



September 8, 2024

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Annunciation Sunday 8:00 am & Spanish Mass @ 12:30 pm
 St. Joseph Sunday 10:30 am
 St. Jude..... Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 9:15 am
 St. Jude..... Hmong Mass 1st & 2nd Sundays 1:00 pm
 St. Patrick..... Saturday 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Annunciation Thursday 5:30 pm
 St. Joseph Sunday 9:45 am
 St. Jude & St. Patrick Saturday 3:00 pm

HOPE CENTER
 CATHOLIC OUTREACH
 505 Clinton St., Green Bay, 54303

HOPE CENTER PANTRY 920-437-3356, Mon-Th. 1-3 pm

LOVE LIFE 920-497-1087, Thurs. 1-4 pm (not 5th Thurs.)

ANNUNCIATION

401 Gray Street,
 Green Bay, WI 54303



SAINT JOSEPH

1224 12th Ave Green Bay, WI 54304



SAINT JUDE

1420 Division Street
 Green Bay, WI 54303



Masses

Monday, September 9

6:30 am Mass St. Jude

Tuesday, September 10

6:30 am Mass St. Jude

8:00 am Mass Annunciacionn

Wednesday, September 11

6:30 am Mass St. Jude

5:30 pm St. Joseph (2nd Wed) Norman & gayla Knoll Family

Thursday, September 12

8:00 am Mass St. Jude

+Dr. Edward Pezanoski
+Donna Heim

Friday, September 13

6:30 am Mass St. Jude

8:00 am Annunciation

+Donna Heim

Saturday, September 14 - Daily Mass Opportunity

8:00 am St. Joseph

Saturday, September 14

4:00 pm St. Jude

+Mike Crowley

4:00 pm St Patrick

+Rita & +Harold Pamperin

+Joyce & +Raymond, +Guy & +Jay Pasterki

Sunday, September 15

8:00 am @ Annunciation

+Jayne Anderson

+Andrea Marks, +Jesse Hettmann

+Bill & +Norma Calawerts

Poor souls in Purgatory

9:15 am St. Jude

+Arlene Nelson

People of the Quad-Parishes

10:30 am St. Joseph

+Theresa Savage

+Donald & +Dolores Gritt & Deceased & Living Family

12:30 pm Annunciation - Mass in Spanish

Next Hmong Mass @ 12pm: Oct 6 & 13

Next Sunday Readings

Is 50:4c-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 (9)/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-3

Sanctuary Candles

September 8 ~ 21

For Our Country ~ Annunciation

For Our Country ~ St. Joseph

Mike Crowley ~ St. Jude

Joyce & Raymond, Guy & Jay Pasterki ~ St. Patrick

Ushers Needed at St Jude

The most urgent need is for the Saturday, 4pm Mass. Please call the parish office if you are interested to learn more about being an Usher. .

St. Jude Women's Club Meeting

Thurs, Sept 12, 6:00pm, St. Jude Café

We are back...This is a potluck so bring your favorite dish to share. Our theme is "Herstory" so bring an item that is special to you or your family and share a story about it.

Hope to see you at this welcome back meeting!

All women from our parishes are welcome! Bring a friend. Questions, call Terri 920-655-7450.



FAITH FORMATION ADULT-STYLE

Fall program at Annunciation, Rm 105

Our first activity will be a 7-week DVD study on the essential topic of prayer. For your convenience, we offer two different meeting times each week: **Mondays at 6:30pm (beginning 9/9) or Wednesday at 9am (beginning 9/11)**. We'll watch the DVD first, spend some time in fellowship enjoying refreshments, and conclude with a group discussion of the DVD. More info: Mike Walters 920-496-2160 or pastoralassociate@quad-parish.org

N.E.W. Shelter Meal

Mon, Sept 23, the Knights of Columbus will be hosting a meal at the N.E.W. Community Shelter. Monetary donations are being accepted and appreciated. Donations can be placed in an envelope labeled "KC NEW Meal". Drop envelope at the parish office, or in the collection basket.

St Jude Women's club will be providing desserts for the meal. Please deliver bakery donations to the shelter on Monday by 4pm, or call Terri for pick up 920-655-7450.

Comida para el N.E.W. Shelter

El lunes 23 de Septiembre, los caballeros de Colón serán los encargados de proveer la comida en el N.E.W. Community Shelter. Las donaciones monetarias son aceptadas y apreciadas. Las donaciones pueden colocarse en un sobre etiquetado con "KC NEW Meal" Puede dejar el sobre en la oficina parroquial, o en la canasta de la colecta.

Las mujeres del Club de St. Jude proveerán los postres para la cena del N.E.W Shelter. Puede dejar una donación de postres en el Shelter el Lunes 23 a las 4 de la tarde, o llamar a Terri al 920-655-7450 si desea que ella los pase a recoger. Muchas gracias!

The Seymour Neighborhood Association THANKS the parishes for their generous donatinos of school supplies! What a difference you have made for our kids and schools!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, Sept 9

1:00 pm	Renew Bible Study	Annun Rm 103
5:30 pm	Annunciation Finance Council	Annun Rm 103
6:30 pm	Faith Formation Adult Style	Annun Rm 105
6:30 pm	Joint Finance Council Mtg	Annun Rm 103
7:30 pm	St. Joseph Finance Council	Annun Rm

Tuesday, Sept 10

6:00 pm	Trinity Choir Practice	St. Jude Church
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Wednesday, Sept 11

9:00 am	Faith Formation Adult Style	Annun Rm 105
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SAVE THE DATE

Sept 14/15 - Food Drive @ each church entrance

Sept 18-22 - Paper Drive @ St. Jude

Sat, Sept 21 - Fall Fest @ St. Joseph

Oct 26 - Egg Roll Sale @ St. Jude



Faith Formation News!

We are pleased to announce that we have a new location for the 2024-2025 school year; **classes will be held at Annunciation**. Registration is still open, forms are available in the back of each church, at the parish office and at www.quad-parish.org. **Classes begin Wed, Oct 2**. We look forward to an exciting year and seeing you there!

Questions, contact Patti Phillips
ReligiousEd@quad-parish.org 920-496-2160 x133

Las clases de Catequesis Comienzan en Septiembre 22

El registro para las clases de la catequesis han comenzado, las clases se imparten los domingos de las 11am a las 12:15pm y continúan con la misa de 12:30pm en la parroquia de Anunciación ubicada en 401, Gray St. Ofrecemos grupos de Kinder, preparación para Primera Comunión y Confirmación.

Preguntas contacta a Lorena Gomez
lgomez@quad-parish.org o llama al 920 496-2160 ext 142

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel we hear how Jesus "makes the deaf hear and the mute speak!" In living the gospel, we must open our ears to hear and recognize all the everyday opportunities for making God's presence known especially to those who are poor and suffering.

On September 9, the Church also celebrates the feast of Blessed Frederic Ozanam, the founder of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Frederic heard the call of Jesus to love and serve those who are suffering. Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can "make God's presence known" to those who are suffering and poor?



Prayer Vine If you or someone you know needs a few extra prayers, please submit your request online at www.quad-parish.org or call the parish office.

Veterans Fundraiser Update

We are happy to announce that Lauren Faith Smith Ministries for Nonviolence has been able to provide a \$3,000.00 donation to Veteran's 1st NEW in support of the Veteran's Tiny Home Village Project as a result of our August 3rd Fundraiser. I want to thank the members of Annunciation Parish and the Parish itself for allowing us to use the facilities for this cause.

I want to thank our hard working Volunteers, without their help, we could not do this work. A special thanks to Dan & Jane Giese, Dan Bukouricz, Steve Prikockis, Diane Engels, Betty Staeven, Jim Caelwarts, Mike Wietor and David Bone. Your support for our Veterans is very much appreciated. Thank you to all who donated items, and who participated in our Basket Raffle, Silent Auction and the 50/50 Raffle. May God Bless all of you and May God Bless our Veterans.

Metal Soda Tabs

We collect the tabs at the QPO for the Ronald McDonald House. Thank you!

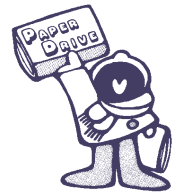
Paper Drive

A designated dumpster will be placed:

- Sept 18-22 @ St. Jude, lower parking lot
- Nov 13-17 @ St. Joseph, 13th St. P. Lot

Check back often for additional drives!

Let's keep turning your trash into cash!



OCIA stands for Order of Christian Initiation for Adults, which is the Catholic Church's way of initiating new members. OCIA is much more than a program. It is a learning and loving process in which conversion of the heart brings one to Jesus Christ.

OCIA is for the following people:

- Unbaptized adults who wish to learn more about the Catholic faith and possibly become Catholic
- Baptized Catholics who would like to prepare to receive Eucharist and/or Confirmation by increasing their understanding of the Catholic faith
- Baptized Christians from other denominations who would like to learn more about the Catholic Church and possibly convert to Catholicism
- Fully initiated Catholics who would like to re-discover their Catholic faith

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the OCIA process, please contact Mike Walters: 920-496-2160 x125 or email pastoralassociate@quad-parish.org. Weekly meetings begin in Sept & continue through the Easter season 2025.

O.C.I.A.

OCIA significa Orden de Iniciación de Adultos Christianos, que es la manera de la Iglesia Católica para iniciar a nuevos miembros. OCIA es más que un programa. Es un proceso de aprendizaje y amor en donde la conversión del corazón trae a uno a Jesucristo.

OCIA es para las siguientes personas:

- Adultos no bautizados quienes desean aprender más sobre la fe católica y quienes quisieran ser católicos
- Católicos bautizados quienes quisieran preparar para recibir la Eucaristía y/o confirmación por medio de crecer su entendimiento de la fe católica
- Católicos completamente iniciados quienes quieran redescubrir su fe católica

Si tu o alguien que conozcas está interesado en convertirse Catolico o aprender más sobre el proceso OCIA, por favor contacte a Mike Walters en la oficina parroquial (920-469-2160 ext. 125) o mande correo electrónico a pastoralassosiate@quad-parish.org. Para Español contacte a Lorena Gomez (920-469-2160 ext. 142) Las reuniones semanales comenzarán en Septiembre y continuarán durante la temporada de pascua del próximo año.



Calling All Bakers...

Donations Needed for Fall Fest



We are asking for any sort of bakery, bars, candies, cookies, or any other goodies we can sell. Deliver your donations to the 13th St. entrance 3-6 pm on FRIDAY, Sept 20. Volunteers are always welcome! Questions, please call Sue at 920-494-2117.

FallFest Needs

We can use Gift Cards of any amount for prizes for the NEW "Spin the Wheel" GAME. Please consider buying from our \$crip program and donating to FallFest.

Gift Bags! Any size, design or holiday, we'd love them!

Coors Light, Busch Light, Bud Light, Miller Lite Coke, Diet Coke, Mt Dew, 7-Up

FallFest bins are located at St. Joseph & Parish office. **We need your help to make this a SUCCESS!**

Big Raffle Items Needed for FallFest!

Do you have a connection for Packer Tickets? Homemade quilts or projects? How about wine & spirits? Donations like this would really help us with BIG TICKET ITEMS to raffle off! Consider donating to FallFest!



It's PIE BAKING Time Again!

Donations of sugar, brown sugar, cherry, blueberry pie filling, and pecans are appreciated! Please place items in the boxes at each entrance to St. Joseph Church by Sept 15th. Grocery store gift

cards and monetary donations are also appreciated and should be dropped in the collection basket, or at the parish office. We will be baking pies in St. Jude kitchen on Friday, Sept 20 starting at 8am, we would love to have you join us! Questions, please contact Bonnie Slatkey @ 920-432-9236 or Pat Erdmann @ 920-822-2951.

Fall Fest Chili Recipe

Chili freezes well so start making yours now!

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| 2.5 lbs ground beef | 2-3 chopped onions |
| 1 chopped green pepper | |
| 2-1 lb cans kidney beans | 3-15 oz tomato sauce |
| 3-4 Tbsp chili powder | 2 tsp salt |
| 1/4 tsp cayenne pepper | 1/4 tsp cumin |
| 2-1 lb cans chopped tomatoes | |

Brown meat, onion & green pepper; drain. Add beans and rest of ingredients. Cover & simmer 1½ - 2 hrs.

St. Joseph Parish 2024 FallFest Donation Fund Just Write the Check Campaign

Donations can be placed in the weekend collection baskets, or returned to the Parish Office, 1087 Kellogg Street Green Bay, WI 54303.

Please make checks payable to St. Joseph FallFest Fund.

Name _____

Church _____ Envelope Number _____

Thank you for your support of St. Joseph Parish!

St. Joseph FallFest

Fall Fest is Saturday, Sept. 21

Drop-Off opportunity Sat, Sept 7, 12-3pm

Enter 13th Ave

Need items picked up?

Call, Darlene 920-265-7997 or Laurie 920-227-3573.

As you clean out your closets, attic, basement or spare rooms, think FallFest!

IDEAS OF THINGS WE COULD USE

Grandma's Attic - Homemade crafts, seasonal items, sewing or quilting items, and/or gently used household items. We can also use homemade jams, jellies, canned goods and fresh produce.

Grandpa's Workshop - Hand & power tools, in good working order, garden equipment/tools, furniture such as end, side and coffee tables, dressers, fishing equipment and accessories. Flat screen TVs only, must work!

Sports Emporium - Sport teams apparel: Packers, Bucks, Brewers, Badgers, Phoenix, Blizzard, Harley

Book Nook - gently used adult and children's books. Boxes for books will be located at the church entrances. We use magazines, but not periodicals. If you need help transporting them into church, let us know.

Chili Recipe - recipe below, plan to make soon & freeze!

NO beds or mattresses. NO clothes. NO tires. NO half-used bottles of chemicals: motor oil, lawn & garden products, insect/rodent repellants, or paint.

THEME BASKET RAFFLE!

Thank you to all who have been donating completed Theme Baskets, and also for items we can use in a Theme Basket! Below are some basket ideas, but feel free to come up with your own ideas!

If you are creating your own theme, we can provide you with a basket and the clear cello wrap for your basket. Contact Cathy L, Darlene S. or the parish office.

Donations can be placed in a labeled bin in the back of St. Joseph's Church and at the Parish Office.

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| Candles | Car Wash |
| Spa Theme | Game Night |
| Packers Theme | Baker's Basket |
| Kid's Book | Bar BQ Theme |
| Christmas | Mone Tree-bills rolled up |
| Pasta Night | All occasion greeting cards |

Deadlines for theme basket donations:

*Individual items and gift cards: Sunday, Sept 8

*Completed Baskets: Sunday, Sept 15



'FallFest' de la parroquia de St. Joseph Sábado, Septiembre 21

Puede dejar sus donaciones Sabado 7 de Septiembre de 12:00 a 3:00. Entre por la puerta de la calle 13

Durante la limpieza de sus armarios, áticos, y sótanos, piense en 'FallFest'.

IDEAS Y COSAS QUE PODRIAMOS USAR:

Ático de la Abuela - Artesanía casera, artículos de temporada, artículos de coser o tejer, o artículos de casa en buena condición. También podemos usar mermeladas, jaleas, productos enlatados, o frutas y verduras frescas.

Taller del Abuelo - Herramientas manuales o eléctricas en buena condición, herramientas/artículos para jardinería, muebles como mesas de café, armarios, equipo de pesca y accesorios. Solo televisiones de pantallas planas, deben de ser funcionales.

NO camas o colchones. NO ropa. NO llantas. No botellas de químicos usadas a la mitad; aceite de motor, productos de césped y jardín, repelente de insectos, o pintura.

Emporium de Deportes - Ropa de equipo de deportes: Packers, Books, Brewers, Badgers, Phoenix, Blizzard, Harley

Esquina de Libros - Libros usados en buena condición de adultos y niños. Cajas para libros estarán situadas a las entradas de las iglesias. Usaremos revistas, pero no si necesita ayuda para transportarlas a la iglesia, déjenos saber.

Receta de Chili - La receta se encuentra a un lado de la pagina, planea hacerla pronto y congelarlo.

RIFA DE CANASATA TEMATICA

Aquí hay unas ideas para canastas, pero siéntase libre para crear sus propias ideas.

Si está creando su propio tema, le podemos proveer una canasta y el 'cello wrap' para su canasta.

Las donaciones pueden entregarse en el contenedor de atras de la iglesia o a la oficina parroquial.

Velas	Lavado de Autos
Tema de Spa	Noche de Juegos
Tema de Packers	Canasta de Pan
Libros de Ninos	Tema de 'Bar BQ'
Navidad	Árbol de Dinero con billetes
Noche de Pasta	Tarjetas de felicitacion

Fecha límite para la donación de una canasta temática:

*Artículos individuales: Domingo, Septiembre 8

*Canastas completadas: Domingo, Septiembre 15 Necesita que los artículos sean recogidos?

Llame a Darlene a 920-265-7997 o Laurie 920 227-3573



Food Drive - Sept 14/15

To help those in need, our parishes have a food drive the **1st & 3rd Sunday of each month.**

Everyone is invited to reach out to the less fortunate by placing non-perishable food items at the entrances of the Annunciation, St. Joseph & St. Jude. Monetary donations can be placed in collection baskets.

FallFest

Sat, Sept 21 10am-3pm
936 9th St, GB

Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Our Famous Chili, Salmon's Hotdogs, Burgers, Homemade Pies, including 100 Belgian Pies, Bakery, Nacho Chips, Refreshments

Grandma's Attic • Grandpa's Workshop
Music by The Sapphires
Sports Emporium • Book Nook • Games
Face Painting 11a-2p • "Spin The Wheel"

Raffles: 1-Night at Tundra Lodge
50/50 • Theme Baskets • Big Item Raffle
Please join us!

Gamblers Anonymous Meetings

Tuesdays 5:30pm , Thursdays 7pm & Saturdays 9am
Annunciation, 1087 Kellogg St, Rm 105
www.greenbaywisconsin.ga.com
For more info, Brandon 920-676-9498

Día de los Abuelos

Spanish Masses, Confessions, Services and Sacraments offered at Annunciation

Misa en Español lado Oeste de Green Bay, Domingos a las 12:30 en la Parroquia de Anunciación 401 Gray St

También están ofreciendo los siguientes servicios en Español:

- Confesiones:**
Domingo Segundo y cuarto del mes 12:00
- Matrimonios:** Se requiere que la pareja hable con el sacerdote por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha para el matrimonio.
- Presentación de 3 años:** Durante la misa de 12:30 los domingos.
- Bautismos:** Cada cuarto domingo, después de la misa de 12:30
- Quinceañeras**

Síguenos como:
Parroquia Anunciación Ministerio Hispano



On behalf of Fr. Dominic and indeed on my own behalf I want to thank you all the esteemed Christians of the quad parishes for your sincere and profound welcome. Relying on the Kiswahili proverb “Siku njema huonekana asubuhi” which when loosely translated means a good day is evident in the morning, persuades us to understand that sometimes it is not easy when you embark on a journey to be with the people you have never met before. You keep wondering how they will receive you and even how you will communicate. Our fears and anxiety were quietened and crushed when we first met and introduced ourselves to you. We felt at home with your wonderful words of welcome, smiles and gazes of comfort radiating joy on your faces. Our first encounter with you ignited strongly the spirit of attachment to a community of believers ready to embrace diversity and unity in our shared faith.

Furthermore I want to express our deep gratitude to the Bishop of Green Bay Diocese who invited us to work in his Diocese, to share our experiences faith. Having met him personally I can massively testify that he is truly a man of God. He desires good for his Christians and the diocese as a whole. His humility, spirituality and love for the Eucharist are incomparable. May God bless him as he shepherds his people.

Fr. Dominic has served in many capacities in our province and in the archdiocese of Nairobi in Kenya and he is immensely celebrated for his outstanding contributions to the province with his agile and dynamic spirit of service. When he was asked to come and serve in Green Bay diocese, he graciously accepted to represent the province of Kenya and serve the great people of the Quad Parishes.

My journey of priesthood has been a blessing and I always thank God for giving me the opportunity to serve in the National shrine of our Lady of Subukia Kenya. It was a wonderful start of my priesthood calling that I always feel the protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary. God always arranges times and situations that remains mysterious to us to fathom. We left the National Marian shrine in Kenya, only to find ourselves close to the National Marian shrine of USA- our Lady of Champion, May our Lady of champion intercede for all of us.

Dear brethren our mission is to walk together on the path of Holiness to the eternal kingdom that is prepared for us. I want to welcome you to be part and parcel of this noble task. Left to us alone, we can achieve nothing, but working together we will bring everybody on board. The Acts of the Apostles invites us to ponder these words, (Acts 27:31) “But Paul said to the army officer and soldiers ‘if the sailors don’t stay on board you have no hope of being saved.’” We all want to be saved don’t leave your loved one or your neighbour out. Let us take advantage of our Daily Masses, Adore Jesus in the Holy Eucharist and pray the Rosary. Last but not least, may we all find joy and fulfilment in whatever we are doing in building the kingdom of God.

Fr Erick Mogwambo Ondieki OFMConv
The Administrator Quad Parishes.



- NEW -
Liturgical Schedule

Sunday Masses
Weekday Masses
Confession
Adoration

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Annunciation

Weekday Masses;

- Tuesday 8:00 am
- Friday 8:00 am

Sunday Masses;

- Sunday 8:00 am,
- Spanish Mass 12:30 pm

Confession: Thursday 5:30-6:30 pm

Adoration: 1st Friday of the month following 8:00 am Mass.

St. Joseph

Weekday Masses;

- Wednesday - 8:00 am (*Except 2nd Wed of the month)
- Saturday - 8:00 am

* 2nd Wednesday of the month the church will be open 9:00 am - 6:30 pm for prayers, spiritual talks and Adoration. Confession at 4:30pm, Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 pm.

Sunday Mass: 10:30 am

Confession; Sunday 9:30 am

St. Jude

Weekday Masses;

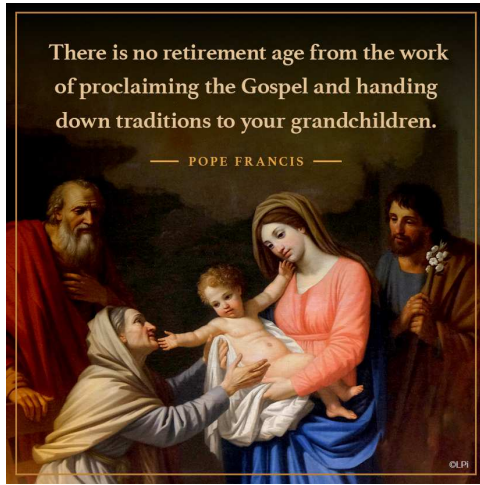
- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 6:30 am
- Thursday 8:00 am

Sunday Masses;

- Saturday 4:00 pm
- Sunday 9:15 am
- Hmong Mass 1:00 pm, 1st and 2nd Sunday of each month. Beginning 10/6/24 Hmong Mass at 12:00 pm.

Confession: Saturday 3:00 pm

Adoration; 3rd Thursday of the month following 8:00 am Mass



Area News

Free Laundry Washing for Neighbors

Laundry Love exists to meet the needs of those in our community who are low income, homeless, unemployed, elderly or someone needing a hand up. Quarters & soap are provided.

LOCATION - Express Laundry, 1742 E. Mason St

Tues: 9/10 1:30-5pm Wed: 9/18 9am-12pm

Mon: 9/23, 8am-11:30am

Facebook: Laundry Love with Helping Hands

Website: www.laundrylovehelpinghands.weebly.com

5th Annual Blessfest - Sun, Sept 8, 11am-3pm St John the Baptist, Howard

For All: Food, bakery, music, bag toss tournament, dunk tank, silent auction, basket raffle, cash raffle, prayer tent, inflatable bungee run.

Kids: Faith filled carnival games, henna & face paint, bounce house, pedal kart races, cookie walk, ice cream, craft corner. Admission: Free. Tickets for activities and food will be available for purchase on-site.

HFS Fall Fest - Sat, Sept 14, 11am - 2 pm

All are welcome to join the fun while coming together as a community to support Holy Family Catholic School! Bounce houses, face painting, photo booth, games, silent auction, food and so much more! Admission: Free. Tickets for activities and food will be available for purchase on-site.

"Silence & Sunset" is an evening of prayer as the sun sets over the Bay. Join the Sisters of St. Francis of the Holy Cross at 6:30 pm Sept. 12 as they share the spirituality of the "Canticle of the Creatures." Reflection time and closing prayer to follow. The event is free but registration is required. Visit gbfranciscans.org then "News."

Mass for the Loss of a Child

On Thursday, Sept. 19th, Our Lady of Lourdes Respect Life Ministry will offer a "Mass for the Loss of a Child" at 6:30pm. Our goal is to provide hope and healing to all who have experienced the death of a child, whatever the age or cause, including losses due to miscarriage, stillbirth, abortion or tragedy. Please join us for this Mass.

St. Agnes Church Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We could use more people on the schedule: Tues (7:30a-2p), Wed (8:30a-5:45p), Fri (1-5p), and First Friday (7:30a Fri to 8a Sat). If you want to join as an adorer, or as a backup, please contact Dawn Toonen at 920-246-0913. St. Agnes Church, 1484 Ninth St.

Esto Vir Event:

Fatherhood Through the Example of St. Joseph

Attention all adult men! Esto Vir is sponsoring "Fatherhood Through the Example of St. Joseph" Sun, Sept 29, 1-5pm. Speaker Bob Allen Kroll. At the incredible Northwoods Primal Eats, Gillett, WI. In addition to two talks from Bob, the schedule includes opportunities for Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, confession & prayer. End with a fantastic Texas-style BBQ meal. Cost is \$25. Register: estovir.com

The broadcast of Sunday Mass with Bishop Ricken is on WFRV-Channel 5 at 7:30am.

SCRIP NEWS

Last Weeks Sales: \$8,445.00 Profit: \$422.79

Customers: 30 New Customers: 0

Availability

- * Parish Office: Mon-Thur 8:30am-4:30pm, Fri 8:30-noon
- * Faith Formation Office: Mon & Tues 10am-12pm
- * Sunday Mass: 8am Annunciation, 10:30am St. Joseph

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The 12th Avenue parking lot replacement at St. Joe's cost the parish an additional \$28,700 due to unexpected excavating work that needed to be done. Thanks to additional donations made, our new total needed is down to \$7,734.68.



Donation cans are located at all the entrances of church. If you have extra change, or a few extra bucks, in your pocket, please consider dropping a little bit in the cans. All money collected will help with the parking lot bill.

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