



## MASSES and/or COMMUNION SERVICE

### Saturday, June 1

4:00 PM Heindel, Weyers & Warren Families

Requested by Charles & Dolores Heindel

### Sunday, June 2 The Ascension of the Lord

8:00 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

10:00 AM Dorothy & Robert Tice

Requested by The Tice Family

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

### Tuesday, June 4

7:00 PM Bob & Eunice Graf

Requested by Family

### Wednesday, June 5

8:30 AM For Bruce & Sandy Shewchuk

Requested by Dolores Bauer

### Thursday, June 6

8:30 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

### Friday, June 7 Adoration

8:30 AM Fr. Leroy Smet

Requested by Fr. Bob Stegmann

### Saturday, June 8

4:00 PM Frances Watkins

Requested by Theresa Watkins Chayer

### Sunday, June 9 Pentecost

8:00 AM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

10:00 AM Lee Graf

Requested by Family & Friends

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

### **THIS WEEK'S READINGS**

Monday: Acts 19:1-8 \* Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27 \* Jn 17:1-11

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38 \* Jn 17:11-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 \* Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13-21 \* Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28: 16-20, 30-31 \* Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11 \* 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 \* Jn 20:19-23

### **Reflection for the Ascension of Our Lord**

Jesus Christ ascends into heaven opening an eternal home for us His adopted sons and daughters. Rejoice!



He was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight  
(Acts: 1-9)

### **Summary of Contributions Received:**

	Week Ended	Year to Date
	5/31/2019	Since 7/1/2018
Adult Envelopes	\$ 4,155	\$226,178
Online Giving	306	32,662
Visitor Envelopes	265	13,517
Loose Collection	794	29,994
Unrestricted Donations		<u>28,138</u>
Total Contributions Received	\$ 5,520	330,489
Budgeted Contributions	\$ 7,424	351,581
Surplus/ (Shortfall)	\$ (1,904)	(21,092)

### **Vigil Candles**

This week we have 5 lights lit for the following intentions. They stand as silent but bright signs of the prayers offered by those who light them.

Howard & John Schlise Families: Requested by their Families

Special Intentions: Requested by Susan & Ed Hunsader

Floyd, Leona & Jim Martin: Requested by Deacon Ken

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

For members of the Gosser Family: Requested by Rebecca Gosser

*The June tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Georgiana Bourgouin.*

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

On June 7th, Eucharistic Adoration will be held at St. Joseph Church following the 8:30 AM Liturgy. Everyone is invited to stop in for a short or long time until 12:50 when Deacon Ken will preside at the benediction that will close this prayer time. Volunteers that signed up for an hour are asked to cover their specific time or ask a friend to do so

On this First Friday of the month, we are invited to pray with Pope Francis, "During this month of June, we lift up all priests: may they through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are the most poor".

### **Home Missions-Our Own Needs Collection – June 8-9, 2019-Strengthening the Church at Home**

The four major beneficiaries of this collection are:

**The Catholic Communications Campaign** connects people with Christ through media programming to promote Gospel values. Half of the funds collected remain in our diocese to fund local communication efforts.

**The Catholic Home Missions Appeal** assists over 85 Home Mission dioceses in the United States. They offer financial assistance so that they can provide basic pastoral services such as Mass, the sacraments, and religious education needed in their communities.

**Black and Native American Missions** – exist to build Christian communities among the Native American, African American and Alaska Native people in the United States.

**The Catholic University of America** Every donated dollar to this collection supports scholarships to assist financially deserving students in completing their education. Alumni include 12 living Cardinals, one third of U.S. Bishops and over 12,400 priests.

**Envelopes can be found in the pew or at the Parish Office.**

*St. Joseph, Pray for us.*

### Disciples on the Way

#### Prayer Art Journaling

with Nicole Herbst

Journaling is not a new concept to many. **Art journaling** however may be another story. These workshops will open you up to your artistic side as a way to reflect, gather and express your thoughts. Each month Nicole will work with newcomers getting started and offer new techniques for those returning. The cost is \$5.00 for supplies, \$10.00 for newcomers needing a journal. The next workshop is **Sunday, June 30, 2-4 pm** in the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. New and returning participants should call 743-2062 to register by the Wed. before the event.

#### Faith Weavers

How are the Sacred Words of our Lord, written so long ago, in a different place, a different time, and a whole different culture relevant for us today you ask? You are invited to this discussion group, **Tuesdays, 10:00 am** at St. Joseph Faith Formation Center **and/or Thursdays, 9:15 am at SS. Peter & Paul** in the Parish Center to break open the Word and discuss ways to “weave” these life-giving words into our everyday lives.

#### Marian Pilgrimage

Join us on a Marian Pilgrimage to The Rudolph Grotto Gardens, Mary of the Angels Chapel & The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Rudolph and LaCrosse, Wisconsin. **Wednesday-Thursday, September 11 - 12, 2019.** \$249 covers tours, transportation, lodging, all meals & cruise.

- We will attend daily Mass, tour devotional areas and visit gift shops. Stroll through the Grotto Gardens, built to thank Mary for the healing at Lourdes.
- Wednesday night cruise the Mississippi River on the La Crosse Queen.
- Visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, with its many devotional areas, where you can earn a plenary indulgence. The Shrine is a place of ceaseless prayer for the welfare of God's children, born and unborn
- Pray in the Mary of the Angels Chapel where uninterrupted perpetual adoration continues into its 142nd year of this site.

**RESERVATION and REFUND Deadline: Friday July 26.** Without 22 people signed up, we will have to cancel. Tours & lodging questions, call Sara Buscher, 818-0845. Registration questions, call Penny Biwer at 743-2062. Forms are available in parish office or church entrance.

#### Come Join the Fun!

**What:** Vacation Bible School 2019

“A Radical Ride on the Wings of Prayer”

**When:** Monday, August 5 - Friday, August 9

8:00 am-Noon

**Where:** St. Joseph Faith Formation Center

This week of fun is for youth who have completed grades K-4 (this year). Cost is \$20.00. Grades 5 & older (adults included) are invited to attend as helpers. Registration forms are available in the parish office or church entrance. Questions call Penny at 743-2062.

***Scrip is fundraising while you shop!  
Got Scrip?***

### This Week in Our Parish

#### Sunday, June 2

Sunday Social following the 10:00am Mass in the Social Hall

#### Monday, June 3

**Fr. Bob's 24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination**

#### Tuesday, June 4

Scripture Discussion 10:00am - Faith Formation Center

#### Thursday, June 6

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

#### Sunday, June 9

Sunday Social following the 10:00am Mass in the Social Hall

### Edge and Life Teen

#### Middle & High School Religious Education

2019 Graduates,

Always remember—you are **braver** than you believe, **stronger** than you seem, smarter than you think, and **loved** more than you know. You are a beloved son/daughter of God. You will always have a home at the parishes in Sturgeon Bay. We can promise you this: your future is bright, full of joy, happiness, challenges, and probably some really hard times. You have a community with the Catholic Church. We are here for you—during those good and not so good times.

Congrats to all the graduates from Sevastopol, Southern Door, and Sturgeon Bay! We couldn't be more proud of you!

Please pray for 4 of our adults who will be heading to Arizona in just one week for a **4-day training** on Life Teen and Edge! We are so excited for the conference to pray, dream, and vision about the future!

#### Mission Trip Update

If you are on Facebook and want to follow the journey of the 2019 Mission Trip to St. Louis, go join “[Life Teen Restore 2019 St. Louis](#)”

Sarah will be updating often during the trip! We leave on Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup>. We really do appreciate all of you prayers and support. Sarah needs all cards to participants by June 13<sup>th</sup> to the Corpus Christi office. Thank you in advance for taking time to write and support them.

Middle schoolers leave for Shawano on July 7<sup>th</sup>. Preparation and planning is going very well. We are getting excited about what God has in store for us!

Stay tuned for other fun adventures, service projects, and scripture studies!

#### Bishop's Appeal 2019

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

Collected to date (May 21) .....\$28,178.50

*As Disciples of Christ, Please give generously*

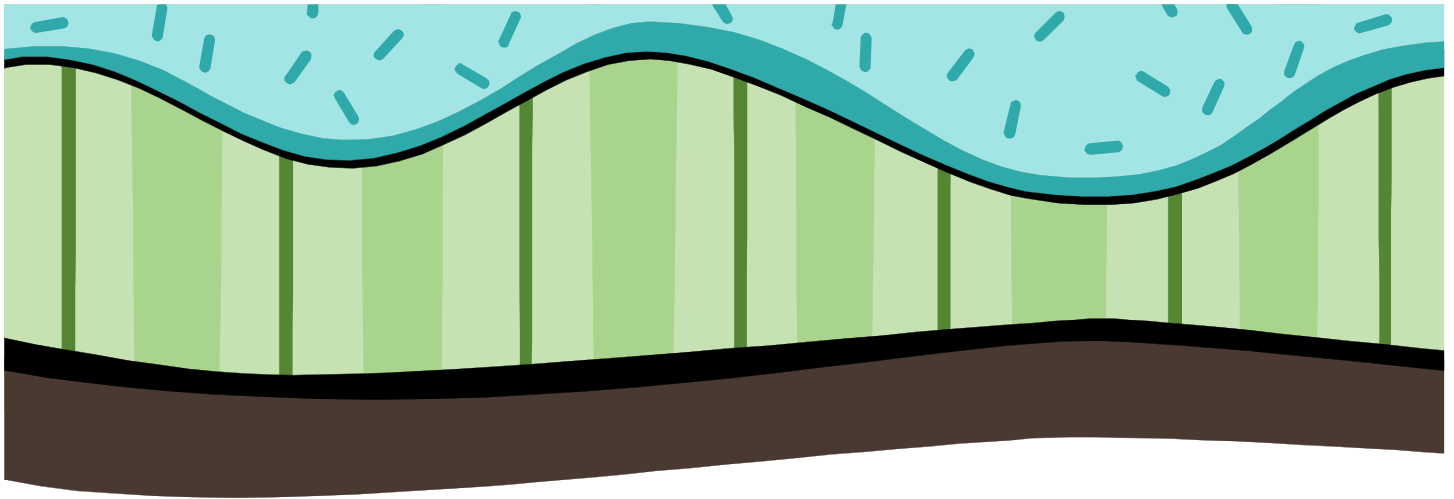


#### Wedding Banns

We pray for those preparing for holy matrimony:

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Alayna Cotter & Adam Gajewski



## Fr. Bob's 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Challenge

Help St. Joseph Parish eliminate our deficit and build for our future.  
If 600 parishioners donated \$60, we would raise \$36,000!  
How wonderful that would be.

**\$60.00 for his 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday**

Please, consider a special year-end gift to the church.  
If we all join together, and follow God's plan, we will meet and exceed  
this challenge!

