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Saint John the Baptist CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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 6:45 a.m.
Saturdays 8 a.m. / 4:30 p.m.
Sundays 7 a.m. / 9 a.m. / 11 a.m.

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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

Monday - Thursdays 6:15 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 4/6/2026

6:45am Communion Service
 (No Mass - Father's private Mass intention: Al & Maria Sternitzky)
 Scripture Readings: Acts 2:14, 22-33 Mt 28:8-15

TUES 4/7/2026

6:45am Lorraine Kemp
 Scripture Readings: Acts 2:36-41 Jn 20:11-18

WED 4/8/2026

6:45am Living & deceased members of the Anton & Helen Hastreiter family
 Scripture Readings: Acts 3:1-10 Lk 24:13-35

THUR 4/9/2026

6:45am Ted & Dorothy Lescynski
 8:00am Joan Schirger
 Scripture Readings: Acts 3:11-26 Lk 24:35-48

FRI 4/10/2026

6:45am **No Mass** (Father's private Mass intention: Willie & Ann Maurer)
 Scripture Readings: Acts 4:1-12 Jn 21:1-14

SAT 4/11/2026

8:00am Jane Seifert
 Scripture Readings: Acts 4:13-21 Mk 16:9-15
 4:30pm John Pritzl

Divine Mercy Sunday

SUN 4/12/2026

7:00am Peter Franckowiak
 9:00am Parishioners of St. John the Baptist
 11:00am Janice Freeman
 Scripture Readings: Acts 2:42-47 1 Pt 1:3-9
 Jn 20:19-31



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

April 11th & 12th

LECTORS

4:30pm Bryan Pischel
 7:00am Jan Altmann
 9:00am Rita Blenker
 11:00am Sharon See

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:30pm Louise Kobylinski / Tom & Susan Youngwith / Becky Hennes
 7:00am Connie Manlick / Tiffany Scheer / Tonya Schlagenhaft
 9:00am Pat & Marlea Lescynski / Rita Blenker / Jill Hiller / Dan & Dorothy Flees
 11:00am Argelia Moya / Jonathan & Melanie Rootellis / Danielle Rummells

SERVERS


4:30pm Annabelle & Xavier Egle
 7:00am Paige Schlagenhaft / Joseph & Madeline Niehaus
 9:00am Phinehas & Benjamin Prusinski / Graham Bauer
 11:00am Christina & Olivia Burt / Savannah Rummells

MUSIC MINISTER

4:30pm Ashley Nikolai / Karen Isaacson
 7:00am Ashley Nikolai / Karen Isaacson
 9:00am Ashley Nikolai / Children's Choir
 11:00am Cathy Heuer

Weekday Mass Servers - April 6th - April 11th


Monday	David Gouin	Thursday	Lee Alt
Tuesday	Ray Housworth	Friday	No Mass
Wednesday	Lenny K	Saturday	Kolbe & Dominic

 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 6:15am Monday - Thursdays and on Saturdays after the 8am Mass

The Resurrection is the cornerstone of our faith!
St. John Chrysostom

STEWARDSHIP for March 28th & March 29th

Adult / Youth / Plate	\$12,469.36
Parish Improvement	640.00
Total	\$13,109.36
Total to date for March	\$81,368.49




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Prayer Vine ~ Do you or someone you know need prayers? To have requests for prayer placed on the vine, please call Connie 715-305-6742 and Donna 715-384-2479 (there are 2 lists).




Parish Office Hours: The parish office will open at 10:00am on Monday, April 6th. The office will be closed all day on Friday, April 10th.

Divine Mercy Sunday - April 11th & 12th



The La Crosse Diocese of Catholic women will have a 2nd collection on Divine Mercy Sunday. Proceeds of this collection goes for many things such as, Casa Hogar, Vocation Purse Club, Scholarships and grants and many other Diocesan works. Thank you for your contribution!



All ladies of the parish are invited to attend the Marshfield Deanery Council of Catholic Women's Spring Assembly on Thursday, April 16th at St. John the Baptist Columbia Room. Registration begins at 5pm and the cost is \$12.00 (for the meal) payable at the door. A delicious buffet dinner will be served at 5:45pm with a program beginning at 6:45pm. Our guest speaker is Melanie Frei, Past LCCCW President and author of the book, "Walking My Protestant Friends Through the Joys of the Catholic Faith." Please come for an uplifting night of friendship, fellowship and faith-sharing! There will be raffle baskets available as well as door prizes. Come join us!

Frassati Young Adult Group: There will be a gathering for all young adults on Tuesday, April 7th, at 6:30pm in St. Francis Hall in St. John's school. If you would like to be added to the email list to receive updates about our monthly meetings and other events, please email marshfieldfrassatiyoungadults@gmail.com. Newcomers are always welcome!

PCCW Reminder: Our first meeting back on April 14th will begin at 6:00pm in the Columbia room. Besides elections, our regular business meeting will be held followed by bingo and refreshments! All women of the parish are invited to join us!



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
Christ the King Parish, Spencer
April 12, 2026
1:30 - 3:30pm
Adoration
Confessions
Testamonal
Chaplet

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners of St. John the Baptist!

Happy Easter! Many blessings to you all as we celebrate this most joyous day of our Faith. Today and for the next fifty days we will continue throughout the Easter season celebrating this great mystery of our Faith. It's such a blessing to praise Our Lord in worship and then to share this most joyous day with family. I pray that each of you have the opportunity to pass the day with your loved ones.

As I was preparing for the Triduum and Easter Sunday, the readings struck a chord with me. As Christians, our mission is to announce to the world the Good News that Jesus is Risen from the dead. At work, at school, in our public and private life, we should always be praying for ways to announce this Good News! In our modern world we must use prudence, we don't proselytize, but we do seek ways to share Jesus. The Holy Spirit opens hearts and when we pray, the Good News finds fertile ground.

I remember fondly a certain gentleman from one of my previous assignments who took this mission to heart. This man had a way about him that was always endearing and in everything he did he seemed to always be connecting people to Christ. He seemed to also know all the people in need and was always connecting them to those who could help. He worked and had a family, but everything about him seemed to be focused on bringing the goodness of Jesus to others.

Our community of Marshfield and the surrounding areas will be transformed if we each take this task to heart. As Psalm 52 says, "I will proclaim that the name of God is good, in the presence of my friends." Witness the joy of the Resurrection to all whom you know. Share the goodness of his Resurrection every day in this coming year! In action and word love the people around you and draw them to Christ.

May St. John the Baptist pray for us and bless each of you during this Holy Season.

Fr. Thelen



We welcome these new members to St. John's
Joan Lindner / Wendy Jo Svetanoff

We thank God for the beautiful Triduum and Easter Masses celebrated at St. John's. We are grateful for all those who donated money for the flowers that decorate our church. Names of those remembered in prayer can be found on the kiosk.

Thank you to all those who helped decorate the church for Easter, for those that provided music and for the servers that assisted throughout the days. May God bless you all as we continue in this Easter season!


The Social Justice Committee will be serving the St. Vincent de Paul Friendship meal on Wednesday, April 22nd. Time commitment 4:30pm—6:30pm. The meal is served at 5pm. If you would like to help serve this meal, please contact the parish office or just show up at St. Vincent de Paul's by 4:30pm. We would love to have you!




Evangelization Summits
Our second Evangelization Summit will be held at St. Paul Parish in Mosinee on Tues, May 19, from 9am to 3pm. The theme will be "Paul as a Model of Discipleship and Accompaniment." This is another opportunity for parish leaders to unite together around a shared vision of parishes fully alive on mission, and to connect you with more tools and resources. There will be fresh content for those who attended the first summit, but new attendees are welcome! They will gather any Pastors, staff and other involved parishioners who desire a church more fully alive in Mission. You are invited to step aside for a day to:

1. Encounter Jesus and others who share your imagination for more abundant life.
2. Practice praying, listening and discerning together.
3. Gain clarity of vision - *what is "alive in Mission" really about?*

The link for the registration form is:
<https://forms.gle/eVa9wwMxSGfgUpZf6>


Would you like to become a Mass Server? We are now starting a sign-up for new servers. If you are in 4th grade or above and would like to assist Father at Mass, please call the office to register. A training session will be scheduled this summer and you will be included on the new Server schedule beginning in September. You can choose the Mass you would like to serve at but we are always in need for Mass servers at the 4:30pm Saturday and 7:00am Mass on Sunday. Please call the parish office by April 30th to be put on the list!



"Alter Christus" Are you being called to be an alter Christus (another Christ)? Come learn more about the Priesthood and Seminary!

When: April 11th
For: 6th Grade boys through College and beyond.
Schedule:
4:00pm Mass at Our Lady of Peace
5:00pm Pizza Dinner at OLP Rectory
5:30pm Q + A with Fr. Steven Weller (Director of Vocations), priests and seminarians.
7:00pm Dodgeball
RSVP by emailing: father.celemnts@columbusdons.org

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You're Invited to a
MASS OF HOPE & HEALING

For anyone suffering the loss of a child through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, abortion, stillbirth, accident or infant death recently or in the past.

April 21, 2026

A candle ceremony will begin at 6:00pm followed by Mass & light refreshments

St. Paul Catholic Church
603 4th St. Mosinee, WI



For more information, contact Kim at 715-573-3972

Footprints of God video series will not meet on Easter Sunday but will resume on Sunday, April 12th. Join us next Sunday at 8:15am in the Columbia room as we watch the next video of the series, *Elijah / Elisha*. All are welcome!

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