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**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**LOVE**

*"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34*

**MAY 19, 2019**



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**LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Annunciation ..... Sunday 8:00 am  
 St. Joseph ..... Sunday 10:30 am  
 St. Jude ..... Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 9:15 am  
 St. Patrick ..... Saturday 4:00 pm

FOOD PANTRY - 437-3356, 505 Clinton St., Mon-Th. 1-3 pm  
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## It's Time

I love the Easter Season. It is so filled with new life: green grass, fresh air, warm weather, colorful flowers, trees budding out new leaves and/or fragrant blossoms, birds singing, children playing outside, bicycles in motion, etc. and etc. We can all make up our own endless list of "new life" that we see.

I especially like the Scripture readings from the Acts of the Apostles during this season, both on Sundays and during the week, describing the early Christian communities coming together and being formed as church, excitedly sharing their belief in the Risen Jesus and all their goods with one another so that no one was lacking the necessities of life. However, this time was not all "pie in the sky" for them. There were many difficulties and persecutions along the way, but with the encouragement of the Apostles, their cooperation with one another, and the grace of God, the Church's firm foundation was being built.

The Gospels during this Easter time show Jesus appearing to people after he had died. I believe it is one of the ways he is telling us that he would be a part of our lives always, even if he wasn't physically here on earth. He knew the time was coming when he would return to the Father.

Today's reading from Acts shows Paul and Barnabas going from place to place on a missionary journey, converting many and encouraging them to be strong in their faith. These Missionary Disciples knew when it was time for them to leave a place and move on to another.

We, as Missionary Disciples today, also change. A big change for me on my personal discipleship journey is that I realize the time has come for me to retire. It has been a decision long in coming, but now I know that this is the right time. This is not a good-bye note, as it won't be effective until the end of this fiscal year, June 30. And even after that, I'll still be in Green Bay doing some volunteer work here at the Quad Parishes. Another of our sisters, Sister Jan Villemure will be coming here and will be doing some of the work that I have been doing. You'll still see me around and I'll still be seeing you (yeah!), and that makes me happy.

Thank you for being a wonderful part of my journey. God's blessings to you as you continue doing his work on your discipleship journey in whatever way he calls you.

**Happy Easter Season! Peace and all good,  
Sister Anne Marie**



## Volunteer Appreciation



**Wednesday, May 22  
5:30 – 7:00 pm  
St. Jude Parish Café**

**All Quad-Parish Volunteers and their Families  
are invited to a Volunteer Appreciation!**

Please join us for an evening of celebrating YOU, the volunteers we wish to recognize as our most priceless resource. Even the smallest assistance is deeply appreciated!

*Light meal, desserts & beverages provided.*

**Please RSVP to the Quad-Parish Office  
by Monday, May 20.**

*Go out into the world today and love the people you meet.  
Let your presence light new light in the hearts of people.*

*--Mother Teresa*

Hosted by: Quad Parish Team

### Remember your loved ones...

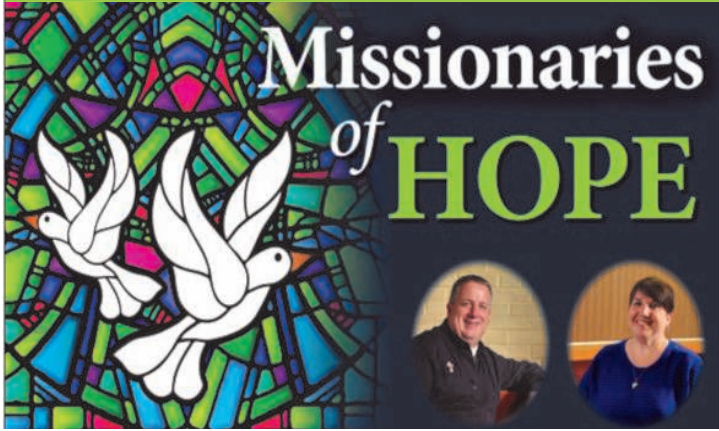
Would you like to remember a deceased loved one by having the Sanctuary Candle burn in their memory? For a \$10 stipend, you can request the candle to burn for two weeks in your loved one's memory. That person's name will be listed in the bulletin. Please call the QPO, 496-2160 to schedule.

### Parish Leadership Positions Open

Are you interested in serving your parish? Would you like to be on the parish leadership team? If you answered "YES" to these questions, consider running for Secretary-Trustee for Annunciation or St. Joseph Parish or to be a finance council member at St. Joseph or St. Jude Parishes. As the Secretary-Trustee, you will work in close collaboration with the pastor to prayerfully discern and carry out the will of God for the parish now and into the future. You will be a full member of the parish pastoral council and will attend the parish council meetings which are usually held monthly. The term for trustee is two years. As a member of a finance council, you will assist in the wise stewardship of the material gifts entrusted to the parish. Meetings are held as needed, normally 4-6 times/year. The term is for three years.

If you feel the time is right for you to step forward as a parish leader, either as a secretary-trustee or a finance council member, please contact Fr. Dave or Carol Kittell at 496-2160 or dschmidt@quad-parish.org / ckittell@quad-parish.org. You can also contact us if you have any questions about either of these positions. Please reply by Friday, May 31. May the Holy Spirit guide you in making your decision to become in a leader in your parish.

## 2019 BISHOP'S APPEAL



It is the season of HOPE. Spring brings new life as trees start to bud and the flowers begin to bloom. During this Easter Season we hear about the Resurrection of the Lord, the promise of our new beginning.

The Bishops Appeal works to bring HOPE to so many throughout our diocese through counseling, adoption services, faith series, youth opportunities and training of future Deacons and lay leaders.

Through your gift to the Bishop's Appeal, you become a Missionary of HOPE and help to bring new life to our communities and churches. We are so grateful for the wonderful participation in the Bishop's Appeal this year.

If you are interested in making a gift to the Bishop's Appeal, please contact the parish office or give online at the website below.

Thank you for your HOPE-filled generosity!

**Annunciation** Goal: \$13,812.00

91 parish families have donated \$11,575.00

**St. Joseph** Goal: \$18,450.00

107 parish families have donated \$18,671.00

**St. Jude** Goal: \$21,724.00

147 parish families have donated \$15,772.00

**St. Patrick** Goal: \$9,680.00

53 parish families have donated \$6,034.00

To make a gift, [www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give](http://www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give)

### Sanctuary Candles - May 12-25



In Memory of  
Dick & Kitty Hujet ~ Annunciation  
Special Intention for Jim ~ St. Joseph  
Russell Carpenter Family ~ St. Jude  
Brenda Wood ~ St. Patrick

### Weddings



Please remember in prayer the following couple who will soon be joined in marriage. We ask God to bless them each day of their married life.

**Nicole Coad & Jose Hernandez - May 31**

## Masses

### Tuesday, May 21

8:00 am St. Patrick The Souls in Purgatory  
Francis & Katherine & Rabideau Family

### Wednesday, May 22

8:00 am St. Joseph Jim DuVal

### Thursday, May 23

8:00 am St. Jude Bonnie McCorison  
Ann Galkowski

### Friday, May 24

8:00 am Annunciation Larry Heim

### Saturday, May 25

4:00 pm St. Jude Judd Pasterski  
Donald Process

4:00 pm St. Patrick Donna Dalebroux  
Sherry Anderson

### Sunday, May 26

8:00 am Annunciation Bernard LaLuzerne  
Bob Burkart

9:15 am St. Jude  
Special Intention for the Jacques Family  
People of the Quad-Parishes

10:30 am St. Joseph  
Edward & Ann Gay & Nancy DeBeck

1:00 pm St. Jude - Hmong Mass

## Rosary & Communion Service

6:10 am Mon - Fri - St. Jude

**Rosary:** 3:30 pm Saturday - St. Patrick

## Reconciliation

Thurs, May 23, 5:30pm - Annunciation  
Sat, May 25, 3 pm @ St. Jude & St. Patrick  
Sun, May 26 after 10:30 Mass @ St. Joseph

MAY YOU  
TRUST GOD  
THAT YOU  
ARE EXACTLY  
WHERE YOU  
ARE MEANT  
TO BE.

— ST. THERESE  
OF LISIEUX



# CALENDAR

## Monday, May 20

1-3 pm Food Pantry 505 Clinton St.  
 4:00 pm St. Vincent DePaul St. Jude Gathering Space  
 5:45 pm Young Adult Choir Annunciation Church  
 6:00 pm Cub Scouts Annunc Hallway  
 6:30 pm Bible - Jesus of Scripture Annunc. Rm 105  
 7:00 pm Boy Scouts Annunciation Hall

## Tuesday, May 21

1-3 pm Food Pantry 505 Clinton St.  
 1:30 pm New Hope Annunciation Rm 105  
 4:15 pm QP Choir Party - Sing A Long Annunciation  
 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (3rd wk on Tues) St. Joe 200-202  
 6:00 pm St. Patrick Parish Council Annunc. Rm 107  
**NO 6:30 pm QP Choir - attend 4:15 at Annunciation**  
 6:30 pm Quad-Parish Council Annunc. Rm 105  
 7:00 pm Tae Kwon Do Annunciation Hall  
 7:30 pm Annunc. Parish Council Annunc. Rm 105

## Wednesday, May 22

9:00 am Bible - Jesus of Scripture Annunc. Rm 105  
 1:00 pm Mission Society Annunc. Mission Rms  
 1-3 pm Food Pantry 505 Clinton St.  
 → **Religious Ed: See Faith Formation**  
**5:30-7 pm VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION St. Jude**  
 6:30 pm Spirit Singers St. Jude Church

## Thursday, May 23

8:30 am Easter Hope Group St. Jude Gathering  
 1-3 pm Food Pantry 505 Clinton St.  
 1-4 pm Love Life (No 5th Thurs) 505 Clinton St.  
 7:00 pm Booster Club St. Jude Cafe

## Sunday, May 26 - Cellcom Marathon Today

Quad-Parish calendar at [www.quad-parish.org](http://www.quad-parish.org)

# SAVE THE DATE

- ✓ Sat, May 18 Rummage Sale  
8 am-2 pm, Annunciation Hall
- ✓ May 18/19 Food Drive for St Patrick Food Pantry  
All quad-parishes
- ✓ Wed, May 22 Volunteer Appreciation, 5:30-7 pm  
St. Jude Cafe
- ✓ Jun 1-9 Paper Drive  
St. Joseph, 13th St. Parking Lot
- ✓ Jun 17 Summer Alpha Starts, meal included  
St. Jude 6-7:30pm, childcare provided
- ✓ Sun, Aug 11 Annunciation Picnic
- ✓ Sat, Aug 17 Family Day at Camp  
Camp Tekakwitha, Shawano
- ✓ Sun, Sep 29 Fall Fest  
St. Joseph
- ✓ Thu, Oct 3 Mile of Quarters Ends Today  
St. Joseph

## Sharing Catholic Social Teaching

### Listen to those in need, Pope Francis says in World Day of Poor 2018 message

"We are so entrapped in a culture which forces us to look in the mirror" and unduly "pamper ourselves," he said. Such people come to believe their act of altruism is enough without having to feel any empathy or the need to sacrifice or "endanger" themselves directly.

Nobody seeks poverty or its many forms, which include marginalization, persecution and injustice, the pope said.

Poverty "is caused by selfishness, pride, greed & injustice. These are evils as old as humanity, but also sins in which the innocents are caught up, leading to consequences on the social level, which are dramatic," he said.

"God's answer to the poor is always an intervention of salvation in order to heal the wounds of body and soul, restore justice and assist in beginning anew to live life with dignity. God's answer is also an appeal in order that those who believe in him can do the same," he added.

*Deacon Jerry*

## Mile Of Quarters

Attention St. Joseph Parishioners: We are trying to collect a Mile of Quarters to go towards the parish debt. There are 12 quarters per foot and 5,280 feet per mile. All quarters are appreciated but please know that donations do not have to be quarters only. Currency and checks made out to St. Joseph for any amount are acceptable. Containers are located at the entrances to church and in the Quad-Parish Office. Donations can also be dropped in any weekend collection baskets - label the envelope "St Joseph Mile of Quarters".

4 **Thank you for helping us reach our goal by October 3!**

## Explore life, faith, meaning!

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions exploring the Christian faith. We invite you to join us to explore...

Is there more to life than this? Who is Jesus?  
 Why & how do I pray? How do I make the most of my Life?

**"Try Alpha" Monday nights at St. Jude Cafe**  
**6:00-7:30pm Childcare Provided**

Info: Becky 496-2160, [bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org](mailto:bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org)

- June 17, 24
- Day Away: Sun, July 28
- July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- Aug 5, 12, 19

Meal



Talk



Small Group Discussion



**Were you inspired by your Alpha experience?**  
**Are you ready to share that inspiration with others?**  
**Looking for Alpha Team Members for our summer sessions at St. Jude. Everyone who has completed Alpha is invited to help on our next Alpha Team.**  
 If you are interested, contact Becky, 496-2160.

## Paper Drive

Our last paper drive dumpster will be  
Jun 1-9 @ St. Joseph, 13th St. parking lot



**Save your paper - this will be the LAST paper drive!**  
**Unfortunately, the company that received our  
paper collection is no longer accepting paper.**

**Thank you for your help turning your trash into cash!**

The dumpster arrives Friday afternoon, and is automatically scheduled to be emptied on Monday, but many times the dumpster is already full on Sat or Sun. **If you can wait to put your paper in the dumpster until after the 1st week-end, it will help us a lot!** If it is difficult for you to put your paper in the dumpster, please feel free to set it on the ground in front of the dumpster. Anyone who sees paper sitting on the ground, please throw it in the dumpster if you are able.

### Paper Drive Proceeds

Check received 5/1/19 Check amt: \$362.00  
Accumulated total since July 24, 2018: \$5,900.  
Distribution: \$5,000 Snow guards on St. Jude church  
\$900 to QP Computer Fund

## Open Mass Intentions

We have several openings for Mass Intentions. Below are some that are coming up soon. If you would like to request one of the following dates, even if you already have some scheduled for this year, call 496-2160.

|      |         |         |              |
|------|---------|---------|--------------|
| Fri. | 6/7/19  | 8:00 am | Annunciation |
| Tue. | 6/11/19 | 8:00 am | St. Patrick  |
| Tue. | 6/18/19 | 8:00 am | St. Patrick  |
| Tue. | 6/25/19 | 8:00 am | St. Patrick  |
| Fri. | 6/28/19 | 8:00 am | Annunciation |

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Fr. Greg will lead Eucharistic Ministers through a comprehensive and practical training at each church, **following weekend Mass**, for all ministers who wish to distribute communion during Mass at each location. Due to the specifics at each location, all ministers of Holy Communion are asked to attend the training for the church(es) that they minister at.

- Saturday, May 11th (St. Patrick)
- Sunday, May 12th (St. Jude)
- Saturday, May 18th (St. Jude)
- Sunday, May 19th (Annunciation)
- Sunday, May 19th (St. Joseph)



## ALTAR SERVERS

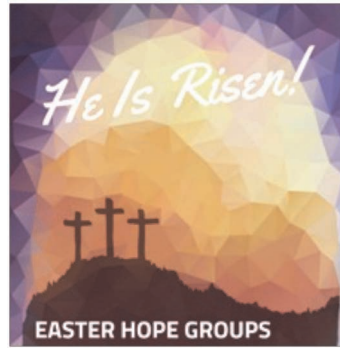
Fr. Dave will lead Altar Servers through a comprehensive and practical training at each church, **following weekend Mass**, for all altar servers who wish to serve Mass at each location. Due to the specifics at each location, all altar servers are asked to attend the training for the church(es) that they serve at.

- Saturday, May 11th (St. Jude)
- Sunday, May 12th (Annunciation)
- Sunday, May 12th (St. Joseph)
- Saturday, May 18th (St. Patrick)
- Sunday, May 19th (St. Jude)



Altar Servers

## Easter Hope Groups



Small groups are meeting Thursday mornings after 8 am Mass and Wednesday evenings. If you would like to join a group, there is still time! Contact Becky, 920-496-2160.

We invite those who are not able to attend a small group to pray the Scriptures with us using the Lectio Divina model of prayer.

### 1. Read the Sunday Gospel John 13:31-33A, 34-35 Meditation:

- What word or phrase caught your attention?
- What in this passage comforted you?
- What in this passage challenged you?

### 2. Read the Gospel a second time. Contemplation:

How does this passage connect with the experience of your daily life?

*Now the Son of Man is glorified, and God is glorified in him.*

How does my relationship with Jesus help me to know the Father?

*As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.*

How can I help others come into relationship with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

*This is how all will know that you are my Disciples.*

How do I discern the best way to follow God?

### 3. Read the Gospel a third time. Prayer:

- Bring to the Lord the praise, petition, or thanksgiving that the Word inspires in you.
- Pray the Lord's Prayer

## Save Those Ink Cartridges!

Did you know that the Faith Formation Office recycles your old printer ink cartridges? For 20 years, the Funding Factory has been helping organizations like ours fundraise by recycling toner and inkjet printer cartridges. They turn used cartridges into cash which helps support our ministries and keeps millions of pounds of cartridges out of our landfills!

Simply bring your old, empty cartridges to the Quad-Parish or Faith Formation Offices. For a list of acceptable cartridges, visit [www.fundingfactory.com](http://www.fundingfactory.com). **Please no toner tubes (plastic cylinder tubes found in copy machines).**

## Census Update

**Help us keep our records up to date!**



If you have not returned your census update form, please call us for a form, or update online at [www.quad-parish.org](http://www.quad-parish.org). Thanks!

## FAITH FORMATION



Mon - Thurs 8 am-1 pm  
Closed Friday. Or, call for an appointment.  
936 Ninth St., GB 54304 497-7042

*Find Home, Hope and Holiness*

### Confirmation Practice Wed, 5/22 6pm FFC



Students who will be Confirmed on May 23 must attend this practice at St. Joseph Church with their sponsors.

Questions? Contact Ian Lawrence at 497-7042 x125 or [ilawrence@quad-parish.org](mailto:ilawrence@quad-parish.org)

## CONFIRMATION

Please keep the following students in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation at **St. Francis Xavier Cathedral on Thursday, May 23.**

|               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Laila Cruz    | Jacob Mincheski |
| Haleigh Dugre | Natalia Miranda |
| Grant Heigl   | Dakota Van Rite |



This summer the Quad-Parishes will be hosting three groups of teens who will be doing service projects in our area. The first group is with the national organization Young Neighbors in Action, followed by a local group of teens from our diocese with Love Begins Here, and finally a youth group from Minnesota. These groups are looking to help parishioners and neighbors who could use a hand with yard work, housekeeping, painting or other special projects. We will be scheduling the work groups the last week of June and first 2 weeks in July. If you or someone you know could use a little extra help, please provide your name, ph# and type of service needed to the QPO (1087 Kellogg St) **by June 1st**. Contact: Becky 496-2160.

### Fall Fest Signs

When you are spring cleaning, if you find any St Joseph Fall Fest signs, please return them to the back of church or to the QPO. Thank you!

### Thank you for supporting Scrip!

Last Week's Sales: \$11,160.00 Profit: \$500.58  
Customers: 51 New Customers: 0

**NEW Vendor - \$25 Culvers now available! 6% profit Think Spring** - as the weather warms up; shop with Scrip for new fashions and trends of the season. We carry a variety of stores in the GB area, & online stores too (Amazon).

**Spring cleaning, repairing things around the house or yard, and gardening?** Shop and get your scrip for Fleet Farm, Home Depot, and Menards.

Did you know that Kohl's is the only Scrip vendor that allows you to pay your Kohl's charge with Scrip?

### Anybody can use scrip!

Come check out what Scrip has in stock; several are local businesses! Visit [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com) if a vendor isn't on our order form. All the way to the bottom there is a "retailer list" tab to click on.

### Recycle - Clean Plastic Caps & Soda Tabs

Recycle your clean plastic caps at the QPO. They will be recycled into wheelchairs for kids. Caps from water, soda, milk, juice, shampoo/conditioner, laundry, prescription, vitamin, etc. Please, no caps that have a pump as part of them (hand soap). **ALSO NOTE:** We collect metal soda tabs. They go to the Ronald McDonald House. Thanks!

## GOOD TO KNOW

### Dear Parishioners,

If you or a family member is ever in the hospital and you would like a visit from a priest or a pastoral associate from the parish, please know that you can call the parish directly to let us know. Often times we are unaware of parishioners who are in the hospital and a call to the Quad Parish office would help us in knowing this. Changes in regulations protecting patient confidentiality are in effect at all hospitals. Even when the hospital asks if they may notify us of your admission and you answer "yes", it is still helpful if you or a family member notifies us directly, especially if someone needs to receive the **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**. Due to HIPPA regulations the hospitals are not able to notify us of a patient's condition, which is why your help in letting us know directly would be very helpful. You can also call the Pastoral Care Department at any hospital to notify us on your behalf.

Visiting hospitalized parishioners is an important part of our ministry. Help us to find you and/or your family members when hospitalized - a "YES" answer to "Notify parish?" will usually put you on our parish lists, but it is always a good idea to notify the Parish Office directly to make sure we are notified and also so that we know the patient's condition since the hospital does not release this information to us unless you specifically ask them to. Your help in this matter will help us to be of better service to you.

Article 1421 in the Catechism of the Catholic Church states: *The Lord Jesus Christ, physician of our souls and bodies, who forgave the sins of the paralytic and restored him to bodily health, has willed that his Church continue, in the power of the Holy Spirit, his work of healing and salvation, even among her own members. This is the purpose of the two sacraments of healing: the sacrament of Penance and the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.*

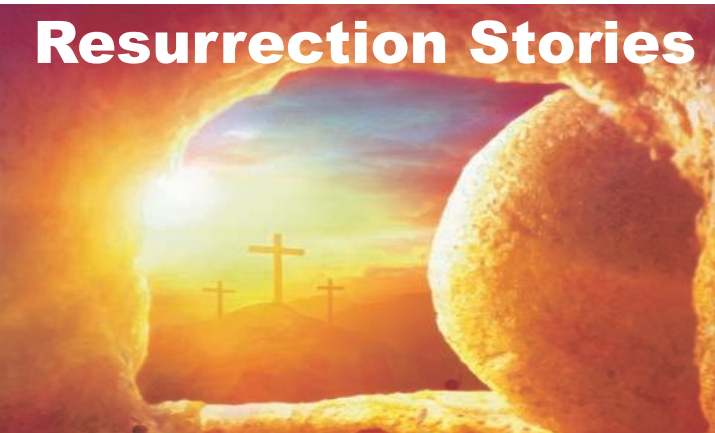
## Choir Party!

Instead of our regular 4:15 pm practice this Tuesday, May 21, we will be having an end of the choir season sing-a-long at Annunciation. Choir rehearsal at St Joseph that night will be cancelled and all are invited to the sing-a-long of favorite hymns at Annunciation. Please use Kellogg St entrance.

## St Jude Hall is Getting a New Floor!

A new floor will be installed in the St Jude Hall the 2nd half of June. The hall along with the restrooms on the lower level will not be available for use. A big thank you to the St. Jude Booster Club for funding this project!

## Resurrection Stories



Resurrection stories were shared at each of our Easter Masses. We asked parishioners to share a story of how they experienced the Resurrection in their lives. Throughout the Easter Season, we will be sharing their stories in the bulletin to inspire us to look for the love of the Risen Christ in our daily lives.

"Can you imagine that moment? Can you imagine the jaw dropping realization: "It's all true. All of it is true!"

Can you imagine all the doubts and despair of the past days chased away by a rolled up burial cloth? By an empty tomb?

Well, I can.

I experienced the Resurrection and the presence of Jesus in my life in an amazing way!

*It is so important never to underestimate the meaning and power of prayer. If I encounter someone with medical concerns, family tragedies, or those having a difficult time in their lives, I offer to pray for them. In my 43 years as a nurse, I encountered many patients and family members all grateful for prayers.*

*Yesterday I attended a wake of someone much too young to leave this earth. I told the parents of the surviving spouse I would pray for them and their family.*

*It is in those simple moments that I witness Jesus' healing love.*

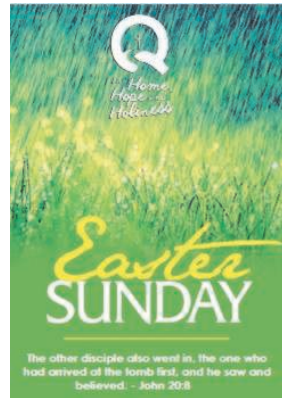
So how about you?

*How will you experience Jesus' love through the Resurrection? - Donna - St. Jude*

**Do you have a story you would like to share? Let's chat!**

**Becky VanKauwenberg, Discipleship Coordinator**  
**[bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org](mailto:bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org) 920-496-2160**

## Attention Parish Groups & Organizations



On Easter weekend you may have noticed the bulletin looked a little different. We will be using this bulletin as a template for a Welcome Booklet for those interested in learning more about the Quad-Parishes. We tried hard to incorporate all of the great things happening at the Quad-Parishes. With so much going on, we want to make sure we didn't miss anyone! If you notice a group or organization that was not mentioned in the Easter bulletin, please let us know!

Past bulletins can be found on our website, at [www.quad-parish.org](http://www.quad-parish.org). Extra copies are available in the parish office, or call us and we will mail you a copy.

We would like to invite a representative from each parish group and organization to join us for a **H3 (Home, Hope & Holiness) Planning for Mission Workshop**. The workshop will be facilitated by Dcn. Jerry & Becky. As groups begin planning for next year, we'd like to hear how you are helping others Find Home, Hope & Holiness. We also want to talk about how we might be able to collaborate and support one another.

### H3 Planning for Mission Workshop for Groups and Organizations

Quad-Parish Faith Formation Center  
Holy Grounds Café, 6 pm on Wednesday, May 29

**Please RSVP with Group Name & Representative(s)**

Contact: Becky [bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org](mailto:bvankauwenberg@quad-parish.org), phone 496-2160.



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## Visiting Priest at the Quad-Parishes June 1/2

### A letter from Fr. Celestine Byekwaso WATER IS LIFE!

*I am a priest of Kasana-Luweero Diocese in Uganda. I will be coming to your parishes to share with you some of the challenges that the Catholic Church faces in Uganda. One of these challenges is the lack of water. There are many people in Uganda who do not have access to running water, and more still who do not even have access to CLEAN WATER. There are people who literally have to walk miles in search of clean water. Many schools have no water on their premises. In such cases the students interrupt their lessons to go and fetch water in order to prepare meals. This affects the students' learning. We have some parishes today which do not have running water.*

*The bishop of my diocese is having a campaign to drill wells in the area which can provide water for a number of families. Drilling a well costs almost ten thousand shillings. The good news is that we have plenty of clean underground water, but we lack the money to drill. I will be coming to your parishes on the weekend of June 1st & 2nd to appeal for your assistance.*

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### Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Picnic - Sun, May 19

1307 Lourdes Avenue, De Pere

Outdoor Mass 10:15 a.m.

Picnic 11:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Silent Auction & Raffles featuring a charcoal grill, cooler and party supplies, a patio heater, and a kayak.

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### Jacob Rudd, a local Catholic musician will offer a concert with guitar and original music

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St. Mary Parish (1412 Main Street Luxemburg) .

### Called To Be

Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity launched a new website which offers information on discernment, the day in the life of a Sister and retreat experiences. We invite you to visit us at <https://fscs-calledtobe.org>. Young adult women do consider our May 26-28 Discernment Retreat on Meditation and Contemplation. Sister Jacqueline Spaniola facilitates this weekend. Call or text Sister Julie Ann at 920-323-9632 with your questions or concerns.

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## Verbal Announcements

To get your event included in the verbal announcements at Mass, please submit your request to [jpoehlmann@quad-parish.org](mailto:jpoehlmann@quad-parish.org) or call the parish office by Wednesday, 3 pm. We ask that verbal announcements be no longer than two sentences, especially if it is also in the bulletin.

## DIOCESAN NEWS

### Reporting Sexual Abuse

If you know of an incident of sexual abuse, of a person who is now under the age of 18, by a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer, please immediately call the civil authorities and then the diocese.

If the person was abused as a minor but is now an adult, please contact Office of Safe Environment Diocese of Green Bay, 920-272-8174 or 1-877-270-8174.

We always encourage you to report the incident to local civil authorities. You matter to us - there is hope!

## NOTICES

**Prescriptions & Health Aids:** Due to unforeseen circumstances the Green Bay Medical Sewing Mission can no longer accept any medications. Individuals can work with the Green Bay Police Dept. regarding proper disposal. We can still accept diabetic insulin/supplies, crutches, wheelchairs, commodes, braces, slings, empty pill bottles, hearing aids and glasses. They can be dropped off at the Quad-Parish Office.

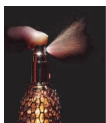
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## PRAYER VINE

Do you have a special need for prayer? If you or someone you know needs a few extra prayers said for them, you can call the Quad-Parish Office at 496-2160.

It is not necessary to give names or specific details. Request examples: "Please pray for Sue (or 'a lady') that is going to Marshfield for testing" or "Please pray for my new grandson who was born two months premature."



**Friendly Reminder:** When going to church, please don't apply perfume or cologne. They can cause irritation or severe reaction to people who have allergies or asthma. Thank you for being considerate of others.

## FINANCES

### Your Weekly Offering

Please know that if you attend Mass at any of the eight West-Side Green Bay Parishes (Annunciation, Nativity, St. Agnes, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, St. John the Baptist, St. Joseph, St. Jude or St. Patrick) you can place your weekly offering envelope in their collection basket. Your offering envelope will be forwarded to your church of membership and credited accordingly to your account. This is a collaborative effort by the eight West side parishes to assist our parishioners.

### Electronic Contributions

Members of all four parishes have the option to make their contributions electronically. This is a safe & efficient means instead of remembering to bring your contributions to Mass or mailing them each week. To get set up for electronic transfers, we need you to fill out a simple form and provide a voided check. If you are interested in this service, please call Carol or Mary Jane at the office (496-2160).

## MEMBERSHIP

To register for entrance of family or individual name in Annunciation, St. Joseph, St. Jude, or St. Patrick's registry, contact Sr. Pat, 496-2160.

Your most important commitment and contribution is your presence at the Sunday Eucharist, "...the source & summit of our life is Christ." Beyond that, we are "Sacrificial Giving" parishes, asking that you share your material and financial support, time and talent as God has shared with you, and according to your prayerful decision.

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

We rejoice with you as you look to have your child baptized! For initial preparation and to schedule a date for the Baptism, please call Nancy at 497-7042.

### Marriage

Contact the Quad-Parish Office at least 6 months prior to wedding.

### Homebound or Nursing Home Visits/

### Communion Calls

Parishioners who are unable to attend Mass due to illness or incapacity may request a Minister of Care to visit and bring Communion. Those seriously impaired by sickness or old age may also request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please call Sr. Anne Marie at the Quad-Parish Office, 496-2160. If it is an emergency after hours, please call 617-8646.

To help us keep track of our parishioners, we ask that families (and neighbors) let us know when a loved one or neighbor is homebound, in a nursing home or in an assisted living facility so that we can provide visits and care. Also, please let us know if someone is receiving Hospice Care so Pastoral Care can be provided at this difficult time.

### Hospitalization

Please ask admitting personnel to inform your parish whenever you or a loved one is hospitalized. If at all possible either a priest or a pastoral associate will visit. Privacy concerns do not permit the hospital to initiate the contact.



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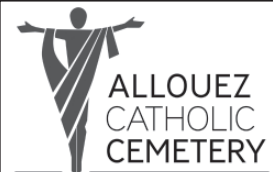
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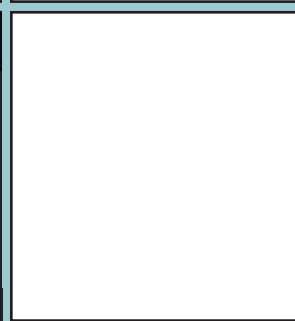
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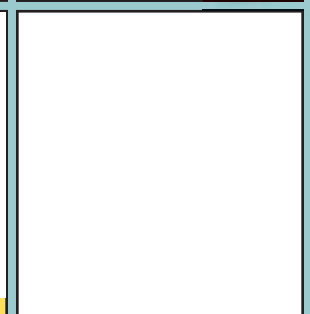
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