St. Junipero Serra Route
-  St. Juan Diego Route

May 17 - July 16, 2024



~ **DIOCESAN NEWS** ~

A Minute with Jesus:

The Eucharist is called the Holy Sacrifice:

A sacrifice is the act of giving up something highly valued for the sake of something else considered to have a greater value or claim out of love for another person and/or for God. The perfect sacrifice was Christ’s death on the cross, by which He offered Himself to the Father out of love for us, which accomplished our salvation. The Holy Mass is a sacrifice because it is the re-presentation and the memorial of Christ’s sacrifice on the cross. The sacrifice of Calvary is being made present in an unbloody manner on the altar at Mass. Let’s pray this right now and every day this week:
Jesus, please give me the grace to appreciate the sacrifice that is made present at every Mass in which You offer Yourself to the Father out of love for me.



This week, read Luke’s account of Jesus offering Himself in sacrifice to the Father for love of us in Luke 22:14-20.

*May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, enlighten the eyes of our hearts;
that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call.*

~ DIOCESAN/Community NEWS ~

~2nd Annual Picnic on the Lawn

Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 11 AM – 4 PM at St. Mary Parish, Coon Valley. The event is free to everyone. Join us for a hog roast by Simply Smoked, live music by Leather and Lace, bounce house, dunk tank, snow cones, bingo, kids games and more. We are accepting good will donations and some entertainment is at a nominal fee. Bring your lawn chair and join us for a great afternoon.

~St. Patrick's Church Rummage Sale—Bake Sale

St. Pat's in Onalaska, will be having a rummage sale/bake sale, July 26, (7:30 am—4 pm) and Saturday, July 27 (7:30 am—3 pm). Holiday items, collectors corner, antiques, unique items, household items, furniture, bikes, toys, jewelry and more. Donations for the sale are being accepted! Contact the parish office for information: 608.783.5535, ext 2

~La Crosse Food Pantry Running Low

Our Food Pantry in La Crosse is very low. Personal hygiene items and non-perishable food items are much needed. Donations can be dropped off at 508 South 5th Ave in La Crosse, Monday-Thursday from 9 am – 4 pm. As always, monetary donations are always appreciated to keep our organization running. Thank you for your continued support!!

~Healthy Living with Chronic Pain Gundersen Health System will be hosting a virtual workshop Wed., afternoons for 6 wks starting August 7. This workshop focuses on strategies for understanding and managing pain and stress management for adults. For information, please contact Vicky at 608-775-6870 or wellness@gundersenhealth.org.

~16 Years Dedication Anniversary of the Shrine

July 31, 2024 @ 9:00 am - 5:00 pm. You are invited to celebrate the 16th Anniversary of the Shrine's Dedication, a day to thank God for all who have shared in Cardinal Burke's vision for this place of pilgrimage. At its dedication in 2008, the church became a true sacred space, set apart for divine service, for prayer and especially for the Sacred Liturgy. 12:15 pm Holy Mass—Celebrant: His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke <https://guadalupeshrine.org/post/events/16th-dedication-anniversary/>

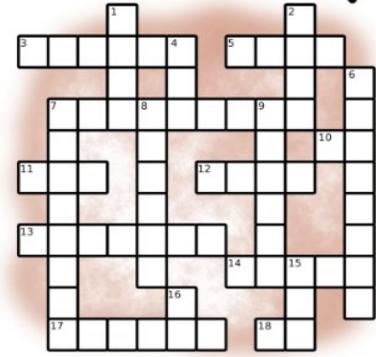
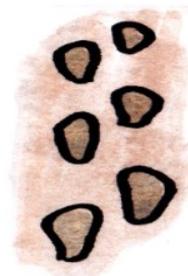
Do you ever make the sign of the cross when you pass a Catholic church?
It's a good practice to show your reverence to Jesus who is present inside.
PLUS, if you are traveling with someone else, it can be a good evangelization tool to start a conversation!

~ ACTIVITY CORNER ~

Jesus Sends the Apostles Two by Two Cross-Word

And he called to him the _____^{9D} and began to send them out two _____^{18A} two, and gave them _____^{7A} over the _____^{13A} spirits. He charged _____^{12A} to take nothing for their journey

except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money _____^{16D} their belts; and to wear sandals and not put on _____^{4D} tunics. And _____^{10A} said to them, "Where you enter a house _____^{2D} there until you leave the place. And if _____^{15D} place will not receive _____^{11A} and they refuse to hear you, when you _____^{14A}, shake off the dust that is on your _____^{1D} for a testimony against them." So they went out and _____^{6D} that men should _____^{3A}. And they cast out many _____^{17A}, and _____^{7D} _____^{5A} oil many that were sick and _____^{8D} them.



With trust in God's goodness, let us offer our prayers

Lord, Hear Our Prayer

- * For all who are sick, may Christ who knew pain and suffering in his own life fill them with healing and hope
- * For all struggling with depression or anxiety, may the Lord pour his grace upon them and grant them healing & comfort.
- * For all the military men and women who are supporting our freedom.
- * That we generously use our God-given gifts to do the work God has placed us here on earth to do.
- * For the elderly who are homebound or unvisited, may the Lord fill them with his presence and comfort them with friendship.

For the intentions listed in our parish book of prayer.
To add a request call 608-788-1646 or email sjrp2601@gmail.com