

PASTORATE 18

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Call Parish Office

Saint John the Baptist—(608) 849-5121

Blessed Trinity—(608) 592-5711

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction:

Saint John: First Fridays of the Month 9:00am-10:00am

Saturdays 8:30am

Thursdays 9:00am - 9:00pm—Saint John the Baptist Chapel

Blessed Trinity: Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 PM (Saint Patrick)

Registration

We are excited that you are interested in becoming a member of our parish community. Please contact our Parish Offices so we can assist you in becoming a member.



3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He walked along a little farther and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They too were in a boat mending their nets. Then he called them. So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him. - Mk 1:19-20

3^{ER} DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Un poco más adelante, vio a Santiago y a Juan, hijos de Zebedeo, que estaban en una barca, remendando sus redes. Los llamó, y ellos, dejando en la barca a su padre con los trabajadores, se fueron con Jesús. - Mc 1, 19-20

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Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, January 20

8:00am (SJB) † Thomas & Odelia Karls
 4:30pm (SP) † Judy Latham
 5:00pm (SJB) † Catherine (*Anniv*) & Don Kopp
Live Streamed Mass
 8:00pm (SJB) † Richard Statz (*Anniv*)

Sunday, January 21

7:30am (SJB) † Ed Vervoort (*Anniv*) & Ed & Florentine Adler
 8:00am (SM) † Thomasine Biwersi
 9:00am (SML) † Sue Morrison
 10:00am (SP) † Dave & Darlene Statz
 10:30am (SJB) People of the Parish
 1:00pm (SJB) Benjamin Jesus Mendez y
 Genaro Mendez (*Birthday*) (Spanish)

Monday, January 22

8:00am (SJB) † Harry & Marlene Endres

Tuesday, January 23

8:00am (SJB) † Harry Vos
 8:00am (SP) † Dolores Ness
 5:15pm (SML) † Rita Frank

Wednesday, January 24

8:00am (SJB) † John D. Deering
 8:00am (SM) † Ethan Lurquin
 5:15pm (SML) † Nancy Kippley

Thursday, January 25

8:00am (SJB) † Marcus Roelke
 8:00am (SP) Priests of Pastorate 18
 5:15pm (SML) † Joe Capaul

Friday, January 26

8:00am (SJB) † John Dorn (*Anniv*)
 8:00am (SM) Special Intention for the Paul Kunz Family

Saturday, January 27

8:00am (SJB) † Marie Ziegler
 4:30pm (SP) † Tom & Marilyn Russ
 5:00pm (SJB) † Tina Paulson Griffith (*Anniv*) & Gene Griffith
Live Streamed Mass
 8:00pm (SJB) † Nancy Acker-Skolaski

Sunday, January 28

7:30am (SJB) † People of the Parish
 8:00am (SM) † Rahn Ripp & the Ripp Family
 9:00am (SML) † For those who died in January
 10:00am (SP) † Jim Armstrong
 10:30am (SJB) † Gail Lisse(Dahmen)
 1:00pm (SJB) Almas del Purgatorio (Spanish)

SJB: Saint John the Baptist, Waunakee
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Low gluten hosts during Holy Communion at Mass will only be available from the Priest. The Priest is always stationed at the main aisle.

Reconciliation

Monday	7:30-7:50am	Saint John the Baptist
Tuesday	7:30-7:50am	Saint John the Baptist
	4:45-5:05pm	Saint Mary of the Lake
Wednesday	7:30-7:50am	Saint John the Baptist
	5:30-6:15pm	Saint Patrick
Thursday	7:30-7:50am	Saint John the Baptist
	4:45-5:05pm	Saint Mary of the Lake
Friday	7:30-7:50am	Saint John the Baptist
Saturday	8:30-9:20am	Saint John the Baptist
	3:30-4:15pm	Saint Patrick
	4:00-4:50pm	Saint John the Baptist
	7:30-7:50pm	Saint John the Baptist
Sunday	7:30-7:45am	Saint Michael
	12:00-1:00pm	Saint John the Baptist (Español)



Eilee Joan Wagner

Daughter of Michael David Wagner and Heather Catherine Ripp

IN LOVING MEMORY...

*Please remember to keep in your prayers
 all those who have recently died and their families.*



**Robert "Bob" Tucker
 Joanne Drinkwine**



FLOCKNOTE

**ARE YOU MISSING IMPORTANT
 INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR
 PARISH?**

FLOCKNOTE is a messaging system that is an easy way to get information from your parish.

Members of the Pastorate 18 parish must sign-up to receive communications from St John the Baptist, St Mary of the Lake and Blessed Trinity churches.

Please visit our website at www.stjb.org or btcatholic.us to sign up or contact Kim at kpiazza@stjb.org.



Bulletin Articles & Notices

**DEADLINE—Fridays @ 5:00pm—ONE WEEK
 AHEAD** Submit to www.bulletineditor@stjb.org



Meet & Greet Weekend: January 20-21

Join the CCW of St. John the Baptist and St. Mary of the Lake Parishes for donuts/cookies and coffee/juice after the Masses this weekend.
Please stop by, say hello, and help yourself to a treat!



Please pick up a book in the Saint John the Baptist Church Narthex from Matthew Kelly called "Beautiful Eucharist" purchased through the generosity of our Knights of Columbus for parishioners to read and enjoy.



We would like to invite all Saint John the Baptist Parish School and Parish Members for a FAMILY NIGHT OF FUN

What: A fun filled night to gather with other parish families. We can catch up with old friends and make new friends too! It will be a chance for the kids to hang out and for the parents to hang out as well.

6:00-7:00 - Family potluck dinner
7:00-8:00 - Speaker for parents followed by time to socialize
7:00-8:00 - Play time for kids (Babysitters available - \$5 per child requested, max of \$20 per family)
8:00 - ? - Leave or stay for card games and socialization

When: Saturday, January 20, 2024

Where: Saint John School Cafeteria

Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Why: To gather together as a faith community to grow in friendship and faith!

Signup Genius:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0448A8AD22ABFF2-47068911-stjohns#/>



A big "Thank You" to the Saint John the Baptist Church Flower Ministry for decorating both churches this Christmas season. From the gorgeous Christmas trees and poinsettias on the altar to the breathtaking Nativity scene in the Narthex. Switching the decorations from Advent to Christmas so quickly was challenging but it was done beautifully.

Thank you to Bev Morrison, Elaine Laufenberg, Dee Wasylik, Kate Hetzer, Ray Ambord, Marylin Meffert, Karen Miller, and Ron Schwab.

May God bless you all!



January 28, 2024 through February 3, 2024



Knights of Columbus Council 6371 January 28, 2024

Pancake Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus Council 6371 of Waunakee will be hosting a pancake breakfast on Sunday, January 28, 2024 at Saint John's School. Serving will be from 8:00am to 12:00pm. The breakfast will feature pancakes, scrambled eggs, hash brown patties, sausage links, sliced ham, juice, coffee and milk. The breakfast starts Catholic Schools Week at Saint John's. Come for breakfast and stay for the Open House. Carryout option will be available.

We will accept donations of shoes in "wearable" condition at the pancake breakfast. We accept all athletic, casual, and dress shoes that are not overly worn. The shoes will be donated to the World Wear Project, which is an organization that provides them to people around the world that cannot afford them. Please tie or rubber band the shoes together.

Free Throw Contest

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Free Throw Contest on Sunday, January 28, at 12:00 in the St. John's School Gym. The competition is open to all girls and boys 9-14 years old. There is no cost. To pre-register, please email Erik Hayko at ehayko@tds.net or call at (608) 692-3646. Walk in registrations are welcome between 11:45-12:00. Hope to see you there.



Knights of Columbus Council 6463 January 28, 2024

Pancake Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus Council 6463 will be hosting a pancake breakfast on Sunday January 28, 2024 at Saint Michael's Church. Serving will be from 8:00am to 12:30pm.

Proceeds Support: Blessed Trinity Catholic School.

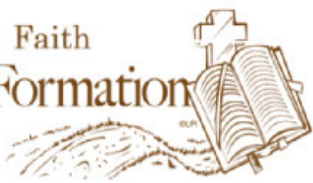
Blessed Trinity Fish Fry



Blessed Trinity Parish will be hosting a Fish Fry at St. Michael's Church, 109 S Military Rd in Dane on Friday, February 2nd, 2024. Serving Drive-Thru from 4:30PM-7:00PM.

Menu: 3 Piece Deep-Fried Breaded Cod, Baked Potato or French Fries, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Dinner Rolls, & Famous Fritters. Cost for a 3 Piece Fish Dinner is \$14.00, additional fish \$3.00/piece.

Faith Formation



All parish children are invited to attend religion classes EVERY YEAR by attending our Faith Formation Program or Catholic School. Faith Formation Grade Level 1-10 Classes are available

for our parish children not attending a Catholic School. ALL Faith Formation classes will be held at Saint John the Baptist School, Waunakee and Saint Patrick, Lodi. Our online registration links are CLOSED for the 2023-2024 year.

Week of January 21, 2024

Sunday:

- 9:00am—10:15am **SJB** Faith Formation Classes 1-3 (SJB)
- 10:45am—12:45pm Spanish Faith Formation Classes (SJB)
- 10:45am—12:45pm RCIA Spanish Class (SJB Gathering Room)
- 11:45am— 1:15pm Catholic Basics Classes (RCIA) (SJB School Library)

Tuesday:

- 6:15pm— 7:30pm **SJB** Faith Formation Classes 4-6 (SJB)

Wednesday:

- 3:15pm— 4:30pm **BTP** Faith Formation Classes 1-5 (SP) **
- 6:30pm— 8:00pm **BTP** Faith Formation Classes 6-9 (SP) **
- 7:00pm— 8:15pm **SJB** Faith Formation Classes 7-10 (SJB)

****Blessed Trinity** — Please remember to fill out the Mass Attendance cards, grades 1-9 and place them in the Offertory Basket. Mass cards are found on the counter at St. Patrick's and inside the door at St. Michael's.

RETURN

Lent
WITH
FR. JOHN
BURNS



**Come to the Gathering Room at SJB
RETURN with Fr. John Burns
Includes SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION**

**Tuesdays, February 13—April 2
9:15am-10:00am**

**Please RSVP by contacting:
Eileen Daley at edaley@stjb.org
608-849-5121 ext 174**

*Fr. John Burns introduces you to the pillars of Lent—prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Fr. John encourages you to reflect on what practices you will commit to this Lent and how they will help you to journey through the events of the paschal mystery to the glory of the resurrection. Although not an easy path, the Lord will give us the graces to endure the suffering as Christ did and grow ever closer to the father.
Will you join him on this pilgrimage?*



Monday and Wednesday at 7:00pm in the Saint John the Baptist chapel (old church), the rosary is said and everyone is welcome to come. We say the rosary of the day, the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy and finish with Mother of Perpetual Help devotions.

“When the rosary is said in a group, it is far more formidable to the devil, because in this public prayer it is an army that is attacking him. He can often overcome the prayer of an individual, but if it is joined to that of others, the devil has much more trouble in getting the best of us.”

St. Louis Grignon de Monfort

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR PASTORATE 18

Saturday, January 20

- 7:00am— SJB Men's Bible Study (SJB Gathering Room)
- 5:00pm— SJB School Community Family Night (SJB School)

Sunday, January 21

- 11:45am— Catholic Basics Classes (RCIA) (SJB School Library)

Monday, January 22 **SJB — NO SCHOOL**

- 6:00pm— CCW Chair Meeting (SJB Church Library)
- 7:00pm— Spanish Men's Group (SJB Narthex)
- 7:00pm— Rosary (SJB Chapel)

Tuesday, January 23

Wednesday, January 24

- 5:30pm to 6:30pm—Eucharistic Adoration (SP)
- 7:00pm— Altar Server Training (SJB Church)
- 7:00pm— Rosary (SJB Chapel)

Thursday, January 25

- 6:15am— Men's Group (SJB Narthex)
- 8:30am— BTP Bible Study (SP)
- 9:00am to 9:00pm—Eucharistic Adoration (SJB)
- 2:45pm— Faith Sharing Group (SJB St. Therese Room)
- 5:30pm— BTP Choir Rehearsal (SP)
- 6:00pm— Pastorate 18 Catechist Meeting (SJB Gathering Room)
- 7:00pm— Pastorate 18 EMHC Training (SJB Church)

Friday, January 26

- 7:30am— Women of Grace (SJB Gathering Room)
- 6:30pm— SJB KC Council Rollerskating (SJB School Gym)

Saturday, January 27

- 7:00am— SJB Men's Bible Study (SJB Gathering Room)

Sunday, January 28

- 8:00am— BTP KC Pancake Breakfast (SM)
- 8:00am— SJB KC Pancake Breakfast (SJB School Cafeteria)
- 11:45am— Catholic Basics Classes (RCIA) (SJB School Library)
- 12:00pm— SJB KC Free Throw Contest (SJB School Gym)

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**Knights of Columbus
Roller Skating is back!**



The Knights of Columbus Council 6371 will be hosting a family roller skating event for all students, 8th graders and under, and their family members on Friday, January 26 at the Saint John the Baptist School 6:30-8:30pm. Admission is \$3. Bring your own roller blades/skates or they can be rented for \$1.

Tasty concession are available. Please join us for a great time!

WALKING IN A WINTER WONDERLAND



Pastorate 18— Stewardship of Treasure

Week Ending January 5, 2024

Saint John the Baptist

Offertory Income \$ 37,127.97

Blessed Trinity Parish

Offertory Income\$ 9,743.07

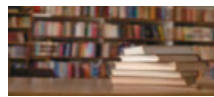
Saint Mary of the Lake

Offertory Income\$ 1,612.00



Thank You.... to everyone for your continuing donations to our parishes. If you'd like to sign up for online giving, please go to www.stjb.org and choose either the Saint Mary of the Lake or Saint John the Baptist link on the main page.

If you have any questions about the program or would like help setting up your account, please call our parish office at **608-849-5121 ext. 136**



"Season Greetings!" from your Saint John's Church Library

To our Church Library patrons---Merry Christmas and thank you for stopping by to check out titles from your parish library. We've experienced record circulation in 2023—over 1,000 items have been checked out! God bless you and please help us spread the word about all the worthwhile Catholic books, DVDs, and periodicals that are available for free loan at St. John the Baptist Church.

NEW BOOKS:

A Cardiologist Examines Jesus: The Stunning Science behind Eucharistic Miracles by Dr. Franco Serafini, Sophia Institute Press, 2021. *In this astonishing book, Serafini walks us through the extensive medical and scientific research into five Eucharistic miracles, unveiling the stunning testimonies of hematologists, oncologists, neurologists, geneticists, molecular biologists, and others who all concluded the same thing: the five Eucharistic miracles are undeniably authentic.*

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Dying Without Fear: Your Guide to Finding Mercy, Peace, and Joy in Dark Times by Dr. Paul Chaloux, Sophia Institute Press, 2023. *Catholic theologian Paul Chaloux's book is emotionally charged and will speak to the needs of your heart, whether you are facing terminal illness, caring for a dying loved one, or grieving a loss.* **236 CHA**

Meditations on Vatican Art: Angels by Mark Haydu, LC, STL. Liguori Publications, 2014. *This book of beautiful works of sacred art makes the work of artists more accessible to us and more relevant to our prayer.* **246 HAY**

(In Spanish) **La Felicidad en esta Vida** by Papa Francisco. *A collection of Pope Francis's homilies and talks which offer comfort to the reader and help him/her find happiness.* Origen Press, 2018. **220.13 FRA**

The library is adjacent to the northeast parking lot entrance to St. John the Baptist Church. It is always unlocked and accessible whenever the church is open. Check-out is easy. Simply write your name and/or phone number on the card located at the back of the item(s) and place the card in the basket on the desk. There is a book return slot below the stained glass window next to the door. Please do not re-shelve the item(s). Thank you.



2024 Diocese of Madison Annual Catholic Appeal Begins Please Make a Generous Pledge

This week, parishioners throughout the Diocese will receive a mailing asking for a pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal to support the ministries of the Diocese of Madison.

Please prayerfully consider making a pledge payable over 6-months to the appeal. Your gift will help enable the diocese to reach its goal and provide for many ministries, education and services throughout the Diocese.

Thank you for your continuing support of our parish, diocese, and the work of the Church throughout the world.



Calling Catholic Men! ☀

Step into a transformative journey of leadership and faith!

Where: Bishop O'Connor Catholic Pastoral Center
702 S. High Point Rd, Madison, WI 53719

When: January 27, 2024 from 8:00AM - 3:00PM

Why: Learn Powerful Techniques to Build & Maintain Successful Men's Groups

What: Mass Celebrated by **Bishop Hying**
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Kevin O'Brien
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<https://menofchristmadison.us2.listmanage.com/track/clicku=395c8c29073189e8f1dbd1027&id=10a8f150d6&e=3e6c0f4ab1>

Beware of Priest Scams



Scammers are impersonating priests and parishes in very sophisticated ways to cheat people. Texting or emailing parishioners pretending to be the priest and in need of gift cards. These requests are NOT from Father Baker, Father Tipps, Father Zelinski or Parish Staff. Please disregard them completely.

Father Baker, Father Tipps, Father Zelinski or parish staff will NEVER contact a parishioner directly with an emergency request for cash or gift cards. If you are not sure about a text or email, do not engage or respond. Never provide money or personal information in response to a request without verifying that it is legitimate. Please contact the parish office with questions or concerns.



Got blankets?

Donate them during Recycle the Warmth!

Do you have any quality blankets and bedding you're not using anymore? Maybe a sheet set you received that isn't quite your style? How about gently used quilts you're finding as you're cleaning out the house? Your new and gently used blankets, bedding and sheets could go to a struggling family this year when you donate goods to the Recycle the Warmth Blanket Drive, January 26th- 28th, 2024!

The goods collected during the drive, will be distributed to families in need through furniture vouchers at St. Vinny's Thrift Stores all year long.

There are three ways to help:

1. Drop off new and gently used blankets, bedding and sheets at St John's Church in the Gathering Room, St Mary of the Lake Church in the back, or any St. Vinny's Thrift Store during the weekend of January 26th- 28th, 2024. Find all of the drop-off sites here: <https://svdpmadison.org/rtw/>
2. Place monetary donations in Recycle the Warmth envelopes and place in collection basket.
3. Can't make it to a drop-off site? Your online donation of \$15.99 will provide a brand-new, quality blanket to a family in need. Donate here: <https://svdpmadison.org/rtw/>

Thank you for helping our neighbors in need through this year's Recycle the Warmth Blanket Drive.

TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday, Jan. 26th

Doors Open - 6:30 PM
Trivia Begins - 7:00 PM

Blessed Trinity School
Dane, WI

Register teams of 5-8
using the QR code

CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS

as of 1/14/2024

Saint John the Baptist Church

Karen Jeatran

IMO Jim Jeatran



January 21, 2024

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jon 3:1-5, 10 | 1 Cor 7:29-31 | Mk 1:14-20

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

Sometimes I feel like I need a Jonah in my life: someone who will come along and shake things up; someone who will nudge me and say, *hey, you're doing it wrong!* No one wants to be criticized, but I know I need loving guidance to help me when I am not at my best. It's easy to get caught up in the swirl of life and neglect (even if unintentionally) what's important. Jonah was given the unpleasant task of pointing out to the people of Nineveh their failings. Unlike many communities who resisted God's words, by the end of the first day of Jonah's anticipated three-day trek across the city, "the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast and all of them, great and small, put on sackcloth." For all the evil they had done, and the rebellion they had demonstrated, the people there weren't irredeemable. They simply needed Jonah to point out how they had gone astray, and the grace of open ears and hearts to receive the message. Who has the Lord placed in our lives in the role of Jonah? How has he blessed us with the ability to receive, and repent where necessary?

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

We don't seem to have obvious prophets like Jonah nowadays, but that doesn't mean God has left us without guides. We have the Church, Christ's body on earth, and the ever-present help of the Holy Spirit. In today's Gospel, we hear how Jesus selected his first followers: men who would become the Twelve Apostles, anointed to spread his word and speak in his stead even after Jesus left the earth. We know that there were other followers: men, women and children who became his disciples; Jews and Gentiles who were baptized. We are part of that apostolic tradition, each one of us baptized into the common priesthood "exercised by the unfolding of baptismal grace - a life of faith, hope, and charity, a life according to the Spirit." (CCC 1547) The call to holiness can be hard to hear in the din of today's busy and secular world, but it is not impossible. We can pray for the grace to hear how God is asking each of us to live out his commands and proclaim the Good News to the world.

PRAY Today's psalm (Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9) is a wonderful way to ask God for this favor. Make it part of your morning or evening prayer for the next week. "Your ways, O Lord, make known to me; teach me your paths."

Take an opportunity to pray for religious vocations by hosting the **Traveling Chalice** in your home for one week, display the chalice and pray for vocations each day. For more information, please contact Ed Gilkes at 608-358-5096 or edgilkes@gmail.com



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Deepen Your Faith with the Catholic Herald

Issue of January 25, 2024

As Catholic Schools Week approaches, this week's *Catholic Herald* features people and special events from Catholic Schools across the diocese. Learn more about your Catholic faith by reading the Catholic Herald. If you are not subscribed, but wish to receive the Catholic Herald print or e-Edition in your home, contact the parish office.

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Blessed Trinity

Monday & Friday 7:30am - 3pm (Dane)
Tuesday 8am-12pm (Lodi) 1pm- 3:30 (Dane)
Wednesday 7:30am-11am (Dane) 12pm-4:30pm (Lodi)
Thursday 8am-12pm (Lodi) 1pm-3pm (Dane)
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