# Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



# January 29th, 2023 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### Saturday, February 4th, 5:15 pm

Lector: Judy Murphy Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully Servers: Daryn & Avery Kepler, , Eleanor Jelinek, Andrew Mata Ushers: Knights of Columbus Gifts: Steven Bauer Family Scrip: Judy Murphy Sunday, February 5th, 8:00 am Lector: Paul Peckham, Holy Communion: Deacon Tully Servers: Thomas Honer, Alexander & Carter Kloehn, Emma Jelinek **Ushers:** Knights of Columbus Gifts: Timothy Honer Family Scrip: Fran Wilkinson Sunday, February 5th, 10:30 am Lector: Sara Schultz Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Brayden & Tristen Arms, Baylee & Taylor Wertz Ushers: Knights of Columbus Gifts: Alisa Weiss Family Scrip: Emily Zorea

### Mass Schedule

Monday, January 30th No Mass

Tuesday, January 31stMass in CommonsMass 8:15 amSt. John Bosco† George V. Laubmeier

Wednesday, February 1st Mass in Commons Mass 8:15 pm † Rosemary Wright & Delores Cutler

Thursday, February 2nd Mass 8:15 am † Joann Slowey The Presentation of the Lord, World Day for Consecrated Life

Friday, February 3rd First Friday Mass 10:00 am Schmitt Woodland Hills † Jim Williamson St. Blaise & St. Ansgar

> Mass 2:15 pm Mass † Ruth Williams

Mass in School Gym

Saturday, February 4th First Saturday Mass 8:15 am Mass in Commons † Joe Berberich

> Confessions 4:00 4:50 pm Mass 5:15 pm Mass in School Gym † Etta Ryan

Sunday, February 5th 5th Sunday im Ordinary Time Confessions 7:30 to 7:50 am Mass 8:00 am Mass in School Gym Our Parish Family

> Confessions 9:30-10:20 am Mass 10:30 am Mass in School Gym † Merl Hierlinger

#### Parish Calendar Events

01/29 Sunday, KC Breakfast Saturday, 8:30 to Noon
02/22 ASH Wednesday, PCCW Soup/ following Mass
02/24 Friday, Fish Fry 4:30 to 7.00 pm Drive Thru only
03/24 Friday, Fish Fry 4:30 to 7.00 pm Drive Thru only
03/01 Wednesday, March 1st, PCCW Scholarship deadline

# From your pastor ...

On Thursday, January 26<sup>th</sup> three parishioners left on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, including our parish administrative assistant, Cheryl Blankenship. Those of you who have been stopping at the rectory or calling to conduct various parish related matter have experienced the normal good service you usually receive to be lacking. Your pastor is making an attempt to respond to some of the more immediate needs as they present themselves. Please be patient.

The pilgrimage is being led by two Diocesan priests, including Father Sebastian Kolodziejczyk, formally the director of Casa Hogar Orphanage in Lurin, Peru, South America, now serving as a pastor in Wausau and who also deer hunts with your pastor. The pilgrimage is scheduled to return on February 6<sup>th</sup>. Please give a generous place in your prayer for the pilgrims' safe return.

The remainder of this column will focus on what was begun in the last column concerning the initiative, The National Eucharistic Revival that is being promoted by all the Catholic Bishops in all the 194 diocese and archdiocese throughout the United States. This is a major initiative and is being carried out over the time frame of three years: 2022-2024.

It fittingly began on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, or Corpus Christi, on June 19<sup>,</sup> 2022 and will conclude on Corpus Christi, June 9, 2024.

The first year, known as "The Diocesan Year" is focused primarily on renewal of the Diocese. This began in the La Crosse Diocese with Bishop Callahan leading a eucharistic procession on Corpus Christi this past June with a special Mass at Saint Joseph the Workman Cathedral to begin this National Eucharistic Renewal in our Diocese. Also, the Curia Offices of the Diocese have been engaging in various aspects of the Eucharistic renewal.

The second year, known as the "Parish Year" which begins formally on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, Sunday, June 11, 2023, spanning the year until June 2024, will include a year of parish revival. Two Saint Mary's parishioners, Mary Honer and Cheryl Blankenship represented the parish at a gathering in La Crosse on Saturday, January 14<sup>th</sup> past, learning about the various initiatives that can take place with parishes. The parish year is at the heart of the Eucharistic Revival. While the practice of Eucharistic adoration is treasured and highly recommended by the Church, the home of the Eucharist is the Holy Mass. Following that, the home of the Mass is the local parish. The parish, then, is the ideal and most common place that the Faithful encounter Jesus Christ in the Eucharist.

The third year, known as "The Mission Year." Every celebration of the Mass ends with a reminder and call to mission. The Latin dismissal reads, *"Ite Missa est,"* which translates to, "Go (the Church) is sent". The Faithful's participation in the Mass and reception of Holy Communion is intended to increase both their holiness and zeal to share in Jesus' mission. This final year of the Renewal will focus on taking the Truth about Christ in the Eucharist to our brothers and sisters outside the Church.

I will continue in my next column with more about the National Eucharistic Revival. Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary's Parish.

# **Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel**

With sorrowful hearts, we express our profound condolences to the family of Jeannie M. Nigl Who entered into eternal rest January 14, 2023 Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and May perpetual light shine upon her May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen St Mary's Fish Fry, Richland Center Drive Thru Only Friday, February 24th 4:30 to 7:00 pm CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK January 29th thru February 3rd **Prayer Chain** If you, or someone you know, is in need of prayer, please send your prayer request prayer.chain@stmarysrc.com **Richland County Elderly Nutrition Program** Drivers needed to deliver Meals on Wheels in Richland Center (45 minutes to an hour a week) For more information contact Tanya Webster, Nutrition Program Coordinator 647-8821 ext. 5937 CONSEQUENCES OF DIGITAL ADDICTION WHAT'STHE HARM? Hosted by: LIFE GUARDIANS Join Dr. Aharon Zorea, UW Professor and published author, for an honest discussion on invisible digital addictions affecting the entire family. Consequences of digital addictions. SUNDAY, March 19th, 7:00-9:00 pm Boscobel Bowl & Banquet Hosted by LIFE GUARDIANS Free Event \* Door Prizes \* Snacks Provided Donations are appreciated to defray expenses and overages will go to support Charity Clinic in Platteville

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EUCHARISTIC ADORATION every Thursday following Holy Mass

## Catholic Women's Spiritual Day

Saturday, February 4, 2023 Changing Hearts post Roe vs. Wade 7:45 A.M. Rosary followed by Mass at 8:15 A.M. 9:00 A.M. serving a light breakfast 9:30 AM - Kelly Puls, East Dubuque, IL 10:30 AM - Rebecca Kiessling, Detroit, MI 11:30 AM - Heather Horsfall, Clarity Clinic 11:45 AM - Father Christopher Padilla, CC Parish 12:00 PM - Adoration w/Sacrament of Confession Event concludes with lunch served at 1:00 P.M. Immaculate Conception Church Boscobel WI. **Immaculate Conception Church** 407 E. LeGrand St, Boscobel, WI 53805 Keynote speaker, Rebecca Kiessling, has been a pro-life speaker since 1995, sharing her powerful testimony internationally. She's appeared on EWTN and interviewed on Relevant Radio numerous times. Mail your RSVP with a registration fee of \$25 to: **Corpus Christi Parish** Attention Catholic Women's Spiritual Day 405 E LeGrand St, Boscobel, WI 53805 No later than January 21, 2023 Checks can be made out to Corpus Christi Parish Please list any known food allergies For questions, please contact: Julie Biba at 608-375-2589 or Janet Mindham at 608-391-1030

#### **RICHLAND COUNTY MEALS ON WHEELS**

Delivery Drivers desperately needed to bring meals to those in need. Only 1 hour of your time Monday, Wednesday or Fridays As little as 1 time a month is a HUGE help ! Please contact Tanya Webster, Nutrition Program Coordinator 647-8821, ext 5937 or via email tanya.webster@co.richland.wi.us **TOGETHER, WE CAN DELIVER.** 



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### January 14/15, 2023 Stewardship

Adult Tithe	\$ 4,312.00
Offertory	323.00
Catholic School Support	250.00
Religious Education	40.00
Religious Retirement	150.00
Total	\$5,075.00
December (ACH) Automatic Contributions	\$5,830.00



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Knights of Columbus Breakfast Sunday, January 29th



8:30 to Noon All proceeds benefit go to St Mary's School

## PCCW Soup/ Supper

Wednesday, February 22nd 6:00 to 7:30 pm Immediately following Ash Wednesday Mass which is at 5:15 pm more info forthcoming!

### PCCW SCHOLARSHIPS

Deadline is March 1st, 2023. There will be applications available at St. Mary's School Office!

## Readings for the week of January 29, 2023

Sunday:	Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10 (Matthew
	5:3)/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a
Monday:	Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32/
-	Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a
	Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-
-	40 or 2:22-32
Friday:	Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/
-	Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 2:1-5/	
_	Mt 5:13-1

#### SCRIP NEWS

Catholic Schools Week begins! You can support St. Mary School by buying SCRIP!! You buy at face value and a percentage of each gift card purchased goes right back to St. Mary's. All the local cards are available for immediate purchase, we can order over 750 other brands and you can buy e-gift cards right from your phone. Visit the SCRIP table after Mass, sign up for online ordering at shopwithscrip.com or contact your SCRIP coordinator at

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#### Wedding Planning Information

For those seeking the Sacrament of Marriage in our Church please notify the pastor as soon as you are engaged, but not less than six months prior to the proposed wedding date.