LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday - May 16

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Carole Englebert

Sunday - May 17 (Ascension of the Lord)

7:30 am People of Corpus Christi

10:30 am Roland Boucher

Monday - May 18

*5:05 pm Alexander Athanases

Tuesday - May 19

*5:05 pm John F. & Teckla Check

Wednesday - May 20

*8:00 am Eugene & MaryAnn Spude & Barb Rouer

Thursday - May 21

*5:05 pm People of Corpus Christi

Friday – May 22

*8:20 am Ray Alfson & Special Intentions

Saturday - May 23

3:30-4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

Sunday - May 24 (Pentecost Sunday)

7:30 am Damir Maggle

10:30 am Wallace & Marie LeCloux

*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

Scripture Readings- Ascension of the Lord

Sunday Acts 1:1-11,Psalm 47:2-3,6-7,8-9, Ephesians 1:17-23 or Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13, Mark 10:15-20

Monday Acts 19:1-8, Psalm 68:2-3AB, 4-5ACD, 6-7AB, John 16:29-33

Tuesday Acts 20:17-27, Psalm 68:10-11, 20-21, John 17:1-11A

Wednesday Acts 20:28-38, Psalm 68:29-30, 33-35A, 35BC-36AB, John 17:11B-19

Thursday Acts 22:30;23:6-11, Psalm 16:1-2A, 5,7-8, 9-10,11, John 17:20-26

Friday Acts 25:13B-21, Psalm 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20AB, John 21:15-19

Saturday Acts 28:16-20, 30-31, Psalm 11:4,5,7, John 21:20-25

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PARISH NEWS



Be a part of our Growing Parish! Join us in the "Adopt a garden" ministry. We are looking for individuals and/or a parish family to adopt a garden or flower pot for the summer season. Please consider volunteering a week or hour of your time to help those that will adopt a garden. If unable to help physically, consider donating financial help that would go towards purchasing plants and garden supplies. A signup sheet and contact information is located in the entrance of church.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Saturday - May 16

7:00-11:00 am Armed Forces Veteran's Breakfast

In Social Hall

Sunday - May 17 (Ascension of the Lord)

8:00-11:00 am "Walk for a Cause" in Social Hall

7:00 pm Men's Group Meeting

Tuesday - May 19

5:30 pm Holy Hour

Thursday - May 21

6:30 pm St. John Bosco Spring Concert & Art Fair

Saturday - May 23

5:30 pm 10 Year Celebration for Fr. Carl/Social

Hall

Monday – May 25 (Memorial Day)
Parish Office Closed

8:00 am Mass @ Corpus

10:00 am Mass @ Chapel at

St. Joseph Cemetery

PARISH REPORT

Deposited this week, May 04-May 10, 2015	Week (45)
Parish Support	.\$4,282.00
Offertory Collection	\$891.15
Votive Candles	\$46.51
Technology & Capital Improvements	\$175.00
Donations	\$300.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	.\$5,694.66
Budgeted Expenses for the Week	.\$9,181.37
Weekly Shortfall(\$3,486.71)

\$CRIP REPORT

Sales for Week of: May 04–May 10, 2015 \$6,985.26 Profit for the Week \$300.24

MAINTENANCE FUND

Cash on hand (05/11/2015).....\$20,521.68

Special Collection Nepal Earthquake Victims: \$2,438.17
If you would still like to donate to the Nepal Victims go to
CRS.org to donate. Thank you for your donation!

Bishop's Appeal.....\$29,180.00 Our Goal: \$36,001.00 Mail in your donation today! Need to collect...\$6,821.00

PARISH NEWS



Wedding Banns

Cecil Brauer & Ashley Benzshawel Bann III

Wedding Date: May 30th

Christ Child Society Meeting

Christ Child Society members will meet on Monday the 18th at St. Michael's social hall in Jacksonport. Come for coffee and conversation at 12:30 followed by the meeting. We will be discussing the August fundraiser luncheon which this year will occur on Wednesday, the 5th. Watch for further announcements such as time and place.

NOTES FROM FR. CARL.....



This weekend we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. This feast is moved from Thursday to the weekend. Jesus instructs his disciples before he leaves to "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature." This can seem to be a big task but with

each of us doing our part great things can happen.

I would like to thank the parishes of Corpus Christi and Holy Name of Mary for the hospitality shown to our seminarian Zach Weber over the past three months. He has been humbled by your care for him. I look forward to having him back to visit every so often. Let us continue to keep Zach in our prayers.

Let us include in our prayers Kylie Ann Petry (parents Steven and Amber), and Logan John Romenesko (parents Joseph and Amanda) and their families as they were baptized last Sunday! Have a blessed week! Fr. Carl

FROM THE DEACON'S DESK.....



Today we celebrate the Ascension of our Lord. Jesus ascended into heaven 40 days after his resurrection, so traditionally we called it "Ascension Thursday". Fairly recently, most diocese in the United States

have moved it to the following Sunday. The readings for today therefore are about the Ascension. The normal readings for this weekend (7th Sunday of Easter) are very interesting as well. In the first reading, Acts 1:15-26, the apostles appoint Mathias to take the place of Judas. Why did they need 12? Jesus chose 12 as a symbol of uniting the 12 tribes of Israel. Jesus asked that all be one just as He & the Father are one. This was a challenge for the first apostles and it is a challenge for us, but one we can achieve through love. Let us love one another in resurrection joy, Ascension wonder and Pentecost hope!

PARISH NEWS

Home Missions-Our Own Needs Collection: May23&24

The Home Missions Appeal impacts the lives of nearly nine million Catholics. The four major beneficiaries represented in this collection are:

<u>Catholic University of America:</u> This Catholic University is located in Washington DE and provides academic education to nearly 7,000 students every year. One hundred percent of this collection is used for financial aid and more than 4,000 students receive scholarship aid.

<u>Catholic Communications Campaign:</u> This provides grants to Catholic organizations that will share the Catholic experience of faith, worship & witness through social media sites. Half of this collection stays in our Diocese.

Edge and Life Teen Middle & High School Religious Education

Our shoe drive is officially over! The big truck from Florida picked up all the shoes last Tuesday evening! Stay tuned to next week's bulletin for pictures! We collected over 308 bags of shoes (25 pair per bag)! That's incredible! The shoes are off to Florida and then will be distributed to developing nations. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

It isn't too late to donate to the mission trip to Mississippi! We have youth at each Mass selling stock. ALL donations are accepted and appreciated. Even if you donate \$1, you are helping send the youth of our County to do the Lord's work! Please stop by one of the mission boards after Mass OR you can also send your donation to Corpus Christi. Our goal is to raise \$5000 and we are about half way to that goal! By donating, you will receive a thank you card picture from the trip and you will be invited to our annual Stock Holder's Dinner. At the dinner you will be fed and then you will have the chance to hear all about the mission trip! We really appreciate all donations!

New this year, we are selling nails that we will be using in Mississippi. You can purchase a nail in honor or in memory of someone. We may be physically doing Jesus' work, but we feel that we have the hearts and hands of our congregation, both living and in heaven working alongside of us. The nails are a symbol of unity! The nails are a free will offering. All you need to do is contact Sarah at 743-4716 or stgavin25@gmail.com if you would like to purchase a nail.

Please keep praying for our middle and high school youth! We have over 60 students in both grade levels attending mission trips. The high school trip is in June and the middle school trip is in July!

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Black and Native American Missions: These funds support pastoral ministry, Catholic schools and religious education programs to Black & Native American evangelization programs in dioceses where these communities exist.

Come Join Us As We Celebrate



Reverend Carl E. Schmitt Ordained May 21, 2005

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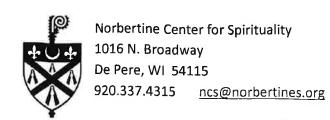
Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering persevere in prayer komment till t Fr. Carl's 10 Year Ordination Anniversary





Saturday May 23rd at 5:30pm In the Corpus Christi Social Hall

Refreshments & Appetizers Served



www.norbertines.org

Art History for Women: 25 Works of Art Every Woman Should Know

Enjoy a brief overview of 25 essential works of art that reveal the evolution of human thought, belief, and imagination. Fr. James Neilson, O. Praem., promises to deliver images and ideas that optimistically celebrate humankind's active participation in discerning essential identity and values - yesterday, today, and tomorrow.

Tuesday, May 19

6:30 - 8 p.m.

*Please note: men are welcome to attend.

Presenter: Fr. James Neilson, O. Praem.

Cost: Free will offering (suggested donation \$5)

Registration appreciated

Ever Ancient, Ever New: Seminarians Reflect Upon Being a Norbertine Today

Perfectae Caritatis, the seventh document issued by the Second Vatican Council, calls for all religious institutions to return to their authentic founding charisms in the modern age. Join St. Norbert Abbey seminarians as they reflect upon what it means to be a member of the Norbertine Community in the 21st century.

Thursday, May 21

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Cost: Free will offering (suggested donation \$5)

Registration appreciated

What Are They Saying about Pope Francis and Climate Change

He chose the name of the patron saint of ecology, addressed climate change early in his pontificate, and devoted his first encyclical to environmental concerns. What is Pope Francis' message to us today regarding care for God's creation? Join Br. Steve Herro, O. Praem., Manager of Mission Resources and Data for Catholic Charities USA, for this most compelling presentation.

Wednesday, June 10

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Presenter: Br. Steve Herro, O. Praem.

Cost: Free will offering (suggested donation \$5)

Registration appreciated

Summer Directed Retreat

This retreat offers a time of prayer, silence, and solitude with the daily opportunity to meet with a spiritual director. Amenities include a private room, prayer spaces, cloister garden, spacious grounds, nearby Fox River biking and hiking trail, and indoor pool. Retreats can be scheduled for 3, 4, 5, or the entire 6 days.

June 10 - 15

Wednesday, 4 p.m. - Monday lunch

Cost: 3 days - \$300; 4 days - \$400; 5 days - \$475; 6 days - \$ 550

Spiritual Directors: Sr. Judy Miller, CSJ, Msgr. Jim Feely, Fr. John Bostwick, O. Praem.,

Patricia De Groot, Kathy Welhouse

Registration and payment required by June 1.