



We are not free of anxieties, but anxious about many things. Our faith in the Lord gives us hope of the future if we but ask him and live the life he desires for us.

Together We Celebrate

Saturday, January 30

4:00 PM – For the Congregations of St. Joseph & SS Peter & Paul Parishes

Sunday, January 31

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM – Georgiana Bourgoiu: Requested Joe Bourgoiu

1:00PM Spanish Mass @ SS Peter & Paul

Wednesday, February 3

8:30 AM– Dolores Bauer: Requested by St. John Vianney Group

Thursday, February 4

4:00 PM Mass @ SS. Peter & Paul

Saturday, February 6

4:00 PM – Mary Mosgaller: Requested by John Mosgaller

Sunday, February 7

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM – Carol Winter: Requested by William & Marion Baudhuin

1:00PM Spanish Mass @ SS Peter & Paul

PLEASE NOTE!

Wednesdays Only – Church is open for private prayer time after Mass until 4:00 pm.

Confession is available by appointment - call 743-2062.

Breaking Open the Word

Monday: Heb 11:32-40 *Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4 *Heb 2:14-18 *Lk 2:22-40

The Presentation of the Lord

Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15 *Mk 6:1-6/St. Blaise/St. Ansgar

Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24 *Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Heb 13:1-8 *Mk 6:14-29/St. Agatha

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21 *Mk 6:30-34/St. Paul Miki & Companions

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7 *1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23 *Mk 1:29-39

St. Joseph Parish Mass Live on Facebook



This week our Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass will be broadcast on Facebook. Join

us live on our Facebook page at 4:00 pm or you can view it at any time.

<https://www.facebook.com/St.JosephCatholicSb>



First Friday Adoration

There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, February 5 after the 8:30am Mass, closing with Benediction at 12:45 pm.

Summary of Contributions Received:

	Year to Date Week Ended	Since
	<u>1/29/2021</u>	<u>7/1/2020</u>
Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,589	\$ 149,450
Online Giving	1,484	37,557
Visitor Envelopes	610	5,970
Loose Collection	228	8,164
Unrestricted Donations	<u>2,000</u>	<u>24,807</u>
Total Contributions Received	5,911	225,948
Budgeted Contributions	\$ <u>6,337</u>	\$ <u>220,257</u>
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$ (426)	\$ 5,691



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. Thanks for donating! Call the parish office with any questions regarding setting up your Online Giving account at 743-2062

Vigil Candles

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

Special Intention: Requested by William & Marion Baudhuin

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Jeffrey Scott Makie-now and forever-amen:

Requested by his wife, Diane

Robert “Rumpy” Hunsader: Requested by his wife Nancy

To remind everyone of social distancing, wear a mask and stay home: Requested by a parishioner.

Mitchell Paschke for health & healing: Requested by Marie

Cindy Tong: Requested by her sisters Sue & Sandy

Bob Olson: Requested by Jack & Dianne Olson



The February tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Dolores Bauer.

Candles have a special place in our faith journey.

Lighting a candle can symbolize the remembering of a loved one or a petition of prayer we make to God. Contact the parish office at 920-743-2062 to have a candle lit for your intention.



Congratulations to **Francis & Barbara Kern** as they celebrate their 65th Wedding Anniversary on February 4th

Genesis Religious Education

Check out the weekly video posted on our Genesis Tri Parish Faith Formation Facebook page!



Edge and Life Teen Middle High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry

We can't do it all on our own. Everyone needs a community to go through experiences with. What better community than the Catholic Church? Being a teen can be messy and complicated to say the least. These times are uncertain and teens are experiencing stresses and pressures as we've never seen before.

Even though we are virtual (temporarily), we are still community and we are here to help teenagers through the stresses of life. We can't wait to see your middle and high schooler at Edge and Life Teen this week!

This week in youth ministry...

Sunday the 31st: Life Teen from 6-7pm

Edge takes place Wednesday February 3rd at 4pm and 6pm.

If you have an Instagram account, please go follow @sturg_youth_ministry



A Delicious Way to Support St. Joseph Parish

Beginning October 20, 2020 until May 21, 2021, The Lodge at Leathem Smith will donate \$1 to St. Joseph Parish for each party's Dine-in or Take-out order.

Please tell them when you place your order that you would like St. Joseph Parish to receive the donation.



Just a Reminder to Purchase Tickets!

St. John Bosco's Gala of Giving

There is still time to purchase a raffle ticket for St. John Bosco's virtual Gala of Giving. Tickets are \$100 each with a chance to win one of five \$500 prizes, a \$2,500 prize or the grand prize of \$5,000. Winners will be drawn live on Facebook on Saturday, March 6th. Please contact the school office to purchase tickets. Thank you for your support!



We are looking for a Coordinator for our Mass on TV and our Mass on Facebook ministry. This person would schedule volunteers to record the Mass for TV.



Saints Peter & Paul Parish is looking to hire someone for bookkeeping, data entry, and general office receptionist in a shared work-load environment. Familiarity with Quick-Books, Microsoft Office, and a willingness to

learn other software is a requirement. This position also involves preparing monthly Balance Sheets and Profit & Loss statements for our Finance Council, budgeting, Annual reports, Diocesan reporting, and account reconciliation.

Send or deliver an application letter to:

Sts. Peter & Paul Parish Office

4767 E. Dunn Rd., Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235-8822

Attn: Fr. Bob Stegmann



A Year to Honor St. Joseph A Lovely New Prayer from Pope Francis

“Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you, God entrusted his only Son;
in you, Mary placed her trust;
with you, Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.”



Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner

Corpus Christi
(Maple Street Parking Lot)
Sunday, February 7
11-12:30 pm

The cost of \$10.00 includes: ½ chicken, mashed potatoes/gravy, coleslaw and 2 dinner rolls.

Dispensation for Sunday Obligation

On Monday, October 5, Bishop Ricken reinstated the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass in the diocese until further notice. Even with the reinstatement, we will continue to celebrate the Mass publicly every weekend and on Wednesdays for those who are able to attend and willing to strictly follow the proper health protocols.

Sponsor Spotlight!

Bulletin sponsorships are essential to our parish's communication efforts. We are so incredibly grateful for the generosity of all our bulletin sponsors. Please take the bulletin home and use the services provided by our sponsors. Tell them “Thank You” when visiting their business or when you see them in Church.

This week we spotlight

Port Side Builders

Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Knights of Columbus Council 2478 of Sturgeon Bay Family of the Month

The Knights of Columbus Council 2478 have selected *The David R. Hunt Family* as the Family of the Month. Each month the council selects a family from one of the three parishes: Corpus Christi, St. Joseph 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 God bless *The David R. Hunt Family!*

Bishop's Appeal 2021

We Rise Again

Kickoff Weekend February 6-7



Spirituality For The Long Haul Monica Hilbert

Divine Rest



One of my most memorable and favorite units of instruction in 5th grade social studies was *Earliest Civilizations – Native Americans of North America*. The objective was to compare and contrast how Native Americans' total way of living and survival was dependent on the environment in which they lived. While there were stark differences among the regions, there were many commonalities that wove the groups together.

As we know from our own grade school social studies, the Native Americans lived off the land. They built their houses, hunted and foraged for food, made clothing, jewelry, tools, toys, musical instruments and even their currency from the natural environment. Much like us, Native American families were extremely busy in every season throughout the year. There wasn't a lot of time to just sit around and think or take time for rest. Their rest had to be deliberate. It was often at night that they would sit close to family by the fire or under the stars and give thanks to Wakan Tanka - The Great Spirit, or the Spirits of the Earth for blessing them with the fruits of her abundance. We, too, need to be deliberate in taking time to rest and be still. Perhaps we can learn a lesson from the Native Americans about the importance of renewal in our own restful times.

Now is the time for all of us to be deliberate and purposeful in taking a step back, to be still, quiet ourselves, to reflect, and just be in the moment. We rush around in so many directions with so much to do and accomplish. And if we don't accomplish all those things, we often feel guilty when we do take time to rest. When the Native Americans took a moment to rest, it also became a part of their work because it was renewal for them. We do not need to add rest to our to-do list as just another thing to do. Rather, we want to rest in order to renew our spirits and souls. We rest to heal our achy bodies, but did you ever think of resting to renew our soul?

We have grown through some changes that have allowed us an opportunity to let go of some of the chaos we have experienced even though we are still surrounded by the virus, and residual effects of politics. It isn't as intense as it was weeks ago, so now is the perfect time for renewal.

The key to experiencing and putting ourselves in a state of renewal is finding things that bring us joy. It could be as simple as a favorite cup of coffee or tea, a craft, book or magazine, a jigsaw puzzle, game or even cooking using favorite recipes. It might even be sitting in a darkened room with a candle burning and listening to music or perhaps no music at all. Winter is a perfect time to do this. Winter is a time of hibernation, rest, and a time of renewal for many animals and plants. Pay attention to how you feel in these down times. Find the things, no matter how small, that bring you joy and renewal. Then rest your heart and soul on those things, allowing yourself to truly be in the moment.

We have been through a lot and it is not over yet. But we can purposefully and deliberately rest a little bit each day. Rest and renew your soul. It needs it. This is a good follow-up to last week's reflection on prayer. Prayer can happen during these moments. Just being in the presence of God is a prayer. Bask in God's love with gratitude, let love and light flood into your heart, giving God's love and peace time to rest in your soul.