



**MASSES
and/or
COMMUNION SERVICE**

Saturday, April 6

3:00 PM Reconciliation

4:00 PM John Orlock

Requested by the Orlock Family

6:00 PM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday, April 7

8:00 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

10:00 AM Regina Knaapen

Requested by Chris Dauber

1:00 PM Spanish Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

5:00PM Mary Jane Nielson

Requested by Family and Friends

Tuesday, April 9

7:00 PM Jeff Makie

Requested by Diane Makie

Wednesday, April 10

8:30 AM Charles, Florance and Ann Knab

Requested by Tom Knab

Thursday, April 11

8:30 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

Friday, April 12

8:30 AM Anton & Gertrude Panosh

Requested by Family

Saturday, April 13

3:00 PM Reconciliation

4:00 PM Robert & Dorothy Tice

Requested by The Tice Family

6:00 PM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday, April 14 Palm Sunday

8:00 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

10:00 AM Kay Wehausen

Requested by Family

1:00 PM Spanish Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

5:00PM Brand Nummilien

Requested by Brother-in-law, Dan

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 * Jn 8:12-20

Tuesday: Num 21:4-9 * Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 * Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gen 17:3-9 * Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13 * Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28 * Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Lk 19:28-40 * Is 50:4-7 * Phil 2:6-11 * Lk 22:14-23:56

Wedding Anniversaries

Congratulations and may God bless our parishioners who are celebrating their Wedding Anniversary this week:

Sharon & Delbert Herrbold Jr: 50 years on April 5th.

Barbara & James Abbott: 50 years on April 12th

Kathy & Fred Shumway: 50 years on April 12th.



This week we celebrate the baptism and welcome to our parish **Prudence Goettelman**, daughter of Gretel Goettelman and Benjamin Hodges. May God bless her family.

Summary of Contributions Received:

	Week Ended	Year to Date
	4/5/2019	Since 7/1/2018
Adult Envelopes	\$ 4,882	\$186,793
Online Giving	50	27,178
Visitor Envelopes	390	11,302
Loose Collection	484	23,972
Unrestricted Donations		<u>27,338</u>
Total Contributions Received	\$ 5,806	276,583
Budgeted Contributions	\$ 7,275	289,557
Surplus/ (Shortfall)	\$ (1,469)	(12,974)

Vigil Candles

This week we have 9 lights lit for the following intentions. They stand as silent but bright signs of the prayers offered by those who light them.

Charles Weber: Requested by Maureen Weber

Jerry & Mike Bauer: Requested by Dolores Bauer

Larry Graf, Heavenly Anniversary: Requested by Nancy

Howard & John Schlise Family: Requested by

Ronald & Marilyn Schlise

Susan Sargent & Michael Jennerjohn: Requested by

Walter & Diane Hanisko

Tyler Frea: Requested by Walter & Diane Hanisko

Floyd, Leona & Jim Martin: Requested by Deacon Ken

Special Intentions: Requested by Ed and Susan Hunsader

Jeffrey Scott Makie-now and forever-amen: Requested by his wife, Diane

The April tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Orville Gauger.

Bishop's Appeal 2019

Bishop's Appeal Requested Funds..... \$34,866.00

Collected to date (March 24)\$25,268.50

As Disciples of Christ, Please give generously

Bishop's Appeal Help Those Who Grieve

The loss of a loved one is an experience that many of us can understand. For grieving families throughout our Diocese, Catholic Charities is a guiding light. Perhaps a person or family is dealing with the loss of a son or daughter, or maybe a mother or father. In many tragic situations, it is difficult to begin the grieving process without help. This is where you can make a difference.

By giving to the Bishop's Appeal, you help Catholic Charities do the compassionate work of Jesus. Through your generosity, its counselors are able to reach out and help people to cope with loss when they do not know where else to turn. Please consider giving a gift to the Bishop's Appeal today. To make a gift contact the parish office or visit the Bishop's Appeal website at www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Sharon Ann Adams**. May God welcome her home and comfort her family in this time of sorrow. May the knowledge of our prayers and support give her family peace.

Fast from hurting words and say kind words.

Disciples on the Way**Genesis Religious Education Program**
Class April 10 and 24 – No class April 17th Holy Week**Please Keep in Your Prayers!**

RCIA Candidate: Betty Bordeau will be received into Full Communion of the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil at St. Joseph Parish.

First Communicants: Olivia Baier, Ashton Benzinger, Everett Brilla, Finnigan Cooley, Suzanna Dean, Brooklyn Ellenbecker, Aislin Finney,

Lola Georgenson, Prudence Goettelman, Matthew Hartl, Cora Herbst, Kennedy Hoernke, Levi Jones, Mason Kochanski, Theodore Kruse, Brennan Kruswick, Reid LeClair, Lilyanne Logerquist, Christopher Michiels, Sean Miller, Hazel Monfils, Caleb Nault, Joseph Olson, Rosalyn Paye, Issac Pieschek, William Price, Kayden Rohr, Alondra Sanchez, Natalie Schink, Aquetzally Sierra, Camden Soukup, Smith Suhrer, Samuel Valdivia, Zaul Valdivia, Reen Walker and Olivia Warwick will be celebrating First Communion on April 28 at Corpus Christi Parish or St. Joseph Parish on May 5.

**Weekly Almsgiving Collection**

During Lent we are encouraged to give ALMS. For each of the six weeks of Lent, we will be collecting items to help our neighbors in need. Collection baskets are at the entrances of Church.

- This week, the fifth week of Lent, please donate school supplies (pencils, paper, folders, etc.) and socks and underwear (especially Kindergarten sizes 5-7 and middle-school/young adult sizes) for children in need at **Boys and Girls Club**. The mission of the Boys and Girls Club is to inspire all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.
- The sixth week of Lent please donate non-perishable food items (for example fixings for chili, soups, pasta, hot or cold cereals) for Feed and Clothe My People. Feed and Clothe My People is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to serving residents of Door County with a mission to help those in need of food and clothing.

Mark Your Calendars!**Lenten Penance Service**

Wednesday, April 10 - 5:30 pm

St. Joseph Parish. All are invited to join us!

Mass Intentions

Mass intentions are available in the months of April and May. Please call the parish office at 743-2062 if you are interested. Masses are \$10.00 each.

Reflection for the Fifth Sunday of Lent

Each one has committed grievous sin as did the woman caught in adultery. Jesus invites the Pharisees and us to look within ourselves before we condemn another. Then go and sin no more.

Fast from worries and have trust in God.

This Week in Our Parish**Sunday, April 7**

Sunday Social -following the 10am Mass in the Social Hall
Life Night Grades 9-12 -St. Joseph Parish Social Hall following the 5pm Mass.

“No Greater Love” – DVD Series-Faith Formation Center 6:15pm

Monday, April 8

Strategies for Living a Spiritual Life – 6:00pm Faith Formation Center

Tuesday, April 9

Scripture Discussion 10:00am - Faith Formation Center

Stations of the Cross following the 7pm Mass

Wednesday, April 10

Soup and Stations- 12:15pm in church

Genesis Grades 1-5: Faith Formation Center 5:45pm

Edge Grades 6-8: Parish Social Hall 6:00pm

Thursday, April 11

Scripture Discussion 9:15am - SS. Peter & Paul

Sunday, April 14

Sunday Social -following the 10am Mass in the Social Hall
Life Night Grades 9-12 -St. Joseph Parish Social Hall following the 5pm Mass.

“No Greater Love” – DVD Series-Faith Formation Center 6:15pm

Edge and Life Teen**Middle & High School Religious Education****Life Teen this weekend (April 7th) at St. Joseph**

5pm Mass (all invited and welcome!)

6pm food for grades 9-12

Life Night for grades 9-12 until 8pm

Looking ahead: There will be NO Life Teen Mass or Life Night on Easter Sunday (April 21st)

Edge this week (April 10th at St. Joseph)

6-7:15pm

Looking ahead: There will be NO Edge during Holy Week (April 17th) due to the Corpus Christi Sedar Meal. We'd like all families to have the opportunity to attend.

Middle school mission trip to Shawano, WI! July 7-10th all current 6-8th graders are invited to attend a short but powerful trip! We will be serving those in need in Wisconsin! Not only will they serve, our young people will also have a great chance to grow in their relationship with God. Oh, and we'll have fun too! Contact Sarah today to register! It's only \$125 for middle schoolers and FREE for chaperones!

Scrip is Fundraising while you shop

Each time you buy Scrip during the month of April, your name will be entered into a drawing for a \$25.00 Scrip Card that was generously donated by a Parishioner!

Kim Rubens is our March Scrip winner! Congrats **Kim**! Thank you for supporting St. Joseph Parish with your Scrip purchase.

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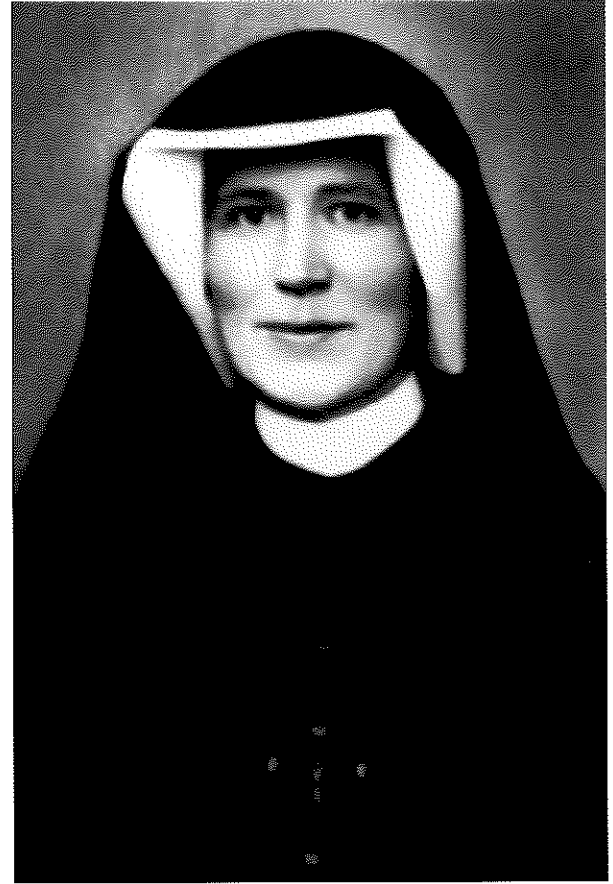
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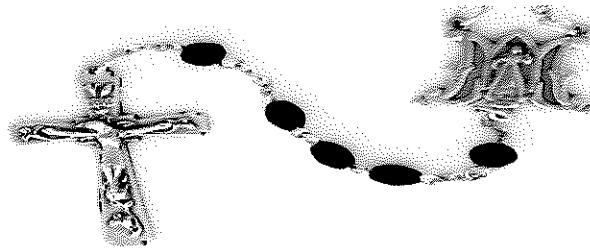
The Feast of The Divine Mercy ranks highest among all the elements of the Divine Mercy Devotion revealed to Sister Faustina, for He was communicating His will regarding the painting of the Image: **"I desire that there be a Feast of Mercy. I want this image, which you will paint with a brush, to be solemnly blessed on the first Sunday after Easter, that Sunday is to be the Feast of Mercy"**. (Diary, 49)

* The Lord Jesus said, **"I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners"** (Diary, 699). **"Souls perish in spite of My bitter Passion. I am giving them the last hope of salvation, that is, recourse to My Mercy. If they will not adore My mercy, they will perish for all eternity"** (Diary, 965, 998)

* **"...whoever approaches the Fount of Life on this day will be granted complete remission of sins and punishment"** (Diary, 300), and also, **"On this day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy....Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet"** (Diary, 699)...**"on that day, priests are to tell everyone about My great and unfathomable mercy"** (Diary, 570).



Known as the "Apostle of The Divine Mercy"





The Chaplet of The Divine Mercy was dictated to Sister Faustina by the Lord Jesus Himself in Vilnius on September 13-14, 1935, as a prayer of atonement and for the appeasement of God's wrath (see Diary 474-476). Those who recite this Chaplet offer to God the Father "the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity," of Jesus Christ in atonement for their sins, the sins of their loved ones, and those of the entire world.

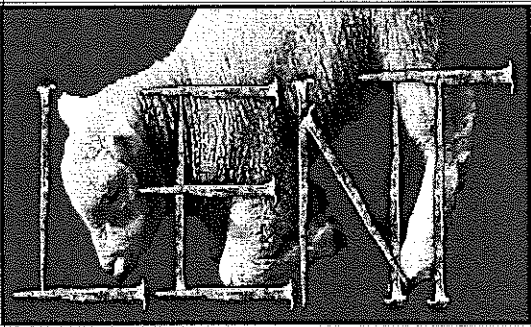
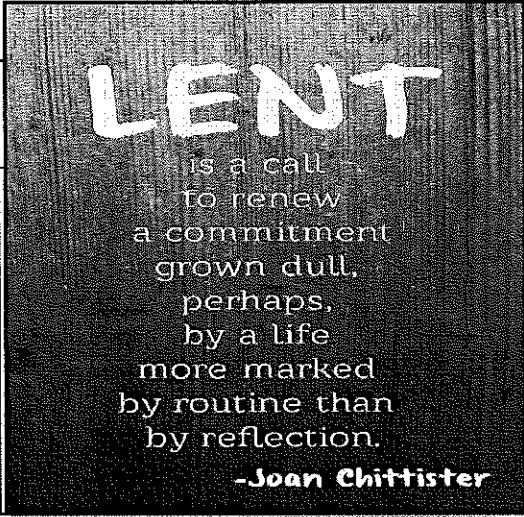
* Jesus said, **"When this chaplet is said by the bedside of a dying person, God's anger is placated, unfathomable mercy envelops the soul"** (Diary, 811).

* **"The general promise says: "It pleases Me to grant everything they ask of Me by saying the chaplet"** (Diary, 1541) **"...if what you ask for is compatible with My will"** (Diary, 1731).

* **"...by saying the Chaplet you are bringing humankind closer to Me"** (Diary, 929). and again: **"The souls that say this chaplet will be embraced by My mercy during their lifetime and especially at the hour of their death"** (Diary 754).

Weekend Mass Ministries

Love as HE Loved  Live As HE Lived  Serve as HE Served

Saturday, April 13th 2019	Ushers	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans
	Jeff Hoffman Mitch Paschke Linda & Joe Rockwell John Teichler Paul Weber	Randy Morrow Peter Kerwin	Annika Olson Elijah Pinkert	Cathy Costelow
	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters		
	Laura Hoffman H-LF Barb Chisholm H-RB Cindy Weber H-LB Mary Morrow C-RF Hilary Stauber C-LF Anna Larsen C-RB Mac Schueppert C-LB - Choir	Maureen Weber Jan Gigstead		
Sunday, April 14th 2019	Ushers	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans
	Bruce Shewchuk Tom McCaulley Stewart Fett Open	Louie Janda Max Martin	Tristan Brilla Jordis Brilla	Bill Graf
	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters		
	Mary Penovich H-LF Barb Spude H-RB Emery Berns H-LB Deb Hogan C-RF Tom Knab C-LF Pam Marsh C-RB Kim Rubens C-LB Randy Rubens – Choir			
	Sunday Social	Assisted Living Homes Eucharistic Ministry		
Christ Child Society	Bill Graf			



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'Unplanned' seeks to make abortion 'unthinkable,' says Abby Johnson

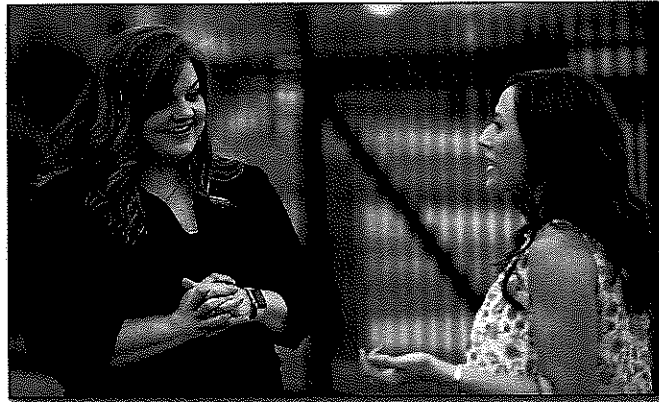
BY AMANDA LAUER | FOR THE COMPASS

APPLETON — "For a long time, people have been waiting for this legislative cavalry to show up and, with one sweep of their swords, make abortion illegal. I think it's pretty clear that that isn't going to happen," said Abby Johnson, whose life story is depicted in the movie, "Unplanned," which opens nationwide on March 29.

"We have to start focusing on making abortion unthinkable in our society, our communities and our churches," Johnson told The Compass in a telephone interview March 13.

That is exactly what Johnson hopes will happen after people see "Unplanned," which is adapted from her best-selling book, "Unplanned: The Dramatic True Story of a Former Planned Parenthood Leader's Eye-Opening Journey across the Life Line."

The movie offers a stark depiction of what goes on in an abortion facility and the abortion industry itself. Johnson, during her eight-year career with



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Abby Johnson, left, is seen on the set of the movie "Unplanned" with actress Ashley Bratcher, who plays her. The movie details the story of Johnson, a former Planned Parenthood administrator who quit that job to join the pro-life movement after her upclose interaction with abortion.

Planned Parenthood, was the youngest person to be appointed director of one of their clinics. She quit her job in October 2009 after participating in an abortion procedure for the first time.

"Unplanned" is billed as a pro-life movie, but Johnson knows that people from both sides of the abortion debate will be in the audience.

Screenings of the movie have shown promising results, she said. "We've already heard stories of people who are pro-choice who have gone to various screenings and said, 'My opinion has now changed on abortion,'" Johnson added.

Our full story appears in the March 22 issue.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In our continuing catechesis on the "Our Father," we now turn to the third invocation, "thy will be done." We see God's will revealed in the person of Jesus: to seek out and to save that which is lost. If we do not appreciate this we risk misunderstanding the meaning of the third aspect of the "Our Father." We can affirm, however, without a doubt, that God's will is indeed for the salvation of all mankind. Our prayer, then, is offered by children who know their Father's heart and are certain of his loving plan. This prayer, moreover, inspires in us the same desire for the Father's will as we see in Jesus, especially when, in the garden of Gethsemane, he prayed, "Father, if you are willing, remove this chalice from me; nevertheless not my will, but yours, be done" (Lk 22:42).

+ Pope Francis,
March 20, 2019

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'Llamas for Love' project a success at Shawano school

BY BOB ZYSKOWSKI | FOR THE COMPASS

OSHKOSH — Four-year-olds in Shawano made a special gift to people in faraway Bolivia this winter. Llamas. Three of them.

Thanks to fundraising by the 4K class at Sacred Heart School, three Bolivian families will be able to purchase the animals that

support their unique culture.

Along the way in their "Llamas for Love" project, the 12 little ones in Michelle Powers' class learned about that culture, could point to Bolivia on a map, practiced public speaking, worked on their printing skills and came to understand how they could follow Jesus' teaching to love and help others.

Powers, a second-year teacher, said she was looking for a community service project that her young pupils could do. Classes throughout Sacred Heart had already taken on a number of service projects and there have been a variety of school-wide activities, too.

Searching the diocesan World Mission Services Project booklet,

produced by the Catholic Foundation, "The llamas project caught my eye," Powers told The Compass. The goal of \$100 for a Bolivian family to buy a llama seemed doable, "and I knew llamas would definitely appeal to the kids."

Our full story appears in the March 15 issue.

5 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Divine Mercy

PATRICIA KASTEN | THE COMPASS

- 1** Divine Mercy Sunday was designated by St. John Paul II in 2001. It falls on the Sunday after Easter Sunday; the Second Sunday of Easter, which has also been known as "Lovv Sunday."
- 2** Jesus as Divine Mercy is based on the private visions of St. Faustina Kowalska of Vilnius, Poland.
- 3** In 1934, St. Faustina's confessor, Fr. Michael Sopocko, commissioned a painted image of Divine Mercy.
- 4** The image of Divine Mercy shows Jesus' heart pouring out two rays of light — one red and one pale in color. In a vision, St. Faustina said Jesus explained that "the two rays denote blood and water."
- 5** The Novena (nine days of special prayer) of Divine Mercy begins on Good Friday.

'Unplanned': The truth about abortion

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Recently I viewed the movie, "Unplanned," which tells the extremely powerful story of Abby Johnson and her journey from an entry-level employee with Planned Parenthood to the director of the clinic where she had her own personal experience of abortion earlier. Abby recounts her thinking, coping mechanisms and struggles to be set free from the clutches of this industry. Through accompaniment by Shawn Carney, the founder of 40 Days for Life, his wife and the group that prayed for her without judgment, Abby was able to experience the mercy of God and helped to transition out of the snares of the abortion industry.

BISHOP'S CORNER

Bishop David Ricken

Abby is one courageous woman. She is taking the remorse for her involvement in this industry and turning it into helping people see this for what it really is. Most people do not want to end their baby's life but are caught in the vortex of pressure, real and feared, and then walked through this decision through the misuse of compassionate language to give cover to their activities. The message of the movie is not to judge the women who find

themselves in this situation, but to love them enough to show them the truth about abortion.

The relentless push to sanction abortion by state and national leaders, funded by very large donors who make their donations in the name of women's rights, completely ignores the loss of life of the most voiceless and defenseless. Now as we see in New York, some are trying to justify abortion through all stages of the pregnancy and even questioning whether babies born alive during abortion deserve to receive proper medical care.

In doing so, abortion advocates not only ignore the rights of the baby in the womb, they back women into a corner, leading them to believe that the only way they can maintain their own freedom is by taking away the life of their child. You see, babies are not the only victims of the abortion industry. This industry victimizes the mothers, the fathers, the siblings, the grandparents and even the workers themselves. As a tool of the culture of death, abortion infects our entire society.

This is why the Catholic Church has remained firm in its commitment to life in all its stages. We must commit ourselves to praying for all people who are affected by abortion, for the babies, their mothers, the family members and even the providers.

The entire column appears in our March 22 issue.

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The Hortonville Area United Fund recently donated over \$200 of personal care items to the Leaven satellite office, located at SS. Peter and Paul Church in Hortonville. The items help meet personal hygiene, baby care, laundry and other needs for families facing financial crisis. Pictured are Leaven volunteers Randy Remiker, left, Tom Brunner, Nari Comber and Ann Knuppel.