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October 3, 2021

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Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

10:00 am

Daily Mass

Tuesday thru Friday 8:00 am

Thursday 6:00 pm

First Saturday 8:15 am

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 2:30 pm

Tuesday & Thursday 5:00 pm

First Saturday 7:30 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Tues., Thurs., Fri. 7:00-8:00am

Tuesday 5:00-6:00pm

Wednesday 9:00am-Noon

First Friday 8:30-9:30am

First Saturday 7:30-8:00am

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call Tammy Krueger when you are expecting.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call a minimum of six months in advance.

Visitation of the Sick/Homebound

Please call Barbara Tate at 920-202-3239

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Stewardship

Sep 25-26	\$14,242
Online/EFTs	\$1,985
Fiscal year-to-date	\$226,561
Budget year-to-date	\$224,900
Prior fiscal year-to-date	\$227,661

Pastoral Message

Dear Parishioners,

'Diabolical' is a word that is often used to describe the devil or evil. It literally means 'to divide' or 'to scatter'. It was Lucifer, the angel of light, that is credited with beginning the Great War in heaven among God and His angels. The twelfth chapter in the Book of Revelation, the final book of the Bible, tells us that after the war, the dragon was thrown out of heaven and lost his place. The dragon then attempted to consume woman's child. The woman is given wings to fly away. The dragon, upset at her victory, wages war on all her children. The dragon is Satan. The woman is Mary. The child is Jesus. We are her children. Evil is always the source of division.

Jesus often speaks of His people being one in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Many people today no longer believe in spiritual realities. If they do, they usually do so solely for their own desires for control in their lives. We all feel powerless at times to change our circumstances and the challenges that face our country and our world. Our reaction to this powerlessness is to work for unity in the Holy Spirit. Our work in this life is to sacrifice our own truths for the truth of the gospel. When the importance of this sacrifice is forgotten, division follows. We do need to remember that the source of this division is not the truth of the gospel, but the lie of evil.

The reality of this unity is evidenced in joy. When we possess the joy of the Holy Spirit, we can more deeply trust God and each other. This is never a shallow joy, but one that emanates from the deep reality of the Holy Trinity within each one of us as baptized Christians. The primary witness of this is in the Eucharist and the celebration of the Holy Mass. We encounter the divisive intent of evil, by unity in truth. The truth is not a thing, it is a person. Jesus said I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

The evidence of true unity is witness in the genuine love and concern a group has for each other. This is the reason why it is so great to see people at events like the Wing Ding. This is seen also in weddings and marriages, baptism and First Communion parties and even funerals. One of the significant reasons why we would put an addition on our facility is to help give people in our parish during these events a place to celebrate these milestone moments in the lives of their families. A culture of joy in the truth of the Holy Spirit will naturally attract.



Liturgical Tidbits...

The Second Eucharistic Prayer

The second Eucharistic Prayer is the shortest. It traces its origin back to the second century from an early Christian writer named Hippolytus.

In his writing, he describes the prayers that are said over the bread and the wine at a gathering of Christians. The English translation is almost word for word as the current Eucharistic Prayer. The scholarship on this prayer is a little debatable and its origins in the second century has been riddled with doubt.

However, it is a Eucharistic Prayer approved by the Church for use in Mass. What should amaze us is the fact that this prayer was used by the early Christians, and is used by us today.



Parish Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 8 am-4pm
and
Friday 8 am -12 noon.
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Knights of Columbus



The Knights of Columbus will be praying the rosary outside of Planned Parenthood on Wisconsin Ave in Appleton on the following Tuesdays: 10/5/21, 10/12/21, 10/19/21, 10/26/21 each starting at 5:15 pm. Please join us to help show our solidarity to this Pro-Life cause.



Parish Life

No Mass

The Diocesan Clergy Congress will be *this* Tuesday and Wednesday, October 5th and 6th. As all the priests will be in attendance, we will not have Mass here on either day.

Wedding Bells

Congratulations to Ashley (LaVoy) and Shaun Everts who celebrated their marriage on Friday, September 24th! Please say a prayer for them as they begin their married life together.



Cemetery Open

The new cemetery expansion has officially been approved and open for plot sales! If you would like to buy a plot, please contact Tammy in the parish office.



Blood Drive

The parish will be hosting a blood drive on Sunday, October 10th. Sign ups are available in the narthex.

Coat Drive

Just a reminder that the coat drive runs through October 13th. Get your donated coats in by next week Wednesday! Thank you!

*Lord, help me to love You in all things,
and above all things. Amen.*

Pro-Life Corner

For direct link emailed or texted to you please
contact: nmrespectlife@gmail.com
Subject: Link
Message: Name,
(phone for text only)

Please allow 2 hour response time from 6am-8pm

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September 22-October 31

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Greenville

Vigil Hours

Monday & Tuesday 2:00-3:00pm

Friday 9:00-10:00am

Saturday 10:00-11:00am

Parish Contact:
Quiana Betchner

Sign-up at:
40daysforlife.com/appleton

They say, You say: Tips, Information and A dialogue on Abortion Pro-Choice (PC) vs Pro-Life (PL)

Tip #2: Speak Truth with Grace.

Leave out Think, Feel, Believe

PC: Why are you pro-life?

PL: Life begins at fertilization.

It's wrong to directly kill innocent human beings. Would you agree?

The unborn are innocent human beings and abortion kills the unborn.

(Calling it anything other than a child is dehumanizing. Abortion kills a human person with a moral status.) You may disagree but I hope you can see why I think the way I do about abortion.

School News



Kindergarten and 5th grade students received their own bible during Mass as they “move-up” to their next years at St. Mary School. We pray that they will use their bible as a guide for living their life as true disciples of Jesus Christ.

Faith Formation—Youth / Children



Our Second Annual
Wing Ding
Was a great success!
Thank you to everyone who
came out



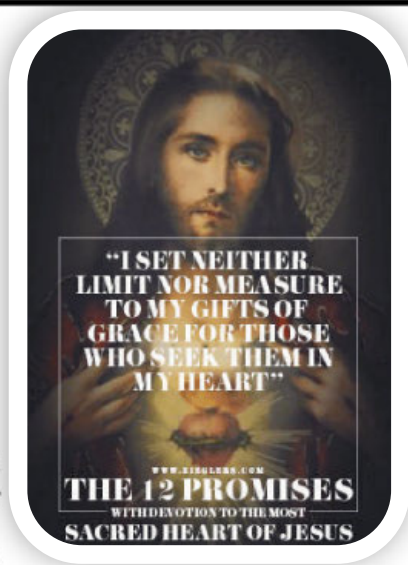
Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Jesus Made Twelve Promises to Those Who Hold a True Devotion to His Sacred Heart:

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will give peace in their families and will unite families that are divided.
3. I will console them in all their troubles.
4. I will be their refuge during life and above all in death.
5. I will bestow the blessings of Heaven on all their enterprises.
6. Sinners shall find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall rise quickly to great perfection.
9. I will bless those places wherein the image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored and will imprint My love on the hearts of those who would wear this image on their person. I will also destroy in them all disordered movements.
10. I will give to priests who are animated by a tender devotion to my Divine Heart the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart, never to be effaced.
12. THE GREATEST PROMISE - I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who communicate (Receive Holy Communion) on the First Friday in nine consecutive months, the grace of final penitence: they will not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their Sacraments. My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

It is important to note in order to obtain the GREAT PROMISE that the Nine Fridays must be made in honor of Christ's Sacred Heart, meaning, practicing devotion and having great love of His Sacred Heart. They must be on the first Friday of the month for nine consecutive months, and Holy Communion must be received. If one were to start on a First Friday and not keep the others then one would have to start over. Many great sacrifices must be made in order to obtain this final promise but the grace when receiving Holy Communion on First Friday's is indescribable!

For more information on The Devotion, visit our website at <https://stmarygreenville.org/devotion-to-the-sacred-heart>



Stephen Ministry

Our Stephen Minister fall **training** classes have begun. We ask you to keep our trainees in your **prayers** as they'll be equipped to bring Christ's care to hurting people.

They have been studying "**The Person of the Caregiver**," receiving an introduction to the training ahead of them and exploring the Christ-centered foundation of Stephen Ministry, and also about "**Feelings: Yours, Mine, and Ours**." Feelings are a gift from God and ministers are taught how to help people recognize, accept, and express feelings so they can experience God's healing and wholeness.

Contact [Barbara Tate](mailto:btate@stmarygreenville.org) for any interest or information about Care Receivers and Stephen Ministry.

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Readings for the week of October 3, 2021

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [cf. 5]/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12
 Monday: Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8 [3]/Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10 [15]/Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9 [9]/Lk 11:15-26
 Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12a]/Lk 11:27-28
 Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Observances for the week of October 3, 2021

Sunday: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday
 Monday: St. Francis of Assisi
 Tuesday: Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest
 Wednesday: St. Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin
 Thursday: Our Lady of the Rosary
 Friday:
 Saturday: St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; St. John Leonardi, Priest
 Next Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Calendar for the week of October 4-10, 2021

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	Morning Prayer 7:40am NO MASS Religious Education Grades K-8 4:45pm Adoration of Jesus in Church 5:00-6:00pm Choir Practice 6:00pm
Wednesday	Morning Prayer 7:40am NO MASS Adoration 9:00am-12:00pm Religious Education Grades 1-8 4:45pm Religious Education High School 6:30pm
Thursday	Adoration 7:00am Morning Prayer 7:40am Mass 8:00am Confessions 5:00-5:45pm Mass 6:00pm
Friday	Adoration 7:00am Morning Prayer 7:40am Mass 8:00am
Saturday	Confessions 2:30pm Mass 4:00pm
Sunday	Mass 8:00am Mass 10:00am



**St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception
 Mass Intentions**



Week of October 4-10, 2021

The saving graces of the Mass are for:

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	8:00 am † The soul of Georgian Peters
Wednesday	8:00 am † The soul of Johann Gruner The Living & Deceased members of the Jossart Family
Thursday	8:00 am † The Living & Deceased members of the Ehm & Stoeger Families
	6:00 pm † The soul of Bob Born
Friday	8:00 am † The souls of Bob & Rob Lemke
Saturday	4:00 pm † The Living & Deceased members of the Hendricks & Taylor Families The soul of Richard Bongers
Sunday	8:00 am The people of St. Mary's 10:00 am † The souls of Theresa & Ken Kingsbury and Terry Doughty

Liturgical Roles

Weekend of October 9/10, 2021

Ushers

4:00 pm Jeremy Krueger / Charles Fitzgerald
 8:00 am Jeff & Andy Griesbach / Gene Pahl
 10:00 am Mark Diedrich / Rick Diedrich

Lectors

4:00 pm Dan Egan
 8:00 am Steve Betchner
 10:00 am Kathy Diedrich

Altar Servers

4:00 pm Erika & Jamyson VandeBogart / Nora Jack
 8:00 am Thomas, Tori & John McGowan
 10:00 am Logan Schmidt / Romy & Lucy Wenninger

Musicians

4:00 pm Yvonne Z / Matt K
 8:00 am Kate F / Choir
 10:00 am Betty R / Choir

Sacristans

4:00 pm James Cotter
 8:00 am Diane Ernst
 10:00 am Eddie Holzem

Scrip Sellers

If you are able to help sell scrip after any of the Masses, please contact the parish office.

How to Go to Confession

Reconciliation may be face to face or anonymous, with a screen between you and the priest. Choose the option that is the most comfortable for you.

1. The priest gives you a blessing or greeting. He may share a brief Scripture passage.
2. Make the Sign of the Cross and say: "Bless me father, for I have sinned. My last confession was (give the number of weeks, months or years).
3. Confess all of your sins to the priest. The priest will help you to make a good confession. If you are unsure about how to confess or you feel uneasy, just ask him to help you. Answer his questions without hiding anything out of fear or shame. Place your trust in God, a merciful Father who wants to forgive you.
4. Following your confession of sins, say, "I am sorry for these and all of my sins."
5. The priest assigns you a penance and offers advice to help you be a better Catholic.
6. Say an Act of Contrition, expressing your sorrow for your sins. The priest, acting in the person of Christ, then absolves you from your sins

Act of Contrition

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy.

Area Confessions Schedules

Hortonville St. Peter and Paul	Sat. 3:30 pm
New London Most Precious Blood	Sat. 4:15 pm
Stephensville St. Patrick	Sat. 9:30am
Appleton St. Thomas More	Sat. 4- 4:30pm
St. Bernard Parish	Sat. 3-4:00pm
St. Bernadette Parish	Sat. 9:00 am
St. Joseph Parish	Sat. 9:00-9:30 am
St. Mary Parish	Sat. 9:00-10:00am
St. Pius X	Sat. 8:30-10 am
St. Therese Parish	Sat. 3:15-3:45 pm
Sacred Heart Parish	Sat. 3-4 pm



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