# St. Joseph | 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time Catholic Parish | September 28 & 29, 2024 www.MenomonieCatholic.org



# **26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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At that time, John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us." Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me." - Mk 9:38-39

### **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Saturday, September 28 (Eccl 11:9-12:8; Lk 9:43b-45)

1:00 PM—Wedding of Shane Jude Allen Medin & Michelle Ann Rickard

3:00 PM—Private Confession

3:30 PM—Pray the Rosary

4:00 PM Mass—Tony & Josephine Trunkel by Frank & Mary Trunkel

Sunday, September 29

(Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43,45,47-48)

8:00 AM—Pray the Rosary

8:30 AM Mass—Living & Deceased Members of the Shannon

Family by Joe & Joyce Kettner

10:15 AM Mass - St. Joseph Parish Family

5:15 PM—Private Confession

5:45 PM-Rosarv

6:00 PM Mass—StoutCatholic

Monday, September 30 (Jb 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50)

No Services

8:00-9:00 AM—Adoration (The Ministry)

6:00 PM—Bible Study (Conference Room)

Tuesday, October 1 (Jb 3:1-3,11-17,20-23; Lk 9:51-56)

7:00 AM-3:00 PM—Adoration (Church)

8:00 AM Mass—Mike & LaVerne Zeilinger by Marjorie Zeilinger

10:00 AM—Bible Study (Conference Room)

5:00-6:00 PM—Tuesday's Table Meal (Charles Hall)

6:00 PM—RCIA (Conference Room)

6:00 PM—Young Adult Bible Study (Friendship House)

6:30 PM—Knights of Columbus Family Rosary All are Welcome (Church)

7:00 PM—Knights of Columbus Meeting (Charles Hall)

Wednesday, October 2 (Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Mt 18:1-5,10)

8:00 AM Mass—Gina, Jackson & their unborn baby by a Parishioner

8:00-11:00 AM—Rosary Making (Friendship House)

10:00 AM—Visitation for Mary Lehman

11:00 AM Mass—Funeral

5:30-6:30 PM—Elementary Faith Formation (Parish Center)

6:00-7:00 PM—Adoration (The Ministry)

6:30 PM—Feast of St. Francis Pet Blessing (Parking Lot/Gym-All Welcome)

6:30-7:30 PM—Confirmation Service Night (Charles Hall)

Thursday, October 3 (Jb 19:21-27; Lk 10:1-12)

9:00 AM—Coffee & Community (Friendship House)

2:00 PM Mass at The Neighbors—The deceased family members

of Chuck Austad by Fran Frank

5:30 PM Mass at The Ministry

<u>Friday, October 4</u> (Jb 38:1,12-21, 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16)

9:00 AM Mass—Arnie Bauer, Jr. by Jean Zeithaml

LIVING ROSARY AFTER MASS

2:50 PM—Feast of St. Francis Pet Blessing (Parking Lot/Gym-All Welcome)

Saturday, October 5 (Jb 42:1-3,5-6,12-17; Lk 10:17-24)

Anniversary Blessing

Hospitality after Mass

3:00 PM—Private Confession

3:30 PM—Pray the Rosary

4:00 PM Mass—St. Joseph Parish Family

Sunday, October 6 (Gn 2:18-24; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10-2-16 or 10:2-12)

Anniversary Blessing both Masses

Hospitality after Masses

8:00 AM-Pray the Rosary

8:30 AM Mass—Al & MaryAnn Wawrzaszek by the Drzkowski Family

9:30-11:15—Confirmation (Parish Center)

10:15 AM Mass— Deceased Family of Vern & Theresa Caturia

5:15 PM—Private Confession

5:45 PM—Rosary

6:00 PM Mass—StoutCatholic

### **SACRAMENTS**



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 Year-to-Date Total
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 \$ 140,772.00

 Over Yearly Goal
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### **MESSAGE FROM FR. MANO**

Last Monday, three of my Indian Priest friends and I tried our best to cook some south Indian food for 50 of our people. Sorry we could not take more than 50 as it was the first time that we ever cooked for 50. Maybe next time. Sorry for all those people on the waiting list. We made Shrimp Biryani, Raita, Samosa, Naan, butter chicken, veg kurma and rice pudding. We tried not to make it too spicy and hot. Hope you liked it. Thanks Nicki, Linda, Tammy and Karen for taking care of the arrangement.

After reading the stories of Saints, some of us might feel that we are not able to do those great deeds in our lives. Is there anything that we all can do to show our portion for the growth of the Kingdom of God? Generations of Catholics have admired this young saint (St. Therese), called her the "Little Flower", and found in her short life more inspiration for their own lives than in volumes by theologians. Therese's mother died of breast cancer when she was four and a half years old. Her sixteen-year-old sister, Pauline, became her second mother. A few months later, Therese became so ill with a fever that people thought she was dying.

Therese saw her sisters praying to the statue of Mary in her room, Therese also prayed. She saw Mary smile at her and suddenly she was cured. She tried to keep the grace of the cure secret. Later, she also wanted to become a nun like her the other two sisters. But the superior of the Carmelite convent refused to take Therese because she was so young, so the little girl went to the bishop. When the bishop also said no, she decided to go over his head, as well. Finally, they went for an audience with the Pope. They had been forbidden to speak to him but that didn't stop Therese. As soon as she got near him, she begged that he let her enter the Carmelite convent. She had to be carried out by two of the guards.

She knew as a Carmelite nun she would never be able to perform great deeds. " Love proves itself by deeds, so how am I to show my love? Great deeds are forbidden me. The only way I can prove my love is by scattering flowers and these flowers are every little sacrifice, every glance and word, and the doing of the least actions for love." She took every chance to sacrifice, no matter how small it would seem. She smiled at the sisters she didn't like. She ate everything she was given without complaining – to the point that she was often given the worst leftovers. One time she was accused of breaking a vase when she was not at fault. Instead of arguing she sank to her knees and begged forgiveness. These little sacrifices cost her more than bigger ones, for these went unrecognized by others. No one told her how wonderful she was for these little secret humiliations and good deeds.

She died at the age of 24 because of her bad health. She is one of the patron saints of the missions, not because she ever went anywhere, but because of her special love of the missions, and the prayers and letters she gave in support of missionaries. This is a reminder to all of us who feel we can do nothing, that it is the little things that keep God's kingdom growing.

### ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL



On Monday afternoon, Father Tim Oudenhoven, a priest of the Diocese of La Crosse, will visit St. Joe's School for about 45 Catholic Schools minutes. He will give a presentation to our K-5 students.

Father Oudenhoven is on special assignment as Director of the Marian Messengers, a new apostolate in our Diocese, promoting devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe and teaching a Marian Spirituality of Evangelization and Intercession

The goal of the presentation is threefold:

- 1. To show the students how amazing Our Lady of Guadalupe is.
- 2. To give evidence how real God is and how present He is in our lives.
- 3. To talk about vocations and living worthy like St. Juan Diego to God's call in our lives.

We look forward to Father Oudenhoven's visit.

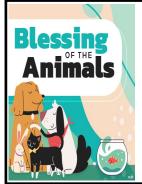
Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> is the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. One of the things St. Francis is remembered for is his love of animals and nature. He is the Catholic Church's patron saint of animals and the environment.

In remembrance of Francis' love for all creatures, Father Mano would like to celebrate the Feast of St. Francis by blessing pets on Friday, October 4th at 2:50 PM. If the weather permits, we will do the blessing outside in the parking lot, otherwise we will be in the gym. All are welcome to bring your pets for the blessing!

Also, on Friday, our 4<sup>th</sup> grade class has been invited to recite the Rosary with the Living Rosary Group from the parish. They will join in this holy time following the 9:00 AM Mass.

May the beauty of Fall remind us of God's abundant grace and blessings! Mrs. Mary Kiefer, Principal

### **BLESSING OF PETS**



Join us for the Feast of St. Francis Pet Blessing Wednesday, October 2nd, 6:30 PM Friday, October 4th, 2:50 PM

### ALL ARE WELCOME!

School Parking Lot (weather permitting) or in School Gym

Pets must be leashed, in a carrier or

### **LIVING ROSARY**



The Living Rosary will gather and recite the Rosary as a group on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, after the 9:00 a.m. Children's Mass. October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary because the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on October 7<sup>th</sup>.

For those of you not familiar with the Living Rosary, our members recite an assigned decade of the rosary each day. It is known as a "perpetual Rosary," meaning that the Rosary to our Blessed Mother is being prayed among the group continuously. There are seven teams, each team consists of the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous (Mystery of Light) Mysteries.

We are always looking for new members to join us. If you are interested in joining the LR, or should you have any questions, kindly contact either Paula Noll at 715-235-0814 or Rita Ulesich at 715-235-3955.

Fellowship and refreshments will follow in the entrance of the church.

Thank you and God Bless you all,

Paula Noll and Rita Ulesich

Carolyn Maves and Sharon Moseler (Honorary Committee)





Saturday,

October 12

2024

Bring a lawn chair



Starting at 11.00AM



Rosary at 12.00PM

## America Needs Fatima

Attend one of over 22,000 rallies that will take place all across America on October 12. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the United States.

# **CONTACT US**

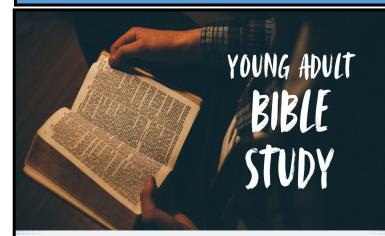


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### PARISH EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES



### BELIEVE: MEETING JESUS IN THE SCRIPTURES

The six sessions in Believe: Meeting Jesus in the Scriptures focus on episodes when Jesus changed people's lives. The questions that follow are designed to spark discussion and allow each of us to consider how the story applies to our own life.

### JOIN US MONTHLY ON TUESDAY

We will meet from 6:00-7:00 p.m. at The Friendship House, 903 Wilson Avenue in Menomonie.



October 1
ZACCHAEUS



November 5 **BLIND BARTIMAEUS** 



December 3
WORRY & FEAR



January 28 HEALING AT THE POOL



February 25



WASHING JESUS' FEET



RAISING OF LAZARUS



Contact Becca Sheahan at director@stoutcatholic.org



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17TH 6:30 PM @ THE FRIENDSHIP HOUSE

THE GROUP WILL DISCUSS UPCOMING BOOKS
AND SCHEDULES...JUST A LITTLE HINT:
THE SHACK
AND
SAINTS BEHAVING BADLY



This Wednesday, October 2 9 - 11 AM St. Joe's Friendship House

Free! All are welcome.

All materials will be provided.

(You are welcome to bring snacks to share if you like.)

For more info: JoyceU@protonmail.com

We will be making rosaries to share at the October 12

Rosary Kally in Wilson park



ALL WOMEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME

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and friends

Thursday,

October 4th



9 AM@ THE FRIENDSHIP HOUSE



Francesca Cabrini, an Italian immigrant, arrives in NYC in 1889 and faces challenges. She convinces the mayor to help the vulnerable, despite her health issues. Cabrini's inspiring story leads to her canonization as the first American saint, known for her work with immigrants.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 5TH MASS 4 PM

PIZZA AND MOVIE IN THE PARISH CENTER
CONFERENCE ROOM AFTER MASS

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO RSVP CONTACT NICKI.WELSCH@MENOMONIECATHOLIC.ORG





ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME PRAY THE FAMILY ROSARY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1ST AT 6:30 PM WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS IN CHURCH.

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### **PCCW**

### 2024 Fall Thrift Sale

Fall has arrived, school has started and that means it's time for another thrift sale. The sale dates are Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM and Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. We are asking for the following items:

- Clean, usable, clothing for men, women and children of all sizes (that means no stains or holes/tears)
- Clean shoes and purses.
- Books (please no teaching books)
- Tovs
- Gently used, <u>clean</u> household and kitchenwares/utensils
- Gently used, clean bedding and linens

**Note:** If items have been stored in your basement, attic or garage, please clean them before donating them.

We are looking for volunteers to help set up on Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup> starting at 9:00 AM. Also, on Saturday morning, October 19<sup>th</sup> we are also in need of trucks, vans, or trailers to help haul away leftover items to Goodwill. We have been done cleaning up by 11:00 a.m. in the past.

With any thrift sale questions, feel free to call Pat Preston at 715 -235-0248 or Rosemary Stoll at 715-235-9684 and leave a message and phone number where we can reach you.

### INDIAN FOOD NIGHT WITH FR. MANO AND OTHER PRIESTS FROM INDIA

A very big THANK YOU to (from left to right in picture below) Father Sebastian (Trempealeau), Father Mano, Father Aro (Cooks Valley, Bloomer) and Father Cruz (Mauston) for using their culinary skills to share with us a taste of their Indian culture, but with a little less heat! It was DELICIOUS!!









### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

### St. Joseph Parish | 910 Wilson Ave. | Menomonie, WI

Parish Center Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM | Phone: 715.232.4922 | Fax: 715.232.4923

Mass: Sat 4:00 PM; Sun 8:30 AM, 10:15 AM; Tues & Wed 8:00 AM; Fri 9 AM

Pastor: John S. Muthu Vijayan (Fr. Mano)

Adoration in Church: Tuesdays 7:00 AM-3:00 PM | Private Confession in Church: Sat 3:00 PM



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### The Parish Finance Council

consists of appointed members who work with the pastor and act justly and prudently in formation and administration of the parish's financial policies, budget and long range planning.

### **Finance Council Members**

Fr. Mano Karen Adams Larry Feiler Priscilla Fuhrman John Heike Jeff Krumenauer *Chairperson* Shirley Riedmann

#### The Parish Pastoral Council

is a consultative body to the pastor with elected and appointed members to help define, plan, prioritize, and carry out the mission of our parish.

#### **Pastoral Council Members**

Anna Beckman Debra Berends John Heike Jason Horzewski *Chairperson* Laura Knudsen Dan Wengel Duane Zweber

### Knights of Columbus:

Catholic men age 17 ½ and older are invited to join the Knights. Scan this QR code with a smartphone/tablet. Enter your info and you will be contacted by a local member. Or contact Bob Brahmstadt Grand Knight at KC2055GK@gmail.com.



### Join Our Parish Community:

Contact Nicki Welsch, or click on "Join Our Parish" at : MenomonieCatholic.org.

### St. Joseph Grade School:

Serving children 3 years old through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. We are a 4K program site and a Wisconsin Parental Choice Program school. Registration for the school year is ongoing. Contact Principal Mary Kiefer with questions or to set up a tour.

### Baptisms:

Contact Nicki Welsch for information and to schedule a baptism.

### Weddings:

Contact the Parish Center at least 6 months before your wedding to set up a meeting with Fr. Mano and begin preparation.

### PARISH PRAYER REQUEST

### Remembering Our Faithful Departed:

As a parish family we remember in our prayers those who have died most recently, their families, and loved ones. May those who have died in Christ now share in His Resurrection:

Mary Lehmann
Arnold Bauer, Jr.
Virginia "Ginny" Schober
Lyle Pelke
Ocille Steinmeyer
Marilyn Timm (mother of Miriam Obradovich)
Loretta Slattery (mother of Cindy Marach)
James Wahl
Myra Klos (mother of Chuck Klos)
Susan Scott
Craig Thull (brother of Janine Thull)
Ben Christianson (father of Ajay & Tammy Christianson)
Kerry Cadotte

### **Parish Prayer Requests:**

We pray for all in our community and in the world who are in need of comfort.

### THE MOST RECENT REQUESTS ARE LISTED BELOW.

VISIT <u>MenomonieCatholic.org/prayer-list</u> FOR THE COMPLETE

LIST WHICH HAS RECENTLY BEEN UPDATED. NAMES WILL REMAIN ON THE WEBSITE PRAYER LIST FOR TWELVE MONTHS. UNLESS OTHERWISE REQUESTED.

Tillie Blair
Beth Wacek
Shirley Faber
Rick Bonte
(friend of Rosie Corcoran)
Noah Gust (Grandson of D

Noah Gust (Grandson of Dave & Lynn Bonjour and Jack & Jo Gust)

Ben Ramaeker (son of Mike & Janice)

Stevie
Karen Patterson
Emilee Probst
Bill Harmon
Bob Swanson
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Pat Trotter
(sister of Joe Kettner)

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