

TWENTY-NINETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME † OCTOBER 17, 2021

ST. BRUNO PARISH

"While the world changes, the cross stands firm."

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Bruno Parish is a community of people sharing a common faith in the teachings of the Catholic tradition. We come together to worship God and to spread the Good News that Jesus gave us. Through celebrating Christian unity, we provide emotional support and practice the works of mercy.

Schedule of Liturgies Weekday

Monday 8:00 a.m. Wednesday 8:45 a.m.

Weekends

Saturday 4:00 p.m., Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Reconciliation

1st & 3rd Saturday 10:00 a.m.

Parish Office

NOTE New Hours

Monday & Wednesday: 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Tuesday & Friday: closed **Phone:** 262-965-2332

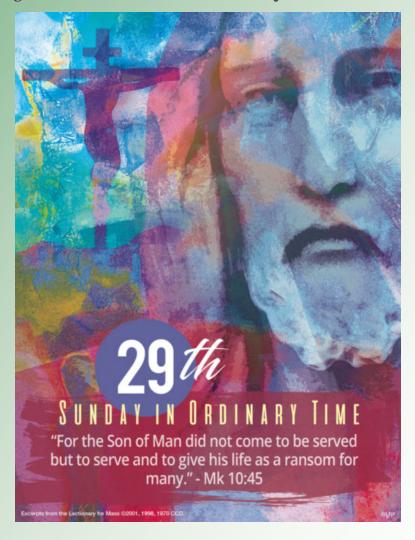
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Father Dan's Weekly Message



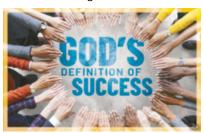
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"What do you wish me to do for you?" Whether we realize it, this is a question God is always asking. It's an important question because the answer we provide will reveal a great deal about where our hearts lie. Our requests of God can often appear very noble and altruistic. They consist of requests for healing for someone in need of prayers, successful resolution of a personal conflict, assistance in overcoming a disease and myriad other desires for both ourselves and others. We are especially concerned about those we love and can easily find ourselves bringing their struggles to God for a hearing in our prayer.

Is that really all that prayer is about? The woman in today's Gospel, having been put in her place by Jesus, was only looking out for the wellbeing of her sons. She was doing what mothers do, protecting and securing the livelihood of her children. But she was sadly mistaken, her request was not granted. We all make this same misguided mistake from time to time. The goal of prayer is not to convince God of the worthiness of our agenda or to gain a hearing. Sometimes we believe that the more we multiply our prayers or discover the right combination of supplications that we will receive more of God's attention. That's not how it works. Even though God desires to hear, know, and be an intimate part of what is on our minds, it goes much deeper.

What we need from God is a relationship. It's a relationship that guides and immerses us in the very stuff of life and in the direction of the Gospel. This relationship sees God's kingdom and agenda, not our own, as what is most important. It builds the strength of character necessary to bring God's Gospel into a world that may not receive it with open arms. It may cause us discomfort and suffering. We are asked to heroically journey with God through suffering, hardship, ridicule, and even death! Ultimately, our desire from God must become our desire for God. It is only when this happens that the powerful words "thy will be done" will be found with sincerity and humility on our lips. Whatever God wishes becomes what we wish as we see this glorious union of wills.

Our humble lives will then become powerful witnesses, and what happens to us in God's eternal kingdom the result of his mercy. We become true servants and find ourselves discovering God's definition of success. That definition has nothing at all to do with status, income, or privilege. ©LPi





Sing to the Lord with Thanksgiving



We are thankful for the musicians providing music for our liturgies as we search for a new Director of Liturgy and Music. In the mean-

time, support our musicians as it says in Psalm 96-**sing** to the Lord, bless His name; proclaim good tidings of His salvation from day to day.

Ways YOU can be involved!

CIRCLE OF LIFE BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

St. Bruno's Circle of Life is looking for new members to help with our ministry. Our mission is to offer support and comfort to those who are grieving. We hold several meetings per year, only as needed. Our activities include sending cards on the anniversary of the death of loved ones, providing materials for those who are mourning, and offering an 8-week bereavement support group in the spring/summer. One of our favorite activities yearly is to make angels for those who attend the Mass of Remembrance, a special liturgy hosted each year in Nov. For more information about our ministry, please contact Sandy, 262-968-4422 Peggy, 262-424-4567 or Pam, 715-223-5523. As it states in the Bible (Mt. 5:3), "Blessed are they who mourn, for they shall be consoled."

COMMUNION MINISTRY

If you know someone who would like communion visits contact Amy Golden. We are also looking for more volunteers who are willing to serve as home communion ministers.

Contact Amy Golden at aldgolden@gmail.com or 262-965-2332

OUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Please invite someone who is looking for a church home to join the Catholic faith, sessions begin in October and meet until the Easter season. We also welcome people who would like to brush up on some of our Catholic faith or would like to be Confirmed. If you would like to attend, please let our team leaders, Beth and Peter McFadzen (bpmc90@wi.rr.com) know so they can send you the reading materials ahead of time or contact Mary Kral in the parish office. The sessions run from 10-11:30am in the Family Room at St. Paul.

Register Now for the 2021 Women of Christ Conference



The 14th annual **WOMEN OF CHRIST® CONFERENCE** will take place on **November 6th, 2021** at Washington County Fair Park. This year's theme, Let Him In, inspires us to invite Jesus into our hearts.

Register: womenofchrist.net /E-Mail: womenofchrist@gmail.com/ Phone: 262-689-9725



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Visit our Parish website www.stbrunoparish.com and click the online GIVING box.

Contact the Parish Office with any questions.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Parish Support: October 2 to October 8, 2021

Regular Parish Support (envelopes/electronic, etc.)	\$30,294*
*\$20K dona	ation included
Offertory	\$431
Children's Offertory	
Total	\$30.725
*Excludes any form of extraordinary income for both years.	

:	Year to Date 7/1/21-10/08/21:	Last Year to Date 7/1/20-10/09/20:
Regular Parish Support*	\$155,951	\$148,141
Offertory:	\$5,577	\$2,364
Children's Offertory:	\$0	\$10
Total:	\$161,529	\$150,515

Mortgage Balance as of 9/10/21\$52,721

Child and Family Ministry

Meet our CGS Team (Kindergarten and Grade 1)

We are happy to welcome Katy Zignego to our team this year. She joins Samantha Wyman-Davis who has been helping with Catechesis of the Good Shepherd since we opened in 2017.

Samantha Wyman-Davis (left) originally from Connecticut, I currently live in North Prairie with my husband Bradley and my 3 daughters: Hayden, Camryn, and Emersyn. I work for the school district of Waukesha, in the Special Education Department. I've been an aide in the Atrium, and am training to assume a lead role. Reading and coloring are two things I love doing in my free time.

Katy Zignego (right) Katy is an aide in the K -1 Faith Formation classroom. Katy is a librarian at the Delafield Public Library, and she and her husband, Tony, have three daughters: Frannie (7) and twins Sara and Mia (5). Katy is originally from Canton, Illinois, and graduated from Bradley University in Peoria, Illinois, with a degree in history. She earned her Master's degree in



public history from UW-Milwaukee. Katy was not raised Catholic, but officially became a Catholic here at St. Bruno this year!

Children in grades K and 1 participate in a program called Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. This is a beautifully simple, "hands on" method of instruction based on the Montessori Method of education. There are 2 simple goals: 1. to help bring children into full participation at Mass. 2. to help bring children into a deeper relationship with God. The classroom is called the Atrium. All of the materials are handmade, and the children learn by using these materials. It is a quiet place, where children can ponder the parables, wonder about the life of Jesus, practice setting the model altar, and celebrate the liturgical seasons.

Adult Formation

Are you here to SERVE or BE SERVED?

James and John ask for places of honor and Jesus reminds them that to be great is to be a servant. Among his followers He does not want them to be lording authority over anyone else. Whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served

but to serve. Through His example, Jesus lived a life of service and in the greatest act of service and love, gave His life to release all of us from sin. What is our response to this? The Baltimore Catechism of my youth comes to mind: Why did God make vou? God made me to know Him. to love Him, and to serve Him in this world, and to be happy with Him forever in heaven. Jesus experienced it all; he "gets" us because He was one of us. So how can you serve Him? How do you know which gifts you are supposed to be



using for His purpose? Well, have you asked Him? Have you opened His Word and read it, chewed on a passage? Find a quiet spot in nature to sit with Him.

He made you, he "gets" you, so start with Him. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has similarly been tested in every way...so let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help. Mary Kral, mkral@stpaulgenesee.net

Blood Pressure Screenings Oct 16/17, Nov 20/21 & Dec 18/19.

Please contact Anna Marie at 262-392-2516 with questions.

St. Bruno Parish School

Two Part Time Positions Available

- Our school seeks a half-time 4K teacher for afternoons as our preschool is expanding to two afternoon classrooms in order to maintain small class sizes. This position is open now and interviews will be held within the week. Qualifications include a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education and Wisconsin Teacher Certification that includes 4 year and 3 year Kindergarten. St. Bruno Parish School Early Childhood program follows the Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards (WMELS). Safeguarding All God's Family training and a successful background check are required. A Catholic educator is preferred but not essential.
- We have an opening for an adult supervisor for our After School Care Program. This position will be for 2-3 days/week, from 3:30 - 6:00 p.m.

If you have questions or are interested in either position please contact Mary MacDonald, Principal, at 262-965-2291 or mary.macdonald@stbrunoparishschool.com

Help Support St. Bruno School and buy SCRIP!

Scrip is an easy way to raise money for our school without spending any extra. There are several ways to order scrip including using the

MyScripWallet.com website using our school's enrollment code: 79F86E47777 Contact Merideth Sutton with questions at 262.753.3904 or stbrunoscrip@gmail.com



Market Day!

Visit the Market Day website: www.marketdaylocal.com. Click on "Register to Support Your School Here" on the top right, choose our state, and then "Select an Organization" and type St. Bruno. 10% of the proceeds come back to St. Bruno Home and School to support our teachers, events and our Theatre Arts!





Support St. Bruno Parish School

friends gathered together on October 16, for the annual Soles for Catholic Education Walk.

Donations made to our team stay right here at St. Bruno Parish School to help us reach our school's fundraising goal of \$5000.00 for Technology Improvements.

The impact of your donation will do even more to help our school. Generous Soles Walk sponsors have stepped up to natch a proportion of donations that we receive.

Donate today by texting Soles 1550 to 71777, or visit catholicschoolswalk.org. To donate with cash or check, contact Tammy Price at

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Donations can be made through November 1, 2021.

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lic. She is the patron saint of nant women and the patron against abortion. babies, the elderly, and the poor, affirming the value of every human life.

While pregnant with her fourth child, life-threate cations arose. Her doctor urged her to abort the child so she could live, but she refused, opting instead to protect the life of her unborn child. She died a week

"As to the past, let us entrust it to God's mercy, the future to divine Providence. Our task is to live holy the present moment."

St. Gianna Molla

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

In the Gospel today Jesus tells his disciples: "Anyone among you who aspires to greatness must serve the rest; whoever wants to rank first among you must serve the needs of all."

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.

Mass of Remembrance Nov 2, 6:30pm @ St. Paul

Please drop off forms at the Parish office by October 29. Extra forms are in the Gathering Place, and in the Parish office.



All are welcome!



Did you know? Our parish website has a link to Fr. Dan's past homilies. The link is on the left hand side of the front page of the parish website. **www.stbrunoparish.com**

Facing an Unplanned Pregnancy? Catholic Charities is here to help! We offer free and confidential in-home education and support for mothers and their families. Pregnancy Support Coordinators help connect moms to resources, reach individualized goals, and receive education on topics such as stress management, labor and delivery. Anyone who might need help can call 414-573-5899.

Attention All Men!

St. Bruno's Men's Holy Name Society meet through December

All men are welcome.

We meet Thursday mornings starting at 5:30 a.m. with program 6:00-7:00 a.m.

Contact Jerry Strand at 262-844-2988 or email jerrystrand52@yahoo.com



Rooted Women's Group

Next meeting will be held on **Tues. Oct. 26th at 6:30 p.m.**We meet 2nd and 4th Tues. of the month.

Call Ellen Knaflic 262-689-7938 or Aimee Daniels 262-993-4003 All are welcome!

St. Bruno Book Club

Do you enjoy reading?



Reading a good book is often better if you can discuss with others. St. Bruno's Book Club welcomes anyone interested in sharing their thoughts on a variety of books. The Book Club meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 10:30 am at various locations. Sometimes it meets in the Parish Family Room and other times at a member's home. You can come whenever you choose.

The dates and books:

<u>November 9</u> – *A Passion for Nature/The Life of John Muir* by Donald Worster,

<u>December 14</u> – *The Last Garden in England* by Julia Kelly, **January 11** – *Life of the Beloved* by Henri Nouwen.

Please call Nancy Klemp at 262-468-2421 for more information. Happy Reading!

THE WORD OF THE LORD

Readings for the week of October 17, 2021 http://bible.usccb.org/

Monday: 2 Timothy 4:10-17 / Luke 10:1-9
Tuesday: Romans 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20-21 / Luke 12:35-38
Wednesday: Romans 6:12-18 / Luke 12:39-48
Thursday: Romans 6:19-23 / Luke 12:49-53
Friday: Romans 7:18-25 / Luke 12:54-59
Saturday: Romans 8:1-11 / Luke 13:1-9

SUNDAY: Jeremiah 31:7-9 / Hebrews 5:1-6 / Mark 10:46-52

LITURGICAL INTENTIONS

Monday, October 18—8:00 a.m.

† Frank & Craig Matysiak

Wednesday, October 20-8:45 a.m.

† Marian Igl

Saturday, October 23-4:00 p.m.

† John Pfaff

Sunday, October 24—10:30 a.m.

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DEVOTION TIMES

The *Our Lady of Guadalupe* Chapel is open 24/7 for private prayer. Eucharistic Adoration is every Tuesday from 2:00-4:00pm in the Chapel.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you are interested in signing up for a Mass intention for 2021/22 our books have many dates available.

There is a fee of \$10 per mass scheduled.

Please contact the Parish 262.965.2332 for information.

DOES YOUR CHILD NEED TO BE BAPTIZED?

Please remember that all parents must attend a preparation class before their child can be baptized. If you need to attend a baptism class or need information regarding baptism, please contact Mary Kral:

Phone: 262-965-2332 or email: mkral@stpaulgenesee.net

ST. PAUL MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. / Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Weekdays: Tuesday & Friday 8:00 a.m. Reconciliation: 2nd & 4th Saturday 10:00 a.m. or by appointment

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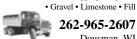
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