

WELCOME to ST. JOHN EVANGELIST PARISH

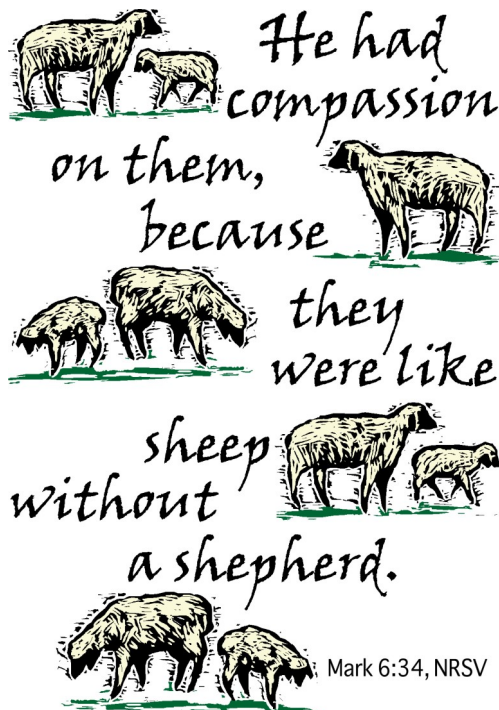


JULY 18, 2021 - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES

The canopy doors will be unlocked from 7:30 am until approximately noon Monday through Friday for private prayer.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	July 17	Blessed Trinity	4:00 pm	†John Buechler by David & Nancy Schleicher, †Sheila Weeks by Jim & Wanda Sabel
Saturday	July 17	St. John's	5:30 pm	†Lu Giefer & Kevin Messner by Family
Sunday	July 18	St. John's	9:00 am	Mass for Parishioners
Sunday	July 18	Blessed Trinity	10:30 am	†Therese Weber by Family, †Alena Markgraf by Paul Morgan Family
Wednesday	July 21	St. John's	7:00 am	†Lauer & Underhill Families by Chuck & Jane Waldoch
Thursday	July 22	Blessed Trinity	9:00 am	Repose of the Soul of Ann Griffin by Genevieve Wagner, †Mary Alice Schleicher by Tom & Rita Dickfoss
Friday	July 23	St. John's	7:00 am	†Walter Free by Mel & Lorrie Free
Saturday	July 24	Blessed Trinity	4:00 pm	†Juergen Pietzner by Specht Family, †Thomas, Mary, & Jerome Buechler by Mary Klover
Saturday	July 24	St. John's	5:30 pm	†Hubert & Lucille Marchand and Carol Mertzig by Family
Sunday	July 25	St. John's	9:00 am	†Robert G. Jones Family by K & S Schmeling
Sunday	July 25	Blessed Trinity	10:30 am	Mass for Parishioners



RECONCILIATION: Reconciliation offered at St. John's on **Saturday, July 24** at **3:00 pm**.

FINANCIALS: July 10/11: Collection: (contribution envelopes, electronic giving and loose offering): \$7,802.01.

BAPTIZED IN CHRIST: Enrique Vargas Garcia, son of Carlos Vargas Castneda and Diana Garcia Del-Bosque was baptized at St. John's on Saturday, July 10. Please keep Enrique and his family in your prayers.



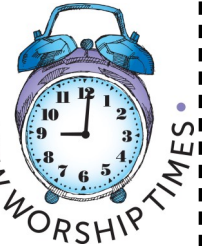


HELP WANTED: MAINTENANCE: Dave Hart will be retiring for the second time on August 1. We are looking for a part time person to do maintenance around the church and grounds. If interested, please contact the parish office for more a more detailed description. There will be no lawn work or snow removal included in the job. We thank Dave Hart for his many years of service.

Deacon Information Session: The Archdiocese of Milwaukee Office of Diaconate Formation will be holding an information session at St. Sebastian, 5400 W. Washington Blvd, Milwaukee **on Monday, July 26** from 6:00 - 7:00 pm. This is a multi-parish event used to answer questions about the Diaconate. If you think you might be being called to be a Deacon or if you just want to find out more about serving as a Deacon, please come to this session.

MASS TIME CHANGE:

Earlier this year, a survey was conducted to look at changing the Sunday Mass time at St. John Evangelist. At the May Pastoral Council meeting, it was discussed and it was decided that beginning the weekend of **September 4/5**, the Sunday Mass time at St. John's will be at **8:30 am**. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Fr. Joe at frjoe@btsje.org or 920-452-9623 ext. 206 or 920-467-4616 ext. 306.



If you travel this summer
your parish will miss
your support.

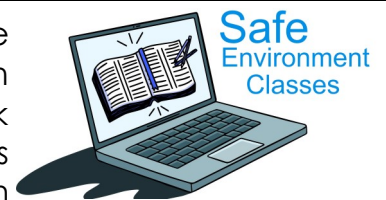
To give, please contact
your parish or visit their website.

Thank you!



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SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASSES: Due to COVID-19, all safe environment education training sessions are conducted virtually in accordance with the guidelines laid out in the Catholic Comeback matrix. Participants will register for a session using the same process as an in-person session, and will be emailed the session log-in information 48 hours prior to the session. For those attending Safe Environment Education session: All participants must arrive on time and stay for the entire session. Latecomers will not be admitted and those who leave early will not receive credit for attendance. Safe Environment Education sessions are not appropriate for those under the age of 18 years. Please plan on select a session that will allow you to participate without minors present. You will need to complete the online registration for your safe environment education session. If you are having difficulty registering for the session or have questions, please contact the parish office at 920-452-9623 or stjohnnev@btsje.org or the Safe Environment Office Administrative Assistant Cynthia Rivera-Garcia at (414) 769-3447. Assistance is available in English and Spanish. Anyone who works with children, including Catechists and volunteers, must attend a Safe Environment session. The class only needs to be taken once.



Ten Summer Activities for Catholic Families



There's no doubt about it, Summer is a special time of the year and we have surely been blessed with sunny days and warm weather. The Catholic Herald, our Archdiocesan Newspaper, published an article entitled, "Things for a Catholic Family to do this Summer". The author, Colleen Jurkiewicz, shared ideas that she gathered from several parents that she spoke with.

Here are some suggestions from her article that you might want to consider doing with your family or friends:

- Try to eat outside once per week and enjoy God's creation and the blessings of summer.
- Travel to Holy Hill. Climb the Scenic Tower or pray the Stations of the Cross. Visit Holyhill.com for more information.
- Good to a weekend or a daily Mass together as a family and go out to breakfast or stop to purchase doughnuts after Mass.
- Visit the Shrine of our Lady of Good Help. Learn more at championshrine.org.
- Have a "religious chalk art" contest.
- Make a shrine in your yard or garden. It can be as simple or as elaborate as you choose.
- Have ice cream sundaes every Sunday night sundaes on Sunday.
- Plan a regular family movie or game night.
- Celebrate the Year of St. Joseph by making a trip to the Shrine of St. Joseph in De Pere. For more information visit <https://norbertines.org//Joseph>
- Have a garden? Share some of your bounty with a local food pantry or a neighbor or friend.

And you can always add your own ideas to this list. May your summer days be filled with bright smiles, warm sunshine, happy thoughts and many blessings!

~Jeanne Bitkers, Coordinator of Religious Education 4K - Grade 6

A Prayer of Summer Joy

Loving God,

we give you thanks for the beauty of summer.

Let us join with other creatures in emerging from winter darkness

into the full light of the season.

May love emerge in us as well,

giving rise to praise for you and for the gifts of your creation.

Help us to weather the storms that hit without warning and do damage to heart and soul.

Turn our faces towards the sun

and let joy be the mantle we carry throughout this blessed time.

In your holy name, we pray

Amen.



PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN: A reminder to parents of young children: The Ushers are not always in the back of church to watch when your children might be back there to use the rest rooms. For their safety, we encourage a parent to accompany children when they leave your pew.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:



Blessed Trinity in collaboration with St John Evangelist Parish is hosting Vacation Bible School the week of **August 2nd**. Vacation Bible School (VBS) will run

Monday through Thursday. We plan to offer a morning and evening session. VBS will meet in the Catholic Life Center previously St. Mary's School. If you would like specific details regarding time etc., please email Lisa Gross at lisa@btsje.org at Blessed Trinity Parish or contact Jeanne Bitkers at jeanne@btsje.org or the St. John's Parish Office at stjohnnev@btsje.org.

CATHOLIC LIFE CENTER UPDATE:

- ◆ Bishop Barron's Catholicism video series continues on Saturdays at 10:00 am at St. John's in Classroom #8. We hope to see you there.
- ◆ Walk the Walk also continues on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the school gym at Blessed Trinity at 7:30 am. Walk lasts approximately 45 minutes with a cool down.

THE GATHERING SPACE IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS:

How can you help The Gathering Place? We are the only adult day program in the county that serves adults with memory loss. The need for respite care is huge and we are averaging 3 tours a week and we have current participants that want to increase their days, but we just can't help out these families! This past year The Gathering Place has lost a lot of volunteers during our shutdown and then slow start up after Covid and now we are really feeling the effects of not being able to take our program to full capacity on Mondays and Thursdays? Please prayerfully consider how you can help this essential, unique program in our county. To see our monthly calendar and newsletter please visit www.memorymattersmost.com or see our daily activities on FB (The Gathering Place & Memory Matters). Call us to set up a time to see our program in action to see if we might be the right fit for you at 920-627-6847 or email carolb@stpaulfalls.com Thank you.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL MEMORIAL

MASS: The St .Peter Claver Parish St. Vincent de Paul Society is hosting the SVdP Memorial Mass on **Monday, July 26** at **6:30 pm**. St. Peter Claver is located at 1439 S. 12th St. Sheboygan. All SVdP members are asked to participate in this Mass along with family and friends.

LET'S WALK!: Walk with friends, family, and neighbors for fun and fitness! All are welcome!



Join us Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. for casual walkabouts in the village. Meet in the St. John Evangelist Church parking lot and walk for approximately an hour. You can walk all or part - weather permitting. Sponsored by St. Anne Society Lori Udovich, Chairperson udovichlori@gmail.com

BREWER GAME BUS TRIP:



On **Sunday, August 8**, join fellow St. John Evangelist parishioners and friends on a bus trip to see the Milwaukee Brewers take on the San Francisco Giants at American Family Fields in Milwaukee. The bus leaves the St. John's parking lot at **11:00 am**. Cost is \$35.00 per person with checks made out to St. John's. Cost includes a ticket to the game, a Jimmy John's sub, a Pepsi and the bus ride. Any questions? See the flyer on the bulletin board in the gathering space or contact Tom Reilly at treilly53044@gmail.com. Please respond by Monday, July 19. Hope to see you there!