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MEMBERS OF NORTHWEST MILWAUKEE CATHOLIC PARISHES

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

BEHOLD, THE LAMB OF GOD.

— JOHN 1:36 —



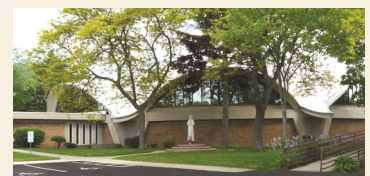
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JANUARY 14, 2024 | SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2023 year-end donation statements

Donation statements for your 2023 contributions will be sent by the end of January via e-mail if your e-mail address is on record at your parish office. Otherwise the statement will be sent via postal mail. If you need a statement and do not receive one by mid-February, please contact your parish office.

Healthy Living with Diabetes

Do you have diabetes or has a healthcare provider told you that you are pre-diabetic? Do you live with someone with diabetes? Does a friend or relative have diabetes? Are you interested in learning more about diabetes?

If any of these apply to you, consider joining the Healthy Living with Diabetes class, which will be held on Thursday mornings from 9:00AM to 12:00PM, beginning January 25 and running through February 29. This class will take place in the Granville Room at StCA. It is open to everyone in our parishes and neighborhoods, and there is no fee to participate.

You will receive information on:

- Healthy eating and nutrition, reading food labels, and meal planning
- Relaxation techniques
- Exercising for fun and fitness
- Feedback and problem solving
- Stress and depression management
- Communicating more effectively with friends, family, and your healthcare providers

Please call Linda Radder, NP and Faith Community Nurse, to register, 414-358-4600, ext. 158.



4:30-7:00PM in the StB cafeteria

January 19	March 1	March 29	May 17
February 16	March 15	April 19	



St. Bernadette: All those on the long-term prayer list in the Book of Assembly Prayer and posted in the gathering area

St. Catherine of Alexandria: All those all those on the long-term prayer list posted at the back of church

Our Lady of Good Hope: Jane Kirst, Marie Lore, and all those on the long-term prayer list posted at the back of church

Parish facilities use

To ensure there is no conflict with use of space, all meetings and activities taking place at our parishes must be scheduled through the parish offices. If your activity or meeting occurs on a regular basis, please submit the written 2024 schedule to your parish office. You will be contacted if there are any conflicts. For all other use, please call or e-mail the applicable office to get confirmation that the space is available. Thank you!

New member registration at StCA

If you would like to become a member of StCA, please come to the Granville room after Mass next weekend to register. A volunteer will be available to help you complete the paperwork. We welcome you to our parish community.

Donut Sunday at StCA

Next Sunday is our donut social, which provides us an opportunity to come together in a relaxed community setting. Please come and socialize with new and existing parishioners in the Granville room after Mass.

Are you safe for winter?

With winter here, we all need to be prepared. Here are some things to think about:

- * Do I have a safety plan?
Connect with at least one person every day to make sure both of you are safe.
- * Is my house safe?
To prevent falls, check for loose rugs.
Do I need more railings in my home, such as rails getting from the garage into the house or two rails going up and down the stairs?
- * Is my bathroom safe?
Do I have safety rails in my tub?
- * Do I need a new pair of winter shoes to keep me walking safely in the bad weather?
- * Do I need to bring a cane or walker just in case?
- * Do I have my cell phone with me?



Eucharistic Adoration

January 16, 2:50-3:50PM at StB
January 20, 2:50-3:50PM at OLGH
February 2, 10:50-11:50AM at StCA

Continental breakfast at StB

Continental breakfast will be served in the StB cafeteria after Mass next Sunday. Please join us for doughnuts and beverages.

Blood pressure screening at StB & StCA

Blood pressure screening will take place after Masses at StB and StCA next Sunday. All are welcome to get your blood pressure checked by members of our Health Ministry team.

Catholic Q&A

Question: Why do we make changes in the Mass?



Some seem so small and unimportant. Are they really necessary?

Answer: The celebration of the Eucharist is at the heart of our identity as Catholics. Our purpose as a Church community revolves around the Eucharist. Everything we are and everything we do is measured not only by how well we celebrate, but also by how well we live the sacrament. If that is so, then we as a community will always strive to celebrate the Mass as best we can. The reasons for some changes might seem more obvious than others, but there is a reason behind each one.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal is the introduction to the Missal that contains all the prayers for the celebration of the Mass. The Order of Mass we use now was issued in 1975 and, as often happens over the course of years, some questions have come up about the proper way of doing some things and whether or not other practices are acceptable. These changes clarify some things and make the celebration of the Mass more meaningful for everyone.

The opportunity is presented to better learn and understand each part of the Mass, which in turn should help us deepen our appreciation for its beauty and meaning. We will be a better Church if we have a clearer understanding and knowledge of Who and what we celebrate. ©LPi

Celebration of Catholic Scouting

You are invited to attend the Archdiocese of Milwaukee's Celebration of Catholic Scouting on March 2 at the Mary Mother of the Church Pastoral Center. Mass will be at 4:00PM, followed by recognition of Scouts who received religious emblems or medals, presentation of adult awards, and supper. The cost is \$8 per person, up to \$24 per family. For more information, visit www.archmil.org/scouts.

Congratulations to our StB

Calendar Raffle winners

01/01/24	Greg & Shawna Poganski
01/02/24	Kathy Krieser
01/03/24	Paula Zirbes
01/04/24	Zita Nugent
01/05/24	Edward Land
01/06/24	Jeff Adkins
01/07/24	Linda Rennie

Congratulations to our StCA

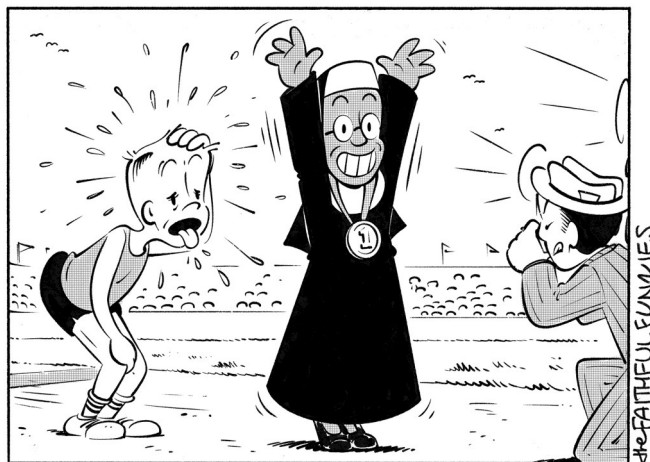
Calendar Raffle winners

01/01/24	Leona Bollenbeck
01/02/24	Peter Gasperetti
01/03/24	Rose Schmutzler
01/04/24	Ginny Jacoby
01/05/24	St. Francis de Sales Seminary
01/06/24	Veronica Sustar
01/07/24	Corbin Weber

Calendar raffles sales are a success

Thank you to everyone who bought or sold StB and StCA calendar raffle tickets. Both parishes surpassed their goals of selling 500 tickets: StB-573, StCA-552.

"Did you hear about the runner who lost the race to a religious sister?"



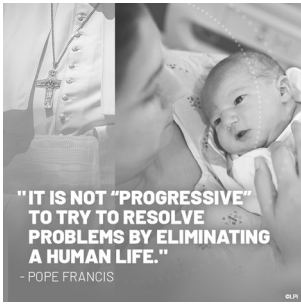
"The runner was second to nun"



Men and women called to religious life still enjoy all kinds of activities — cooking, reading, traveling, and yes ... even running races.

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"Consult not your fears, but your hopes and dreams. Think not about your frustrations, but about your unfulfilled potential. Concern yourself not with what you tried and failed in, but with what it is still possible for you to do." ~ Pope Saint John XXIII



Respect Life Mass

All are invited to the annual Archdiocesan Respect Life Mass to observe the National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children on January 20, 9:00AM, at St. Mary Catholic Faith Community (9520 West Forest Home Avenue, Hales Corners). The Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKi. Come together and pray before the anniversary of the tragic decision of Roe vs. Wade. Continued prayers and advocacy are still needed to uphold the dignity of every human life—from conception to natural death.



This weekend is in-pew weekend

This weekend, all parish families have been invited to participate in the Love One Another Campaign In-Pew event. Our parish communities are preparing for the next generation of Catholics at our parishes and across our ten counties of southeastern Wisconsin. Recognizing that all we have and all we are is a manifestation of God's love, we are called to return gifts in thanksgiving for God's generosity and goodness to us.

"God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work." 2 Cor 9:8

St. Bernadette

Goal: \$340,028

Raised to date: \$228,640

% of Goal: 67% from 75 (29%) families

St. Catherine of Alexandria

Goal: \$555,321

Raised to date: \$299,967

% of Goal: 54% from 75 (18%) families

Our Lady of Good Hope

Goal: \$510,414

Raised to date: \$256,142

% of Goal: 50% from 70 (29%) families



Northwest Milwaukee Catholic Parishes

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Campaign Prayer

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank You for Your blessings in our life.

We praise You for Your goodness and generosity.

Help us to live as stewards of Your grace and love that through prayerful work and sacrifice we may bring Your love to our families, parish, and community.

We humbly pray for strength and fortitude to follow Your great commission: to go make disciples of all people, living our faith through word and deed.

Inspire in Your people generous hearts to strengthen the mission of our parish, to serve those in need, to support vocations,

and to educate our children through the Love One Another Campaign.

Guide us in this important campaign, watch over our efforts to help build Your Kingdom here on Earth, and give us joy in serving You and Your Church now and forever.

Amen.

Schedule of Masses & Intentions

Sunday, January 14, 2024: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM Praise Mass at StCA: †Ron Malecki

10:30AM Praise Mass at StB: For all the parishioners of NWMCP

Monday, January 15, 2024

No Mass

Tuesday, January 16, 2024

4:00PM Mass at StB: †Alvin Winefeld

Wednesday, January 17, 2024: St. Anthony

11:00AM Mass at OLGH: †Carol Wienser

Thursday, January 18, 2024

12:00PM Mass at StCA

Friday, January 19, 2024

No Mass

Saturday, January 20, 2024: St. Fabian, St. Sebastian

3:00PM Sacrament of Reconciliation at OLGH

4:00PM Mass at OLGH: †Janet Moranski

Sunday, January 21, 2024: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM Mass at StCA: For all the parishioners of NWMCP

10:30AM Mass at StB: †Nick Chaconas

†Jane Bongard

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This Week at Our Parishes

Sunday, January 14, 2024

- Christian Formation classes, 12:00PM at StCA
- Bingo, 5:00/6:00/7:00PM at StB-cafeteria

Monday, January 15, 2024

- January 21st bulletin announcement deadline, 10:00AM

Tuesday, January 16, 2024

- MPD4-FBO meeting, 2:30PM at StB-lobby mtg rm (LMR)
- Adoration, 2:50-3:50PM at StB

Wednesday, January 17, 2024

- Pastoral Council meeting, 6:00PM at StB-LMR

Thursday, January 18, 2024

- Pulpit announcement deadline, 12:00PM

Friday, January 19, 2024

- Fish fry, 4:30-7:00PM at StB-cafeteria

Saturday, January 20, 2024

- RCIA class, 9:00AM at StB-LMR
- First reconciliation preparation, 1:00PM at StCA
- Adoration, 2:50-3:50PM at OLGH

Sunday, January 21, 2024

- New member registration and donut Sunday, after Mass at StCA-Granville room (GR)
- Blood pressure screening, after Mass at StCA-GR
- Continental breakfast, after Mass at StB-cafeteria
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- Christian Formation classes, 12:00PM at StCA
- Bingo, 5:00/6:00/7:00PM at StB-cafeteria
- Confirmation class, 6:00PM at StCA

Readings for the Week of January 14, 2024

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-10 /
1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, and 23/
Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/
Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2-4, 6, and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/
Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-9/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

