





APRIL 9, 2023
EASTER SUNDAY

Sun	4/9	8:00 AM 10:00 AM	In Memory of Rose Marie Wied Req by Patti & Don Eisenreich Mass at St John's - Danielle Bluma & Deceased Members of the Bluma & Rozmiarek Families	
Tues	4/11	8:15 AM	Mass at St John's - Mary Krabbe	
Wed	4/12	8:15 AM 9:00 AM	Mass at St John's - Living & Deceased Members of the Jim & Jeannie Gillis Family Communion Service / Adult Faith Formation	
Thurs	4/13	8:15 AM	Mass at St John's - Matthew Rynish	
Fri	4/14	8:15 AM	In Memory of Mark Van De Hei Req by Dick & Darlene Stedl	
Sat	4/15	8:00 PM	Mass at St John's - Living & Deceased Members of Cismoski & Schuster Families	
Sun	4/16	8:00 AM 10:00 AM	In Memory of Martin & Rose Marie Wied Req by the family Mass at St John's - Alice & Harry Bluma and Deceased Family Members	

(Practicing) Catholic - Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman -
Easter Sunday and Object Permanence

When you play peekaboo with a very young baby who has not yet developed object permanence, you actually feel kind of mean. As soon as your hands obscure your face, their little eyes widen with alarm and their expression crumbles into confusion and despair. Because they can no longer see you, they believe you no longer exist. Their little brains are unable to understand that just because a thing cannot be seen, it is still there, still alive, still full of love and care and protection.

Aw, man, you can hear them thinking. I guess I don't have a mom anymore.



On Easter morning, Mary Magdalene sees the burial cloth but no body. Her human mind makes sense of the situation the best way it knows how, she assumes the Lord has been taken.

I'm sure I would have thought the same thing, in her position.

She cannot conceive, on her own, the reality that Christ has risen from the dead. It doesn't matter that he has told his disciples again and again that this will happen. They weren't ready to understand then.

In many ways, Easter is when the human race really achieved object permanence. But we still struggle with it, don't we? I certainly do. So often I can be heard accusing God: "You weren't there. Where were you? I couldn't find you."

But I looked for him in the flesh. I looked for him in the stale yeast of the world — in money or success or affirmation or (worst of all) convenience and pleasure. Of course, I would not find him there, among the dead.



Thank you to Bonnie Laskowski
for the April bulletin sponsorship in
Memory of Joy Danforth
2/9/49 - 4/15/79

Thank you to everyone who helped with
the church cleaning last weekend. We had a
good crew and the church smells fresh and clean.
We really appreciate the help getting our church
ready for our Easter celebration.



Thank you to Norm Steffens and family
for the donation of the Easter Candle
to our parish this season in memory of
Mary Steffens.

From the Cross
forgiveness poured forth
and fraternal love was
reborn: the Cross makes
us brothers and sisters.
- Pope Francis

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 (toll free)

We always encourage you to report the incident
to civil authorities.

**YOU MATTER TO US -
THERE IS HOPE!**

You are invited to attend
EMMANUEL LUTHERAN INCLUSIVE
COMMUNITY PARK
**Gold and Blue
Gala**
SATURDAY, APRIL 29
5:30-8:30
Emmanuel Lutheran Church - Joyous
ALL BOOKINGS ARE WELCOME!
COST: \$50 PER PERSON
SINGLES, COUPLES, FAMILY/FRIENDS TABLE OF 6- \$250
BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP TABLE OF 8: \$350
Enjoy a night of jazz music, live and silent auction, and
hearty hors d'oeuvres catered by Kelsey's Country Kitchen
and dessert by Amanda Cupcake. Melissa McCrady, Fox 11,
will be our keynote speaker.
Tickets for Sale at Emmanuel Lutheran
Limited Tickets sold by April 21
349 N Main - 920-833-2316

DAY/TIME	LECTOR	DISTRIBUTORS	GREETERS	SERVERS	USHERS
SUNDAY	Frank Van Ess	Dcn Rich Matuszak		Paden Melchert	Fred Fleming
8:00AM / APR 16				Graham Kisling	Kurt Schuh

INCOME FOR WEEK:

Church Support	\$ 6,691.00
Loose Collection	209.00
Flowers	195.00
Holy Land	200.00
Other	314.00

DISBURSEMENTS:

AON Risk Insurance	\$ 608.77
WE Energies	1,020.78
Quill-Office & Parish Supplies	150.70
Liguori Publications	89.78
The Catholic Foundation	295.00
St Therese of the Little Flower	694.60
St Luke Benefit	319.52
KB Window	140.00
Other	40.98



May the Resurrection of our Savior be a constant reminder of His love and promise of eternal life. Wishing a Blessed Easter to all!



Please pray for First Communion Students as they prepare for the Sacrament April 16th.

The World Awaits You: A Zoom Retreat for Soon to Be or Recent College Graduates

Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity offer this retreat to Young Adult Women who are taking steps forward and rising to the promise God plans for them on April 18, April 25 or May 23, 6:30-7:30 PM CST. Women who are ready to chart a course or recalibrate their intended plans are welcome. Register at <https://fsc-calledtobe.org> Call or text questions and concerns to Sister Julie Ann 920-323-9632

Live The Liturgy - Inspiration For The Week

We are witnesses of all that Christ has done — in our lives, in our souls, in our hearts. We have seen the empty tomb. We have touched the abandoned burial cloths. “Go tell my brothers,” Jesus commands us. “Do not be afraid.”

Why Do We Do That? - Catholic Life Explained

Why Marry in a Church?

Question: Why are Catholics required to get married in a church, and not outside or at a different venue?

Answer: Because the sacrament of marriage is a sacred covenant between the husband and wife, the celebration of the sacrament of matrimony is much more than simply a social or family event. So, the rule that the sacrament be celebrated in a church is a way to help reinforce the deeper meaning of Christian marriage. To help make this clearer, the Church's tradition also normally includes the celebration of the Mass when the marriage is being celebrated between two Catholics, and so a church or chapel is the ideal setting. For special reasons — which vary from diocese to diocese — the local bishop can give permission for the marriage to be celebrated in another suitable place.

Ministry of the Sick: Please notify the parish office if a member of your family is confined to their home or is hospitalized. Also, please inform the hospital of your affiliation with your parish.

Baptisms: Please call the parish office two months in advance.

Marriage: Please call St. John's parish office eight months in advance.

Funeral Arrangements: Please call St. John's parish office.

Anointing of the Sick and Dying: Please call St. John's parish office.

Traveling Rosary for Vocations: The Green Bay Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is helping to raise an awareness and assist in rectifying our Diocesan Priestly Vocation Shortage. Our best course of action is prayer to our Lord. Therefore, we are sponsoring this prayer service as a sort of 9-month novena for vocations. Every 2nd Wednesday of the month from March – November we will gather for prayer and inspiration at nine different churches throughout the diocese. The agenda includes rosary for vocations and a speaker. All are welcome. The second date and location: April 12 at St. Philomena, 434 State Rd., Birnamwood, 54414; 1:00 – 2:30 PM For more info call 920-794-8276.

Riddles

What sort of lights were on Noah's Ark?
Floodlights.

Who was the fastest guy in the Bible?
Adam — he was first in the human race.

When is the first math homework problem mentioned in the Bible?

When God told Adam and Eve to go forth and multiply.

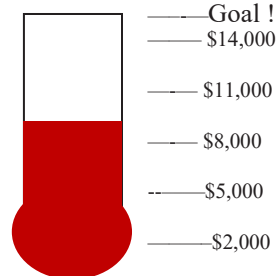
Happy Easter!



Bishop's Appeal

St John's Goal \$41,643
Given to date: \$28,389
Still needed: \$13,254
68% of our goal

St Seb Goal: \$14,962
Given to date: \$9,765
Still needed: \$5,197
65% of their goal.



Fr. Sengole Dass
St. John Parish Office - 833-6140

DC. Richard Matuszak
833-2294 or 609-5292

St Sebastian Parish Office - 833-2558
Hours – Mon/Tues/Thurs/8:00 – 4:00
Wednesday 8:30 - Noon, Closed Friday