



Weekly Mass Schedule

Tuesday, July 17 8:15 AM
 † Rita Roller

Wednesday, July 18 8:15 AM
(Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest)
 † Harold Streif

Thursday, July 19 8:15 AM
 † Al and Jane Klaas

Friday, July 20 8:15 AM
(Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr)
 In Thanksgiving-50th Wedding Anniversary of Neil & Pat Evans

Saturday, July 21 8:15 AM
(Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church)
 Austin Busch
5:00 PM
 † Richard & Eileen Fiedler; their parents, children & families

Sunday, July 22 7:30 AM
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 People of Our Parish
9:30 AM
 † Alan Schwantes

RECONCILIATION

Before Daily & Sunday Masses
Saturday at 4:00 PM

Face-to-face reconciliation by appointment only.

OFFICE HOURS:

Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays:
 9 am to 5 pm

Thursdays & Fridays:
 9 am to 2 pm

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 7 & July 8

Church Support Envelopes \$4,717.00
 Offertory Cash. \$571.00
 Children's Offertory. \$36.00
 Weekly Electronic Giving \$983.00
Total \$6,307.00

Budgeted Offertory for July. . . . \$34,747.00
 Offertory Received in July \$15,517.00
Budgeted Amount Still Needed ..\$19,230.00

Monthly Offertory Comparison

June 2018 \$30,281.00
June 2017 \$28,269.00

From Our Pastor:

As God blesses us with the privilege to attend and participate in Mass each week (or daily Mass for some folks), and gives us the Eucharist through His priests, may we notice some powerful priesthood-related Scripture passages this Sunday. Saint Mark (6:7-13) recalls the fact that Jesus chose twelve men to be His Apostles, His first priests and bishops, and that He gave them His authority as He sent them out two by two to minister to His people. Saint Paul reminds us that God calls not only priests, but all of us to be holy, to praise His glory forever (Ephesians 1:3-14).

Surely, all baptized persons can hear and heed Saint Paul's words to the Christians at Ephesus: *He chose us in Him, before the foundation of the world, to be holy and without blemish before Him.* Through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion (the Eucharist), all the Christian faithful belong to a *chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people* (1 Peter 2:9). By sharing in the priesthood of Jesus Christ, the faithful can actively participate in the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, as Jesus offers the Mass through His priests and re-presents His Passion, Death, Resurrection and Ascension at every Mass. Then, strengthened by Jesus in His gift of the Eucharist, the faithful go out into the world to sanctify the world through their secular tasks, sharing in the one mission of the Church by means of the different vocations they have received from God (Holy Orders, Holy Matrimony, or the consecrated religious and single life), inviting others to encounter Jesus Christ crucified and risen from the dead in a life-affirming and life-changing way.

From the common priesthood of the people of God, our Lord calls some men through His Church to the Sacrament of Holy Orders, the *ministerial priesthood* (God blessed the Diocese of Madison with three new priests this year!). This ordained priesthood builds upon the common priesthood of the people, as the ordained are essentially different, set apart (*In Conversation with God*, Fr. Francis Fernandez). By means of the consecration he receives in the Sacrament of Holy Orders, the priest becomes an instrument of Jesus Christ in order to bring the grace of Redemption to all mankind. By virtue of the Sacrament of Holy Orders, the priest is to act directly in the person of Christ (*in persona Christi*) at all times, especially at Mass. In other words, when a priest baptizes, confirms, offers the Mass, hears confession, anoints the sick, blesses marriages, it is Jesus Christ Himself who is actually doing so, *through the priest* (just as Christ Himself ordains men to the priesthood *through the bishop*). The Church, therefore, needs *holy priests*, men who are willing to give themselves completely to Jesus and His Church. As we pray for vocations to the Sacraments of Holy Orders and Holy Matrimony, may we pray for priests to serve Jesus and His Church well, that they would be holy, happy and hard-working priests.

With peace and prayers in Christ,
Fr. William

MOVED...? NEW EMAIL...? CHANGE IN FAMILY...?

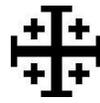
Please remember to contact the Parish Office with any new information about your family. This may include a change of address or email address, the birth of a child, a change in marital status or a change in your parishioner status. By keeping our records up-to-date, we are better able to serve you.

For Pope Francis' July Intention for Evangelization. That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.





WEEKEND LITURGICAL SCHEDULE



JULY 21 & 22

5 PM Lectors: Rick Benson & Linda Ihm

5 PM Servers: Mason & Avery Crooks, Shea Luckey

7:30 AM Lector: Lenny & Carol Bass

7:30 AM Servers: Sam & Grace Schaefer

9:30 AM Lectors: Kitty Mumm, Jenny/Gracie Winter

9:30 AM Servers: Joey & Carolyn Recker, Fin Hoffman

*If you are unable to fulfill your scheduled liturgical role,
please find a substitute.*

Servers: Your new schedules are available in the sacristy.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC HERALD SUBSCRIPTION (\$22.20) IS NOW DUE

If you already submitted a payment; thank you! Our parish has to absorb the cost of all subscriptions that are not paid. If you no longer wish to receive it, please contact the parish office or send a note through the Sunday offertory basket.



NEW AT "FORMED!"

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the encyclical *Humanae vitae* (Of Human Life), written by Blessed Pope Paul VI in 1968. You can read this important document, which is very relevant for our times on the Community Page at FORMED.org. If you haven't registered at FORMED, go to www.FORMED.org. Click on "Enter Code" and enter our parish code: **DHYNXC**. Enter your name and email address, as well as a password. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at 723-4990.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE FOR OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SILVER ROSE THIS SUNDAY

In 1960, Knights of Columbus Squires from Canada, the United States of America and Mexico decided to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary by "running" a natural rose from Ontario, Canada, and presented the Rose to her on her feast day, December 12th, at the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico. By the third year, it was the Running of the Silver Rose. In the 1990s, the Running of the Silver Rose became an official event for the Knights of Columbus. In 2001 the Knights reaffirmed the Run by recognizing the sacredness of life and Mary's position as the Mother of God and our Mother.

We are now into the 58th running of the Silver Rose, the fifth year for Wisconsin Knights, asking her to accept our thanks and to intercede for our petitions. Our Rose started in Manitoba on March 4th. Knights will present the Silver Rose to Mary on December 12th at the Basilica in Monterrey. The Rose will pass through **St. Clement** on **Sunday, July 15th at 3 pm** for you to unite your thanks and your petitions with Mary! Bring your family. Bring your friends. With the problems and challenges that we have in our country, we should fill the church!

IN MEMORIAM

Please remember in your prayers this week Joan Kirschbaum of our parish who died on Tuesday, July 3rd, and whose funeral was held on Monday, July 9. Joan was 81 at the time of her passing from this life to life eternal. In 1953 she was united in love and marriage to Bernard "Barney" Kirschbaum and together they raised four children: Camille, Bernie (Mary), Larry (Lisa) & Ken (Tina). Joan enjoyed spending time with family and friends. Her love of God and love of others was evident in the life she led. As we keep this good and dear lady in our prayers, may we also pray for her children, her beloved grandchildren and great-grandchildren, her sister Connie Fritz, and all of her loved ones in this time of sorrow. May God's consolation and comfort be with them.

"Eternal rest grant unto Joan, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."



HUMANAЕ VITAE 50TH CELEBRATION

The Diocese of Madison will be hosting a special celebration on the 50th anniversary of the publication of *Humanae vitae* (Of Human Life) by Blessed Pope Paul VI. This celebration and presentation will feature Dr. Janet Smith, one of the world's leading experts on *Humanae vitae*. The celebration will be on July 21st, at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Madison, beginning with Mass at 7 PM followed by Dr. Janet Smith's presentation. The event is free, but people are encouraged to register at www.madisondiocese.org/hv50



THIS WEEK AT ST. CLEMENT

Wednesday, July 18 Finance Council Meeting, Noon

Friday, July 20. . Mass at Morningside Assisted Living, 11:15 AM

The July edition of *Magnificat* as well as the July/August edition of *The Word Among Us* are available at the entrances of the church and parish office. They are excellent resources for daily prayer, reflection and spiritual growth.

SAINT CLEMENT SCHOOL

DON'T FORGET YOUR SCRIP!!

We would like to remind everyone that SCRIP can be purchased throughout the year in support of our wonderful parish school. Please continue to purchase SCRIP at the SCRIP table after each weekend Mass. Also, please note that SCRIP can be purchased at the school or church offices throughout the week during our regular summer office hours. SCRIP is also available at Walker's Clothing and Shoes and The Hair Shack during their normal business hours. We would like to thank you all once again for your continued support and for making SCRIP a part of your daily routine!!!