



**MASSES  
and/or  
COMMUNION SERVICE**

Following the directions of the Diocese of Green Bay and the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, St. Joseph Parish doors will be closed until further notice. The Parish office remains open for phone calls and emails only Monday – Thursday 8-4:30 and Fridays 8-12. **May God watch over us and bless us during this time.**

**We are on the Radio, WBDK 96.7 Sundays 8:00am This weekend's Mass is sponsored by the John Teichler Family. Also, on Spectrum Cable TV channel 989 Fridays 9am and 6pm and Sundays 1pm and 6pm.**

**THIS WEEK'S READINGS**

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 \* Jn 8:1-11  
 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: Mt 21:1-11 \* Is 50: 4-7 \* Phil 2:6-11 \* Mt 26:14-27:66

**Vigil Candles**

This week we have 8 lights lit for the following intentions. They stand as silent but bright signs of the prayers offered by those who light them.

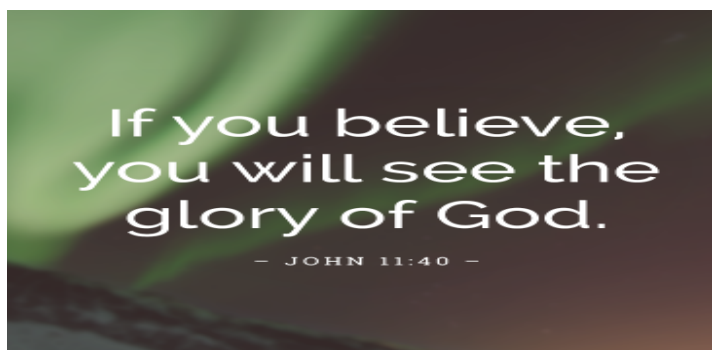
Gloris Arndt: Requested by Maureen Weber  
 Tom Lodl: Requested by Eunie  
 Fred & Anna Long: Requested by Renie May  
 Jerry & Mike Bauer: Requested by Dolores Bauer  
 Special Intentions: Requested by Lawrence & Mary Tanck  
 Special Intentions: Requested by Susan & Ed Hunsader  
 Jeffrey Scott Makie-now and forever-amen: Requested by his wife, Diane  
 Jerry & Mike Bauer: Requested by Dolores Bauer

***The April tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Fuzz & Terry Bubnik.***

***Reflection for the Fifth Sunday of Lent***

"Come, Lazarus," the Savior called; and from the stony grave Came forth his friend, from death enthralled to show God's power to save.

Christ reveals His forthcoming Resurrection and His pledge for our new life in Him.



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**Almsgiving**

Items may be dropped off by the Parish office door on 526 Louisiana St.

Monday – Thursday 8-4:30 and Friday 8-12

**Week Five: Feed My People:** Nonperishable food.

**Week Six: Adopt a Soldier:** Pudding or fruit cups, fruit snacks, frisbees, peanut butter, jelly (in plastic jars) and fixings for S'mores.

**Faith Formation/Youth & Adult**

- All Genesis Religious Education classes are canceled until further notice.
- First Communion Retreat for April 4 is canceled and will not be rescheduled.
- RCIA classes are canceled until further notice including the retreat for April 4.
- Tuesday Bible Discussion canceled until further notice.

**Edge and Life Teen**

**Middle High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry**

We will laugh together again. –Pope Francis

I am so thankful that Pope Francis has offered the world hope. We all need it right now. This too shall pass, please know we are praying for all of you.

We are going to continue ministering to our young Church digitally! **Parents, please stay tuned to your email.** Sarah is working on setting up weekly meetings with teenagers on Sundays, and Wednesdays for middle schoolers. In fact, Life Teen International has set up a Global Life Night that will take place every Sunday during this crisis at 4pm! How cool is that? Our youth will join so many youth in a Life Night experience! The first Global Life Night is Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>!

We will also be offering small group conversation and bible studies for middle and high school students.

Stay tuned to Facebook (Sturgeon Bay Edge and Life Teen) and your email so you know the platform we will be using and how to be part of one or all of our opportunities.

As of today, our mission trip is still ON. Life Teen is working very diligently on making the right choice, but wants to wait a few weeks to see what happens with COVID-19.

Our Core Teams are still “meeting” and praying for the youth and their families of Sturgeon Bay.

I can't wait to see and hug you again!

--Sarah