



St. Paul Catholic Church

THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 11, 2024

WELCOME

to St. Paul Catholic Church. We are glad you joined us.

St. Paul Mission Statement

As a welcoming faith community centered in the Eucharist and guided by the Holy Spirit, our mission is to give glory to our Lord Jesus

Christ through: Inspirational Worship Faithful Discipleship Service to Others

Parish Office

PO Box 95 Hwy. D & 83 Genesee Depot, WI 53127 PH: 262-968-3865

Office Hours:

Monday-Closed

Tues-Thurs-8:30am to 4:00pm Friday: 8:30am to 12:30pm Religious Education Offices:

262-968-2276

Website:

www.stpaulgenesee.net

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Eucharistic Celebrations:

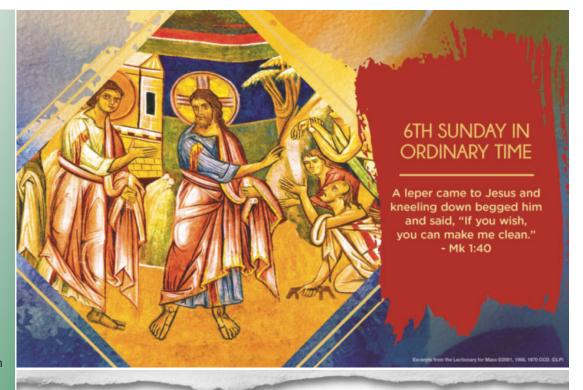
Tue & Fri 8:00am Mass
Thursday 6:00pm Adoration
Saturday 5:30pm Mass
Sunday 9:00am Mass

Reconciliation

2nd & 4th

Saturday at 10:00am or by Appointment

Contact the parish office if you would like access to the Adoration Chapel.







Readings for the Week

Readings for the week of February 11, 2024

More detail can be found at: http://bible.usccb.org/

Monday: James 1:1-11 / Mark 8:11-13 Tuesday: James 1:12-18 / Mark 8:14-21

Ash Wednesday:

Joel 2:12-18 /2Corinthians 5:20—6:2 / Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Deuteronomy 30:15-20 / Luke 9:22-25 **Friday:** Isaiah 58:1-9a / Matthew 9:14-15 **Saturday:** Isaiah 58:9b-14 / Luke 5:27-32

Next Sunday: Genesis 9:8-15 / 1 Peter 3:18-22 /

Mark 1:12-15

LIVING OUR FAITH

12 Monday

Parish Office Closed on Mondays 4pm Pickleball



13 Tuesday

8am Mass / Rosary After Mass 10:30am Book Club @ St. Bruno



14 Ash Wednesday

6am Dynamic Men's Group 9am Mass 6pm Men's Basketball 6:30pm Mass at St. Bruno

15 Thursday

8am Women's Bible Study 9am Faith & Life 4pm Pickleball 6pm Adoration

See something interesting? Check out our website for more information.

WEEKLY GOSPEL MEDITATION

Recently I had a skin rash, and it was awful. (Please don't tell anyone.) I am embarrassed to admit that I didn't handle it well. Complaining, whining, begging for sympathy, and crying were my responses to the merciless itching and burning. In the aftermath, a silver lining emerged. I feel a new heartfelt



sympathy for all those vexed with chronic skin problems. If you've ever had a seemingly unending skin problem, you know how that sympathy flows up from deep inside.

This gut-level compassion is something like what the Gospel describes in Jesus when the sore-covered leper says, "If you will it, you can make me clean." At this, just before the healing, Jesus was "moved with compassion." The Greek word used here is strong and earthy, closer to "his bowels and guts trembled with the deepest emotions of sadness, pity, and love." In Jesus, God heals our infirmities not from a divine distance but by learning what it feels like to be us. He acquires first-hand experience of what it costs us to be afflicted and still be faithful to God. He sympathizes with the burning, itching, and blistering of human existence in the deepest, first-hand way. To discover that is to touch Jesus' heart.

What in your life, right now, is breaking out like diseased skin? What is getting worse the more you try to soothe it? Perhaps only you feel it. Or maybe it's exposed to all. A bad habit, broken relationship, loneliness, fear of failure, self-hatred? Name it, and then find a way to bring it confidently to Jesus who will feel what we are feeling, and thereby heal us. - Father John Muir ©LPi





Please Join Us Next SUNDAY for Sweet Treats and Time together!

Each Donut Sunday this year will feature a St. Paul ministry and present an opportunity for you to learn YOUR Parish Family.

See you after Sunday Mass!!!

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ARCHDIOCESE of MILWAUKEE

Loaves & Fishes Sunday is Next Weekend! Money collected will go towards our Human Concerns projects. Thank you.





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FINANCIAL CORNER

Parish Support: January 20, 2024—January 26, 2024

Regular Parish Support (envelopes/electronic, etc.)*:\$9,829.50 Offertory:\$372.00

Total: \$10,201.50

*Excludes any form of extraordinary income for both years.

Fiscal Year to Date **Last Fiscal Year to Date** 7/1/2023 - 01/26/2024 7/1/2022 - 01/27/2023

Regular Parish Support*: \$357.355.15.....\$412,462.03 Offertory: \$16,148.13.....\$13,306.34 \$373,503.28.....\$425,768.37 Total:

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

16 Friday

8am Mass /Rosary After Mass 4:30pm Fish Fry 6pm Stations of The Cross



17 Saturday

8am Men's Basketball 10am Reconciliation at St. Bruno 5:30pm Mass

Loaves & Fishes Weekend

18 Sunday

9am Mass

Donut Sunday After Mass 10am RCIA 10am Faith Formation Gr K-5 6pm Faith Formation Gr 6-12



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OUR PARISH FAMILY

Join us on Sunday, March 3rd at 6pm at St. Paul in the **Church** for a special presentation about Human Trafficking in Wisconsin. The presentation will be put on by the Redeem and Restore Center. No registration required.



Learn the Who, How, Why. It Happens in plain sight. It happens in all 72 counties of Wisconsin. Come learn about this issue and what you can do to make a difference in lives of those affected. You will leave with understanding: how individuals get trapped, why they stay, why it's so hard to leave and what Redeem and Restore Center doing to impact their lives.



www.redeemandrestore.com

CATCH ONE OF **OUR FISH FRIES!**

Our dinners include: Fried and/or baked bread, applesauce, and coleslaw.



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MARCH 8

St. Paul Church S38W31602 Wern Way Waukesha

4:30-7:30PM



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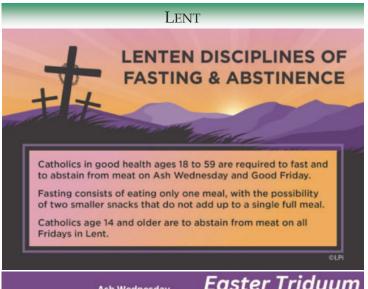
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JUNE 23 - 28



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As required by canon law of all bishops who reach age 75, Archbishop Jerome E. Listecki will submit his resignation to the Holy Father on March 12. He will continue to serve as Milwaukee's archbishop until Pope Francis accepts his retirement and appoints a new archbishop for Milwaukee, a process that has no set timeline. Learn more about Archbishop Listecki's accomplishments, and the many upcoming celebrations being planned in his honor at www.archmil.org/Listecki.





er Vigil (Holy Saturday) **Easter Sunday** St. Paul: 9am & 10:30am

JOIN US THIS LENT FOR

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FRIDAY, FEB 16: ST PAUL FRIDAY, FEB 23: ST BRUNO FRIDAY, MARCH 1: ST PAUL FRIDAY, MARCH 8: ST BRUNO FRIDAY, MARCH 15: ST PAUL FRIDAY, MARCH 22: ST BRUNO



Begins at 6:00pm

LENT IS COMING! Join our faith community in a transformative Lenten journey through CRS Rice Bowl to meet people in Uganda, El Salvador and Indonesia who are working hard to overcome the challenges of hunger



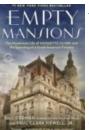
and the impact of climate change. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl before or after Mass outside of the sanctuary. During the



40 days of Lent, we will reflect on our connectedness as one family in Christ and work together to ensure our sisters and brothers worldwide can thrive. Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ ST. BRUNO

St. Bruno Book Club: Reading a good book is often better if you can discuss with others. St. Bruno's Book Club welcomes anyone interested in sharing their thoughts on a variety of books. The Book Club meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 10:30 am in the Parish Family Room and sometimes at member's homes. You can come whenever you choose.



Upcoming Books:

February 13: Empty Mansions, The Mysterious Life of Huguette Clark and the Spending of a Great American Fortune by Bill Dedman & Paul Clark Newell Jr.

March 12: The Extraordinary Deaths of Mrs. Kip by Sara Brunsvoid. Please call Nancy Klemp at 414-861-4204 for more info.

St. Bruno is a School Choice School



St. Bruno Parish School is a participant in the Wisconsin Parental Choice program. A growing number of families are taking



advantage of this opportunity to enroll their students in a Catholic School. The Wisconsin Parental Choice program allows families who meet certain income require-

ments to obtain a private school education completely free of charge through 12th grade. For more information, check our website or contact us at 262-965-2291 or tammy.price@stbrunoparishschool.com. The enrollment period for this program is NOW OPEN and runs through April 18. SCAN the QR code to get the latest information.

NOW ENROLLING!

Are you looking for a Catholic school for your student? St. Bruno Parish School offers grades K3-8th grade with small class sizes. We are enrolling for the 2024-2025 school year and would love to welcome your child to our school family. Please contact us for



a school tour or more information about what our parish school offers. 262-965-2291

or mary.macdonald@stbrunoparishschool.com (Registered members of St. Paul's will receive the parishioner rate for tuition.)



Save the Date and plan to join us for the St. Bruno Parish School Men Who Cook Dinner and Auction. This is an awesome, fun event which benefits our community school. For more information check out the school website, and click on the Men Who Cook section.

St. Bruno Annual Flower Sale Fundraiser

We are taking orders for the Human Concerns committee Annual Flower Sale from now until March 3rd. Order forms can be picked up in the parish office, gathering place or downloaded from our website or QR code.



Orders with payment are due by Sunday, March 3rd and PICKUP will be in the St. Bruno parking lot on May 19th 9:00am-11:30am. (Due to the in-

creased demand on the greenhouse, we need to submit our order to the greenhouse by MARCH 5th. Please don't delay in your flower planning.) Please make checks payable to "St. Bruno Parish". Purchasing these flowers helps support Homegrown Farms at Genesee Lake School where they provide employment opportunities for individuals with disabilities. Proceeds from the sale helps support our Human Concerns outreach

Contact Sharon Burt at 262-965-3737, Yvonne Hickey at 262-443-7934, 4 or Jan Lamparski at 262-490-1345 with any questions.

GREATER CATHOLIC COMMUNITY



Attention men: You're invited to join the 2024 Men of Christ conference—Mastering What Matters. The morning will feature well-known speakers, Mass, Adoration, Confession and fellowship.



When: Saturday, 09 March 2024: 7:05 A.M. Rosary, 7:30 A.M. Mass with program to follow, ends at 1:30 P.M.

Where: Schoenstatt Retreat Center - W284 N698 Cherry Ln, Waukesha Get all of the details and register at MenOfChrist.net or contact: Jerry Strand (262) 844-2988 or Tim Weske (262)894-5657 for more information, help in registration, or volunteering opportunities.

Spirituality
Study
Service

<u>The Catholic Study Club</u>: We welcome women belonging to any Catholic parish. Following the luncheon, Talis Westerby will present *Doing Less, Better: The Essentials of Our Catholic Faith* on Mar 12th at a

Waukesha restaurant. There will be a short general meeting after the speaker. Reservations are required and due by Sunday,

March 3rd, please give Jane a call at 262-549-3803.

ST PAUL'S LITURGICAL WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS: FEBRUARY 12 - FEBRUARY 18

Mon 8:00 AM (Mass at St. Bruno)

Tues 8:00 AM † Poor Souls in Purgatory by a

Caring Parishioner

Ash 8:45 AM (Mass at St. Bruno)

Wed 9:00 AM † Margaret Weiss by Bereavement

Committee

6:30 PM (Mass at St. Bruno)

Fri 8:00 AM St. Paul & St. Bruno Parishioners

Sat 4:00 PM (Mass at St. Bruno)

5:30 PM † Harold Hinterberg by Gail & Ron

Bishop

Sun 9:00 AM St. Paul & St. Bruno Parishioners

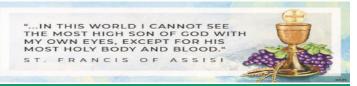
10:30 AM (Mass at St. Bruno)

MASS INTENTIONS

If you are interested in signing up for a Mass intention for 2024 our books have many dates available.

There is a stipend of \$10 per mass scheduled.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Closed Monday ~ Tuesday-Thursday 8:30am- 4:00pm ~ Friday 8:30am-12:30pm

Bulletin articles are due before 3pm on Thursday of the week prior to publication (at least 10 days before article appears in bulletin). Please E-MAIL content and artwork to cwick@stpaulgenesee.net

Prayer Network:

For our Parish families, those facing surgery, those undergoing treatment for cancer and other chronic illnesses.

Email <u>prayernetwork@stpaulgenesee.net</u> to add someone to our prayer list.







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