LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday - May 2

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Sara & Jim Schilz

Sunday - May 3

7:30 am Jovita DeWitt

10:30 am People of Corpus Christi

Monday - May 4

*5:05 pm Betty & Cindy Lawrence

Tuesday - May 5

*5:05 pm Larry Graf

Wednesday - May 6

*8:00 am People of Corpus Christi

Thursday - May 7

*5:05 pm Family of John Turner

Friday - May 8

*8:20 am Carol & Herman Splingaire

Saturday - May 9

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

Sunday - May 10

7:30 am Walter Nault
10:30 am Special Intentions

*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

Scripture Readings- Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday Acts 9:26-31, Psalm 22:26-27,28,30,31-32, 1John 3:18-24, John 15:1-8

Monday Acts 14:5-18, Psalm 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16, John 14:21-26

Tuesday Acts14:19-28, Psalm 145:10-11, 12-13AB, 21, John 14:27-31A

Wednesday Acts 15:1-6, Psalm 122:1-2, 3-4AB, 4CD-5, John 15:1-8

Thursday Acts 15:7-21, Psalm 96:1-2A,2B-3,10, John 15:9-11

Friday Acts 15:22-31, Psalm 57:8-9, 10,12, John 15:12-17

Saturday Acts 16:1-10, Psalm 100:1B-2, 3, 5, John 15:18-21

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PARISH NEWS

Wedding Banns

Cecil Brauer & Ashley Benzshawel Bann I May 30th Date

<u>Vicariate Spring Meeting</u>

Calling all Catholic Women to the **Spring Meeting of Vicariate 7** on Tues. 6 pm at St. Mary's in Luxemburg.

Lighthouse CD: "Who Do You Say That I Am"

Do you have a personal relationship with Jesus? If someone asked you who Jesus is, how would you answer? In this eye-opening talk, Fr. Barron illuminates with conviction that Jesus of Nazareth is the promised Messiah and revelation of God become man. He shows how Jesus fulfills the four tasks of the Messiah according to the Old and New Testaments and how the living legacy of Christ is proclaimed by the Church. This talk will be a breath of fresh air. Please pick up this CD and many more in the north entrance.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Sunday - May 3

Fr. Carl's Birthday

10:00 am 1st Communion Mass @ St. Joe's

5:00 pm Last Mass **@ St. Joe's** 6:00-7:45 pm Last Life Night **@ St. Joe's**

7:00 pm Men's Group

Tuesday - May 5

5:45-7:00 pm Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday – May 6

5:45-7:00 pm Edge-Gr. 8 Only @ St. Joe's

Thursday - May 7

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Saturday - May 9

Mother's Day Rose Sale

4:30 pm May Crowning @ Mass

Sunday – May 10 (Mother's Day)

Mother's Day Rose Sale

PARISH REPORT

Deposited this week, Apr. 20-Apr. 26, 2015	Week (43)
Parish Support	.\$4,575.00
ACH Monthly	\$3,704.00
Offertory Collection	\$767.30
Votive Candles	\$28.00
Technology & Capital Improvements	\$10.00
Donations	\$937.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	10,021.30
Budgeted Expenses for the Week	.\$9,181.37
Weekly Surplus	\$839.93

\$CRIP REPORT

Sales for Week of: Apr.20–Apr. 26, 2015 \$3,385.00 Profit for the Week \$152.33

MAINTENANCE FUND

Cash on hand (04/27/2015).....\$20,246.68

Bishop's Appeal......\$28,805.00 Our Goal: \$36,001.00 Mail in your donation today! Need to collect...\$7,196.00

PARISH NEWS

Mother's Day Rose Sale: May 9 & 10

Next weekend there will be the annual rose sale sponsored by the Door County Right to Life Chapter. When you make a (suggested \$2.00) donation, you support saving the lives



of those with no voice-not only the unborn, but the disabled and elderly. Long-stem red and white roses will be available after all masses to help honor a mother or brighten the day of someone special to you. The Red symbolized Life and the White is a symbol against Euthanasia and for those who lost a child. Thank you in advance.

NOTES FROM FR. CARL.....



We had a busy weekend this past weekend. The play put on by the St. John Bosco students was just excellent. Our first communion Mass at Corpus Christi was very special. Holy Name of Mary 1st Communion Mass is this weekend.

I would like to congratulate all who have received their first communion. I want to especially thank the parents and teachers who help instruct these children in the faith. This past week our Seminarian Zach Weber and I went on the St. John Bosco Class trip to Washington DC. I am thankful to Father Birdsall for covering the Masses for me.

This weekend in our gospel we are told that Jesus is the vine and we are the branches. We are to be an extension of Jesus and are to bear fruit in the goods deeds we do. In our hurting world may we spread the Word of God through our works of kindness and generosity.

Please keep in your prayers Gloria Pankratz, whose funeral mass was Saturday and her family.

Have a blessed week!

Fr. Carl

FROM THE DEACON'S DESK.....



Remember the Easter joy of a few weeks ago? Is that Joy beginning to fade just a bit? We are still in the Easter season -as evidenced by the flowers in the sanctuary and the white

vestments. There are 50 days between Easter and Pentecost. This time is called the Easter season. Our ancestors found great symbolic meaning in these 50 days. Fifty days is seven weeks (a week of weeks) plus one day. That extra day is the Eighth Day, or Sunday, the Day of Resurrection. Fifty days is also just about one-seventh of the whole year, so these 50 days hold the same relationship to the year as Sunday does to the week. While 50 days of absolute joy may seem hard for us to sustain, we are encouraged to ponder the meaning of Easter and rejoice in the gift of resurrection -eternal life. In a few weeks, at Pentecost, we will rejoice again in the gift of the Holy Spirit! Easter Blessing,

OTHER PARISH NEWS

All You Can Eat Brunch: Lincoln

All you can eat brunch with porkies, pancakes, strawberries, and cheese. Join St. Peter and St. Hubert Parish on Lincoln site Sunday May 3rd from 8:00am until noon! Sponsored by Lincoln Catholic Order of Foresters with matching funds. Adults: \$6.00; ages 6-12 \$3.00; under 5 years of age free.

All Catholic Women: 30th Annual Marian Day May 21st Come and join us 8:30-3:00pm at St. Jude in Oshkosh. Cost \$15.00. To register by May 8th call 920-756-2535.

Edge and Life Teen Middle & High School Religious Education

We are up to 229 bags of shoes (25 pairs per bag)! That's amazing! Thank you! We are still collecting (at least) through next weekend! Keep 'em coming!

We have reached the season finale of Life Teen! This weekend is the last Life Teen Mass and Life Night of the 2014-15 season! If you have not attended a Life Teen Mass yet, we highly encourage you to come Sunday night! 5pm at St. Joseph! Our end of the year party will go until 8pm. All high school teens welcome!

Edge: This Wed (May 6th), we ask that all 8th graders attend one final session. 5:45-7pm at St. Joseph. This is for all current public school 8th graders. The students will be taking a Diocesan required assessment.

How can middle and high school students stay involved in their faith during the summer months? If Edge and Life Teen are only during the school year, does our youth minister take summers off?

First, the best way is to go to Mass! Making Mass a family priority will help keep faith a priority. Also, we have equipped the youth with ideas on prayer and growing with Jesus throughout the summer.

Summers are usually the busiest time of year for your YM! Not only is she getting mission trips ready, she is spending time praying, prepping, and planning for another season of Edge and Life Teen! Life Teen and Edge also have summer activities: annual lock-out (August), trip to Noah's Ark or Six Flags (July), and bible studies! Stay tuned for all this info!

PARISH NEWS

Walk for a Cause: Support Alzheimer's Awareness and



Memory Clinic of DCMC
Come join in prayer and

fellowship on Sunday, May 17 at 8:00 a.m. at Corpus Christi Church for



the 2nd Annual 1-or 3- mile Walk for a Cause. The cost is \$18.00 per person which includes a t-shirt and donation to the Memory Clinic of Door County Medical Center. Registration forms are available at Corpus Christi Parish Office and on the website. Forms must be received by May 4. Event day registration will be available for \$20.00. The 1- or 3- mile walk begins at 8:00 a.m. from the social hall, but is a staggered start, so come and walk any time from 8-11:00. Refreshments will be provided. This is an opportunity to raise money for the Memory Clinic, pray for those who have been touched by memory loss, and create fellowship in our Christian community.



Walk for a Cause 1 mile/3 miles Sturgeon Bay Area Catholic Community Sunday, May 17, 2015 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Social Hall



Please complete one registration form for each walker and sign the waiver. Multiple registrations can be paid via one check. Pre-registration must be received by **May 4, 2015**. Make checks payable to: Corpus Christi Catholic Church. Send form to Corpus Christi Parish, 25 N. Elgin Ave., Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235. Event day registration is available from 7:00-10:00 a.m. on the day of the walk for \$20.00. The walk is a staggered start beginning at 8:00 a.m. with a group prayer. The walk is in memory of those that have been impacted from memory loss.

Registration Fee: \$18.00 includes a t-shirt and donation to the Memory Clinic.

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All proceeds benefit Memory Clinic of Door County Ministry Center



Back to art after beating cancer

Konop says faith helped him battle rare form of cancer, return to his passion

BY BENJAMIN WIDEMAN | FOR THE COMPASS

TWO RIVERS — Dean Konop has created hundreds of caricatures over the years. From Green Bay Packers quarterback Brett Favre to "Star Trek" actor Leonard Nimoy to area families attending summer festivals, Konop has covered the gamut.

But it's not often he's asked to present Jesus Christ in the form of caricatures.

Konop is one of 10 members of St. Peter the Fisherman Parish who utilized their artistic talents to create Stations of the Cross this Lenten season.

The Catholic faith has been important throughout Konop's life, especially in 2005, when he was diagnosed with a very

rare type of cancer that resulted in a quartersized tumor growing in his sinus.

"When I was told I had cancer, I was in shock and saddened," Konop said. "The doctors said that within six weeks I could die. We had a family get-together and discussed what kind of things we could do."

Konop said he tried to continue drawing throughout his treatments, but the chemotherapy and radiation affected the nerves in his fingers.

"I couldn't get the right touch on the pencil because it always seemed like my fingers were sleeping," he said. "Whenever I tried to draw it was very disheartening because I knew what I wanted to do but I couldn't do it."

Konop said he feared he would no longer be able to draw.

"I was very afraid art wouldn't be there. But my family and I prayed and said many 'Our Fathers,'" he recalled. "Eventually, the art came back and I feel

was very important in that whole process."
Konop said he has been drawing ever since he can remember. So being able to pick up where he left off after treatments meant the world to him.

like I became a better artist after that. Faith

"As long as I'm doing some kind of art, I'm pretty happy," Konop said.

Our full story appears in the April 3 issue.

Dean Konop
BENJAMIN WIDEMAN | FOR THE COMPASS



From the first moments of their lives, many children are rejected, abandoned and robbed of their childhood and future. There are those who dare to say, as if to justify themselves, that it was a mistake to bring these children into the world. This is shameful! Let's not unload our faults onto the children, please! Children are never a "mistake." Their hunger is not a mistake, nor is their poverty, their vulnerability, their abandonment - so many children abandoned on the streets - and neither is their ignorance or their helplessness ... so many children don't even know what a school is. How can we make such solemn declarations on human rights and the rights of children, if we then punish children for the errors of adults?

> + Pope Francis, April 8, 2015



Hmong egg roll sale raises funds for Holy Land pilgrimage

BY JEFF KUROWSKI | THE COMPASS

GREEN BAY — Twenty-five years ago, Bao Kong had the opportunity to travel to the Holy Land, but the timing was not right. She is not about to miss out a second time.

"In 1990, my kids were young so I could not afford to go," she said. "I cried because I couldn't go. This time, I said, 'I'm going to make it.' I want to go to Bethlehem to see where Jesus was born."

The Hmong Catholic Community of the Diocese of Green Bay is planning a pilgrimage to

the Holy Land for February of 2017. Fundraising efforts are underway, including the April 18 egg roll sale in the St. Jude Church basement. Egg roll sales are held regularly by the community in support of the Hmong Catholic Community. Proceeds from the last two sales were designated to support members from Green Bay and Appleton who will make the Holy Land trip. Approximately 40 pilgrims are currently committed to the tour.

"I have a priest-friend who will go straight from Thailand to the Holy Land to meet us," said Kong, "This will be his first time, so he is really happy about it."

She has also invited two priests from the diocese who are considering the pilgrimage. Deacon Shuying "Joe" Vang of St. Bernard Parish, Appleton, who ministers to the Hmong Catholic Community, will be among the pilgrims.

"We are planning for 11 or 12 days," said Kong. "Some people want to see Mount Sinai (in Egypt). It's the first trip for most of the group."

Our full story appears in the April 24 issue.

5 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

About Pentecost

BY PATRICIA KASTEN | THE COMPASS

- Pentecost (May 24) falls 50 days after Easter. The feast marks the end of the Easter season.
- 2 "Pentecost" comes for the Greek word for "50" or "pentekoste."
- 3 Pentecost is also an older Jewish harvest festival called *Shavuot* that marks 50 days after the second day of Passover. This Jewish feast honors God giving the Law to Moses at Sinai.
- 4 Because the Holy Spirit descended on those in the Upper Room, some Christians call Pentecost the "birthday of the church."
- 5 Since the early days of the church, Pentecost has been called White Sunday or Whitsunday; this is the last day when the newly initiated wore their white albs at Mass.

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A NEW PENTECOST



Bishop David Ricken

We dedicate this entire six-year period to the Holy Spirit. He is really the one that is going to lead this journey of the Diocese of Green Bay for the next six years. This map will provide us a timeline of goals to emphasize during our efforts to welcome the Holy Spirit more fully into the life of the church and into the life of each one of us. In essence,

we are really praying for a new Pentecost. What a new Pentecost means, is that we are asking for the Holy Spirit to manifest himself more and more so that we become truly alive in our faith. We want to shine as a light in the midst of darkness and truly to be salt for the world — by the quality of our witness and the sacrifices we make for the sake of Jesus, for the Gospel and for the church.

I invite each and every one of you to journey as the body of Christ with your pastor or pastoral leader and with your fellow parishioners in living out this "mission map" as a "Disciple



on the Way." I ask you to join me in the spirit of Christ and in this new moment in the church's history by reaching out more deeply by giving yourselves to the Lord for his purposes. In the words of Pope Francis, "I invite everyone to be bold and creative in this task of rethinking the goals, structures, style and methods of evangelization in their respective communities." (Evangelii Gaudium #33)

Once we give our life to the Lord, we have to continue giving. Every day we may have the tendency to pull back some gift that we've given. And yet, if we give him our lives as totally and completely as we can each and every day, he will use them bountifully to bring many blessings and to save many souls!

Next month: An invitation to evangelization.



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Parish SNAPSHOT

Most Precious Blood Parish in New London held a Catholic Relief Services' Rice Bowl Drive for youth during Lent. The children set a goal of collecting \$1,000 during the six-week period and ended up with a total of \$1,489.83. Pictured front row from left are: Macy Reybrock, Taelyr Reger and Sawyer Kamba; middle row: Jessa Muller, Ashlyn Clarke, Mallory Bessette, Antonio Magana and Brayden Fehrman; top row: Maribel Glodowski and Matt Kurszewski. (Submitted photo)

Compass sponsors Wisconsin Shrine Pilgrimage

THE COMPASS

ALLOUEZ — Bishop David Ricken will once again lead a three-day "Wisconsin Shrine Pilgrimage" to approved Marian shrines. This year's pilgrimage — featuring stops at the Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Help of Christians at Holy Hill; the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse; and the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, Champion — will take place in October.

Pilgrims will board the motor coach at 7:45 a.m. on Monday, Oct. 12, at the Diocese of Green Bay campus, 1825 Riverside Drive, Green Bay, for departure to Holy Hill in Hubertus.

On Oct. 13, pilgrims will have free time to see devotional areas at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe prior to a directed tour of the shrine church and works of art.

The final day of the pilgrimage, the motor coach is expected to arrive at the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help early in the afternoon.

Cost is \$525 per person based on double occupancy. All meals, tips and taxes are included. Pilgrims under 18 must be accompanied by a paid adult. Download a complete brochure at **thecompassnews.org** or contact Amy Kawula, (920) 272-8212; email: **akawula@gbdioc.org**.

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