

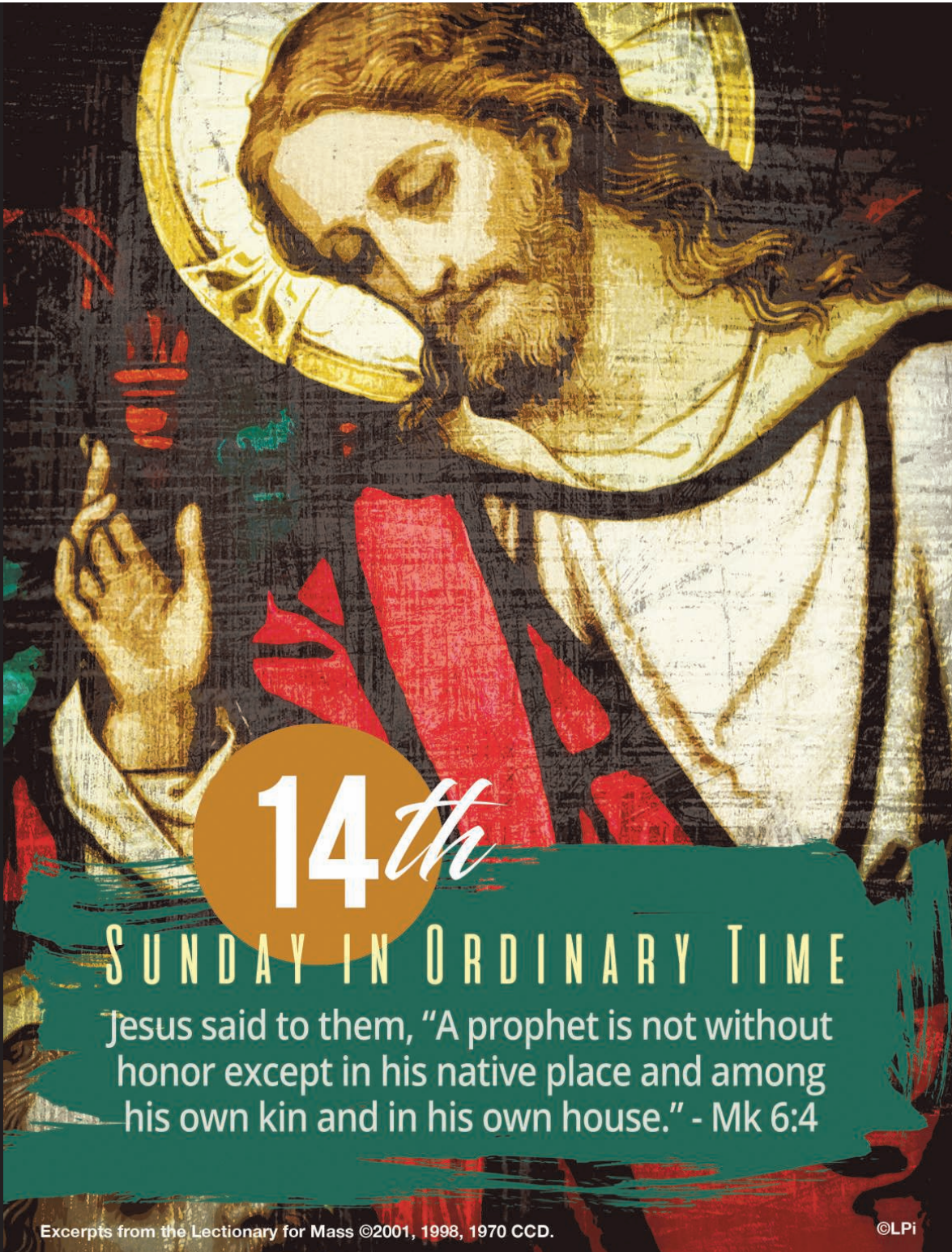
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SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house." - Mk 6:4

From Father Andrew Infanger, Associate Pastor



Hello! My name is Fr. Andrew Infanger, and by now I may have met many of you at the parish, but you will have to apologize if I forget your name. If you see me around, please remind me! This is my first assignment as a priest - I was ordained on May 19 of this year. Our gospel readings

for this Sunday hopefully can be the 'mission statement' of my ministry here at the parish. God does not rejoice in the death of the living, but seeks us out, to heal us and bring us to eternal life. It is a task that I need to do in my own life, and one that you are sure to help me with along the way. In fact, it is the mission of the whole Church. If we ever fail to proclaim the good news of salvation in Jesus Christ, then we fail to be a Church. In my short time here, I know that it is a challenge both to live in my own life, and to profess toward others, and I'm sure it is the same with you.

It's rather easy to forget all this though. Life is busy, and seems to keep getting busier. I now have more email addresses and text messages and calendar invites than I have ever had in my life, and it only gets worse. Life gets ahead of us and before you know it, we go from swimming to treading and then to sinking, and we forget why we are doing all of this, and where we are heading. It happens in our personal life (at least mine), in our families, and even in our parish. Why come on Sunday? Why give to the life of the parish? Why are we taking time to pray on our own, to bring our kids to faith formation? Are they just one more thing shouting for attention in the midst of 10,000 things which seems vitally important?

Proverbs 28:19 says, "people without a vision perish." Without the end sight in mind, we'll drown. Today calls us back to our vision, and shows us how to reach it. It's like a fresh drink of water on a hot summer day, or seeing the sign that says "West Bend" on the highway after a long road trip. We are headed to eternal life, which isn't a given for any of us. It doesn't require strength, or another email address or a new cell phone to achieve. It requires the humility of the woman in our Gospel, to simply reach out and touch God. It's what we do every Sunday in the Eucharist, in each confession, in each act of mercy and every prayer. I hope I can help you along that way at the parish to eternal life, and I ask you do the same for me. We can't do this alone.

Religious Education

Registrations are now being accepted for the Religious Education classes starting this Fall.

Please see the Catholic Formation section of the website or contact the parish office for details.

Readings for the Week of July 8, 2018

- Sun: Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a
- Mon: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Mt 9:18-26
- Tues: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10 [9a]/Mt 9:32-38
- Wed: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [4b]/Mt 10:1-7
- Thurs: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16 [4b]/Mt 10:7-15
- Fri: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17 [17b]/Mt 10:16-23
- Sat: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/Mt 10:24-33
- Sun: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

**Stewardship of Treasure
 Through July 1, 2018**

	Actual	Required	Over/(Under)
Weekly	\$ 8,113	\$11,100	(\$ 2,987)
YTD	\$ 8,113	\$11,100	(\$ 2,987)

**Interior Renovation Campaign
 Through July 1, 2018**

Total Pledged to Date	\$ 443,219
Total Received to Date	\$ 398,104
Campaign Goal	\$ 375,000

Mass Intentions

Mon. 7/9	6:15am	+Mary Wohlwend
Tues. 7/10	6:15am	+Marie Towle
Wed. 7/11	6:15am	+Ryan Gellings
Thurs. 7/12	6:15am	People of Saint Mary's Parish
Fri. 7/13	6:15am	+Joseph & +John Buting
Sun. 7/15	7:30am	+Jodi Klesmith
	9:30am	+Leo & +Dolores Bodden
	1:00pm	+Arturo Cuellar



Welcome to our newly baptized!

Aracely Hilda Martinez

Parents: Miguel Angel Martinez Rivas
and Edith Gonzalez

Prayer

**A Series on Prayer and the Spiritual Life
with Stephen Buting**



Stephen Buting, seminarian, will be returning to the West Bend Parishes again this summer. He will be ordained as a transitional deacon later this fall.

Join this vibrant speaker as he focuses on the topic of PRAYER.

Morning Sessions will be offered on Wednesdays at Saint Frances Cabrini Church. Evening Sessions will be offered on Thursdays at Saint Mary's Immaculate Conception Church. (When attending the evening sessions at Saint Mary's, please join us prior to the presentation for adoration from 5:30pm-6:30pm.)

"WHAT IS PRAYER? HOW DO I PRAY?"

July 11 - 9:15am at SFC & July 12 - 6:30pm at SMIC

"VOCAL PRAYER"

July 18 - 9:15am at SFC & July 19 - 6:30pm at SMIC

"MEDITATIVE PRAYER"

July 25 - 9:15am at SFC & July 26 - 6:30pm at SMIC

Silent Auction Donations

There will again be a silent auction held in conjunction with the **Polka Mass on August 11th**.

Your donations of *new* items are greatly appreciated. The success of the auction depends on your support.

Donations can be placed in the container in the Parish Center Lobby.

Please contact Janice at 262-338-1382 with any questions.

Scrip News

There will be NO scrip sold in July
Sales will resume Sunday, August 5th

**Saint Mary's Annual Raffle Tickets are
now available at the entrances of the
church.**

Pick up your ticket packet today!

Saints in Training

Summer Vacation Programs

Elementary Students: Saints in Training
(Vacation Bible School)

For Children entering K5 to 5th Grade

For the 2018-19 School Year

Dates: Monday, July 30th—Wednesday, August 1st
from 8:30am—12:00pm

Middle School Students: The Way

Incoming 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th Grade Youth

Variety of games and food each week

July 11th & July 18th from 6:30pm—9:30pm

All events hosted at Saint Mary's
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For more information visit:

http://www.stmaryparishwb.org/vbs_rel.cfm

SPOTS STILL AVAILABLE!

Wisconsin Catholic Heritage Tour and Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help

August 21-22, 2018

Sponsored by Saint Frances Cabrini and Saint Mary's Immaculate Conception Parishes

Join Father Nathan Reesman, Father Andrew Infanger and Seminarian Stephen Buting on a unique journey to experience some of the Catholic history of Wisconsin, and to make a pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help.

We will experience Catholic Wisconsin in the beauty of its past, in its rich ethnic heritage, and also in the evangelical vibrancy of its present and future. Come experience the Church alive across the ages.

Persons from all parishes are welcome to join.

Visit www.stmaryparishwb.org for registration information

Listen to Father Nathan on the Radio

The Inner Life

Thursday, July 12th at 11:00am live & re-airs at 9:00pm

Check out www.relevantradio.com to listen to past shows and more.

Gardening Angels

The Gardening Angels are urgently looking for more gardeners to keep Saint Mary's flower beds looking beautiful.

Please consider adopting a plot.

Time commitment/job duties of a gardener in their own Saint Mary's plot:

- Frequent monitoring and care of garden - at least 2 times a month, weekly is desired, during the growing season
- Spring and fall clean-up - twice a year
- Mulching - every other year
- Attend one meeting in the fall of the year (optional)
- Have all winter off!!

Please contact Carolyn Fischer (262-629-5862) or Renee Kempfer (262-334-1714) to join and for more information.

Adoration News



Is Jesus calling you to Adoration? Stop by the chapel any time during the week or sign up to be a scheduled adorer for one of the hours listed below or any hour that best fits your schedule. We are in need of adorers for the following hours:

Tuesday: 2am-3am (alternate weeks) & 7am-8am

Wednesday: 7am-8am

Thursday: 7am-8am and 12noon-1pm

Saturday: 12am-1am (starting in August)

We need you to help us keep the chapel open around the clock! For information or to sign up, please call Melinda at 262-334-3680 or check out our website at www.hawb.org/adoration.

*"A Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration helps to bring everlasting peace to earth."
- Saint Teresa of Calcutta*

Lending Library



A small library has been set up in the San Gaspar Room, and will be open on most Sunday mornings from 7:30 to 11:00am. Book topics include scripture study, the saints, prayer, spirituality, parish ministry & evangelization, peace & justice and the liturgy.

Visit the library for some great summer reading. Consider a summer retreat with the saints; we have many books available on many different saints.

Volunteer Drivers Needed

Looking to make a difference in someone's life? Can you give 1.5 hours one day per week to take noon meals to homebound elderly persons?

The Washington County Senior Dining Home Delivered Meal program has an immediate need for volunteer drivers in the Jackson and West Bend areas.

Jackson needs drivers Mondays and Wednesdays.

West Bend needs drivers every other Wednesday and every other Thursday.

Volunteers would give approximately 1.5 hours to take noon meals to homebound persons.

Anyone willing to deliver meals and have your mileage reimbursed should call the Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County at 262-335-4497 or 1-877-306-3030 for more information.

Human Concerns

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

In today's Gospel the people ask: "How is it such miraculous deeds are accomplished by his hands?" Because of your gift to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul many "miraculous deeds" are accomplished for the poor.

This week put a gift in the Saint Vincent de Paul poor box, knowing that through your kindness someone who is suffering will be touched by God in a miraculous way.

NEED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE?

When things fall apart as they sometimes do and you need a little extra help to get going again, Saint Vincent de Paul is there for you. For emergency help with rent, utilities, food, clothing, household goods and referral services call the West Bend Saint Vincent de Paul Thrift Store at 262-334-7291.

Food Pantry Special Collection

Thank you for your generous support of the **Full Shelf Food Pantry** every week of the year!



We will be doing a **Special Collection** on the **4th Sunday** of each month.

July 22nd:

Meals in a box (ie. Hamburger Helper)

Habitat for Humanity

In this spring's Cabrini News it was announced that Saint Frances Cabrini and Saint Mary's Immaculate Conception are joining with several other churches for an "Apostles Build" through Habitat for Humanity. As our contribution, we are offering volunteer labor to help with the construction.

We have also set the date of **July 14** as a group build date for our parishes. Please contact our Shared Community Life Coordinator, Jan Kolb at 262-338-5600 jkolb@wbparishes.org, if you can join us on that day or are interested in helping out at other times.

You can also contact:
Dave Kohlmann at dkohlmann@nconnect.net or
Larry Bales at lbales1333@charter.net

Twinning News

A representative from the Twinning Committee will be selling Fair Trade coffee, tea and cocoa t at the West Bend's Farmers' Market next **Saturday, July 14th**. We will be located on Main Street in front of Sal's Pizza.



Thank you for your continued support of this ministry. Check out pictures of our sister parish at Saint Mary's website. Go to www.stmaryparishwb.org. Scroll down to Twinning on the left side of the page. Click on Twinning, Sponsorship or Amigos Unidos Grade School Program to learn more about our ministry.

For additional information or to place an order, contact Karen Gresser at 262-707-4962 or at lv2camp55@gmail.com.

Blood Drive

Sponsored by Holy Angels Human Concerns

Tuesday, July 17, 2018 from 2:00pm to 7:00pm
Holy Angels Walnut Room, 230 N 8th Ave., West Bend

Make an appointment at: <http://bit.ly/HolyAngelsjuly2018> or call 877-232-4376 or Jackie Henderleiter 262-338-6246.

Give the gift of Life!

Share fellowship and a hot sandwich!"

Pastoral Care Needs

We are looking for people to pray with and distribute Eucharist to our sisters and brothers in Christ. Thorough training will be provided!

1 person is needed for one Wednesday a month at 1:30pm at Corner Stone Assisted Living in West Bend

Please contact Mary Hernikl with questions, for more details and training at 262-312-4566 or mhernikl@wbparishes.org.



Thank you for your generous consideration!

Rosary to End Abortion

Planned Parenthood on Shepherds Drive
Every Wednesday at 6:00pm

FAITH & FAMILY FEST

Sept. 16TH

12:30 - 5:00

Catholic Mass Celebrated at 11:15AM

REGNER PARK



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Little Saints
Early Learning Center



*Train up a child in the way he should go,
Even when he is old he will not depart from it.
-Proverbs 22:6*

NOW ENROLLING FOR FALL!

Openings for 6wks-3yrs old

Visit <http://www.saintfrancescabrini.com/early-childhood-center/>

or contact Missy Dieterich for details at
262-334-7142 or mdieterich@wbparishes.org

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New Members

Welcome to our Community of Faith! Please call the rectory office at 262-338-5600 to register.

Mass Schedule

Sunday 7:30am, *9:30am, 1:00pm (Español)

Weekday Monday through Friday 6:15am

**Sign language for the hearing impaired*

2nd Sunday of the month at the 9:30am Mass.

Weekday Masses at Neighboring Parishes

Holy Angels Parish

Monday & Friday: 7:00am

Tuesday: No Mass

Wednesday: 5:30pm

Thursday: 8:00am

Saint Frances Cabrini Parish

Monday through Saturday: 8:00am

Confession and Adoration

Confession and Adoration will be every Thursday from 5:30-6:30pm.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Looking to receive Baptism, Confirmation or Eucharist?

Adults and children interested in receiving the Sacraments and/or becoming Catholic should call the parish office for more information. Those interested in having their child baptized are encouraged to contact the parish 3 months before their child's birth.

Marriage

Please contact the pastor as soon as you are considering marriage, but no less than six months prior to the date of the wedding.

Communion for the Homebound

Those confined to their homes, to nursing homes, or assisted living facilities who would like to receive the Eucharist are asked to call the parish office.

Sacrament of the Sick

We celebrate the Anointing of the Sick the last Sunday of the month during the 7:30 am Mass. If you are unable to attend, please call the parish office to arrange a home visit.

Bulletin Deadline

The deadline for bulletin items is Friday before 12:00pm the week prior to bulletin publishing date and can be emailed to dmatenaer@wbparishes.org.

Pulpit Announcement Deadline

The deadline for pulpit announcements is Thursday before 12:00pm and can be emailed to Tammy Waech at twaech@wbparishes.org.



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