

OCT. 8, 2023 | THE TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

vineyard of the Lord.

PSALM 80

Pastor
Fr. Ryan Krueger

Pastoral Associate
Deacon Mark Hibbs

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses

Wednesday | 8:20am
Friday | 8:20am

Weekend Masses

Saturday | 4:30pm
Sunday | 7:30am, 10:30am

Confession

Saturday | 3:30pm - 4:00pm
First Friday | 7:50am
Other | By Appointment

Adoration

Saturday's 3:30-4pm
1st Thurs. of the Month 7-4pm

Welcome!

It is our mission to continue the work of Jesus
through the building of a vibrant Catholic
Community of Word, Worship and Service.

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Corpus Christi Catholic Church

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Parish Office & Mailing Address

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Monday - Thursday
8:00am - 4:30pm
Office Closed
1:30pm - 2:00pm
Friday
9:00am - 1:00pm

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GOSPEL MEDITATION

October 8, 2023

The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus' parables are much stranger than most people realize. This week is an attention-getting example. He tells the religious leaders a parable about a completely absurd situation. Blood-thirsty and insane tenants violently abuse and kill the servants of their landlord. Inexplicably, the owner keeps sending them more victims of increasing value — up to and including his own son. Weird.

Usually, we hear this parable and assume it's an allegory: Jesus is the murdered son, the servants the prophets, etc. Fair enough. But notice — and here is where the weirdness deepens — Jesus seems to disagree with the Pharisees' interpretation that the landowner should and will punish the inheritance-obsessed murderers. So, is Jesus praising the psychotic and greedy murderers?! You can imagine the furrowed brows and deriding laughter as the scoffing crowd shuffles away.

If we stay with this tough parable, perhaps this truth emerges: God wants us to have an over-the-top obsession with a totally undeserved inheritance. Of course, we are forbidden to use violence. But the parable's violence gets our attention because it highlights the crazy goodness of the landowner. Jesus reveals that God is not merely in the business of rewarding the good and punishing the bad. He is playing a much stranger game — one marked by a kind of over-the-top mercy, a breathtaking giving of what is not deserved. What would our week look like if we embraced this kind of desire for God's kingdom on earth, even if others think we're nuts? This week let's seek God's kingdom with a passionate confidence in God's desire to give the good things we don't deserve.

— Father John Muir
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MASS INTENTIONS

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Saturday, October 7|

03:30-04:00pm Adoration & Confessions

04:30pm | Rev. Ronald A. Colombo (deceased)

Sunday, October 8| 27th Sun. Ordinary Time

07:30am | Betty & Joe Challe (both deceased)

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

10:30am | People of Corpus Christi

Tues., October 10| Rosary 10am Church or Garden

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

Wednesday, October 11|

07:45am | Rosary

08:20am | Gerald Mancheski (deceased)

Thursday, October 12|

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

Friday, October 13|

07:50am | Rosary

08:20am | Fr. Ron Colombo (deceased)

Saturday, October 14|

03:30-04:00pm Adoration & Confessions

04:30pm | Phyllis Cross (deceased)

Sun., October 15| 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

07:30am | Jim & Sally Lau (both deceased)

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

10:30am | Rod Schlise (deceased)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20 (Isaiah 5:7a)/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Monday: Jon 1:1-2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37

Tues.: Jon 3:1-10/ Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (6cd)/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

EDGE LIFE TEEN

Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry News

Our Faith Formation ministries are up and running! Confirmation, Edge, and Life Teen have all begun and we have already been having a blast and growing in our faith.

Parents/guardians, if you did NOT sign up your son/daughter up, please do so ASAP. You can contact Sarah at stgavin25@gmail.com for more information.

Edge is for all 6-8th graders for their Religious Education (St. John Bosco students aren't required to attend but are more than welcome!)

Life Teen is the Religious Education for all 9-11th graders.

Schedule this upcoming week (October 11th)

Edge at Holy Name of Mary: 6-7:30pm

Edge at St. Joseph: 5:30-6:45pm

Life Teen at St. Joseph: 6:30-7:45pm

Confirmation at St. Joseph: 7:30-9pm

The Happening in Children's Ministry

Check out the happenings on these Facebook Pages:

GENESIS/Tri Parish Elementary Religious Education Program & St. Joseph Catholic Parish - Faith Formation Center.

We need you! Come join the fun! Subs are needed in all grades. For more information contact Laura Hoffman at lhoffman@stjosephsb.com or call 920-743-2062.

Genesis Service Project! Their first project is going to be for the hungry. They will be collecting food and paper products for bag meals and Thanksgiving meals for families in need. Oct. 11th is a box of dried pasta and one jar of spaghetti sauce. Any questions contact Laura.

Liturgy of the Word for Children at St. Joseph Church!

All children ages 4 through 3rd Grade are invited to participate in the Liturgy of the Word at Sunday 10am Mass. Schedule: Oct. 8th, Nov. 12th & Dec. 10th.

STEWARDSHIP

For the Week of September 22-28, 2023

Parish Support.....	\$4,697.00
Online Giving.....	\$2,772.00
Offertory.....	\$1,112.00
Total Deposit.....	\$8,581.00
Budgeted Weekly Expenses.....	\$6,698.17
Weekly St. John Bosco School Subsidy.....	\$3,461.54
Weekly Shortage.....	(\$1,578.71)

Don't forget to buy scrip before doing your shopping!

GIVE ONLINE! WWW.CCPARISH.NET

Corpus Christi Catholic Parish Support 2023 & 2022 Calendar Year Comparison

Parish Support	Jan. 1-Sept. 28, '23	Jan.1- Sept. 28,'22
Support Envelopes	\$203,640	\$217,998
Loose Collection	\$40,274	\$35,748
Online Giving	\$48,894	\$45,222
Total	\$292,808	\$298,968

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PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Annual Church Meeting

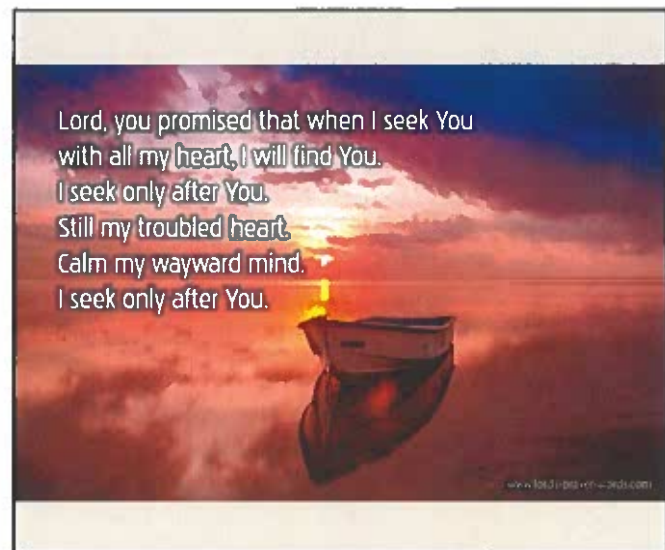
Please join us in the social hall on Tues. Oct. 10th at 6pm. Can't join us but you would like an annual report? They are at all the church entrances this weekend.

Bakery for Oktoberfest

Thank you so very much for offering your talents for the bake sale. Please bring your treats to the Social Hall on Sat. October 14th, between 10:00 and 2:00. Questions? Call Linda (920) 495-5715, or Terie (262) 945-7150.

Corpus Christi Parish "Oktoberfest": Oct. 14 & 15th (formerly named Fall Festival)

The tickets for our delicious chicken dinner are on sale now, if you didn't already purchase them online on our website (www.ccp parish.net)! Serving time for our chicken dinner 11-1pm; \$14.00 advance adult (\$15.00 at the door); children ages 5-12 \$7.00 (advance or at the door); 4 & under free. Don't forget then to mark your calendar for our event then! The sneak peek at the silent auction and bag raffle starts on Sat. Oct. 14th 5:30-6pm. Purchase tickets and grab a bid number to be the first ones for the raffles and while you are there, purchase some delicious baked goodies from the bake sale. The fun continues on Sun. Oct. 15th following the 7:30am and 10:30 am Masses. Chicken dinner serving 11-1pm. Also, beer, hot cider, outdoor games and Emergency Vehicles on display 10-1pm. Raffle drawing at 2pm.



PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Rosary

Join us prior to mass on Wednesday at 7:45am and Friday at 7:50am as we pray the rosary together. Don't forget we also gather together on Tuesday's at 10am in the main church entrance or weather permitting the reflection garden.

Altar Flowers

Looking for a way to remember your loved one or a special occasion such as a birthday or anniversary? Call the parish office for details on how to do altar flowers. Your request then will be published in the bulletin.

40 Days of Life

The Fall 40 Days for Life (24/7) Campaign starts Sept. 27th-Nov. 5th on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida St. in Green Bay. The D.C. parishes are set for Sunday afternoons Oct. 22nd & Nov. 5th, 12-2pm to walk and pray. Contact Dianne at 743-2260 with questions or car pooling information. Be the quiet voice for the unborn or at least pray & fast at home to end abortion.

Blessing Box

If you or anyone you know are in need of food, please help yourself to the blessing box, located out the side entrance of church (Duluth Street side).



That Man Is You Men's Group

All men are welcome! The new session has started at St. Joe's on Sunday Sept. 10th at 7pm in the social hall-but you can still join. Each evening will be 1 1/2 hours long. Any questions, contact Ron White at 715-820-1704.

Cash Raffle Tickets on Sale Now

Did you buy your tickets yet? You still have time before the drawing at our Oktoberfest-2pm. Tickets \$10.00 each or 3 for \$25.00. You don't need to be present to win!



Thank You

A Harvest of Thanks to Fred and Mary Malvitz for their generous gift of fall pumpkins and gourds used in the fall decorations. A special Thanks also to Matt and Judy Engebretson and Sue Pieschek for helping set up all the fall decorations. Thank you for sharing your God's Given Talents.



Corpus Christi Parish

713 W. Juniper St.

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OKTOBERFEST

OCTOBER 14

After 4:30 Mass - 6:00 pm

Raffles ~ Silent Auction ~ Bake Sale

OCTOBER 15

After 7:30 am & 10:30 am Masses

Raffles ~ Silent Auction ~ Bake Sale

Chicken Dinner

11:00 - 1:00 pm

Carry-outs Available

Order in Advance: Scan QR Code

Adults: \$14 in advance

\$15 at door - cash or check only

Child: \$7 (age 5-12)

Children: Free (4 and under)



Beer ~ Hot Cider ~ Popcorn ~ Outdoor Games

10:00 - 2:00 pm - Cash Only

Emergency Vehicles on Display

10:00 - 1:00 pm

BRING YOUR FAMILY & JOIN THE FUN

Funds raised will be used for Corpus Christi Parish's portion of St. John Bosco School's new heating system.





Corpus Christi Catholic Church

2023 Fundraiser Cash Raffle

On sale now! The funds raised will be used for Corpus Christi Parish's portion of the St. John Bosco School's heating system, being installed now.



Cash Prizes:

Tickets \$10.00 each

Or 3 for \$25.00!

You need not be present to win!

1st	\$1000.00
2nd	\$500.00
3rd	\$100.00
4th	\$100.00
5th	\$100.00
6th	\$100.00
7th	\$100.00

Drawing Sun. Oct. 15th

2pm at Corpus Christi

Social Hall

(713 W. Juniper St.)

Purchase tickets 3 ways:

1. In person before & after weekend Masses.
2. Return the completed form below with check payment to Corpus Christi Catholic Church (25 N. Elgin Ave., Sturgeon Bay, WI. 54235).
3. Drop completed coupon along with payment in the weekend collection basket.

Please include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you wish to receive the stub.

Clip & return with payment to: Corpus Christi Parish 25 N. Elgin Ave., Sturgeon Bay, WI. 54235

Name(s):

Address:

City:

State/Zip:

of Tickets:

Phone #:

Corpus Christi Raffle

By completing this coupon with payment, you hereby authorize Corpus Christi Raffle Committee to fill in your name & other info onto your ticket(s) and drop in the raffle bin.
Raffle License #: R0011251A-31788



*Items available in the Silent Auction and Bucket Raffle at the
Corpus Christi Parish Oktoberfest on Oct. 14th & 15th!*

Silent Auction:

- Sparkle Bag, Crossbody, Hydroflask Water Bottle, Polarbox Cooler, Candle, Notebook and Socks donated by On Deck Clothing Company
- Hair Care Gift Basket with Decorative Scarecrow Donated by Reflections Hair Designs
- Hair Care Gift Basket with Personal Care Items and a Decorative Scarecrow Donated by Mary Hudon
- Door County Preserves Gift Basket Donated by Wood Orchard Market
- Fall Wreath Donated by Elise Denil; Decorative Pillow Donated by Bernice Lasee; \$25.00 Gift Certificate with a Squirrel Dish Donated by Door County Nature Works
- Metal Works Tree Art Donated by Hi Tec Fabrication
- Metal Works Weather Vane Art Donated by Hi Tec Fabrication
- 12 Paper Placemats, Cutting Board, Glass Dish and Cork Holder Donated by Cornucopia Kitchen Shop
- Door County Preserves and Snacks Gift Basket Donated by Lautenbach's Orchard Country Winery & Market
- Metal Art Door County Drink Stand Donated by Hi Tec Fabrication
- Decorative Vase with Dried Flowers Donated by Mary Wulf and Decorative Pillow Donated by Bernice Lasee
- Hand Crafted Wood Cross Donated by Rick & Dianne Zirbel and a Handmade Rosary Donated by Fyrn Jilot
- Decorative Wood Chair Donated by Rick & Dianne Zirbel and Decorative Pillow Donated by Bernice Lasee
- Diamond Art Framed Picture of the Holy Family Donated by Barbara Jilot
- Diamond Art Framed Picture of a Winter Scene Donated by Sue Chaudoir
- Taste of Door County Themed Gift Basket with Snacks and Preserves and Three Gift Cards, Marchants Meats \$25.00, Renard Cheese \$15.00 and Scaturo's \$10.00 Donated by Steve, Lori and Michelle LaLuzerne
- Angel Stone Lawn Ornament Donated by Dan & JoAnn Cihlar
- \$25.00 Gift Card and Shirt Donated by Greystone Castle; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Havegard Birdfeed Outlet; and Two Jars of Mustard Donated by Door County Mustard
- \$50.00 Gift Card and T-Shirt Donated by Shipwreck Brew Pub & Restaurant and a Jar of Cherry Salsa and Chips
- \$50.00 Gift Card Donated by The Mill Supper Club; Window Scraper, Two Wine Glasses, and Four Can Koozies Donated by North Shore Bank; T-Shirt Donated by Kitty O Reilly's Irish Pub
- Flamingo Book and Two Characters From the Book Donated by Dancing Bear
- \$50.00 Gift Card Toward Service Work, Sweatshirt and a Cap Donated by Kevin's Automotive
- Travel Bag, Blanket, Coffee Mug, Cards, Lip Balm Donated by Door County Memorial Hospital; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy LLC; Gift Card for Three Attractions Donated by Egg Harbor Fun Park
- Two Adult and Two Children Seasonal Passes Donated by The Farm; Water Bottle, Two Regular Value Basket Meals and Two Medium Concrete Mixers Donated by Culver's
- Door County Snacks and Preserves Gift Basket Donated by The Cherry Hut
- Two Bottles of Wine, Sonny's Products and Two \$25.00 Gift Cards to Sonny's Donated by Sonny's Italian Kitchen & Pizzeria
- Two Tickets to An Evening Performance during the 2024 Season Donated by Peninsula Players Theatre
- Free Bowling for a Year and One Cod Basket from Apple Valley Lanes – Chaser's Sports Bar
- Fun in Sister Bay With Four Passes for 18 Hole Round of Mini-Golf donated by Pirate's Cove and a \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Al Johnson's Swedish Restaurant & Butik
- \$250.00 Discount Toward Carpet Cleaning Service Donated by Ahnapsee Hill Cleaning Services
- One Night Stay in Any Suite at Bay Shore Inn
- Four Homemade Pies Baked and Donated by Missy Marchant
- Gift Basket with a Bottle of Wine, Door County Snacks and Preserves and a \$30.00 Gift Card to Renard's Artisan Cheese Donated by PortSide Builders, Inc.
- \$120.00 Gift Card for a Trolley Tour Donated by Door County Trolley
- One Pizza a Month for a Year Donated by Scaturo's Baking Co. & Café

Silent Auction (continued)

- Two Ribeyes a Month For a Year Donated by Meats & Sausage in Sturgeon Bay
- Two Night Stay in a One Bedroom Suite Donated by The Landing Resort
- Two 18 Holes of Golf Donated by Idlewild Golf Club
- Free Dog Wash, Leash, Dog Toys and Items Donated by Door County Dog Store
- \$25.00 Gift Card to Marchant's Meats Donated by Handy Bins, Two T-shirts and a Gift Card for Four Drinks Coffee or Beer Donated by Wickman's 2Brew, and Two Jars of Mustard Donated by Door County Mustard
- T-Shirt, Three Glasses and a Gift Card for Four Free Drinks Coffee or Beer Donated by Wickman's 2Brew; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy
- Two Adult Bobcats Baseball Shirts and an Adult Hooded Sweatshirt Donated by FLS Banners Ltd; Gift Card for Three Attractions Donated by Egg Harbor Fun Park
- Purse Donated by Alley Katz Boutique and Two Door County Sweatshirts Donated by FLS Banners Ltd.
- Wisco Sweatshirt Donated by Wilkins and Olander; Two \$20.00 Gift Cards Donated by Al Johnson's Swedish Restaurant & Butik
- Two Plaques "Our Lady of Fatima" and "Our Lady of Guadalupe" Donated by Tress Barta; Camo Air Chair Holder and Homemade Rosary Donated by Fyrn Jilot; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy
- Sturgeon Bay Tote Bag and Sweatshirt Donated by FLS Banners Ltd; Gift Card for Four Free Drinks Coffee or Beer Donated by Wickman's 2Brew; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy
- Mum Plant Donated by Maas Floral and Greenhouse
- 18 x 24 Canvas Print of a Door County Sunset Over the Bay Donated by Matthew Marchant
- Sweeten the Deal Frame with Lottery Tickets and Six Gift Cards Donated by Handy Bins, One Barrel Brewing Company, Door County Candy, Egg Harbor Fun Park and Al Johnson's Swedish Restaurant & Butik
- One Night Stay in a Standard Room Donated by Stone Harbor

Bucket Raffle:

- Wine, Snowman, Hand Towels and Jam Donated by Dan & Amy Brinkman; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy
- Two General Admission Tickets, Large Bucket of Popcorn and Two Drinks Donated by Sturgeon Bay Cinema 6
- Handmade Table Runner, Four Napkins with Two Candle Sticks Donated by Monica Sawyn; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Al Johnson's Swedish Restaurant & Butik
- Wine, Wine Glasses and Snacks Donated by Tress Barta; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy; \$25.00 Gift Card Donated by Morning Glory Restaurant
- Two \$25.00 Gift Cards to Kwik Trip, Toothpaste, Mouthwash and Breath Spray Donated by Olson Dental LLC
- \$25.00 Gift Card Donated by Wis. Building Supply (formerly Lamperts); Two Beverage Vests and a Cap Donated by Bay Shore Outfitters; Two Jars of Mustard Donated by Door County Mustard and bag of pretzels
- 18 Piece Party Box of Subs, a Side, Little John On Us, Sandwich On Us and a T-shirt Donated by Jimmy Johns
- Free Bowling For a Year and a Pizza Donated by Apple Valley Lanes – Chaser's Sports Bar
- \$25.00 Gift Card Donated by Morning Glory Restaurant; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy; Window Scraper, Two Coffee Mugs and Four Can Koozies Donated by North Shore Bank
- Water Bottle, Two Value Meal Baskets and Two Concrete Mixers Donated by Culver's and Three Stuffed Toys
- One Night Stay in a King Room Donated by Bridgeport Waterfront Resort
- Foursome of 18 Holes of Golf with Cart Donated by Cherry Hills Golf Course
- Hair Care Products Donated by Allure LLC; \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Door County Candy
- Placemats and Jam Donated by Tress Barta; Loaf of Homemade Bread Donated by Gladie Schommer; \$25.00 Gift Card to Renards Cheese Donated by Handy Bins; and Two Pints of Heavenly Honey Donated from the Holy Hives of Father Tony
- \$20.00 Gift Card Donated by Al Johnson's Swedish Restaurant & Butik; Decorative Pillow Donated by Bernice Lasee; Four Packets of Door County Coffee, Two Coffee Mugs and Dish Towels Anonymous Donor



The Parish Connection

St. John Bosco School is shaping future leaders by providing academic excellence in a caring 4K-8 Catholic environment where God's gifts are nurtured and where faith is put into action.

St. John Bosco
Catholic School

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From the Principal

October is designated by the Catholic Church as the Month of the Rosary. Here at St. John Bosco Catholic School, we will join all the schools in the Green Bay Diocese by saying an all-school rosary on October 13 at 9:00 AM. Our 8th grade students will continue to develop skills, by leading the school with the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary. We invite everyone to join us, take a break wherever you are and say a quick rosary at this time joining thousands of children across the diocese.

We are also pleased that the Sisters of the Missionaries of the Word from Baileys Harbor will be joining us, for the first of several visits, on October 19. The Sisters will visit every class and spend time with our students during lunch and recess time, demonstrating the joy of vocations.

Please pray for the Sisters, our students, staff, and families. We thank all of the parishioners for their continued support and prayers.

Dr. Robey

Helpful Ways to Bring Extra \$ to SJB

SJB will gladly take your Tadych's MarketPlace receipts. We will also take Pick n Save, Walmart, and Target receipts, but these must be turned into the school office within 14 days of purchase. We can only scan these receipts for Box Tops for Education and they expire after 14 days. Buying Scrip at Corpus Christi Parish and choosing St. John Bosco as your designation also benefits us. These simple actions by you can literally bring in thousands of dollars for us. Thank you!

Fire Prevention Presentations

The Sturgeon Bay Fire Department visited our school on Tuesday, September 26. They presented to our students in grades 4K-4th. Students watched a video promoting fire safety and received a safety checklist to complete at home with their parents. The firefighters also answered many inquisitive questions that our students asked. Thanks to the Sturgeon Bay Fire Department for fitting our SJB students into their busy schedule.



Time for Kids Finalist



Earlier this year, Chloe Matysiak, a fifth grader, applied to be a Time for Kids reporter, a contest that draws several hundred applicants each year. She interviewed the Door County Candle Company owners and wrote an article called "Saving Ukraine One Candle at a Time", which placed her in the final round with 20 kids nationwide. In addition, she wrote an opinion piece, interviewed a Sturgeon Bay elementary school student on her project for helping kids locally with disabilities, and created a video about the five amazing things about her. While she was not accepted this year, her interview with the elementary school student will be published in a future Time for Kids magazine edition. We are so proud of you Chloe!

Annual School Fund Drive

As we celebrate 16 years of helping God's light to shine through our students, we are asking you to "Be Our Light" by continuing to support St. John Bosco Catholic School by donating to our Annual School Fund Drive. Your financial support ensures we can continue to provide a quality education both academically and religiously as Door County's only Catholic School.

Please watch your mailboxes and Church for donation/pledge requests starting October 10, which will also be the official start of our Annual School Fund Drive. However, if you wish today, we gladly welcome your support! Donations can be made via check delivered to the school office or online at johnboscoschool.org.

This year we have been challenged by three anonymous donors to which St. John Bosco Catholic School will receive an additional \$5,000 donation for each of the following that are achieved:

- Receive 100 donations by October 20th
- Raise \$50,000 by November 15th
- Obtain \$5,000 from new donors by November 30th

We thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Diocesan All School Mass

The Jacquet Family attended the Diocesan All School Mass on September 28 with Fr. Matthew and Fr. Ryan. This special mass took place at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Champion.

Request for Veterans' Names

Please contact the school office with updated veterans' names and addresses. Our students will soon be writing letters as part of our community outreach project.



DARE

Door County Investigator Chris Neuville is providing a 10-week DARE program for our 5th graders. Classes began Thursday, September 15 during the students' Social Studies class time. At the end of the program, a DARE graduation will be held. Thank you to Investigator Neuville for again fitting SJB into his busy schedule. We believe that teaching our students the importance of making safe and healthy living decisions when it comes to drugs, alcohol, and bullying is so very important.

D.A.R.E. envisions a world in which students everywhere are empowered to respect others and choose to lead lives free from violence, substance use, and other dangerous behaviors.

Cross Country Update



SJB has eight students participating in our cross country team this year. We have competed in five meets, with only the conference meet remaining. The final meet will take place this Thursday, October 12 at Cherry Hills. Our students have been doing well, with many of them routinely finishing in the top 15. We have enough female runners that we actually qualify as a team in the girls' standings. Thank you to Mr. Orns for coaching and coordinating our team at SJB!

Time for Kids Donation

SJB would like to thank the Matysiak Family for purchasing subscriptions for our 4K-6th grade students for the Time for Kids magazine. We appreciate your thoughtfulness and generosity!

Picture Day

Picture day at SJB was October 4. Thanks to Harmann Studios for providing this service to our school.

Blessing of the Animals

St. John Bosco School celebrated the Blessing of the Animals on Thursday, October 5 at 7:55am prior to the start of our school day. Caring for God's Animals, like St. Francis of Assisi exemplified for us, is a wonderful model of Christian living. Thank you to Fr. Ryan Krueger for blessing our animals and stuffed animals too!

SJB Board of Trustees

The 2023-2024 St. John Bosco's Board of Trustees Members are:

Kayla Lehman
Morgan Kiedrowski
Gelana Davis
Bonnie Connolly
Brian Matysiak
Terie Johnson
Hugh Zettel
Father Ryan Krueger
Father Matthew Rapp
Dr. Michael Robey

We would like to thank our exiting members, Greg Anderson and Ann Smejkal. We appreciate their dedication to our school!

Grandparents/Grand Friends Week



Grandparents/Grand Friends



St. John Bosco School was so excited to celebrate Grandparents/Grand Friends Day! We had over 150 guests attend our special morning on Wednesday, September 13. Our grandparents were able to attend mass, share a nutritious snack, and tour the school together. Grandparents and Grand Friends are very special people to have in our lives!

Ms. Beth Visits 4K

Ms. Beth from the Sturgeon Bay Library began her visits with our 4K students on Monday, October 2. She will be sharing her love of reading with us each month!

Additional Staff for 2023-2024

Mrs. Biegalski, 4K-4 Music/FLEX 5&6



I am excited to be teaching music and flex classes at St. John Bosco Catholic School. We are going to learn how to praise God as well as express ourselves through music. We will also learn the parts that make up a song as well as learn different genres of music. Flex classes will improve their study skills, learn about growth mindset, and build stronger relationships with their classmates.

Fun Facts: I have three children and six grandchildren. I love spending time with them. I also enjoy reading, crocheting, sign language, and, of course, music!

Mrs. Tomaszewski, 4K-4 Art



We moved to Sturgeon Bay in 2009 and my husband Dan and I decided to have our 3 sons attend

St. John Bosco. We are all so grateful for the caring staff and the excellent education they received during their years. All 3 are very proud Bosco graduates! I am happy to be able to offer art and have already witnessed so much creativity and joy from the students!

Vision and Hearing Checks

SJB students in grades 4K-5 & 7 will have their vision and hearing checked by Door County Public Health on October 19. Thank you to Teri VanLieshout for coordinating this for our school and to the local Lions Club volunteers who will help out on this day!



Stay Informed about St. John Bosco

School Website – The website includes current news and a calendar of events for the current month.

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