

**St. Bridget's**

120 Depot Street, Wilson, WI

MASS: Saturday – 4 PM**Confession:** Saturday, 3:15 – 3:45 PM**St. Mary's Immaculate Conception**

1265 Ridgeway Street, Hammond, WI

MASS: Saturday – 6 PM & Sunday – 10 AM

Friday – 8 AM

Confession: Friday – After the 8 AM Mass**St. John the Baptist**757 1st Street, Glenwood City, WI 54013**MASS:** Sunday – 8 AM

Wednesday – 8 AM

Confession: Sunday, 7:15 – 7:45 AM**Mailing Addresses -**

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PASTOR'S COLUMN – FR. JERRY HARRIS

This is the 6th Sunday of Easter.

[Jesus said to his disciples,] "Whoever accepts my commandments and obeys them is the one who loves me...I too will love him and reveal myself to him." John 14:21

An old legend tells about an angel walking down the street, carrying a torch in one hand and a pail of water in the other. "What are you going to do with these?" someone asked. The angel replied, "With the torch I'm going to burn down the mansions of heave; and with the pail of water, I'm going to put out the fires of hell. Then we shall see who really loves God." The angel's point is that many people keep the commandments more out of fear of punishment or hope of reward than out of love for God."

What is the biggest reason I keep the commandments: fear of punishment or hope of reward than out of love of God?

(VISION 2000 Mark Link S.J.)

Mass Schedule & Intentions

WED	MAY 13	(GC)	8:00 AM	+ DONNA WOLLACK by Ed Wollack
FRI	MAY 15	(H)	8:00 AM	+ FRANCIS ZIMMER by Anna & Joe Kusilek
SAT	MAY 16	(W)	4:00 PM	* PEOPLE'S MASS
		(H)	6:00 PM	* FRANK GRIFFIN by Lyla Griffin
SUN	MAY 17	(GC)	8:00 AM	* JOE BERENDS by Julie Berends
		(H)	10:00 AM	+ KRISTY YAGER by Paula Yager

H = Hammond GC = Glenwood City

W = Wilson

NH = Nursing Home

NH = Nursing Home: Week 1 – Hammond;

Week 2 – Baldwin;

Week 3 – GC;

Week 4 – Parkview

+ Rest In Peace

* Holy Mass of the Living

**6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth." - Jn 14:16-17a

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Readings for the Week of May 10, 2026

Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16 and 20/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21
Monday:	Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday:	Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138: 1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday:	Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/Ps 148: 1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15
Thursday:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-17
Friday:	Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23
Saturday:	Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47: 2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28
Next Sunday:	Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47: 2-3, 6-7, 8-9/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Observances for the Week of May 10, 2026

Sunday:	6th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day
Tuesday:	Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr
Wednesday:	Our Lady of Fatima
Thursday:	The Ascension of the Lord; St. Matthias, Apostle
Friday:	St. Isidore
Saturday:	Armed Forces Day
Next Sunday:	The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of Easter; World Communications Day

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

K of C COUNCIL 4954 MEETING:

Thursday | May 14th | 7 PM |
St. John the Baptist – Glenwood City

K of C COUNCIL 7030 MEETING:

Monday | May 11th | 7 PM | *Knights Room*
St. Mary's Immaculate Conception – Hammond

Eternal Father, Thank you for the clergy, seminarians, religious women, staff & lay leaders in our Diocese. I lift them all up to you, but especially, _____ today. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Continue to mold them into the likeness and holiness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their life be pleasing to You. In Jesus' Name I pray. Amen.

Sun— Rev. Thomas Wolf; Mon— Rev. Anthoni Reddy Yannam; Tues— Rev. Pappi Reddy Yeruva; Wed— All Diocesan Deacons; Thu— All Women Religious; Fri — All Seminarians & for an Increase in Vocations; Sat — Bishop James Powers



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Margaret Chyba	James Gullixson	Steve Michel	Yoshiko Shakal	
Tammi Clicquennoi	Terri Halverson	Fr. Bill Murphy	Gary Schmidt	

Want someone prayed for or listed in the Bulletin Prayer List? Notify our Prayer Chain Contacts:

Hammond: Roxi Wakeen (Call or Text 651-894-3385) **GC & Wilson:** Faye Steffen (Call 715-781-3195)

Your loved one will be prayed for and remains on the list for 3 months unless renewed or requested otherwise.

STEWARDSHIP: ST. MARY'S HAMMOND

For Week Ending: May 3, 2026 (Week 44)

Week 44 Budget: \$ 3,600 YTD Budget: \$235,750

Week 44 Actual: \$ 5,184 YTD Actual: \$ 234,985

2025/26 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) as of: 9/21/2025

Goal: 100% Participation (273 families) \$43,567.00

Participation (% - 52 families)

Total Paid.....\$ 10,050.00

Pledges not yet paid.....\$ 1,150.00

Remaining to raise (if all pledges paid).....\$ 32,367.00

St. Mary's Usher/Greeter Training

After Mass on Sunday, May 24th, Scott Amacher will be holding a training session for Ushers and Greeters. ***This training is for all CURRENT Ushers/Greeters and for anyone interested in BECOMING an Usher or Greeter.***

Some of the topics we'll cover are a review of the updated Guidelines for Ushers and Greeters, SECURITY procedures, the scheduling of 2 versus 4 Ushers, Mass counts, Collections, and the Holy Week schedule.

St. John the Baptist & St. Bridget

Baby Bottle Campaign to Support Options on 8 Begins Today (Mother's Day) thru Father's Day

Options on 8, a Pregnancy Resource Center located in St. Croix Falls, is beginning their Baby Bottle Campaign on Mother's Day – Fill a bottle – change a life! Funds collected help women facing unplanned pregnancy to find the hope and support they need to welcome their babies into the world.

It's easy to participate! Just pick up a bottle from the back of Church and fill it with coins, cash or checks over the coming weeks and bring it back to Church on Father's Day, June 21st. Know that your giving is making a positive difference for the women and children of our community.

STEWARDSHIP: ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST - GC

For Week Ending: April 26, 2026

Adult.....\$1,905.10

Youth.....\$9.00

Loose.....\$229.00

Building/Maintenance Repairs.....\$1,395.00

Mass Stipend.....\$20.00

Total.....\$3,558.10

Amount Needed Per Week\$3,924.04

Fiscal YTD.....\$49,928.95

Catholic Home Mission Appeal.....\$30.00

2025/26 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) as of: 4/5/2026

Goal: 100% Participation (127 families) \$19,621.00

Participation (39% - 50 families)

Total Paid.....\$14,815.00

Pledges not yet paid.....\$ 870.00

Remaining to raise (if all pledges paid)\$3,836.00

GC Ministry Schedule

Sunday, May 17, 2026— 8 AM

Eucharistic Ministers.....*Kraig Konder, Melinda McNamara, Mark Wink

Altar Servers.....Lydia Bennett, Clifford Burns, Marshall Burns

Readers.....1) Dean Wink 2) Tom Aebly

Ushers.....Sam Dillow, Ken Maes

Sacristan.....Barbe MrDutt

***Swap Requested**

St. John the Baptist – GC Cemetery Notice

Mowing of the SJB- GC Cemetery has begun for the season so it's important that items are up off the ground and the rules are adhered to. Copies of the cemetery rules are available in the back of Church

STEWARDSHIP: ST. BRIDGET - WILSON

For Week ending: April 25, 2026

Adult.....\$450.00

Loose.....\$207.00

Building/Maintenance Repairs.....\$50.00

Total.....\$697.00

Amount needed per week *\$597.70

Fiscal YTD.....\$12,716.10

2025/26 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) as of: 4/4/2026

Goal: 100% Participation (20 families) \$ 3,761.00

Participation (60% - 12 families)

Total Paid.....\$ 2,011.00

Pledges not yet paid.....\$ 00.00

Remaining to raise (if all pledges paid).....\$1,750.00

St. Bridget Ministry Schedule

Saturday, May 16, 2026—4:00 PM

Eucharistic Minister.....Debbie Mahoney, Marge Quale, Mark Sobota

Altar Server.....Volunteer

Reader.....Ann Berends

Ushers.....Mike Timm, Kathy Timm

Sacristan.....Volunteer

6th SUNDAY OF EASTER



FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM NEWS

ST. MARY'S IMMACULATE CONCEPTION - HAMMOND

St. Mary's - Hammond: Pre-school through 6th grade: Wednesday, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

7th grade through Confirmation: Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 8:15 PM

For FFP Information, please contact the church office or Amanda Zurek at: amandazurek@smicparish.org

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST – GLENWOOD CITY FFP

SJB – Glenwood City: Elementary: 3:45 PM - 5 PM

High School: 7 – 8 PM

Contact Halley Martin for more information/questions: crestjohncatholic@gmail.com/ 715-265-7331

Thank you to all the parents and volunteers for a great Catholic formation year.

The Adult Bible study will not be meeting for the month of May. We will reconvene in June.

The parishioners of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church would like to congratulate our seniors graduating this year: ***Lydia Bennett, Miley Blaser, Ben Klatt, Lillie McGee, Ava Multhauf, and Landon Obermueller.*** Congratulations and God's blessing be upon you in all your future endeavors!

2026 Gala Wrap Up

The Knights of Columbus of Council 7030 and the Parish of St Mary's Immaculate Conception would like to thank everyone who was involved in any way with the smashing success of our 2026 "Denim & Diamonds" Gala event. We appreciate all the work done before, during and after to make this a success. Here are a few highlights:

- We grossed close to 40,000 with a net of almost \$30,000.
- Half of the net will go to St. Mary's to be applied towards Parish projects and half will support Knights of Columbus projects.
- We served 135 guests a wonderful meal catered by River Valley Catering.
- Our guests participated in Live Auction, Silent Auction and numerous raffles all made possible by very generous donors of over 60 valuable items.
- We had the help of 46 volunteers who worked diligently from set up to clean up to turn our church basement into an elegant dining/party venue.

A very heartfelt "Thank You" to all our donors, guest and workers who made this the social event of the year for St Mary's Immaculate Conception parish.

Check out the St Mary's Immaculate Parish Facebook page for many wonderful pictures of the event.

One final note: Please mark your calendars for our 2027 Gala Event "Back to the 50's" to be held on Friday April 23, 2027. Thank you again,

Gala Planning Committee

St Mary's has a parishioner who is looking for a ride to Mass on the weekends. It can be either Saturday evening or Sunday morning. If you are willing to help with this, please call Todd at the office. 715-796-2244.

CLUSTER COMMUNITY NEWS

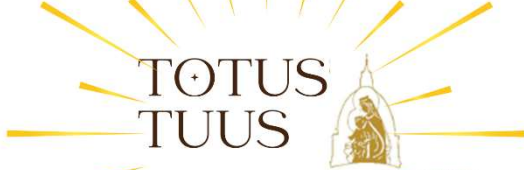
Mother's Day Blessing

Mother's Day is not a Church Feast, but it is a time to remember all women and who you are in Christ.

Here is a blessing for this day: *"God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your people the Church."*

Bless these women and all women who are mothers to many of us by birth, adoption or nurturing roles, may they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. As their daughters and sons, may we honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Bless mothers whose arms are empty and desire a child or have lost a child. We remember Mothers are not here today because it is simply too painful. Give them your peace that comes beyond all understanding. Doubly poor are those women who endure situations of exclusion, mistreatment, and violence, since they are frequently less able to defend their rights. Even so, we constantly witness among them impressive examples of daily heroism in defending and protecting their vulnerable families.

*Grant this through Christ our Lord.
R. Amen.*



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• Provide Lunch for the Team
• Help during the day or evening
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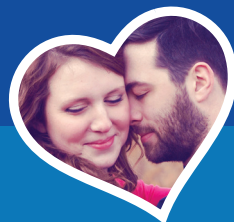


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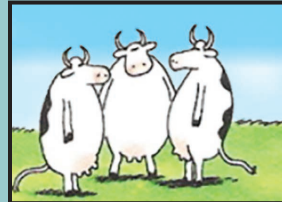
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