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Mission Statement:

Our mission at St. John the Baptist Parish is to prepare people for the coming of the fullness of God's Kingdom by sharing the Catholic Faith and its tradition.

Parish Personnel

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Masses

- Weekdays 7 a.m.
- Saturdays 8 a.m. / 4: 30 p.m.
- Sundays 7 a.m. / 9 a.m. / 11 a.m.

HEARING LOOP INSTALLED



Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of Baptism

Expectant parents are to participate in the Baptism preparation program. Contact the parish office for details.

Sacrament of Penance

- Tuesday - Fridays 6:30 a.m.
- Third Fridays 6:00 p.m.
- Saturdays Following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Those preparing for serious surgery are to contact the Rectory Office at 715-384-3252.

Parish Membership

Call the Rectory Office at 715-384-3252

MASS SCHEDULE**MON 7/8/2024**

7:00am Living & deceased members of the Diers & Kohlbeck families

Scripture Readings: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22 Mt 9:18-26

TUES 7/9/2024 St. Augustine Zhao, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

7:00am Ted & Dorothy Lescynski
Scripture Readings: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 Mt 9:32-38

WED 7/10/2024

7:00am Helen Dums & Catherine Fait
Scripture Readings: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Mt 10:1-7

THUR 7/11/2024 St. Benedict, Abbot

7:00am Jane Seifert
Scripture Readings: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9 Mt 10:7-15

FRI 7/12/2024

7:00am Rita & Stanley Knetter, Sr.
Scripture Readings: Hos 14:2-10 Mt 10:16-23

SAT 7/13/2024 St. Henry

8:00am Reverend Anthony Fischer
Scripture Readings: Is 6:1-8 Mt 10:24-33

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm Dennis Juncer

SUN 7/14/2024

7:00am Jeanette Lang
9:00am Parishioners of St. John the Baptist parish
11:00am Gordon Schuster
Scripture Readings: Am 7:12-15 Eph 1:3-14
Mk 6:7-13

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

July 13th & 14th, 2024

LECTORS

4:30pm Bryan Pischel
7:00am Dale & Judy Garfield
9:00am Maureen Karaliunas
11:00am John Salzmann

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:30pm Joe & Clare Fischer / Marty Draxler / Mike Gonerig
7:00am Dale & Judy Garfield
9:00am Nancy Immerfall / Maureen Karaliunas / Linda Lewer
Ann Kundinger / Pat & Marlea Lescynski
11:00am Lucas Hart / Argelia Moya / Danielle Rummells / Chris Rutschow

SERVERS

4:30pm Emmett Luther / Andrew & Vivien Wojcik
7:00am Kolbe & Dominic Landwehr
9:00am Christina, Jonathan & Maria Nemitz
11:00am Luke & Grace Clubb

MUSIC MINISTER

4:30pm Cindy Penker / Roni Steines-Machtan
7:00am Cindy Penker / Roni Steines-Machtan
9:00am Cathy Heuer / 11:00am Cathy Heuer

Weekday Mass Servers - July 8th - July 15th

Monday - Glenn Linzmeier	Thursday - Lee Alt—
Tuesday - Marty Draxler	Friday - Mike Spencer
Wednesday - Lenny K.	Saturday - Kolbe & Dominic Landwehr

Confessions are heard at St. John's on the third Friday of the month and at Sacred Heart on the first Friday beginning at 6:00pm. Two priests are available at this time. Confessions are also available at 6:30am Tuesday - Friday and on Saturdays after the 8am Mass.



Contributions for June 29th - 30th
will be posted in next weekend's bulletin

Diocesan Annual Appeal - 2023-2024

This will be the final posting for the 2023-2024 appeal.

Campaign Goal		\$133,350.00
Pledged & Received	85.40%	\$113,980.00
Under Goal		\$19,530.00
Number of Donors	388	



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the 2023-2024 Diocesan Annual Appeal!

Extra help-outs at Mass

Monday 7am Mass. Priests from the Deanery will take turns celebrating the 7am Monday Mass.

Weekend Mass. Fr. Robertson and Fr. Clements will assist on a rotating basis with the 4:30pm and the 11am weekend Masses. Fr. Thelen will still have the majority of these Masses.

Fr. Thelen will cover all other daily Masses, nursing home Masses, school Masses and funeral Masses. No changes to Mass or Confession times.

Confessions will also be heard at 6:30am Tuesday - Friday

Lector, Eucharistic Ministers and Youth Servers: Soon the September through December schedules will be put together. Please call the parish office at 715-384-3252 or email secretary@stjmf.diocparish.org by August 7th if you know of dates that will not work for you.

Youth Servers! If you are in fourth grade, you are eligible to be a Mass server and we would love to have you. Please call the parish office to get your name on the list for the next training. We are in need to fill spots at the 4:30pm and the 7:00am Mass.

Pie & Ice Cream! Civic Band concerts will be held on Wednesdays in Columbia Park beginning June 19th and running through July 31st. St. John's PCCW will again be selling pie and ice cream during the concerts, as a fundraiser. Please call Cheri Imhoff at 507-993-8740 if you'd like to provide a pie, ice cream, or help with the sale.

Singers of the Marshfield Deanery Community: You are cordially invited to join the new Deanery Festival Chorus. The purpose of the Chorus is to serve at Deanery functions, such as the Confirmation Mass on September 8, 2024 when we will meet our new bishop. Other events might include special music offerings for our Catholic community, such as an *Advent-Christmas Festival of Lessons and Carols*, comprised of readings, prayers, candle lightings, seasonal congregational hymns, and carols sung by the Chorus. It is hoped that, by combining our vocal music resources from across the Deanery, we would be able to learn and sing music that is often not possible in parish choirs.

Rehearsals and Deanery functions would take place at Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Marshfield, where the Choir Gallery can hold 60 singers plus instrumentalists, and the Nave can accommodate 800 attendees. Because our parishes have their own music rehearsals during the week, the proposed rehearsal day would be on Sunday afternoons, as they did with the Palm Sunday Chorus. Rehearsals would not be held every weekend; rather, they would take place during the weeks leading up to events. For more information, please contact Lee Riecki, Director of Sacred Liturgy and Music at Our Lady of Peace: music@olpmarshfield.com.

Attention engaged couples: Registration is now open for the *Married Love: two becoming one* classes. The next available dates are Oct. 5th, 2024 (St. John's), Feb. 15th, 2025 (OLP) and Mar. 29th (CTK) Couples should first contact their priest and then plan to attend a class at least six months before their wedding. To register, call Alanna Hart at marshfieldmarriageprep@gmail.com

Pilgrimage to Greece and Turkey with Fr. Barry! There are a few spots remaining on this pilgrimage. Travel with Fr. Barry and others from October 11—21. This pilgrimage includes a 4-day Aegean Cruise. If interested, contact Fr. Barry at pastor@ctkspencer.net

THE DEACON IS SPEAKIN'

As we bid a fond farewell to another Associate (A. K. A. baby Priest), I am reminded of just how blessed we here at St. John the Baptist Parish have been. Fr. Arturo (may he be as much of a blessing at St. Bronislava as he has been here) is another in a long line of terrific Associates (and Pastors) we have had. **Voya con Dios, Padre!**

In my nearly fourteen years of being assigned here, I have witnessed remarkable growth both in numbers and in the sense of community that is alive here. But as important as the hard work and dedication of our Pastors and their Associates has been, it is you, the parishioners of St. John's who have responded and made our parish what it is today, a vibrant example of what a community of Catholic believers should be!

The future, however, holds more challenges for us. Apparently Fr. Arturo will not be replaced anytime soon which means that Fr. Thelen's work load will increase significantly. Anything we can do to lessen his burden will go a long way toward helping him. We all know that Fr. Thelen is a serious-minded hard working priest who takes his position as Pastor with complete dedication and desires to do everything he can for his people. We need to show that same dedication and desire to help him with his burden of running one of the largest parishes in our Diocese.

Every Sunday one of the Masses is offered up for "the people entrusted to the care of our Pastor." Every day and at every Mass we need to pray for "the Pastor entrusted to the care of his people!"

St. Bridgid of Kildare, pray for us.

Deacon Jeff Austin

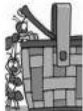


Save the Dates!

Mark Your Calendar: Marshfield Parish Pull Pulling our Community Together on Friday, July 12th at the 11th Annual Marshfield Parish Pull at the Central Wisconsin Fairgrounds, Marshfield. Gates and Concession open at 5:00pm. Pull begins at 7:00pm. Admission: \$10.00 16 years old and up; \$5.00 5-15 years old; Free Under 4 years old. Sign-up sheets are in the entryway! More help is needed!



St. John's annual summer picnic will be held on Sunday, August 11th! Please join us for food, fun and fellowship! More details coming!



Catholic Kidz Camp - Mon-Fri. July 29th-August 2nd
8:00 AM-11:00AM - Grades Pre K-5th Grade

Registration forms can be found in the kiosk in the entry of church. Teachers and helpers would be appreciated. There is a great need for teen helpers. This would be a great Confirmation project! Please watch for our Vacation Bible Giving tree coming later this summer for needed supplies! Questions? Call Heather Adler at 715-897-1941 or heatherkadler@gmail.com



Pray & Play: Every Tuesday throughout the summer parents and children are invited to join in Eucharistic Adoration at St. John the Baptist church from 8:30am - 9:00am. Following adoration, join together at a park in Marshfield for some time of play. Contact Niki with questions at 952-807-5083.

Join In—The Eucharistic Revival Continues:

We are entering our third year of the eucharistic revival. It is essential to know that revival is not something we do. It is God stirring up the hearts of His people. The Holy Spirit is responding to our prayers and filling us with His grace, to strengthen our faith in Jesus' True Presence in the Holy Eucharist. Join in with your response by seeking to encounter Jesus in the Eucharist. He waits for you!



*Encounter Jesus
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He waits for you!*

The Eucharist is called the Breaking of Bread

At the Last Supper, Jesus gave thanks, then blessed and broke the bread and gave it to the Apostles.

Jesus repeated this action on the day of His Resurrection as He shared a meal with the disciples in Emmaus. The disciples had left Jerusalem, believing that Jesus was dead. As Jesus walked with the disciples to Emmaus, they did not recognize Him. It was in the "breaking of the bread" that He opened their eyes to recognize Him as the risen Lord. This transfigured Bread and Wine – the Eucharist – as the Gift of Himself to them, and now to us.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week: *Jesus, please grant me the grace to recognize You in the Holy Eucharist – please reveal this reality to my heart!*

This week, read the passage of the disciples recognizing Jesus in "the breaking of the bread" in Luke 24:13-35.



Prayer to Jesus after Holy Communion

Jesus, I believe in you. Jesus, I hope in You.

Jesus, I want to love You with all my heart.

Jesus, I thank You for having come to dwell in me as

I receive You in Holy Communion.

I welcome You into my heart and

I ask you to "crowd out" whatever might be there that is not of You.

And I desire to give You full reign as my Lord,
my Savior and my King.

Thank You for giving Your life for me on the Cross,
loving me this much and allowing me to receive You
into my heart in this present moment.

And now that You are so close to me, please help me love You
more and more,

and serve You by loving the people around me. Amen.

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (previously known as RCIA) will be beginning in September with full entrance into the church occurring at Easter of 2025. OCIA is the process whereby a person learns about the beautiful Catholic faith that we sometimes take for granted. Please contact the parish office if you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or if you just want to deepen your understanding of the faith. This will be an excellent way to grow closer to God by learning about Catholicism and how it promotes heroic goodness! Brochures with more information is available near the bulletin rack in the church.

Hi everyone! Some of you may remember that I served with NET Ministries last year and was speaking at Masses about that amazing opportunity! Thanks to your support, I was able to travel across the country and help put on retreats for our youth! I now have an incredible opportunity to travel to Uganda to serve with NET Ministries there. Because this is a missionary role, I am asked to fundraise support once again. The goal of the ministry is to raise \$3,000, but my goal is to raise about \$5,000 to help cover the travel expenses. If you are interested in supporting me, donations can be made to <https://www.gofundme.com/manage/support-the-youth-mission-with-net-ugandadme>. To receive a tax deduction, donations can be given directly to St. John the Baptist Parish. Please place a memo on the check stating your intention to support Paige Preston to serve with NET Ministries in Uganda. Please consider supporting this important mission. Whether or not you decide to support financially, please keep me and all missionaries in your prayers. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me at pppreston5@gmail.com. Thank you so much!!!

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