

St. Joseph Parish

Galloway

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Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Bentil

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier
Deacon Timothy Betker
Crystal Bushman, DRE
Valerie Wierzba, Parish Administrator

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:35-3:55 pm
Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the Rectory to schedule a date and time. 9 months preparation is required. One or both persons should be registered with the parish for at least 1 full year.

OCTOBER 20, 2024



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WHOEVER WISHES TO
BE GREAT WILL BE
YOUR SERVANT.

MARK 10:43

Mark your Calendars!



October:

Wed. 23- **Mass** 8:30 am
 CCD 6:15 pm w/ **Rosary** 7:10 pm
Fri. 25- **Mass** 8:30 am
 Birthday Celebration for Father 5:30 pm
 @ Galloway Community Center
Sat. 26- **Mass** 4:00 pm
Sun. 27- **Mass** 8:30 am
Tue. 29- **Harvest Breakfast Meeting** 6:30 pm
Wed. 30- **Mass** 8:30 am
 CCD 6:15 pm w/ **Rosary** 7:10 pm

WORLD MISSION Sunday



Liturgies of the Week

Wed. Oct 23 - Weekday

8:30 am- Marvin Wierzba *by Marvin & Kathy Meronk*

Fri. Oct 25 - Weekday

8:30 am- Special Intention

Sat. Oct 26 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Vigil

4:00 pm- Marion Lorbiecki *by Mike Kruzicki Family*

Sun. Oct 27 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am- Parishioners of St Joseph & St Ladislaus

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

Saturday, Mass 4 pm - October 26

Lector: **Pat Kulas**
 Eucharist: **Deacon Tim**
 Blood of Christ: **Ron Knitter**
Tanya Stegall
 Ushers: **Fred Groshek**
Volunteer
 TV Monitors: **Madelyn Stegall**
 Rosary (Glorious): **Pat Kulas**

Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - October 27

Lector: **Jim Martin**
 Eucharist: **Deacon Tim**
 Blood of Christ: **Jeff Uttecht**
Mary Uttecht
 Altar Servers: **Dominick Knitter**
Kastin Kulas
 Ushers: **Scott Kezeske**
Slade Wierzba
Caleb Zick
 TV Monitors: **Kiya Kersten**
 Rosary (Glorious): **Barb Martin**

Gifts to Our Lord: Oct 7- Oct 13, 2024

Adult Envelopes	\$1720.00
Youth Envelopes	\$7.00
Offertory	\$517.00
Building & Grounds	\$35.00
CCD Registrations	\$430.00
Total	\$2709.00

Thank You

Thank you to all the volunteers who devoted their time, talent, and treasures to last Sunday's Fall Breakfast. The love for our parish could truly be felt. Each and everyone one of you made a difference! Thank you for contributing to the success of our breakfast. "Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much." -Helen Keller



There will be a joint PCCW and Men's Society Meeting on Monday, **Nov 4** at 6 pm. All men and women of the parish are encouraged to attend. **This is a new date.**

Please plan to attend the Wrap-Up Meeting: There will be a wrap up meeting to go over the Fall Breakfast and Soup Fundraisers on Tuesday, **October 29th** at 6:30 pm. Come join us to get the full report on the events and contribute to the discussion on what made this year's events successful and what can be done to improve!



Father Gus,

We wish you a birthday filled with God's blessings. We thank God for the gift of your faith-filled life and we pray that the Holy Spirit will strengthen you as you serve the Church.

Happy 60th Birthday on October 23rd!

There will be a birthday party for Fr. Gus on Friday, **October 25th** at the Galloway Community Center.

5:30pm Cocktails

6-7:30pm Dinner

If you wish, you may bring a dish to pass. Everyone is welcome to join in this celebration.



THE
PONTIFICAL
MISSION
SOCIETIES

World Mission Sunday

Missionary Legacy

It is important to remember the legacy of missionary work. The Church in the United States was once mission territory, supported by the generosity of Catholics worldwide. Today, we continue this legacy by supporting the Pontifical Mission Societies, ensuring that the Gospel reaches the ends of the earth. Our contributions help build and sustain communities of faith in places where the Church is still growing or facing persecution. This mission is a testament to our faith in action, reflecting the universal call to share Christ's love. As we reflect on this year's theme, "Go and invite everyone to the banquet," let us recommit to supporting our global Church family.

Fr. Gus' Corner

Lord's Prayer

Question: Why don't Catholics add the "For yours is the Kingdom..." prayer at the end of the Our Father like Protestants do? Where did it come from?

Answer: The conclusion of the Lord's Prayer that you refer to is called a Doxology, which is a prayer of Glory and Praise. This particular Doxology we use at Mass.

- After the Our Father, the priest says the prayer that begins, "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil..." and the people respond with the Doxology.

- The Doxology is not found in the Bible, but it is very ancient. It was first found in the Didache, also called "The Teaching of the 12 Apostles", which dates back from about the year AD 90.

- It was a letter of instruction to early converts to Christianity.

- Protestantism only dates to the 16th century, so the Doxology is actually a Catholic prayer. Some scholars and the Catechism (#2760) indicate that the Doxology was connected to the Holy Eucharist and was not used apart from it.

* Remember, both the Lord's Prayer and the Eucharist were part of the "mysteries of faith", things taught only to believers. Ironically, a remnant of prayer used during the Eucharist has come to be used widely by many Christian churches that do not celebrate the Eucharist! Truth is indeed stranger than fiction!

Cemetery Clean up

Please remove all decorations you would like to keep or re-use from graves in the cemetery for the winter months by November 1. Please inform family and friends that are not members of the parish.

Memorial/Candle Lighting Ceremony

On Mon. Nov. 11 at 6:30pm, we will remember those who have died since November 2023 in a special candle lighting ceremony at St. Ladislaus. Dan & Julie Krolow will be here to sing many of the songs they've written for those who are grieving.

If you would like someone remembered in the candle-lighting ceremony who died during the past year and was not from our parish, you are welcome to submit their names as well. We will be honored to include your loved one.

Even if you did not have any loved ones die this past year, we welcome and appreciate your presence. Whether you have lost a loved one, a job, a sense of security, or you are supporting someone else who has had a difficult year, you will find and strength from this service.

A light meal will follow. All are invited. Please extend this invitation to all friends, family members, and parishioners to join us for this time of remembrance, prayer, and fellowship.

Area Events

- ◆ **Flame of Love Conference**, St Matthew Church, Wausau, **Oct 26, 8am-2pm**, Mass, Confession, Speakers
- ◆ **Granny Basketball Exhibition Game**, Aquinas High School, La Crosse, **Oct 28, 7pm**, Grannys vs Priests, Proceeds benefit Casa Hogar
- ◆ **Steak Night**, Sacred Heart Church, Polonia, **Nov 2, 5pm**, Ribeye, Baked Potato, Salad Bar, Desserts. Gun Raffle
- ◆ **Pancake Breakfast**, St Philip Church, Rudolph, **Nov 3, 8am-noon**, Potato & Buttermilk Pancakes, Sausage, Sweet Rolls Adults \$10, 6-12 \$5, under 5 free

(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)



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DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!

October 27, 28, and 29

6:30 pm-8:30 pm

Holy Name of Jesus Parish

1104 S. 9th Ave, Wausau, WI 54401

Reception to follow--No cost to register--Free will donations accepted

"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name: you are mine." Isaiah 43:1

Baptism dates: Nov 2, 3, 16, 17, 23 & 24, Dec 7, 8, 21 & 22. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.



Trunk or Treat at St. Ladislaus

You are welcome to bring your children or to decorate a vehicle and hand out treats for our annual Trunk or Treat on Thurs., Oct. 31 from 5-6pm. We will be setting up the cars and trucks on the south side of the parking lot (in front of the school). In the event of bad weather, we will set up in the Church hall. If you are wondering how many to plan for – last year we had about 200 children. There will be pizza in the Church hall afterward for those who set up vehicles and give out treats.