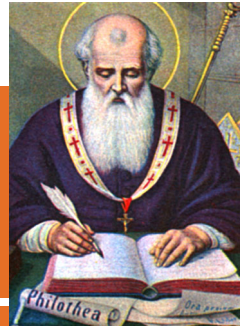


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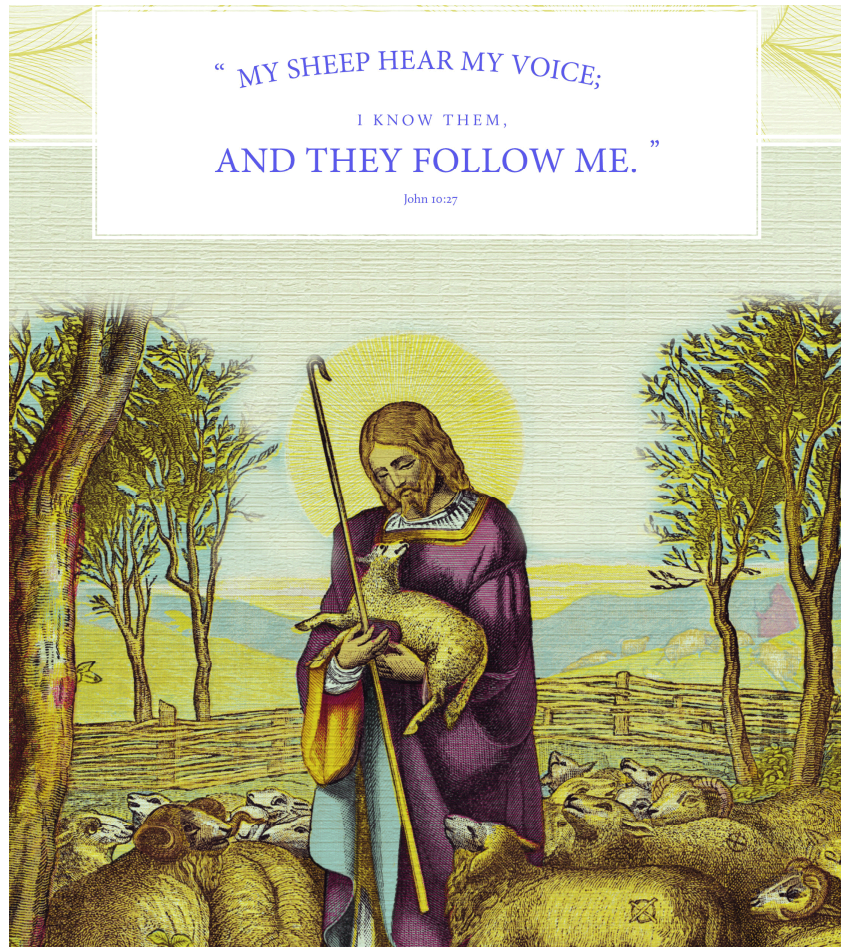
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

LAKE GENEVA, WISCONSIN



April 17, 2016
Fourth Sunday of Easter

We, the community of St. Francis de Sales Parish, seek to LIVE JESUS through the empowerment of the Holy Spirit by ministering to the needs of our brothers and sisters through Word, Worship, Education and Service.



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PRAYER & WORSHIP

Mass of Anticipation: Saturday, 5:15 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. (English); 5:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 7:00 a.m.

School Mass: Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. *(During School Year)*

Communion Service: Thursday, 7:00 a.m.; Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.-7 p.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:00 p.m.; Sunday, 4:30 p.m. (Bilingual);
or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Mondays, 10:00 a.m.—3:30 p.m.;

Tuesdays—Thursdays, 7:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.;

Fridays, 7:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Nathan Rittenbacher	Anthony Ferrini
Nancy Rittenbacher	Rita Leahy
Joan Roell	Kiera
Diane Ponzo	Linette Fleura
Joe Ponzo	Marion Donner
William	Germaine Clifford
Lily	(Dr.) Katarzyna Zaremba
Tess Adams	David
Margaret Curin	Lou Rogers
Thomas Potjeau	Wayne Rogers
Kelly Hughbanks	David Squire
Dan Samyn	Jill Logterman
Tami Irwin	Joan Huntress
Jim Mansky	Barbara Quincannon
Tony Ascolani	Bormes
Sam Scott	William Burke
William Burke	Carol Peck
Carol Peck	Tom Peck
Tom Peck	Mary Dade

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, April 16, 2016

8:00 a.m. Communion Service

5:15 p.m. † Syvilla Kestel

SUNDAY, April 17, 2016

7:30 a.m. † Timothy Ring

9:00 a.m. † Lech & Maria Kaczynski and Peter Petrouski

10:30 a.m. † Matgozata Sfatek and Irena Szymanski

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)

MONDAY, April 18, 2016

7:00 a.m. All Parishioners

6:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)

TUESDAY, April 19, 2016

7:00 a.m. † Ivan Alder

WEDNESDAY, April 20, 2016

7:00 a.m. † Stanley & Eleanor Gorski and Jo Anne Fesenmaier

9:00 a.m. All Students

THURSDAY, April 21, 2016

7:00 a.m. Communion Service

FRIDAY, April 22, 2016

7:00 a.m. All Parishioners

SATURDAY, April 23, 2016

8:00 a.m. All Parishioners

11:00 a.m. † Grace Weis

5:15 p.m. All Parishioners

SUNDAY, April 24, 2016

7:30 a.m. † Mary Mullaney and Robert Carlson

9:00 a.m. † Ron Munro and Gracie Adams

10:30 a.m. † Minerick & Schreiner Families

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)

THE WEEK AHEAD: APRIL 17 - APRIL 24

Sun – 8:45 REP
6:00 Workshop on Finances (Spanish)
6:30 Youth Ministry

Mon – 6:00 Prayer Group (Spanish)
6:00 Catholic Daughters
7:00 Church Renovation

Tues – 7:30-7:00 Adoration
5:30 Rosary

Wed – 10:00 Bible Study
11:15 Shepherds of Christ
6:00 REP Gr. 6-8
7:00 Contemporary Choir

Thurs – 7:00 Chorale

Fri – 6:00 Life in the Spirit
7:00 Liturgical Dancers
7:00 Legion of Mary

Sat – 9:00 Life in the Spirit
9:00 Baptismal Preparation (Spanish)
9:30 AA
7:00 Pre-Vigilia
7:00 Emmaus Men

Sun – 6:30 Confirmation

CATHOLIC DAUGHTER NEWS

We held our last meeting March 21, 2016 in the parish center at 6 p.m. Ruth Bush, the state regent, joined us. Diane Read announced the winners of the art and writing contest. The first place winners will now go on to state competition. Our next meeting will be April 18, 2016 at 6 p.m. in the parish center. Please consider joining us. Please call (262) 723-4929 with any questions.

IN OUR PRAYERS...

Heavenly Father, we ask you to watch over and protect our servicemen and women in harm's way, especially Jason Liss, 101st Airborne, Iraq.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8;
Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27;
Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5a;
Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK...

Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Francis de Sales Parish,

Today, Good Shepherd Sunday, is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Today we remember that God calls some people to be shepherds in the Church. The Church needs priests who can guide, teach and sanctify his people. Others are called to be deacons to proclaim the Gospel and promote works of charity and justice among the people. God calls some to the religious life to be signs of the Kingdom in this world, living lives of poverty, chastity and obedience. Others are called to be lay ecclesial ministers, serving the Church in a variety of ways.

It is essential to the life of the Church that we all be attentive to God's call. Perhaps you are being called to a special ministry. Let us pray for those called to the priesthood, the diaconate, the religious life, and the lay ecclesial ministries that they may respond to the call with joy. Let's commit ourselves to encouraging our young people to contemplate a life of commitment, serving God and the Church in ministry.

God's Blessings,
Fr. Jim Schuerman

Queridos Miembros de la Parroquia de San Francisco de Sales,

Hoy, el Domingo del Buen Pastor, es el Domingo Mundial de Oración por las Vocaciones. Hoy recordamos que Dios está llamando a algunos de ser pastores en su Iglesia. La Iglesia necesita sacerdotes que pueden guiar, enseñar, y santificar al pueblo. Otros están llamados a ser diáconos, para proclamar el Evangelio y promover obras de caridad entre el pueblo de Dios. Dios llama a otros a la vida religiosa para ser señales del Reino de Dios en este mundo, viviendo vidas de pobreza, obediencia y castidad. Otros están llamados a servir como laicos comprometidos, cumpliendo varios ministerios en la Iglesia.

Es esencial para la vida de la iglesia que estemos atentos al llamado de Dios. Tal vez Dios esté llamándote a un ministerio especial. Oremos por los llamados al sacerdocio, al orden diaconal, a la vida religiosa, y a los ministerios laicos, para que escuchen la llamada y respondan con alegría. Que nos comprometamos a animar a los jóvenes a contemplar una vida de compromiso, sirviendo al Señor y a su iglesia como ministros.

Que Dios los bendiga,
Padre Jim Schuerman

SIDE BY SIDE SIMPLE DINNER FUNDRAISER

The next Side by Side Simple dinner fundraiser will be held on Friday, April 29, with seatings at 5, 6, and 7 p.m. NEW MENU! This is a fish dinner, with a vegetarian option also! Tickets are \$10 for adults, and \$5 for children 10 and under. Tickets will be sold after masses on the weekends of April 16/17 and 23/24 only, or may be purchased online using the link <http://sidebysidefundraiser.brownpapertickets.com>

As always, proceeds from this Side by Side fundraiser will go to needy families who live in the Badger High School district. Funds are used to help with rent, utilities, and prescription drug costs. So please join us for an amazing dinner on April 29, and help families in your local community! Thank you for your continued support!

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

All articles for the bulletin must be emailed to bulletin@sfdslg.org or submitted in writing to the parish office. The deadline is at noon on Monday.

SO VERY GRATEFUL

A huge "thank-you" to those who donated personal care items such as soap, shampoo, toothbrushes, etc. during Lent.

We filled Ziploc bags with a variety of those personal products with special emphasis on those in transit as well as victims of neglect and abuse.

Much gratitude for your care and provision.
-Submitted by the Human Concern Committee

EVENING TRAINING FOR OUR DEFIBRILLATORS

The Lake Geneva Fire Department has graciously offered to have an evening training class on the defibrillators that we purchased last year. Class is scheduled for Wednesday, April 20 at 6:30 p.m. at the Fire Station located at 720 Marshall St., in Lake Geneva. Advance registration is required and a minimum of 6 participants is needed. If interested, please contact Millie McCormick at (630) 310-4703. Training will include AED and CPR.

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

Monday, April 25, 2016

7 p.m. in the Jonah Room

If you like to do behind the scenes service, this is the group for you. We dust the church weekly, provide funeral luncheons upon request, run two bake sales during the year to pay for the needs of the altar and clean the church thoroughly each spring and fall. Please attend our meeting to find out how you can give your service. Thanks!

2016 PRESCHOOL FUN FAIR

Come to the St. Francis de Sales Parish School gym on Sunday, May 15, to enjoy the Four Seasons Fun Fair! There will be carnival games, crafts and snacks celebrating all four seasons! The Fun Fair will run from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Take the whole family for FREE! Purchase a snack ticket for only \$2.00, and enjoy tasty treats from each season! All proceeds from our fair will benefit the school's Three Year-Old Kindergarten and Four Year-Old Kindergarten programs. Wonderful raffles will be available! Please come and support our littlest learners. Email Sara Kaiser at 4k@sfdslg.org for questions or more information. See you there!



CARING FOR THE ALTAR

4/18-4/23— Denise Kottke

4/25-4/30— Jean McCarron

COUNTING CONTRIBUTIONS

4/18—TEAM 3

4/25—TEAM 4

“LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR”

April 22 & 23

Friday, April 22, 6-9 p.m. in the Parish Center
Saturday, April 23, 8 a.m. Mass followed by seminar
St. Francis de Sales, Lake Geneva

“Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.”

1 Corinthians 2:12

Are you aware of your spiritual gifts and are you using them for the glory of God? Word of Wisdom, Word of Knowledge, Gift of Faith, Gift of Healing, Working of Miracles, Prophecy, Discerning of Spirits, Diverse ways of Speaking and Understanding Scripture & Interpreting Prophecy.

Join us for the Life in the Spirit Seminar and receive the graces of your baptism and the gifts of the Spirit that is called charismatic renewal!

Please register no later than April 12 at (262) 248-8524 or parish@sfdslg.org.

The cost of the program is \$10 which includes a box lunch on Saturday. Presented by the Charismatic Renewal of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

April 10, 2016

Parish Envelopes	\$7,113.00
Offertory	\$1,897.07
Capital Campaign	\$163.00
Angel Fund	\$105.00
Human Concerns	\$4.00
Second Collection for Summer Youth Ministry Events	\$2,038.98

(The Angel Fund benefits families of our day school program who need tuition assistance.)

Parish Giving Weekend of April 10

	Actual	Goal	Surplus / (Shortfall)
Weekly Envelopes	7,113	10,707	(3,594)
Weekly Offertory	1,897	3,135	(1,238)
	9,010	13,842	(4,832)
Year-to-Date Envelopes	427,974	429,339	(1,365)
Year-to-Date Offertory	118,874	133,519	(14,645)
	546,848	562,858	(16,010)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY RAFFLE

The Wisconsin State Council of the Knights of Columbus is currently selling raffle tickets for its 2016 Charity Raffle. The prize list consists of \$115,000 being paid to thirty winners with a first prize of \$50,000. The second prize is \$25,000 or a Street Glide Harley. The third prize is \$15,000 and the fourth and fifth prize is \$5,000 each. The sixth through tenth prize is \$1,000 each and eleventh through thirteenth prize is \$500 each. This is the largest raffle in the State of Wisconsin for a \$5.00 price. The drawing will take place at the State Convention on Saturday, April 30, 2016. Tickets cost \$5.00 and other information can be obtained from any Knight of Columbus. **We will be selling tickets in our Parish Hall before and after all Masses this weekend.**



The proceeds from this raffle are used to alleviate sorrow, ease financial burdens and restore hope to families and victims of accidents and illness. This past year, the Knights made charitable donations from their local Council's charity fund to needy persons in their communities in an amount in excess of \$298,000. In addition, the State Council issued grants to needy families throughout Wisconsin in an amount in excess of \$129,000.

DYNAMIC CATHOLICS AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

A great big THANK YOU to those who made it possible to offer free copies of The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic to both our English speaking and Spanish speaking family this Lent. If you see any of these Parish family members please thank them for their generosity:

Dr. Gerald Fleeer, Dr. Nestor and Bien Alabarca, Greg and Jean Dexter, Irene and Budd Humphrey, Joe and Roselyn Lanzito, Dr. Mark and Ann Pienkos and say a prayer of Thanksgiving for: the Weis family who donated in Memory of Grace Weis, Anonymous in the Spirit of Faith, Hope and Love and several other anonymous donors.

Because of their generosity and the participation of 40-50 parish family members we had 3 English and one Spanish discussion groups which have sparked the interest of those participating to learn more about their Catholic faith and become more involved in our St. Francis de Sales parish family life and ministries.

As many of you may know we have a very active and growing Bible Study on Wednesday mornings which starts at 10 a.m.. The current study will be ending before the end of the school year. For more information please call the Parish office at (262) 248-8524.

Plans are being made to offer more studies and programs, though the cost of the books may not be underwritten but we are looking at various programs to deepen our knowledge and understanding of our faith and will make them as affordable as possible for any and all who wish to participate.

A big THANK YOU again to all who donated to make the program possible and to all who participated either directly in the discussion groups or by reading the book at home.

ON LOVE IN THE FAMILY...

During this Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, let us pray to the Holy Family with the following prayer composed by Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, as he concluded the Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation *AMORIS LAETITIA*:

PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, in you we contemplate the splendour of true love; to you we turn with trust. Holy Family of Nazareth, grant that our families too may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic churches.

Holy Family of Nazareth, may families never again experience violence, rejection and division; may all who have been hurt or scandalized find ready comfort and healing.

Holy family of Nazareth, make us once more mindful of the sacredness and inviolability of the family, and its beauty in God's plan.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Graciously hear our prayer. Amen.

“Given in Rome, at Saint Peter's, during the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, on 19 March, the Solemnity of Saint Joseph, in the year 2016, the fourth of my Pontificate.” - Franciscus

NEW! Two fish dinner options and a vegetarian option!



FISH DINNER

525 Broad St., Lake Geneva, Wis.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29
Seatings at 5, 6 & 7 p.m.

\$10 adults • \$5 children 10 & under • tips & drinks extra
Purchase paper tickets from a Side by Side member or
ONLINE: <http://sidebysidefundraiser.brownpapertickets.com>

Side by Side

Volunteers responding to neighbors in need of compassion, hope, community resources, and financial assistance.

SPRING CLEAN AND DONATE YOUR COLLECTIBLES TO THE 14TH ANNUAL LASALETTE GARAGE SALE

When doing your spring cleaning, we would like for you to remember La Salette's 14th Annual Garage Sale. We will accept anything EXCEPT clothing, large appliances (NO TV's) and any exercise equipment.



The drop off will be at the garage doors starting April 4. Located at Highway KD Twin Lakes, WI. Hours for drop off are: Monday thru Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sundays 8:00 a.m. till 11:00 a.m.



EASTER



In Loving Memory of...

Gary Allenstein & James Burke
Robert, Marianne & William Balduc
Ronnie & Ken Brandes, Ed, Loretta &
Jim Crowley, John, Muriel & Judy Ludtke
Dot Cardiff, John Mercier, Marty
Hansen & Terry Smith
Vera Dell Christensen
Stanley Citterman
Daniel Corboy, Sr.
Edmond & Lucille Contant &
Delores Schweitzer
Rocco De Bello, Fr. Braun &
Jim Wissell
Marianne Deede
Comstock Family
Carrie Curran
Lillian & Edward Cypcar
Frank & Bill Dailey, Bernard & Mabel Faley
Deceased Family Members
Deceased Members of Dunlap &
Bulla Families
Esther Ehrlich, Florian, Lorraine &
Bonnie Luba
Angela J. Finnigan & Donna Finnigan
Richard Folman, Arthur & Frances Bung
Giovannoni & Grimm Families
Edward & Rose Hayes
Lillian Hoehne
Jack Hogan
John & Helen Janasiak, Al & Fay Braun
Maurice Jensen
Daniel & Irene Kavanaugh
William C. Keating
Syvilla Kestel
Timothy King
Madsen & Kipp Families
Daniel Kosterman

By...

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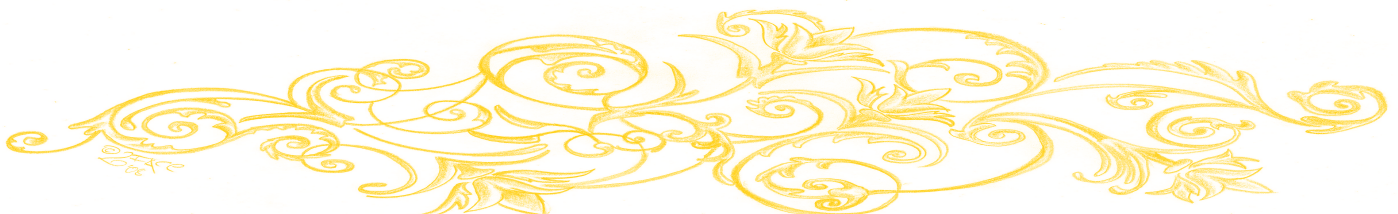
Tracy, Denise & Tyler Christensen
Betty Citterman
Nancy Corboy
Randall & Linda Contant

De Bello Family

Gudowicz Family
D. Comstock
Mike & Jean Curran
Kelly Krawisz
Nancy Dailey & Family
Bud & Mary Rush
Gene & Sue Bulla

Dan & Michelle Luba

Ron & Pat Belle
Faith Folman & Family
Barbara Giovannoni
Kathy Hayes-Melcher
Mike & Patti Black
Maribeth Hogan
Daryl & Geri Braun
Catherine Jensen
Patrick Kavanaugh
Carol Keating & Family
Peter & Gwen Faust
Lois King & Family
Bob & Betty Madsen
Betty Citterman





MEMORIALS



In Loving Memory of...

James Kopp
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George Kreissl
James & Kathryn McGrath,
Frank & Bernice Kovarik
Philip & Norine McCall, Bob &
Jeanne Lamb
Maslanka Family & Florence
Schaffennegger
McCarron, Bumann & Brushel Families
Casey & Bertha Mikrut
Mary Minehan
Ron & Kimberly Muno
Murray, Lichtenauer, Richert &
O'Connell Families
Roger Nevin
Julie Nixon
Sefleris & Kotz Family
Stec & Navin Families, Wes
Hale, Gail Mathison & Jim Czyak
Thomas S. O'Donoghue
Carl & Arlene Panfil
Chester & Ann Sobczak, Leonard &
Jean Fus
Lillian Stange
John Stewart
Joseph C. Studnicka Sr., Joseph
(Joey) C. Studnicka
Helen & Ted Suderski, Dennis & Ray
Mel Tavera
Trotta ,Fraser, Smith, & Turner Families

Louise Volp, Bob & Delores Volp
David Welsh
Barbara Wieners & Donald C. Kutz

By...

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Tim & Ellie Walters
Kreissl Family
Colleen McGrath

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The Hall Family

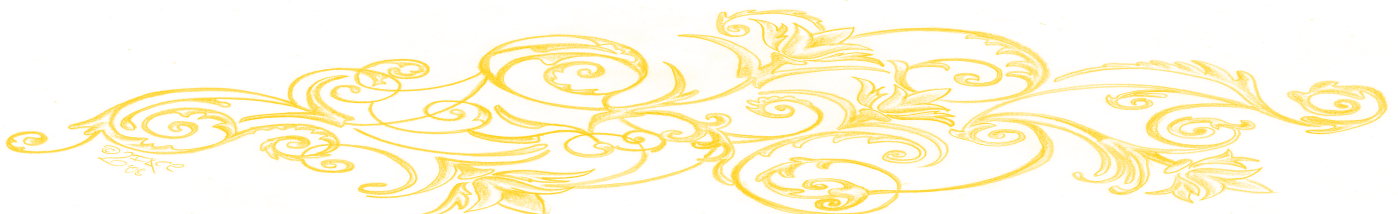
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Colleen Alexander
Shirley Muno
Tom & Kathie Murray

Nevin Family
Marie Baker
Helene Sefleris
Jim & Sylvia Navin

Jean Marie Dexter
Chris & Michelle Hicks & Family
Jim & Esther Fus

Betty Citterman
Sandy Stewart
Noreen Studnicka

Arlene Breuninger
Liz Tavera
Bruce & Michelle Nelson, Peggy & John Fraser
Sabrina & Doug Turner
Barbara Hoppe
Jim, Vickie, Shelby & Thomas Peck
Mrs. Donald Kutz



THE 6TH ANNUAL DELAVAN LAKE BIKE RIDE

The 6th Annual Delavan Lake Bike Ride will take place on Saturday, May 14. The proceeds from this event go to the technology fund at St. Andrew's Parish School. Our goal this year is to begin raising funds for chrome notebooks, as most of the area high schools have changed to this technology. We want to make sure our kids have all the necessary skills needed to make them successful after they leave St. Andrew's.

To sign up for the 12 mile bike ride, please visit <http://standrews-delavan.org/fattiredelavanlake/>. You can save \$5 by signing up prior to May 14.

If you are not able to make it for the actual bike ride and would still like to help out, please consider one of the following: If you have a business and would like to sponsor the event, the forms for sponsorship can be found on the website listed above, if you have something that you would like to donate to the silent auction, we are always looking for new items to help raise additional money, or if you just want to come out at the end of the event and purchase 50/50 raffle tickets and/or spend some money on the silent auction items, we would appreciate your support!

Please contact Susan O'Grady at (262) 728-7717 or susan.ogradey@xyleminc.com if you have any questions. Thank you!



ONE MILLION HOURS CHALLENGE

We have started to receive many volunteer hours that take place within our parish but this is just the beginning. Many of you are doing volunteer work within our community. We need to record those hours also. Do you volunteer at a food pantry, museum, Meals on Wheels, another charitable organization or shoveled the neighbor's sidewalk this past winter/spring. You only helped for one hour? We want that hour! Every hour counts and helps us toward our goal. Volunteering comes in so many forms and activities. Did you take care of your friend's dog while they were away? Did you take care of a neighbor's children when they had an emergency? We are all like one-winged angels. It is only when we help each other that we can fly! Fill out the form, found at the church entrance and drop it in the box, the collection basket or take it to the parish office. Help us meet our goal. We need your hour/hours. Questions? Please contact Millie McCormick at (630) 310-4703.



FORM TO REPORT VOLUNTEER HOURS FOR SFDS ONE MILLION HOURS CHALLENGE

Please take a moment to look back over the past few months...have I helped a friend, a neighbor or given my time to helping prepare for an event, sold tickets for a charity raffle hosted a Bible study group. Whatever your volunteer activity, we need to include it in our challenge. Please fill out our form so that you can be counted. Questions? Contact Millie McCormick at (630) 310-4703.

Thank You!

Name: (optional) _____

Hours Completed: _____

Activity: _____

Date: _____

April 23-24	Greeters	Ushers	Readers	Communion	Altar Servers
Saturday, 5:15 p.m.	Helene Churchill Shirley Zientarski OPENING OPENING	George Melcher Wilbur Metz OPENING OPENING	Renee Howell	Natalie Dunn Marcie Hollmann OPENING OPENING OPENING OPENING	Isabella Pectz - 1 Alan Howell - 2
Sunday, 7:30 a.m.	Barbara Giovannoni Mary Ludtke Carole Nevin Jeanette Polyock	Budd Humphrey Irene Humphrey Dell Krohn Ron White	Thomas Murray	Katie Alder Elaine Johnson Jeanne McCarron Sylvia Navin Bridget Payne Rita Popelka Maureen Redmer	OPENING - 1 OPENING - 2
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	Maureen Allenstein Louella Rogers OPENING	Charles Robinson OPENING OPENING OPENING	Amy Amann	Maureen Allenstein Ann Desecki Corrine Haimann Michelle Luba Nancy Mancuso Lois Maywald Angel Serna	Joey Amann - 1 Addison Hochevar - 2
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.	Pat Reynders OPENING OPENING OPENING	Ken Cramer Jeanette Goldsmith Michael Johnson Robert Weidner	Diane Hinzpeter Bill Ring	Linda Contant Pat Cramer Joanne Gasperik Therese O'Grady Pat Reynders Donna Smith Julie Vitullo	John Frazier - 1 Brendan Ring - 2



CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

April is national Child Abuse Prevention Month. It is most appropriate that Child Abuse Prevention Month is held during the Easter season. There is no better time than Easter to celebrate the protection of our most valuable gift from God—our children.

God's Call to Love and Respect Others

To know that we are children of God is to live in complete love with deep abiding security and the ability to dream, to sing, to create, to laugh, and to play without worry. It is a freedom to love—with full trust and confidence—the creatures whom God has sent to us in our world. As we grow older, we face a new reality. We cannot approach all God's creation with the same trust and confidence. We learn, through sometimes hurtful and damaging experiences, that some people reject the ability that God gave them to love and respect others—they ignore God's call to love and respect others.

Keeping God's Children Protected and Safe

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A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

Catholic Central High School in Burlington, WI is participating in the "Wisconsin Parental Choice Program" for the 2016-2017 school year.

What does that mean for my child?

If your family qualifies, the Choice Program covers the full cost of your student's tuition (and fees) at Catholic Central High School. Once qualified, always qualified.

Find out if your family qualifies!

English and Spanish speaking CCHS School Choice Representatives will be on hand to help you understand the process. Computers will be available to help you register your child if needed.

NOTE: The deadline to register is April 20 for the 2016-17 school year.

Please join us on Sunday, April 17, 2016 from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, 440 Kendall St. Burlington, Wisconsin 53105.

LET US SING TO THE LORD A SONG OF LOVE

"Fruit of the true faith and holy seed of heaven, all you who have been born again in Christ and whose life is from above, listen to me; or rather, listen to the Holy Spirit saying through me: Sing to the Lord a new song...make sure your life does not contradict your words. Sing with your voices, your hearts, your lips and your lives: Sing to the Lord a new song.

His praise is in the assembly of the saints; it is in the singers themselves. If you desire to praise him, then live what you express. Live good lives, and you yourselves will be his praise."

From a sermon by Saint Augustine, bishop

WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

Does our church office have your email address? Please help us communicate with you more efficiently and economically via email. We can save thousands of dollars on postage alone!

Please send an email or call Judie at the office: parish@sfdslg.org or (262) 248-8524. Thank you!





Mercy & Mary

Weekend Retreat

August 5-7, 2016
University of Wisconsin
1015 Reserve St., Stevens Point, WI 54481

Experience the Year of Mercy!

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Pricing Available
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Featuring speaker
Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC

This Weekend Retreat Includes:

- 5 Conferences with Fr. Gaitley:
 - Personal Testimony: Now is the Time of Mercy
 - St. John Paul II: Fatima and the Great Mercy Pope
 - St. Maximilian Kolbe: Mary's Instrument of Mercy
 - St. Teresa: The Way of Merciful Love
 - Your Role in This Year of Mercy
- Daily Mass, Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- Adoration & Benediction
- Opportunities for Confession
- Lodging & Meals Included
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at Holy Hill!

Sunday, July 10, 2016
Just \$20 per family!

- BOUNCY HOUSE
- MUSIC
- GAMES
- BALLOON ANIMALS
- FACE PAINTING
- RELAY RACES
- BURGERS
- BRATS
- ROOT BEER
- ROCK CLIMBING WALL



11:30 a.m. CONFESSIONS
12:30 p.m. MASS
1:30 p.m. LUNCH, GAMES & OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES on the grounds of Holy Hill

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Immediately after the engagement and before any date is set for the wedding, the couple is asked to make an appointment with the priest. Six months is the normal time required for preparation.

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