

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday – November 7

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions
 4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

Sunday – November 8

7:30 am Walter & Kathleen Kerscher
 10:30 am Jenna Baranczyk
 5:00 pm Elmer DeDecker

Monday – November 9

*5:05 pm Jim Lau

Tuesday – November 10

*5:05 pm Jovita DeWitt

Wednesday – November 11

*8:20 am Jeffrey Cross

Thursday – November 12

*5:05 pm Marvin & Robert Kreft

Friday – November 13

*8:00 am **NO MASS**

Saturday – November 14

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions
 4:30 pm William Fritschel

Sunday – November 15

7:30 am People of Corpus Christi
 10:30 am Norman & Rose Herlache
 5:00 pm Louis Denil

*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Saturday – November 7

5:30 pm Stewardship Event/Social Hall

Sunday – November 8

5:00 pm Mass
 6:00-8:00 pm Life Teen Night

Monday – November 9

3:00-4:30 pm Boys Basketball Practice
 4:45 pm Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday – November 10

3:00-4:15 pm Boys Basketball Practice
 6:30 pm Catholic Man Night/Church
 6:30-7:30 pm Wellness Ministry Exercise @St. Joe's

Wednesday – November 11 (Veterans Day)

9:30-10:30 am Wellness Ministry Exercise @ St. Joe's
 5:45-7:00 pm Genesis @ St. Joe's Formation Center
 6:00-7:15 pm Edge @ Corpus
 7:30-8:45 pm Confirmation Class @ Corpus

Thursday – November 12

6:00 pm Boys Home Basketball Game

Sunday – November 15

11:30 am Anointing of the Sick
 5:00 pm Mass
 6:00-8:00 pm Life Teen Night
 7:00 pm Men's Group

PARISH REPORT

Deposited this week, Oct. 26- Nov. 01, 2015 Week (18)

Parish Support.....	\$7,136.00
Offertory Collection	\$735.32
Votive Candles	\$48.75
Technology & Capital Improvements	\$475.00
Donations.....	\$1,530.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$9,925.07
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$9,181.37
Weekly Surplus.....	\$743.70

\$CRIP REPORT

Sales for Week of: Oct. 26- Nov. 01, 2015	\$4,530.00
Profit for the Week:	\$187.50

MAINTENANCE FUND

Cash on hand (11/02/2015).....\$26,594.68

PARISH NEWS

Habitat for Humanity

Next weekend Nov. 14 & 15th after all masses Habitat will be selling their homemade fruit cakes. (1lb. container-\$10.00)



St. Ann's Rummage & Bakery Sale

Nov. 20 & 21

Gather your goodies! Drop off at the trailer in the church parking lot beginning Sat. Nov. 14th. (**NO** electronics, computers, microwaves, large appliances and furniture.)



Scripture Readings: The Thirty-Second Sunday

Sunday 1Kings 17:10-16, Psalm 146:7,8-9,9-10, Mark 12:38-44

Monday Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12, 1Corinthians 3:9C-11, 16-17, Psalm 46:2-3,5-6,8-9, John 2:13-22

Tuesday Wisdom 2:23;3:9, Psalm 34:2-3,16-17,18-19, Luke 17:7-10

Wednesday Wisdom 6:1-11, Psalm 82:3-4,6-7, Luke 17:11-19

Thursday Wisdom 7:22B;8:1, Psalm 119:89,90,91,130,135,175, Luke 17:20-25

Friday Wisdom 13:1-9, Psalm 19:2-3,4-5AB, Luke 17:26-37

Saturday Wisdom 18:14-16;19:6-9, Psalm 105:2-3,36-37,42-43, Luke 18:1-8

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PARISH NEWS

Catholic Man Night: Tues. Nov. 10th 6:30pm @ Church

Calling all men! This is an evening of food, discussion, prayer and camaraderie. We'll start with a little prayer and reflection in the church at 6:30pm, followed by a hearty meal with beer or soda.

Pre-Order Low Denomination Scrip Cards

Looking ahead to the holidays and/or stocking stuffers-why not pre-order these scrip cards? Amazon \$10; Applebee's \$10.; Starbucks \$5.; Target \$10.; and Wal Mart \$10.-**deadline to order these is Thurs. Nov. 12th.**



NOTES FROM FR. CARL.....**Every Knee Shall Bend**- Be Grateful - Pray - Serve - Share -

It sure did not feel like November earlier this week! Some places reached 70 degrees! I'll take it. In November we take time to be grateful for all we have. The Diocese of Green Bay has the second full Weekend in November set aside to recall our Stewardship. That weekend is November 14th and 15th. Corpus Christi is celebrating it this weekend. The theme is Every Knee shall bend. Being grateful through our prayer serving and sharing. May we always be good stewards of all our gracious God has given us. Have a blessed week! Fr. Carl

PARISH NEWS**Wellness Ministry: Low Impact Exercise**

Still meets on Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 pm & Weds., 9:30-10:30 am at the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center.

"Art for Health"**Faith Formation Center@ St. Joseph Parish**

Self-Expression and Socializing through Art, Drama and Storytelling Workshops for all "Seniors!" Today's younger & fitter seniors and for those in need of assistance.

Thursday, Nov. 12, 6:30 pm - "The Creative Mind"

Engaging in creativity promotes well-being through connection to one's own inner expression and emotions. Participants will enjoy hands on activities to increase creativity and brain health. Facilitator: Terry Lundahl

Thursday, Nov. 19, 6:30 pm - "Paint Me a Song"

Through demonstration, lecture and personal instruction Emily Salm (Visual Artist) will share her water color wisdom. Participants will discover the joy of developing a strategy to approach each painting with confidence and conviction through different water-color techniques. This workshop is suitable for all adults, from the absolute beginner to the more advanced. Participants will also enjoy painting to live music from national touring artist Dorothy Scott. Call Terry Lundahl at 920-493-5979 to register for one or both of these programs.

BIBLE STUDY AND BOOK DISCUSSIONS**Adult Faith Formation: Book Discussion**

Everyone is invited to join us on **Mon., Nov. 9 1:15 pm at Anna's Healthcare.** We are discussing Bishop Robert Morneau's book "Living Prayer", chapter eleven.

United States Catholic Catechism for Adults**"The Sacraments: The Faith Celebrated"**

Join us on Mondays @ 6:30 pm in the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. For **Nov. 9, read chapter 20, "Holy Orders"** facilitated by Penny Biwer. Call Penny 743-2062 for information. Cost of book is \$17.00

Breaking Open the Word

Tuesdays, 9:45 am in the Faith Formation Center at St. Joseph. Thursdays, 9:15 am at Sts. Peter & Paul.

Edge and Life Teen**Middle & High School Religious Education**

Life Teen schedule this weekend (Nov. 8th)

Mass at 5pm (all ages welcome)

Food at 6pm; Life Night until 8pm

Edge schedule Nov. 11th: 6-7:15pm at Corpus Christi

Nov. 18th is our annual Thanksgiving Pot Luck and Mass.

This is NOT a night off of Edge! Parents, please see the handout given to your student at Edge for more information.

Confirmation Nov. 11th: 7:30-8:45pm at Corpus Christi

Middle and high school mission trip meeting: Monday, November 9th at Corpus Christi at 6pm. This meeting is

for all middle and high school students who are currently signed up for the mission trip to Milwaukee or Texas OR for any student/parent who would simply like to know more about the trip. No commitment necessary by showing up!

Thank you to all of our teenagers who helped serve at the St. Joseph Fish Fry Friday night and the Corpus Christi Stewardship dinner on Saturday! We appreciate all you did to make the dinners so successful!

GENESIS NEWS**Wed. Nights 5:45-7pm: Nov. 11th**

Nov. 18 - Genesis/Edge Thanksgiving Family Night at **Corpus Christi Parish - 6:00 pm Mass; Pot Luck to follow.**

Nov. 25 - No class

Christmas Wreath Fundraiser: Deadline Mon. Nov. 9th

Order forms are available in the church entrances.

Packages for College Students

Our religious education programs are doing care packages for college students to be sent during exam week. If you are interested in sending a package to a student or would like to donate items for the packages, please bring the items such as gum, microwave popcorn, granola bars, nutri-grain bars, peanuts, candy, snack crackers, or other individually wrapped snacks, packets of apple cider, hot chocolate or any other items you think a college student would like and or a name, address and \$10.00 for postage to the parish offices by Monday, Nov. 23. What an awesome way to connect with our youth!

OTHER NEWS**Exclusive Screening of the Film: "Full of Grace"**

Full of Grace is a story about Mary of Nazareth and her final days on earth. Surrounded by Peter and the remaining Apostles, she recounts the mystery and beauty of her experiences with her son. **Sat. Nov. 14th at DePere Cinema (417 George St.) at 9am and 11am.** Seating is limited so please get your tickets in advance by calling 1-866-456-6936 or www.odbscreenings.com. If interested in carpooling please show up at 7:30am for 9am showing or 9:30am for the 11am showing in the Duluth church parking lot and we will figure out from there as to who is driving.



The Parish Connection

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From the Principal

I share with you a story that I cut out of the newspaper 15 years ago and read each year as I begin the month of November and reflect on the blessings that have been shared with me. It is a good perspective on a lesson learned thru the eyes of a young boy.

What It Means To Be Poor . . .

One day a father of a very wealthy family took his son on a trip to the country with the firm purpose of showing his son how poor people can be. They spent a couple of days and nights on the farm of what would be considered a very poor family. On their return from their trip, the father asked his son "How was the trip?" "It was great, Dad." "Did you see how poor people can be?" the father asked. "Oh Yeah" said the son. "So what did you learn from the trip?" asked the father. The son answered, "I saw that we have one dog and they had four. We have a pool that reaches to the middle of our garden and they have a creek that has no end. We have imported lanterns in our garden and they have the stars at night. Our patio reaches to the front yard and they have the whole horizon. We have a small piece of land to live on and they have fields that go beyond our sight. We have servants who serve us, but they serve others. We buy our food, but they grow theirs. We have walls around our property to protect us, they have friends to protect them." With this the boy's father was speechless. Then his son added, "Thanks dad for showing me how poor we are." Too many times

we forget what we have and concentrate on what we don't have. What is one person's worthless object is another's prize possession. It is all based on one's thanks for all the bounty we have, instead of worrying about wanting more. Take joy in all you have, your family, your friends, your work, your education, your values, your freedoms and most importantly, your faith. HAPPY THANKSGIVING EVERYONE

Mrs. Dassler



State AMVETS Contest Winner



Alanna Paye was selected as the State Winner of the AMVETS National Americanism Contest. Kindergarten and 1st grade students from all over the state who attend public, private, parochial, Sunday, and home schools were able to participate. One Kindergarten winner and one 1st Grade winner were selected. Alanna received a certificate of recognition and \$75.00 for her 1st place prize. Way to go, Alanna! The local AMVETS Weber-Tess Post 51 of Sturgeon Bay also presented the school with a new American flag to celebrate Alanna's accomplishment.



Blessing of the Animals



St. John Bosco celebrated the Feast of St. Francis with a blessing of our animal friends. Students brought dogs, cats, rabbits, and a variety of other animals (real and stuffed) to be blessed at



our annual Blessing of the Animals. Fr. Carl said a special blessing and circled parking lot to make sure all our friends shared in the blessings.



Stewardship Essay Recognition!



Three St. John Bosco Students' essays have been selected to be printed in the *Compass*. The 6th, 7th and 8th grade students wrote essays as part of the Stewardship Sunday Opportunity. The top 3 essays (selected by Mrs. Dassler) were submitted to the Excellent Essay



Opportunity at the Diocese of Green Bay. The essay authors are Andrew Konop, Jenna Engeldinger and Rachel Allen. The top three essays submitted for publication are printed in the Compass – and St. John Bosco’s students’ essays were all selected! Andrew, Jenna and Rachel – Great Job! We are very proud of you and the wonderful way you represent St. John Bosco

Diocesan All School Mass



On October 21, grades 5-8 from St. John Bosco and nearly 9,500 other students, faculty and priests from every Catholic school in the Diocese of Green Bay participated in an all-schools Mass at the Resch Center in Green Bay. Bishop David Ricken celebrated the Mass with Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus Robert Morneau and Bishop Emeritus Robert Banks.

Harvest Time!

The 4th Grade students recently revisited the Garden Door to bring in the crops



they planted last spring in 3rd Grade! They all got to harvest some vegetables

and each student received a bag full of vegetables to bring home!



Kindergarten Fieldtrip



The Kindergarten class and Mrs. Spaude took a trip to the Sturgeon Bay Fire Department and the Door County Historical Museum. The students toured the station and trucks with firefighter Kalin Montevideo and got to spray a fire hose. After the fire station tour, they made their way to the Door County Historical museum. At the museum, they saw many animals of Door County and got to “ride” the old fire trucks.

Wish List Update!

We continue to be blessed by the generosity of our parish families. We received a donation from Casey and Nicole Rabach’s 5th Quarter Foundation to update our school phy. ed. equipment and purchase technology devices.



Our wish list is always a work in progress. If you are interested in funding any of our Wish List items, please contact the school. This way we do not receive duplicate items, and we do receive the item that fits the specific need.

St. John Bosco Wish List

- Interactive Website \$3,600
- Ellison die sets \$20.00 - \$50.00 each
- Hot Lunch tables (5) \$1200.00 each
- Guided Reading Tables(6)\$350.00 each
- Desktop pouch laminator, \$250.00
- Working record player/turntable (check your attic ☺)



ST. JOHN BOSCO PUMPKIN PIAZZA!

November 1, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm
St. John Bosco Gym

Join the school families for a celebration of the change of seasons and in support of St. John Bosco School.

Admission is free to this FUN Event! Purchase a raffle ticket for just \$10 and you may win the Grand Prize of \$350 or a weekend stay at Westwood Shores! (Need not be present to win.)

There will be great food available for purchase, supervised kids’ activities, pumpkin painting, bake sale, photo booth and much more!

(kids’ activities will be accessible for unlimited play with the purchase of a wristband -\$5.00 for families with 1-2 children and \$10.00 for families with 3+ children)



Grandparents & Grand Friends



On October 14, we celebrated our grandparents and special friends in our lives by sharing our morning Mass, treats and our school with them. It was wonderful to see the pride on our students’ faces as they showed their guests their classrooms, work samples, and introduced them to their teachers. It was also very special to see the joy and love on our grandparents and grandfriends faces as they took it all in. Thank you!

4th/5th Grade Girls Basketball



Bishop Ricken's Top 10 Ways to Build a Household of Prayer

Try starting with one of two of these suggestions and throughout the year keep adding more until you have integrated all 10 into your life and your home!

“A holy life can be a healthy and happy life – have fun growing in faith and prayer together!” - Bishop Ricken

1. Reflect on Sunday Scriptures
 - Open the Bible; read and reflect upon the Scriptures for the coming Sunday individually and together regularly.
 - Share something that popped out to you. You'll be amazed at the wide variety of answers!
2. Attend the Sunday Mass as a family.
 - Coordinate schedules and activities so that everyone can be present.
3. Teach children to sign themselves with the Sign of the Cross and to memorize the essential prayers of our faith.
 - Examples: Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be
 - These are great to learn in the car on the way to school or before bedtime.
4. Pray with, for and over those who live with you.
 - The rosary is an especially important prayer to strengthen your household.
5. Put religious symbols, statues and images in your home, car and, if possible, your work space.
 - This could mean one prayer card on your kitchen table, a statue of the Blessed Mother in your living room, or a rosary on your bedside table. Get creative with the spaces in your home!
6. Volunteer together by serving those in need in your community.
 - What is your family passionate about doing?
 - Find ministries within your parish or volunteer organizations within your local community.
7. Attend the Sacrament of Reconciliation regularly and talk with your children about its importance.
 - Now is a great time to learn more about this often misunderstood sacrament.
 - It's not about embarrassment and punishment, but the Lord's great mercy and love for each of us.
8. Manage your schedules to “keep holy the Lord's Day” so that Sunday becomes a day to strengthen and deepen your faith.
 - Be intentional about gathering as a family, reading a spiritual book, enjoying quiet time with the Lord.
9. Speak of God and Jesus with joy and certainty, and pray before and after meals together.
 - Is it a perfectly lovely day outside? Thank God for it. Did a prayer get answered? Thank Jesus! It's easy to incorporate little prayers into your life, even in the most ordinary moments of the day.
 - A great way to start this is by praying before and after meals.
10. Celebrate holy days with Mass and a special meal.
 - A great part about being Catholic is that many days throughout the year are a cause for celebration!
 - Here is a great [blog post](#) titled “Baby Steps to Living the Liturgical Year as a Family”.

Year II: Family Prayer Resources

2015-2016 | Office of Family & Married Life



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Praying Through the Saints

We pray with the Saints to ask them to pray to God for us and to pray for us. The Saints are already in heaven with Christ. We look to the saints for their example. They remind us that we are all believers and that we are all members of the Communion of Saints!

Prayer to St. Monica

St. Monica, mother of great Augustine, you pursued your wayward son not with wild threats but with prayerful cries to heaven. Intercede for all mothers in our day so that they may learn to draw their children to God. Teach them how to remain close to their children, even the prodigal sons and daughters who have sadly gone astray. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Prayer to St. Raphael the Archangel

O God,
Send the Archangel Raphael to our assistance.
May he who stands forever praising you at your throne present our humble petitions to be blessed by you. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.
Be our protection against
the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do thou, O prince of the Heavenly Host,
by the divine power of God,
cast into hell Satan
and all the evil spirits
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.

Angel of God

Angel of God
Angel of God,
my guardian dear,
to whom His love commits me here,
ever this day be at my side,
to light and guard,
to rule and guide.
Amen.

Activity: Create a Family Prayer

Gather everyone and write a prayer together!
Personalize it with ways you want to grow closer as a family, what you want to thank the Lord for, and any needs that your family has.
Need help? Try including each of the four basic forms of prayer - praise/adoration, petition, intercession, and thanksgiving.

Our Family Prayer

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