



The sower in the parable is careless; seeds were expensive, and he would have needed to take better care of them. Our seeds are Words of God; do we study them carefully and practice them in our good soil?

Together We Celebrate

Saturday, July 11

4:00 PM - **Florence, Charles & Ann Knab**

Requested by Tom Knab

6:00 PM @ SS Peter & Paul

Sunday, July 12

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM - **The Living & Deceased Members of St. Joseph & SS. Peter & Paul Parishes**

1:00 PM Spanish Mass @ SS Peter & Paul

Wednesday, July 15

8:30 AM - **To my glorious mother June Kuehn DeMeuse:**

Requested by her loving son, Danny

Saturday, July 18

4:00 PM - **The Living & Deceased Members of St. Joseph & SS. Peter & Paul Parishes**

6:00 PM @ SS Peter & Paul

Sunday, July 19

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM - **Thomas Webb:** Requested by his family

1:00 PM Spanish Mass @ SS Peter & Paul

Church is open for private prayer ½ hour before each Mass.

St. Joseph Mass is on TV

St. Joseph Parish weekend Mass is televised on Cable TV, **Channel 989** on Sunday at 1:00 PM and 6:00PM and again on Friday at 9:00AM and 6:00 PM.

Confession is available by calling the parish office 743-2062 for an appointment.

Breaking Open the Word

Monday: Is 1:10-17 *Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9 *Mt 9:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 12 *Mt 13b-16

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 *Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 *Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5 *Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19 *Rom 8:26-27 *Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

Knights of Columbus Family of the Month

The Knights of Columbus Council 2478 have selected the **Gerald A Mancheski Family** as the Family of the Month. Each month the council selects a family from one of the four parishes: Corpus Christi, St. Joseph, Holy Name of Mary, and Saints Peter & Paul. It is not required that a KC member be a part of the nominated family. If you would like to suggest a family for nomination, contact a member of the KC Council 2478. Congratulations and many blessings!

Vigil Candles

This week we have 17 lights lit for the following intentions. They stand as silent but bright signs of the prayers offered by those who light them.

Jeffrey Scott Makie-now and forever-amen:

Requested by his wife, Diane.

Lucille & Roy Renier: Requested by her family

Special Intention: Requested by Betty Lindsley

Mitch & Lawson Paschke: Requested by Marie

Special Intention: Requested by John & Maggie Coonan

Rehrauer Family: Requested by Dr. Thomas & Mary Rehrauer

Special Intention: Requested by Joseph Bourgouin

Special Intention: Requested by John Teichtler

Special Intention: Requested by Dean & Susan Anschutz

Special Intention: Requested by Darrell & Beverly Sternard

Jennifer Charley: Requested by Loretta Gierhahn

Special Intention & For our parents: Requested by Judy & Gary

Special Intention: Requested by Charles & Betty Bordeau

Jerry & Mike Bauer: Requested by Dolores Bauer

Special Intention: Requested by James & Barbara Tabaska

Bill & Shirley Moeller: Requested by Andy Johnson

Special Intention: Requested by Teresa Phillips



The July tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Delfosse and Dhuey Families.

Summary of Contributions Received:

	Year to Date Week Ended	Since
	<u>7/10/2020</u>	<u>7/1/2020</u>
Adult Envelopes	\$ 4,504	\$ 9,016
Online Giving	1,996	2,181
Visitor Envelopes	170	305
Loose Collection	405	1,167
Unrestricted Donations	<u>20</u>	<u>3,455</u>
Total Contributions Received	7,095	16,124
Budgeted Contributions	<u>\$ 6,337</u>	<u>15,129</u>
Surplus/ (Shortfall)	\$ 758	995



Please Consider Online Giving – a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy!

Visit our website, www.stjosephsb.com and click our Online Giving link. When you participate, your gift will be securely transferred directly into the parish bank account. Thank you for donating! Call the parish office with any questions regarding setting up your Online Giving account at 920-743-2062.



Bishop's Appeal 2020

Bishop's Appeal Required Funds..... \$33,694.00

Collected to date (6/30)\$32,785.00

Only \$909.00 to reach our goal!!!

Thank you so much for your support!

Faith Formation/Youth & Adults

Summer Beach Online Felt Painting

Nicole invites you to a live online Zoom session!
Aug 23, 2020 - 4:00 pm (CT)



Purchase your kit by the end of July to guarantee shipment in time for the session. Order your kit for special 20% discount through the following link & code:

<https://feltedsky.com/collections/painting-kits/products/beach-view-needle-felting-kit?variant=31262942298184>

Coupon code for discount: FeltingClass

To join Zoom Meeting on August 23

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/6584679383?pwd=WElaQlhmcTY2MS9CTEVMGMGZlcXNsdz09>

Meeting ID: 658 467 9383

Password: 446444



Online Spiritual Art Journaling Workshop

with Nicole Herbst

Sunday, July 26, 4:30pm to 5:30pm

This month's theme comes from Jeremiah 17:7-8. A "follow along" design layout will be demonstrated using this scripture passage plus opportunities for participants to creatively deviate from the given design if so desired.

Email Nicole Herbst at faith-4-all@hotmail.com for a simple supply list and downloads to help prepare for our work time.

This is a free online workshop for any level supported by the Catholic Adult Faith Formation of Sturgeon Bay.

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Spirituality for the Long Haul - Monica Hilbert

The Time Is Now – Finding in Ourselves the Voice of a Prophet

There is a light in this world. A healing spirit more powerful than any darkness we may encounter. We sometimes lose sight of this force when there is suffering, and too much pain. Then suddenly, the spirit emerges through the lives of ordinary people who hear a call and answer in extraordinary ways. - Richard Attenborough

Who are these ordinary people? They are you and I - ordinary people called to do the simplest, yet most extraordinary things during these critical times. For example, we can choose to wear a mask, social distance, stay out of highly populated groups of people, wash and sanitize our hands. Our actions do not have to be grandiose to be prophetic statements. If they are done with an open, loving heart, a giving heart and tenderness for our fellow human beings, we have discovered the voice of the prophet in each of us.

Like the prophets of old, we are all called to do something. We do not have to part the Red Sea to be a modern-day prophet. Jesus was considered a prophet whose life was often spent doing ordinary things - cared for the sick, spent time with people who were suffering, welcomed strangers, embraced the outliers, consorted with the foreigners. Most of Jesus' life was lived simply, yet he taught powerful lessons.

Edge and Life Teen

Middle High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry

Do you know of someone locally who could use some help at his or her home? Our youth ministry is putting together a few days of service and we need help finding people to serve. We are looking for people who may not be able to do the work themselves or be able to afford to hire someone to help.

We do not have exact dates set yet on when we can help. Due to the spread of COVID-19, we are waiting to set dates hoping that our national numbers start to go down. Please be patient with us. We really do want to help you; we just want to keep everyone safe!

The work we do can only be outdoors due to COVID-19. We are also not construction experts, so big challenging projects probably won't work. But we can do yard work, paint, or do minor repairs. Please contact Sarah at stgavin25@gmail.com if you or someone you know could use the help of our youth.

Have you sent in your donation and t-shirt order for the Walk for a Cause in Memory of Adam LaLuzerne? If you haven't, we need t-shirt orders by July 20th so you can get them in time for our August 8th virtual event. We will mail t-shirts to those outside of Sturgeon Bay but will charge extra for shipping. Please contact Sarah today if you want to get registered and make a donation! Check out the event on Facebook: Virtual Walk for a Cause: in Memory of Adam LaLuzerne. The event page has all of the details you need along with deadlines. If you don't have Facebook, call or email Sarah!

Please follow Sturgeon Bay Edge and Life Teen on Facebook and [@sturg_youth_ministry](https://www.instagram.com/sturg_youth_ministry) on Instagram to stay connected



Welcome to the Lord's Table

Congratulations to Carlos Sanchez and Antonio Sanchez as they celebrate their First Holy Communion this weekend.

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You and I stand in a space between two worlds. The first is the one we were told, and never doubted, would last. The second is the world we are steeped in, the one we are living in now that defies everything we were taught to expect. The future depends on whether we make serious decisions about our own roles in shaping a future that fulfills God's will for the world, or simply choose to suffer the decisions made by others intent on imposing their own vision of tomorrow.

In choosing God's will we say, yes, to living a life of prophetic spirituality, of choice, risk, and transformation. It is about embracing life, the pursuit of wholeness, the acceptance of others, the call to co-creation. Prophetic spirituality is about living out our faith on the streets of the world. Prophets were the sirens in the night, the light in the darkness, sowers of far-flung seeds, the eternal agitators in the soul of the people, torches in the muckiness of confusion. Let the prophet in you cry out. Let the prophetic spirit implant the seeds of new life inside you; a new appreciation of others, a new way of living for God that will enflame your heart to change the world for all of our sakes. Let the spirit emerge through you. Answer the call to do the simplest of things in the most extraordinary way. Be the Light to the world. Our country needs you. God needs you, too. The time is now.