

OCT. 22, 2023 | THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**GIVE THE  
LORD HONOR  
AND GLORY.**



**P S A L M 9 6**

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

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# Corpus Christi Catholic Church

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## Parish Office Hours

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

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## GOSPEL MEDITATION

October 22, 2023

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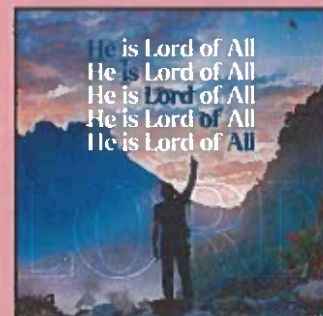
*With little more than a year until the United States' national elections, I find myself feeling, like many Catholics, both dread and energized. Dread, because our democratic republic can be a messy endeavor and campaigns a long, nasty, and unedifying slog; energized, because hope for positive societal change can be enticing and engaging. As a pastor, I see similar conflicting attitudes in those whom I serve. How can Catholics best engage our political arena in a way which is truly helpful and worthwhile?*

*This week's gospel reading offers wisdom in this regard. Jesus says, "Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." This riddle forces us to answer for ourselves a hidden question: what is the relationship between political and divine authority? Two common but false answers lead to mischief. If we answer that the two are equivalent, politics becomes our absolute authority. This happens whenever religion is slave to the state, as in the travesty of the pro-Nazi German Christian movement in the 1930s and 40s. It also usually occurs when there is an official state religion. If we answer that the two are totally unrelated, we end up with an unchecked aggressive secularist state as we often experience now. Thus, religion becomes a weak and private pastime.*

*What's a better alternative? At our best, Christians hold that political authority does indeed have its own legitimate autonomy but is nested within God's all-encompassing authority. Think, for example, of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s respect for politics while also being able to criticize unjust human laws because he recognized a higher heavenly law. In other words, Caesar owns politics — and God owns Caesar. So, we should allow Jesus' words to lead us to have a deep respect and willingness to peacefully engage in politics without making that engagement our religion. We bring our faith to bear on our politics knowing confidently that Caesar isn't God — but he is indeed God's.*

— Father John Muir

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## MASS INTENTIONS

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### Saturday, October 21| World Mission Collection

03:30-04:00pm Adoration & Confessions

04:30pm | Joe H. Schmelzer (deceased)

### Sunday, October 22| 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

07:30am | People of Corpus Christi

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

10:30am | Arlee Bodnar (deceased)

### Tues., October 24| Rosary 10am Church or Garden

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

### Wednesday, October 25|

07:45am | Rosary

08:20am | Virginia Kreft (deceased)

### Thursday, October 26|

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

### Friday, October 27|

07:50am | Rosary

08:20am | People of Corpus Christi

### Saturday, October 28|

03:30-04:00pm Adoration & Confessions

04:30pm | Members of Catholic Financial Life Chapt.213

### Sun., October 29|30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

07:30am | Fr. Ronald Colombo (deceased)

09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary

10:30am | People of Corpus Christi

## STEWARDSHIP

For the Week of October 6-12, 2023

Parish Support.....	\$3,812.00
Online Giving.....	\$600.00
Offertory.....	\$950.00
<b>Total Deposit.....</b>	<b>\$5,362.00</b>
Budgeted Weekly Expenses.....	\$6,262.11
Weekly St. John Bosco School Subsidy.....	\$3,461.54
<b>Weekly Shortage.....</b>	<b>(\$4,361.65)</b>

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

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### Corpus Christi Catholic Parish Support 2023 & 2022 Calendar Year Comparison

Parish Support	Jan. 1-Oct. 12, '23	Jan.1- Oct. 12,' 22
Support Envelopes	\$212,468	\$228,478
Loose Collection	\$42,077	\$37,880
Online Giving	\$50,528	\$48,693
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$305,073</b>	<b>\$315,051</b>

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 (7b)/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

Monday: Rom 4:20-25/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 12:49-53

Fri.: Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16

Next Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

## EDGE LIFE TEEN

### Middle & High School Religious Education

### and Youth Ministry News

**Parents/guardians**, if you did NOT sign up your son/daughter up for Edge or Life Teen, 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 25th)

No Edge at Holy Name of Mary

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

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

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

### Registration for our 2024 mission trip to Louisiana is OPEN!

June 9-16th. We secured more spots this year, but we still know the trip is going to fill and fill fast, so contact Sarah today if you're interested in signing up. This trip is open to all current 8th graders through the graduating class of 2024.

### 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. 25th paper products such as napkins, paper toweling or plates. 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: Nov. 12th & Dec. 10th.



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### PRAYER FOR TODAY

Father God, thank You for Your gracious hand that is upon my life. I give You glory today for all You have done in my past, all that You are doing today, and all that You will do in my future. I love You and trust You in all things knowing that Your favor surrounds me like a shield in Jesus' name. Amen.

## PARISH & OTHER NEWS

### 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.

### Drive-Thru Senior (55+) Mobile Food Pantry at Holy Name of Mary: Wed. Oct. 25th 10-noon

This event is open to the public. Follow directions of posted signs and stay in your vehicle. Please make sure that you have room in your vehicle's trunk or backseat for the box of food. Limited quantities and only one box per vehicle. Mark your calendar for the next dates: Nov. 15th and Dec. 6th. Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin.



**Trunk-or-Treat Event:**  
**Date:** Tuesday Oct. 31st  
**Time:** 5-7pm  
**Location:** St. Joseph Church  
Parking Lot  
(526 Louisiana Street in St. Bay)

### St. Joseph Church: Children Ministry Event

A trunk-or-treat is an opportunity for kids and a treat-giving opportunity for adults. It allows us to support our church family and provide a safe and secure Halloween environment for children. Kids of elementary age to come and trunk-or-treat. Adults bring their cars and treats to pass out. If it's raining the event will be cancelled. Call Laura Hoffman to participate/questions at 920-743-2062 or email [lhoffman@stjosephsb.com](mailto:lhoffman@stjosephsb.com).

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## PARISH & OTHER NEWS

### Parish Office Closure

The parish office will be closed on Thursday Oct. 26th so staff can attend the diocesan "Worship Jesus-Day of Encounter" event.

### Corpus Christi Parish "Oktoberfest"



#### Cash Raffle Winners

1st	\$1000.00	John Glesner
2nd	\$500.00	Dianne Zirbel
3rd	\$100.00	Greg Ebel
4th	\$100.00	David Wisnicky
5th	\$100.00	Mary Ducat
6th	\$100.00	Robin Cavil
7th	\$100.00	Cheryl Zettel

### Thank You, Thank You, Thank You

We wish to sincerely thank all of the wonderful people who donated items for our bakery sale at Oktoberfest. We had such a fantastic variety, and there was something for everyone. We appreciate the time and effort you put into your items. Your treats were enjoyed by many! Thank you so very much!

### St. Ann's : Lick Family Violence

Next weekend the ladies of St. Ann's will be here after all Masses handing out suckers. About one in four women and one in 10 men have experienced some sort of violence by an intimate significant other during their lifetime. Please consider donating for a sucker to help be part of the solution when St. Ann's has its annual Lick Family Violence campaign on **Oct. 28 and 29th**.

### 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.

### Bible Study at St. Joe's

There is a wonderful Bible Study every Tuesday at 10am at St. Joe's Faith Formation Center. Come join Penny Biwer as she leads a reviving bible study on the weekly readings that will stir your spirit.

### Thank You: Knights of Columbus Council 2478

The KC's would like to thank all who contributed to their recent Culture of Life "Lifesavers for Life" collection. Through your generosity they raised over \$1,200.00 and they will be doing a direct donation to the Door County Chapter of Right to Life. Thank You and God Bless You!

***A DAY OF PRAYER, FASTING, & ABSTINENCE  
FOR PEACE & RECONCILIATION  
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2023***

At the request of the Latin Patriarch of the Holy Land and the Catholic Bishops of the world, the universal Church is setting aside a day of prayer, fasting, and abstinence from meat, for peace and reconciliation in Ukraine and in the Middle East.

At our parishes of Corpus Christi and Holy Name of Mary, we will observe Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> as a day of prayer, fasting, and abstinence from meat.

***We will also offer two opportunities for Holy Hours  
Tues. Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> and Wed. Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>.***

Holy Name of Mary Parish from 9:45am to 10:45am on Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup> and Corpus Christi Parish on Wednesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.





# *An Evening of Sharing Our God Moments*

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**WHEN:**

**Monday, October 30, 2023 @ 6:00-7:30pm**

**WHERE:**

**Saint Joseph Faith Formation Center**

**Facilitators:**

**Monica Hilbert, Laura Johnsrud**

**TO REGISTER: Contact Laura Hoffman by  
Wednesday, October 26th**

**(920)743-2062 Email: [lhoffman@stjosephsb.com](mailto:lhoffman@stjosephsb.com)**

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**Join Us As We:**

- Explore what are God moments?
- Share your own personal God story. (optional)
- Listen and be inspired by other's stories.
- Enjoy the fellowship of others.

***Some of our story tellers:***

Deacon Ed Winter  
Deacon Mark Bortle  
Melissa Bortle  
Penny Biwer

**This evening will be devoted to:**

**Celebrating God's presence and  
movements in our daily lives.**

**Exploring how God makes His  
presence known to us.**





Genesis  
Elementary Religious Education Program  
Christmas Wreath Fundraiser



All profits from this wreath sale will go toward the  
Religious Education Program.  
Your support is greatly appreciated.

Wreath orders, along with your payment, must be returned  
to Laura **no later than Wednesday, November 1.**

Orders can also be returned,

\* in the collection baskets at all weekend masses,

\* mailed to the parish office, at 526 Louisiana St., Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

\* or dropped off at the parish office during normal working hours,

Monday – Thursday 8:00am - 4:00pm - Friday 8:00am – 12:00pm

Wreath pickup is scheduled for the following dates at the St. Joseph Garage:

**Watch the bulletin for pick-up dates!**

All wreaths come decorated with (1) one velvet bow and (3) three pinecone clusters.

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Order Form

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36 inch star (undecorated)	\$40.00	Number _____	\$ _____
30 inch cross	\$25.00	Number _____	\$ _____
Kissing Ball with Hanger	\$40.00	Number _____	\$ _____

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_



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