"We are a family of believers from four unique Catholic Parishes who find Home through community, Hope in the Living Presence of Christ, and Holiness in our witness to the world."



## **NOVEMBER 10, 2019**

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Annunciation	Sunday 8:00 am
	Sunday 10:30 am
	Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 9:15 am
	Saturday 4:00 pm

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## Reclaimed

I recently reclaimed my felt hat.

I have a soft spot in my heart for tradition. I grew up with a love for the outdoors and as a kid I would devour Sports Afield and Outdoor Life each



month when they showed up in the mail. And still today, Gordon MacQuarrie is a favorite writer of mine. I have read and reread his Tales of the Old Duck Hunters each year. Even to this old English major I consider them every bit as much of required classic reading as Shakespeare. I'm pretty sure it was in the pen and ink sketches in MacQuarrie's books that made me want to buy the felt hat in the first place. It just felt right to wear it whether paddling, or fishing or grouse hunting.

But my felt hat was "appropriated" by grandchildren a number of years ago. As I recall it was as close to a cowboy hat as they could find during an imaginary "Wild West" weekend. The hat got tossed into the toy bins during clean up. So the last few years it would appear from time to time on various grandchildren during those games of pretend. Meanwhile I resorted to a collection of various baseball-style hats for my hunting and fishing outings.

But recently when I was home alone & packing the truck for end-of-the-season expedition to the trout streams of the Driftless region of southwest Wisconsin I had a moment of inspiration and went upstairs to the "play" room and dug through the bins until I found my felt hat. OK, so with no one else around it wasn't exactly a bold move, but I did chuckle somewhat smugly as I put it on & climbed in the truck.

The fishing during my two-day excursion was fantastic. In fact, I had to "retire" one fly during the afternoon of the second day because it had been so chewed up by trout that it was beginning to unravel. I tucked it in the hatband of my felt hat. It looks "right" there. When I got home the felt hat was stashed with all of my fishing gear; I did not return it to the toy bin.

This would be a good time to think about where your faith life is at. Did it ever make it out of the toy bin? Have you given serious adult time and adult effort into deepening your experience of God? Is your faith based only on tradition? Maybe you do what you do in regard to your faith life because that's what you were taught; it's what your family did. Tradition can be a blessing and long as at some point you claim your faith as your own and you live it out in a way that is meaningful to you. Maybe you lost your faith along the way or you misplaced it or someone or something else caused you to forget about it. You can find it again and reclaim it with God's help. Hopefully your faith life is part of your everyday experience; it looks good on you because you are growing closer to God and closer to living your life as one made in God's own image.

His Peace <>< Deacon Dan



## Calling All Bakers...

### **Donations Needed!**

Bake Sale Sunday, Nov. 17 At St. Joseph

We are asking for any sort of bakery, bars, candies, cookies, or any other Holiday goodies we can sell. Preferably, deliver your donations to the 13th Street entrance on Sat., 11/16 between 1 & 3 pm. We will also be accepting donations as early as 8 am on Sunday morning. Questions, please call Sue at 494-2117.



**Carry-Out Booyah Z Holiday Bake Sale** Sunday, Nov 17 at St. Joseph 9 am until gone Booyah proceeds to benefit the St. Joseph Wildcats Football Team Sponsored by: St Joseph Athletic Club

Volunteers needed... We could use help cutting vegetables on Saturday, Nov. 16, 8-10 am at St. Joseph. Join us!

St. Norbert College Presents:

### **Immigration Laws**

Learn about our nation's laws of immigration, the changes that have been made to immigration laws and the Catholic Church's response to immigration laws.

Monday, November 18th, 6:30pm St. Joseph Church, 1224 12th Ave. Presentation in the Chapel, enter door 5 from 13th Ave



## **Annunciation Mission Society Craft Sale**

Sat, Nov 30, 9 am – 3 pm Annunciation Church, Room 105, enter 1087 Kellogg St. Door #5 in back of school is handicap accessible.

Homemade items including: rag rugs, quilts, afghans, lap robes (both quilted and crocheted), hats, mittens, scarves, baby sweaters, and misc. other items. Please stop by to see what we have to offer. The monies earned will benefit Missions both locally and internationally for those less fortu-**2** nate and in need.



### Santa is coming to Town! **Breakfast with Santa**

Mark your calendars for Sun, Dec 1st for the Knights of Columbus Council #5382 holiday tradition of Breakfast with Santa. The event will be held at St. Jude's Church Hall and will run from 8-11 AM. The Knights will be serving a delicious breakfast of eggs, pancakes and sausages with all the other fixings. A free will offering is requested to help cover our costs and to fund the Knights special charities. Santa will be there along with many other activities for the children young & old. So bring your friends and relatives to this special holiday tradition. It is a great way to kick off the Holiday Season!

### Holidav Senior Gathering

Our Holiday Gathering is being planned for Friday, Dec 6, in O'Brien Hall at St. Patrick's Church - more information will be coming, mark your calendars!

### Annual Parish Reports & Annual Meetings

The annual parish reports are complete & are available in the church entrances. Please take one home with you, review it, and bring it with you to your annual parish meeting. It is important that you attend the meeting as this is your opportunity to hear about how the parish is doing, ask questions, and provide input. Your parish is your home and your involvement is necessary for the continued growth and vitality of your parish.

### Annual Parish Meetings will be held as follows:

All meetings wi	ll be held in church
St. Patrick	Saturday, Nov. 23 after 4:00 Mass
Annunciation	Sunday, Nov. 24 after 8:00 Mass
St. Joseph	Sunday, Nov. 24 after 10:30 Mass
St. Jude	Saturday, Nov. 30 after 4:00 Mass



### **Music Ministry Christmas Party**

All singers, cantors, musicians & their families are invited to our annual Music Ministry Christmas Party Luncheon on Sat, Dec. 7, Annunciation Hall, 11 am-1 pm.

Please bring a dish to pass (main entrée & potatoes provided), a wrapped exchange gift (\$5 value) appropriate for either gender, and your singing voices!



RSVP by calling the office at 496-2160 by Tues, Dec 3. Questions? Call Nancy Lemerond at 496-2160 x129

### With Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the following who have died, and the family & friends who survive them: Mark (Whale) Converse - Annunciation "Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord."



Tuesday, November 12	
8:00 am St. Patrick	Ostenga Family Linda Marie Crooks
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Wednesday, November 8:00 am St. Joseph	13 Jerry Schoen
Thursday, November 14	1
8:00 am St. Jude	Millie VanGrunsven
	Ed Borzych
	Healing for Carol
Friday, November 15	
8:00 am Annunciation	For all those suffering
Saturday, November 16	
4:00 pm St. Jude	Susan Boyce
P	eople of the Quad-Parishes

4:00 pm St. Patrick

### Sunday, November 17

8:00 am Annunciation 9:15 am St. Jude

Andrea Marks Anthony Markon Sarah Peterson Gerald Ott

Walter & Helen Gehde

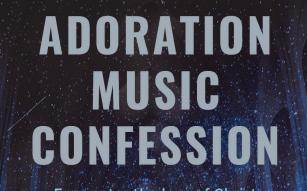
10:30 am St. Joseph Special Intention for Ken Wolfe & Tracy Dewey

### **Rosary & Communion Service**

6:05 am Mon - Fri - St. Jude **Rosary** 3:30 pm Saturday - St. Patrick

### Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:00 pm @ St. Jude & St. Patrick Sundays after 10:30 Mass @ St. Joseph Thursday, 11/14 7:00 pm @ Annunciation



Encounter the love of Christ through prayer and song.

### Thursday, Nov 14

7:00 pm Exposition 7:15 pm Music/Confession 8:15 pm Benediction 8:30 pm Fellowship

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## CALENDAR

### Monday, Nov 11

1-3 pmFood Pantry505 Clinton St.NO Cub Scouts - Troop 1008Annunc Hall6:30 pmBible - Christian MysticalAnnunc. Rm 1056:30 pmVeteran's Day Prayer ServiceAnnunc ChurchNO Boy Scouts - Troop 1008Annunciation Hall

### Tuesday, Nov 12

1-3 pm	Food Pantry	505 Clinton St.
4:15 pm	Choir Practice	Annunc. Church
6:30 pm	Choir Practice	St. Joseph Church
6:30 pm	Boy Scouts - Troop 1010	St. Joe 200-202
7:00 pm	Tae Kwon Do	Annunciation Hall

### Wednesday, Nov 13

9:00 am	Bible - Christian Mystica	Annunc. Rm 105
1:00 pm	Mission Society	Annunc. Mission Rms
1-3 pm	Food Pantry	505 Clinton St.
6:00 pm	English Classes	Annunc. Rm 109
6:30 pm	Spirit Singers	St. Jude Church
Religious Ed: See Faith Formation		

### Thursday, Nov 14

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1-3 pm	Food Pantry	505 Clinton St.
1-4 pm	Love Life (No 5th Thurs)	505 Clinton St.
6:30 pm	Women's Club	St. Jude Café

### Sunday, Nov 17

9am-? Booyah & Bake Sale 9:30 am Young Adult Choir Practice

### Quad-Parish calendar at www.quad-parish.org

St. Joseph

Annunciation



### Jim Ritchay Memorial Holiday Cribbage Tournament

The St. Jude Booster Club is sponsoring a cribbage tournament to be held on Thursday, December 5th, in the St. Jude Cafeteria. Dinner at 5:45 pm, begin play 7 pm sharp The cost is \$40/team (\$20/team member). The format consists of at least 10 games of 4 hand cribbage. The evening will include several 50/50 raffles and plenty of food, snacks and beverages. Come and enjoy the fun. Everyone is welcome! Reservations are a must. The first 100 teams to sign up are in. New spaces are extremely limited due to past success. Please contact Bob Schuurmans at 544-6306 or Rick Burklund at 445-3211 to sign up.

## SAVE THE DATE

	Mon, Nov 11	Veterans Service 6:30pm, Annunciation Church
	Thu, Nov 14	Women's BINGO Night 6:30pm, St. Jude Cafe
V	Nov 16/17	Food Drive for St Patrick Food Pantry All quad-parishes
$\checkmark$	Sun, Nov 17	Booyah & Bake Sale 9 am until gone, St. Joseph
	Mon, Nov 18	Immigration Laws Presentation 6:30 pm, St. Joseph Chapel
	Tue, Nov 19	Movie Day: <u>An Interview with God</u> 1 pm, Annunciation Rm 105
	<u>Annual Meeting</u> Sat, 11/23 Sun, 11/24 Sun, 11/24 Sat, 11/30	s St. Patrick after 4:00 pm Mass Annunciation after 8:00 am Mass St. Joseph after 10:30 am Mass St. Jude after 4:00 pm Mass
	Sat. Nov 30	Mission Society Craft Sale, 9am-3pm Annunciation Rm 105
V	Sun, Dec 1	Breakfast with Santa 8-11am, St. Jude Cafe
	Thu, Dec 5	Cribbage Tournament, St Jude Dinner at 5:45 pm, begin play 7 pm
	Fri, Dec 6	Holiday Senior Gathering, St Patrick 11am Mass, food/social to follow
	Sat, Dec 7	Music Ministry Christmas Party Annunciation Hall, 11 am-1 pm
	Thu, Dec 12	Book Review: <u>Who Is This Man</u> 12 pm, Annunciation Rm 105
$\checkmark$	Fri, Dec 20	Love Life Barnes & Nobel Bookfair 2498 Oneida & online ID#102556205

### Thank you for Supporting Scrip!

Last Week's Sales: \$12,076.00 Profit: \$563.29 Customers: 70 New Customers: 3

Fleet Farm's Toyland is OPEN! Early Christmas shopping begins and we have FF Scrip!!



There are two Scrip purchases every Parish household can make... GROCERIES AND GAS. Check out and pay with Scrip at your grocery store (Woodmans, Festival, Pick N Save, Piggly Wiggly and Walmart) and fill your tank at a Scrip gas station (Kwik Trip, Shell, Fleet Farm) and you are making a donation to the parish that adds up each week.

**Come check out what Scrip has in stock;** several are local businesses! Visit <u>shopwithscrip.com</u> if a vendor isn't on our order form. All the way to the bottom there is a "retailer list" tab to click on.

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#### Coming Attraction: "An Interview With God" Tues, Nov 19, 1 pm Annunciation Room 105 The storyline is about journalist Paul Asher who,

after covering the war in Afghanistan, returns home only to discover his life seems to be falling apart. His marriage seems to be falling apart and his life seems to make no sense. But something very strange happens to him when he is offered the opportunity of a lifetime-a phone call from a mysterious man claiming to be God asking for an interview. Paul takes the bait.

Come join us to find out how this story ends. Refreshment provided, all are welcome and the event is FREE.

### Our Next Book Discussion - Thurs., Dec. 12, 12 pm Annunciation Room 105

We will be discussing "<u>Who is This Man</u>" by John Ortberg. We will order books for those who want them. They are \$16 and must be paid for in advance. We will take orders through Nov 22. After that date you will need to get your own book. Please leave your name, phone number and payment at the Quad–Parish Office.

"On the day after Jesus' death, it looked like whatever mark he left on the world would rapidly disappear. Instead, his impact on human history had just begun."

### Sanctuary Candles ~ Nov 10~ 23

In Memory of Dick & Kitty Hujet - Annunciation Sharon Farr & Family - St. Joseph Don Dufrense - St. Jude Bill Appleby - St. Patrick

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel we find that God is a God of the living, and this is indeed the core of our hope. Jesus has risen and is with us, therefore, at no time should we be without hope for the future. When you give the furniture, household items and clothing you no longer use to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you give hope to your neighbors who have nothing.

### WINTERFEST 2020

Winterfest is alive & well, and scheduled for March! It will be filled with FUN, FRESH ideas. Speaking of FUN and FRESH... the committee is welcoming new members to join this productive group. Call the Quad Parish Office to sign up and/or come to the next meeting: Tuesday, 11/26, 6:30pm, Annunciation Rm 105.



### Calendar Raffle Fundraiser

St. John Paul II Classical School (SJPII), a GRACE school located at St. Philip the Apostle Parish on Green Bay's east side is selling raffle fundraiser calendars. Calendars are \$20 each, proceeds to benefit SJPII. You will have 54 chances to win! A total of \$3800 in prizes!

Get your calendar before and after these Masses

- Sun, Nov 10 10:30am Mass @ St. Joseph
- Sat, Nov 16 4:00 pm Mass @ St Jude
- Sat, Nov 16 4:00 pm Mass @ St Patrick
- Sun, Nov 17 9:15 am Mass @ St Jude
- Sun, Nov 17 8:00 am Mass @ Annunciation

Additional calendars can be purchased at the SJPII office, 320 Victoria St M-F 8:30 to 3:30. Ora pro nobis!



BROWN COUNTY PREVENTION COALITION

The Quad Parishes have been asked to partner with the Brown County Prevention Coalition in a group effort to raise awareness about the risk and prevention of falls in older adults.

A key prevention initiative in Brown County is to reduce falls among the elderly. Falls are the number one injury seen in our four Green Bay Emergency Rooms – with an average of 23 falls each day.

Please pick up a very informative handout at the entrances of the church that will describe your fall risk or someone else's risk that you care about. Our goal is to help older adults stay safe and independent.

Food Drive Nov 16/17

## FOOD PANTRY

To help those in need, our parishes have a food drive the **1st & 3rd Sunday of each month**. Everyone is invited to reach out to the less fortunate by bringing non-perishable food goods or cash donations to Mass. Place them in the buckets at the entrance way of each church.

All donations will be given to St. Patrick's Food Pantry.



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### Awesome work St. Joseph Football Team, Coaches and Athletic Club!

Each fall St. Joseph Parish sponsors the St. Joseph Wildcats middle school football teams for grades 5-8. The football team impacts our communities and supports the youth by teaching teamwork, strong work ethic, life skills and of course football. We are proud of their hard work and dedication. The St. Joseph football team was featured in the October 18th issue of The Compass diocesan newspaper! Check out the full article by stopping by the Quad-Parish website at www.quad-parish.org under "News & Events/Latest News." Go Wildcats!

Help support the St. Joseph Athletic Club & Wildcat football team by joining us in cutting vegetables and chicken for our next Booyah sale! <u>Volunteers are needed on Saturday, November</u> <u>16th, beginning 8am in the St. Joseph</u> <u>Kitchen</u>. Booyah will be sold on Sun, Nov 17! Thank you for your support!



### **GOSPEL TIME**

Children ages 4 through 10 are invited to hear, discuss and participate in activities relating to the readings of the day at their own level. This takes place during Mass in a nearby room of the church with an approved adult. Children will then return to Mass before the Eucharistic Prayer. Gospel Time is free and there's no registration needed!

### Would you like to help with Gospel Time?

All that's required is a desire to help children take a more active part in the celebration of their faith! All materials & training are provided. If you are interested, please contact Kristin LaPlante at klaplante@quad-parish.org or 497-7042. Our goal is to provide & grow the Gospel Time program at each of the parishes:

Annunciation - Sun 8am St. Joseph - Sun 10:30am St. Jude - Sun 9:15am St. Patrick - Sat 4pm

## **FAITH FORMATION**

Mon, Tues, Thurs 8am-1pm, Wed 1-3:30pm Closed Friday. Or, call for an appointment. 936 Ninth St., GB 54304 497-7042

Find Home, Hope and Holiness

RE Classes for Wednesday, Nov 13 4K - Gr. 8 5:30-6:45pm High School 6:30-8pm



Grade 3 Students & Families Teaching on the Mass 5:30pm Wed, Nov 13 St. Joseph Church

We're excited to invite our 3rd grade families to our *Teaching on the Mass* event on Nov 13. This event, lead by

Fr. Dave, is not an actual Mass but a question and answer session in church that explains all the different parts of the Mass and why we do them. Each 3rd grade student should have a family member attend with them. Questions? Contact, Kristin @ klaplante@quad-parish.org or 497-7042 x119.



Wed, 11/20 Alpha Session 2 - Why Did Jesus Die?

### **Catechists Needed**

We are still hoping for 2 Middle School Core Team Members to help round things out for this year. This role is not very stressful or time consuming. It is very fulfilling to be able to walk with our young children and share the faith with them. Our young children are the future of our church and it is important that we invest in them. If interested, contact Kristin LaPlante at 497-7042 or klaplante@quad-parish.org.





## GOOD TO KNOW

### **Dear Parishioners**,

If you or a family member is ever in the hospital and you would like a visit from a priest or a pastoral associate from the parish, please know that you can call the parish directly to let us know. Often times we are unaware of parishioners who are in the hospital and a call to the Quad Parish office would help us in knowing this. Changes in regulations protecting patient confidentiality are in effect at all hospitals. Even when the hospital asks if they may notify us of your admission and you answer "yes", it is still helpful if you or a family member notifies us directly, especially if someone needs to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Due to HIPPA regulations the hospitals are not able to notify us of a patient's condition, which is why your help in letting us know directly would be very helpful. You can also call the Pastoral Care Department at any hospital to notify us on your behalf.

Visiting hospitalized parishioners is an important part of our ministry. Help us to find you and/or your family members when hospitalized - a "YES" answer to "Notify parish?" will usually put you on our parish lists, but it is always a good idea to notify the Parish Office directly to make sure we are notified and also so that we know the patient's condition since the hospital does not release this information to us unless you specifically ask them to. Your help in this matter will help us to be of better service to you.

Article 1421 in the Catechism of the Catholic Church states: *The Lord Jesus Christ, physician of our souls and bodies, who forgave the sins of the paralytic and restored him to bodily health, has willed that his Church continue, in the power of the Holy Spirit, his work of healing and salvation, even among her own members. This is the purpose of the two sacraments of healing: the sacrament of Penance and the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.* 



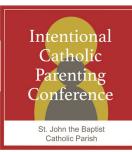
## AREA NEWS



ST.JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH
SATURDAY - NOVEMBER 16TH, 2019
9:00AM TO 12:00PM

#### KEYNOTE SPEAKERS Andrew & Coreen Wagenbach Archdiorese of Minneanolis (St. Baul

Gain insights how to parent with the Catholic Faith in mind, how to set priorities in the context of living out the Catholic Faith and



how to navigate our secular culture with children.

### "Home Sweet Home" Breakfast & Silent Auction Sunday, Nov 17, 9:00am-1:00pm St. Agnes Parish Social Hall, 1484 Ninth St., GB

Homemade pancakes, sausages, hand-spiced apple cider, milk & coffee along with homemade baked goods. Adults \$5 (\$6 at door) – 10 & under \$2 (\$3 at door)

Tickets at St. Agnes Parish Office during business hours. The Silent Auction features baskets with amazing treasures and handmade surprises for you to bid on. You never know what you'll find!

### 7th Annual Holiday Shopping Extravaganza Sunday, November 17, 9am – 2:30pm

**St. Bernard School, 2040 Hillside Lane, Green Bay** You will be sure to find those special gift ideas for the upcoming holidays, vendors include: Alpaca products, Pampered Chef, Tupperware, Thirty-One, handmade doll clothes, jewelry, Christmas décor, crafts and much more. KCs Take out Booyah! FREE ADMISSION to attend, and you can help us stock our food pantry for a chance to win a prize. Especially needed items are- soups, canned vegetables...corn, green beans etc.

Nativity of Our Lord Women's Guild Bazaar & Craft Sale November 23rd, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm, 2270 S. Oneida St., Crafts/Vendor Booths, Granny's Attic, Bakery Booth, Raffle, Food & Refreshments. No strollers. Admission: \$2.00/adult or \$1.00 & a can of food. Please enter through doors 1 & 7 only!

### Cody Clauson Trio Music & Dinner Show Saturday, December 14th - 1:00 PM Show \$70 includes show, buffet lunch, transportation. For reservations, call Judy 499-3248 or Nativity 499-5156. Make check payable to Nativity Parish. Mail payment to

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2270 Oneida St., Green Bay, WI 54304.



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## **VETERANS DAY** HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

## A Prayer for Veterans

Heavenly Father, King and Lord, You instill in all of Your creation an order and value. You call Your children "very good." We surrender to You the conflicts that tear your family apart. We pray for an end to blindness that places pride, greed, power, and selfishness above human dignity and brotherly love. We pray in gratitude for all of those who have defended peace, virtue, and justice with honor. We pray especially for those who have suffered in mind and body from the ravages of war. Let Your Kingdom come! May Your peace that surpasses all understanding reign in our hearts and in our world. Amen.

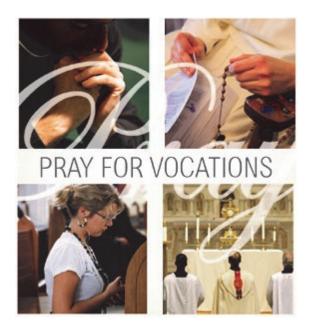


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### **Recycle - Clean Plastic Caps & Soda Tabs**

Recycle your clean plastic caps at the QPO. Caps from water, soda, milk, juice, shampoo/conditioner, laundry, prescription, vitamin, etc. Please, no caps that have a pump as part of them (hand soap). ALSO NOTE: We collect metal soda tabs. They go to the Ronald McDonald House. Thanks!



### Verbal & Bulletin Announcements

To get your event included in the verbal announcements at Mass, please submit your request to <u>jpoehlmann@quad-parish.org</u> or call the parish office by Wednesday, 3 pm. We ask that verbal announcements be no longer than two sentences, especially if it is also in the bulletin. Bulletin requests are due to Laurie by noon on Monday. Thanks!

### NOTICES

**Prescriptions & Health Aids:** Due to unforeseen circumstances the Green Bay Medical Sewing Mission can no longer accept any medications. Individuals can work with the Green Bay Police Dept. regarding proper disposal. We can still accept diabetic insulin/supplies, crutches, wheelchairs, commodes, braces, slings, hearing aids & glasses. They can be dropped off at the QP Office.

## DIOCESAN NEWS

### **Reporting Sexual Abuse**

If you know of an incident of sexual abuse, of a person who is <u>now under the age of 18</u>, by a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer, please <u>immediately</u> call the civil authorities and then the diocese.

If the person was abused as a minor but is now an adult, please contact Office of Safe Environment Diocese of Green Bay, 920-272-8174 or 1-877-270-8174.

We always encourage you to report the incident to local civil authorities. You matter to us - there is hope!

## ATTN: SCRIP CARD USERS

When you pay with scrip or a gift card, do you sometimes have a small balance left on the card? Would you consider donating that card to those in need? We often get walk-ins requesting money to purchase gas, food, or prescriptions. The small balances left on your gift cards could add up to be enough to help someone have their next meal, pick-up a prescription, or purchase gas to get to a doctor appt, an out-of-town funeral, or to work the next day. Cards can be dropped in the collection baskets, or at the Quad-Parish or Faith Formation Office. It would be helpful if you would indicate the balance left on the card.

## P R A Y E R V I N E

Do you have a special need for prayer? If you or someone you know needs a few extra prayers said for them, you can call the Quad-Parish Office at 496-2160.

It is not necessary to give names or specific details. Request examples: "Please pray for Sue (or 'a lady') that is going to Marshfield for testing" or "Please pray for my new grandson who was born two months premature."



**Friendly Reminder:** When going to church, <u>please</u> don't apply perfume or cologne. They can cause irritation or severe reaction to people who have allergies or asthma. Thank you for being considerate of others.

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### M E M B E R S H I P

To register for entrance of family or individual name in Annunciation, St. Joseph, St. Jude, or St. Patrick's registry, contact Sr. Pat, 496-2160.

Your most important commitment and contribution is your presence at the Sunday Eucharist, "...the source & summit of our life is Christ." Beyond that, we are "Sacrificial Giving" parishes, asking that you share your material and financial support, time and talent as God has shared with you, and according to your prayerful decision.

## S A C R A M E N T S

### **Baptism**

We rejoice with you as you look to have your child baptized! For initial preparation and to schedule a date for the Baptism, please call Nancy at 497-7042.

### Marriage

Contact the Quad-Parish Office at least 6 months prior to wedding. Homebound or Nursing Home Visits/

### **Communion Calls**

Parishioners who are unable to attend Mass due to illness or incapacity may request a Minister of Care to visit and bring Communion. Those seriously impaired by sickness or old age may also request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please call Sr. Jan at the Quad-Parish Office, 496 -2160. If it is an emergency after hours, please call 617-8646.

To help us keep track of our parishioners, we ask that families (and neighbors) let us know when a loved one or neighbor is homebound, in a nursing home or in an assisted living facility so that we can provide visits and care. Also, please let us know if someone is receiving Hospice Care so Pastoral Care can be provided at this difficult time.

### Hospitalization

Please ask admitting personnel to inform your parish whenever you or a loved one is hospitalized. If at all possible either a priest or a pastoral associate will visit. Privacy concerns do not permit the hospital to initiate the contact.