

Third
Sunday of
Advent

12/14/2025

St. Bruno Catholic Parish

While the world changes the cross stands firm. ~ St. Bruno of Cologne



O LORD,
COME AND
SAVE US.

WEEK 3
Advent



PSALM 146



226 W. Ottawa Ave.
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Parish Office Hours:
Monday & Wednesday
8:30am - 3pm
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We're so glad you're
here!

Welcome to St. Bruno!

We hope you're blessed today as we worship together. Please feel free to stop by the welcome table in the Gathering Space for more information or to connect with us!

If you have any questions about our parish, please contact the parish office or visit our website. We're so glad you are here and we hope to see you again!

Mass Schedule

Monday: 8am
Wednesday: 8:45am
(8am when school is not in session)
Saturdays: 4pm
Sundays: 10:30am

Confession

First and Third Saturdays
of the Month at 10am or
by appointment

Adoration

Our Lady of Guadalupe
Chapel is open 24/7 for
private prayer. Eucharistic
Adoration is every Tuesday
from 2pm to 4pm.

St. Bruno is part of a
Parish Community with
St. Paul. Find out more
information at
StPaulGenesee.net

Opportunities to BELONG

BECOME ONE OF THE MILLIONS OF MONICAS

One Hour
One Purpose
Our Children

**JOIN US ON
MONDAY,
DECEMBER 15TH**

**3RD MONDAYS
6:30 - 7:30 PM
ST. PAUL**

Join with other mothers as we pray to grow in holiness and humility and for our children's faithful return to the Catholic Church

For further information contact Kris Kelm at: kkelm1005@aol.com or visit: millionsofmonicas.com



St. Paul's new handbell choir will be playing their first Masses at the 5:30 pm Mass and 9:00 am Mass on December 13th and 14th.

The St. Bruno Giving Tree will be running from **November 29th through December 15th** and supporting Life's Connection, St. Ben's Community and St. Vincent De Paul Society. A flyer with full information / needs for these organizations was stuffed in the November 23rd edition of the church bulletin but you can still give cash or check in any amount by dropping off your contribution to the Parish Office during regular business hours or mailing your contribution to St. Bruno Parish Giving Tree 226 West Ottawa Ave. Dousman, WI 53118. Boxes are also available in the Gathering Space for gifts and contributions.

Gifts and contributions need to be received by Monday, December 15th

Thank you for your generosity!

15 MONDAY

8am Mass
6:30pm Millions of Monicas at St. Paul

16 TUESDAY

6:30pm Building & Grounds Meeting
6:30pm The Chosen Christmas Movie Night

17 WEDNESDAY

8:45am Mass
1pm BBB Group
6:30pm Christmas Concert

18 THURSDAY

9am Prayer Shawl
3:30pm Children's Choir Rehearsal
6pm Rosary

St. Bruno 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.

Christmas @ St. Paul & St. Bruno

Christmas Eve:

St. Paul: 3:30pm Choir Concert
4pm Mass & 6pm Mass

St. Bruno: 3:30pm Children's Choir Concert
4pm Mass

Christmas Day:

St. Paul: 9am Mass
St. Bruno: 10:30am Mass

New Year's Day:

St. Paul: 9am Mass

Epiphany:

St. Bruno: 10:15am Mini Choir Concert
Before Mass (Regular Mass Times)

THE BASILICA OF ST. JOSAPHAT PRESENTS:

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Sunday, December 21
4 PM

Tickets:
Priority Reserved \$100 person
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Student Admission \$15

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Experience the wonder of the season as choir and orchestra fill the beautifully decorated Basilica with the joyful sounds of Christmas. From timeless hymns to beloved carols, you'll be invited to lift your voice and sing along in celebration of Christ's birth. It's a cherished Basilica tradition that captures the true spirit and beauty of the Christmas season.

Opportunities to BELIEVE



THE CHOSEN: HOLY NIGHT MOVIE PARTY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

FEATURING

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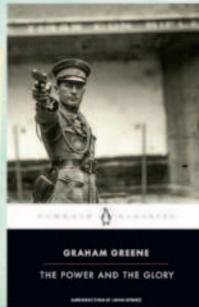
*NO COST TO ATTEND

St. Bruno Book Club: 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** in the Parish Family Room and sometimes at member's homes. You can come whenever you choose.

Upcoming Books:

January 13: The Power and the Glory by Graham Greene

February 10: The First Ladies by Marie Benedict and Victoria Murray
Please call Nancy Klemp at 414-861-4204 for more information.



Readings for the Week

Readings for the week of December 14, 2025

More detail can be found at: <http://bible.usccb.org/>

Monday: Numbers 24:2-7, 15-17a / Matthew 21:23-27

Tuesday: Zephaniah 3:1-2, 9-13 / Matthew 21:28-32

Wednesday: Genesis 49:2, 8-10 / Matthew 1:1-17

Thursday: Jeremiah 23:5-8 / Matthew 1:18-25

Friday: Judges 13:2-7, 24-25a / Luke 1:5-25

Saturday: Isaiah 7:10-14 / Luke 1:26-38

Next Sunday: Isaiah 7:10-14 / Romans 1:1-7 /
Matthew 1:18-24

LIVING OUR FAITH

Adult Faith Formation

Director: Nancy Boerger

Come to the Table (Part 6)

Did you know that the obligation to receive the Eucharist is distinct from the Sunday Mass obligation? Though the Church encourages receiving the Eucharist at every Mass, as it is vital for spiritual growth, we may choose to make a spiritual communion when we are not in a proper state to receive the Eucharist, such as when conscious of mortal sin, or when we are physically unable to commune. For instance, an Act of Spiritual Communion may be prayed during adoration or when illness or bad weather prevents us from attending Mass.

Acts of Spiritual Communion increase our desire for sacramental communion and strengthen us to avoid sin.

A traditional prayer is below. If memorizing another prayer is too much, we may simply pray from our hearts, letting Jesus know that we love and trust him and long to be united with him forever.

Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the most Blessed Sacrament.

I love you above all things and I desire to possess you within my soul.

Since I am unable now to receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you as being already there, and unite myself wholly to you.

*Never, never permit me to be separated from you.
Amen.*

~Nancy Boerger: Director of Adult Formation

19

FRIDAY

11am Christmas Staff Luncheon
(School Staff)

20

SATURDAY

10am Confession at St. Bruno
4pm Mass

21

SUNDAY

10:30am Mass

Opportunities to BECOME



Thank you for your hard work!



Thankful for Building Upgrades!

Saturday November 15, Buildings and Grounds replaced the roof of the storage garage behind the north wall of the gym. Pictured left to right, Paul Kronschabel, Dick Penlesky, Mike Racette, Pat Seegers, Dave Schell, Jeremy Castner, Fred Berke and not pictured, the photographer, Scott Vandenhouten . They started at 8:00 am and were finished around noon. Thank you to our Roof Angels for your expertise and time.

~ Submitted by Mary Daniel:
Building & Grounds Committee



Save the Date!

FACING the CHALLENGES of a NEW AGE

THE REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
35TH ANNUAL MEMORIAL PRAYER SERVICE

Saturday, January 17, 2026
1:30 p.m.

All Saints Catholic Church | 4051 N. 25th St., Milwaukee

GUEST SPEAKER: VYETTE HILL NGWAGBAROCHA
PRESIDER: ARCHBISHOP JEFFREY S. GROB

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POPE FRANCIS

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2 CORINTHIANS 9:7

Parish Support: November 15, 2025 - November 21, 2025

Regular Parish Support (envelopes, electronic, etc.): \$8,655

Offertory (cash collection): \$1,025

Total: \$9,680

**Excludes any form of extraordinary income*

This Fiscal Year to Date

07/01/2025 - 11/21/2025

Regular Parish Support: \$196,979

Offertory: \$15,300

Total: \$212,279

Last Fiscal Year to Date

07/01/2024 - 11/22/2024

\$207,085

\$13,541

\$220,627

Prayer Network: For our Parish families, those facing surgery, those undergoing treatment for cancer and other chronic illnesses. Email Donna at dwoboril@yahoo.com to add someone to our prayer list

Mon	8am at St. Bruno	† Mel Mundschau by Warren Mundschau
Tue	8am at St. Paul	† Virginia Heicher by Bereavement Committee
Wed	8:45am at St. Bruno	† Ralph Foltz by The Foltz Family
Fri	8am at St. Paul	† Jean Vicenzi by Bereavement Committee
Sat	4pm at St. Bruno	† Mel Mundschau by Mrs. Mundschau † Lu Snyder by Susan Mundschau
Sat	5:30pm at St. Paul	†
Sun	9am at St. Paul	Parishioners of St. Paul & St. Bruno
Sun	10:30am at St. Bruno	† Judy Mundschau by William Mundschau † DeLorme & Agnes Schilz by a Friend of the Family

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

TO YOU GOD ENTRUSTED HIS ONLY SON;
IN YOU MARY PLACED HER TRUST;
WITH YOU CHRIST BECAME MAN.
OBTAIN FOR US GRACE, MERCY
AND COURAGE. AMEN.

- POPE FRANCIS



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