



BLESSED SACRAMENT

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Welcome!

We are overjoyed to have you join us here at Blessed Sacrament Parish. Thank you for taking

Enclosed in this registration packet, you will find everything you need to get acquainted with our vibrant community:

- **Registration Form:** Please fill out the form enclosed and drop it off at our parish office.
- **Ministries:** Discover how your unique gifts and talents contribute to the greater good of the parish community.
- **Giving:** Explore the various options available to support our parish's mission and ministries.
- **Access to FORMED:** Enjoy a complimentary subscription to FORMED, offering access to enriching Catholic content online.

At Blessed Sacrament Parish, we strive to be a warm and inviting place where you can deepen your faith, connect with others, and experience spiritual growth. We are confident that you will find a sense of belonging here among us.

Should you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our parish office. We are here to help and eager to assist you in any way we can.

We look forward to the opportunity to get to know you better and to journey together in faith.

In Jesus & Mary,

The Team at Blessed Sacrament

P.S. Stay updated with the latest news and information by visiting our website at www.blsacrament.org.



BLESSED SACRAMENT MEMBERSHIP FORM

Please return to the parish office:
2116 Hollister Ave.
Madison, WI 53726

Or scan & email to:
info@bbsacrament.org

For office use only:

Parish ID: _____ Date added: _____

LAST NAME: _____ PREFERRED PHONE: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

How would you like your name/s to read on parish mailings?

(i.e.: John & Jane Doe; Mr. & Mrs. John Doe: Miss, Ms., Dr., etc) _____

Previous parish (if local): _____ Subscription to the Catholic Herald? (\$23.04/year) ____ Yes (include check payable to parish with "Catholic Herald" in memo)
____ Not at this time

Please print; complete all cells that apply.

Complete all cells in either (or both) column(s) below (LIST DEPENDENT CHILDREN ONLY; continue on back if needed)

Use legal names for record purposes	Male Head of Household	Female Head of Household	1 st child	2 nd child	3 rd child	4 th child	5 th child
First Name							
Middle Name							
Last Name							
Gender			M / F	M / F	M / F	M / F	M / F
Date of Birth							
Religion							
Marital Status							
Wedding Date							
Maiden Name							
Cell Phone							
Email Address							
Handicapped/Homebound? (please specify)							
Baptism?	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N
First Reconciliation?	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N
First Communion?	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N
Confirmation?	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N
Grade & School Attending							

Giving to the parish: ____ Electronic (use pushpay.com/g/bbsacrament to initiate EFT, or inquire at parish office about a paper form)

____ Weekly envelopes (we'll sign you up)

Blessed Sacrament will use your email address(es) and phone number(s) to enroll you in Flocknote, our parish communication system; you will receive our twice-weekly parish-wide communications once added.

____ I /we grant permission to have my/our name(s) printed in the New Member section of the church bulletin (first Sunday of the month's bulletin).



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How can I practice good stewardship at Blessed Sacrament?

As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace. - 1 Peter 4:10

Stewardship is ...

... a way of life, achieved through conversion of heart and mind, in which we recognize that all we have is a gift from our generous God, meant to be shared with others. It is typically lived out in terms of our time, talent, and treasure.

Time (Praying)

Before we can sincerely return a proportionate amount of our talents and financial resources to God, we must first give Him all of our heart. Recognizing that true stewardship flows from each individual's personal relationship with the Lord, we know that any important relationship must be actively tended if it is to grow stronger. We invite you to explore daily Mass, weekly Adoration, and the prayer groups we offer at Blessed Sacrament.

Talent (Serving)

Ministry in parishes thrives, in large part, because of the countless talents shared by members of the faith community. Without the hands and hearts of parishioners, parish functions would be unable to continue. Check out the many ministries at Blessed Sacrament to see where your talents can best serve our community—we have everything from event planning and coordination to local outreach to Bible and book studies. We also have life-stage-based groups such as those for young adults, moms, or men.

Treasure (Giving)

Through prayer, each person can determine how to proportionately support the parish in a financial manner in a responsible way. Are you giving nothing right now? Maybe next week, start giving 1% of your yearly wages or 1 hour's wages. In 6 months, bump that up to 2% and so on. The percentages and timing are between you and God. But He is pleased when His children take any step of faith toward Him, so don't let imperfection stop your progress. Get moving, and you'll build the muscles needed for a lifetime of generous giving. Keeping Blessed Sacrament open for the past 100 years has only been possible because of the parishioners before us. Please support the work at Blessed Sacrament, however large or small, so that we can continue to spread God's Word for the next 100 years.



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Dear Parishioners and Friends of the Parish,

I want to thank you for giving so freely of your resources and for all the different ways you respond to the work of the Church here at Blessed Sacrament. Your gifts help us maintain our church building, run our parish, and change lives through our ministries.

We are pleased to announce that online giving is available for you to make contributions to the parish. This option makes use of current technology and security standards, and allows you to easily set your recurring contributions. It also enables our parish to take advantage of new tools to become more efficient. Please prayerfully consider giving online. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

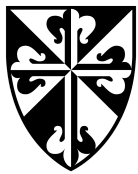
Abundant blessings,

Fr. Mark J. Niehaus, I.S.P.
Parish Administrator

Online Giving at Blessed Sacrament

Here is how to do it: Go to www.blsacrament.org and click "Online Giving" in the top right. Or, simply scan the QR Code below to start giving.





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CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Dear New Parishioner,

Welcome to Blessed Sacrament! My name is Steve Castrogiovanni, and I am the principal of Blessed Sacrament School. I wanted to take a few moments to welcome you and tell you a little about our school.

We opened our doors over 100 years ago in the fall of 1924. Then, as now, BSS offers a Christ-centered education based upon the Dominican Pillars of Prayer, Study, Community, and Ministry. In summer 2024, the Schoenstatt Fathers became the administrators of Blessed Sacrament Parish and School. We serve children in 3-year-old preschool through 8th grade. Our multi-age classroom model allows us to meet each student where they are and challenge them academically based on their individual needs. In addition to our standard 3K and 4K programs, we offer a Montessori Children's House for children ages 3-5.

We view each student in our school as a gift from God. Our highly qualified teachers offer not only exemplary academics but also foster a sense of community by teaching and modeling the virtues of compassion, justice, peace, and personal responsibility.

Families play an important role at Blessed Sacrament School. Parents are invited to partner with us to create a loving, caring atmosphere where children may develop intellectually, emotionally, physically, and spiritually to their greatest potential.

Please give me a call and come in to see the great things that are happening at BSS. My phone number is 608-233-6155, and my email is scastrogiovanni@school.blsacrament.org. I look forward to meeting you.

God Bless,

Steve Castrogiovanni, Principal
Blessed Sacrament School