

# WELCOME to ST. JOHN EVANGELIST PARISH



## JANUARY 29, 2023 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday.....5:30 pm  
 Sunday.....9:00 am  
 Wednesday & Friday.....7:00 am  
 1st Friday-Pine Haven.....10:00 am  
 2nd Friday-Prairie Crossing.....10:00 am

### PARISH OFFICE

**Hours: Monday-Friday 7:30 - 3:30 PM**

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**Please contact the Parish Office to:**

1. Join the Parish
2. Schedule a Baptism
3. Schedule a Mass Intention
4. Any other questions or concerns

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### PRAY THE ROSARY DURING THE WEEK:

Monday-Friday at 6:40 am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

1st Fridays-6:00 - 6:45 am St. John Evangelist

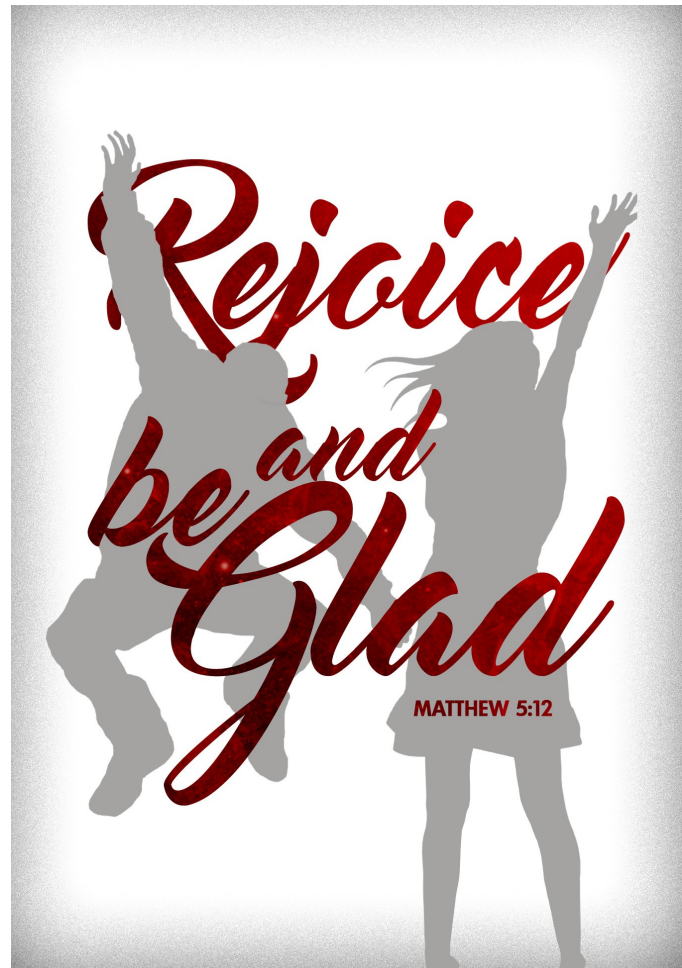
Sundays 8:00 - 8:45 am St. John Evangelist

1st & 2nd Saturdays-3:00 pm-Blessed Trinity

3rd, 4th & 5th Saturdays-3:00 pm-St. John Evangelist

### LAY MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 4/5

MASSES	Saturday, 5:30 pm	Sunday, 9:00 am
Lectors	Angela Bustos	Steve O'Neil John Egan
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		Mel Free
Ushers	Randy Miller Bill Moffatt	Tom Reilly Jim Sarafin
Sacristan	Diane Torke	Julia Rodemeier Steve O'Neil
Greeters	Patty Cosgrove	John Egan



## From Father Schmeckel:

**Winterfest is this weekend at Saint John!** Stop by for fellowship, food, raffles and more! 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM! Thank you to all who have worked so hard to make this happen!



On February 2, we celebrate **the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord**. This feast day is a celebration of the time when Mary and Joseph took Baby Jesus to the Temple, forty days after his birth (and so 40 days after Christmas!). Traditionally, a parish blesses all, or at least some, of the candles that will be used throughout the year on this day. That is because Jesus is the light of the world – and at His presentation in the Temple, the Light of the World entered into the Temple and also entered into the world. Just like a small burning candle brightens a dark room, Jesus gives light to the whole world. This connection between Jesus as the light of the world and candles is why this feast day is sometimes called “Candlemas” Day (literally Mass of candles).

To celebrate this Feast, consider taking some time **to read the story of the Presentation in the Gospel**. The whole story is from the Gospel of Luke 2:11-40.

In Saint Luke's telling of the happenings, there are two other figures that are important, Simeon and Anna. Both of them can be models of prayer for us. Each of them spent day after day in prayer and adoration in the Temple. They waited and waited and waited for the coming of the Messiah.

Anna was an especially moving character. She was an eighty-four-year-old widow, who had spent decades waiting for the Messiah. Imagine how difficult this long period of waiting must have been for her. We may have similar experiences in our own lives of prayer. We ask God to do something, to give us a miracle, or some other grace, but He doesn't seem to answer our prayers. **Anna teaches us perseverance as we wait for God to hear and answer our prayers.** While this is not encouraging when we are going through times of suffering or discouragement, it helps us to prepare. It reminds us that God is listening and preparing great graces for you and for me. Never let your waiting discourage you in your daily life of prayer and conversation with Him!

And this Friday, February 3, is the **Memorial of Saint Blaise**, bishop and martyr. There is a tradition of blessing throats and asking for St. Blaise to pray for protection from any disease of the throat and any other illnesses. I will offer this blessing following the morning Mass at Saint John.

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Will be offered at Blessed Trinity Parish on Saturday, February 4 at 3:00 pm and at St. John Evangelist Parish on Friday, February 3 from 6:00 - 6:45 am and Sunday, February 5 from 8:00 - 8:45 am.



**WOMEN'S GROUP “WALKING WITH PURPOSE”:** The books have arrived for the new St. John Evangelist Women's Group that will begin on **Saturday, February 4 from 9:30 - 11:00 am.**

For those women who signed up, they are located in the sacristy (the room off of the left side altar) and are marked their name.

**MEN OF CHRIST (MARCH 11):** The world needs men who live their faith boldly. Nearly 50 parishes are hosting virtual Men of Christ conferences this year. **Blessed Trinity Parish in Sheboygan Falls is hosting our county's event.** There will be more details in the bulletin in upcoming weekends.

# MASS INTENTIONS

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Saturday	January 28	Blessed Trinity	4:00 pm	†Veronica Gilles by Jim & Tootie Paul, †Carol Schuessler by Warren & Helen Leider
Saturday	January 28	St. John's	5:30 pm	†Debbie Miller by Chuck & Jane Waldoch
Sunday	January 29	St. John's	9:00 am	Mass for Parishioners
Sunday	January 29	Blessed Trinity	10:30 am	†Walter & Lucille Nigh by Tim & Bonnie Eigenberger, †Clara Weyker by Audino Family
Tuesday	January 31	Blessed Trinity	9:00 am	†Paul Friedrichsmeier by Ken & Helen Maurer
Wednesday	February 1	St. John's	7:00 am	†Jean Butzen by David & Nancy Schleicher
Thursday	February 2	Blessed Trinity	9:00 am	†Juergen Pietzner by Judy McNulty
Friday	February 3	St. John's	7:00 am	†Barbara Mott by Benishek Family
Friday	February 3	Pine Haven	10:00 am	†Bernice Mett
Saturday	February 4	Blessed Trinity	4:00 pm	†Larry Kissinger by Sabel Family, †James Klop by Family
Saturday	February 4	St. John's	5:30 pm	†Hubert & Lucille Marchand & Carol Mertzig by Family
Sunday	February 5	St. John's	9:00 am	Mark Weber & Family by Teresa Bettag
Sunday	February 5	Blessed Trinity	10:30 am	Mass for Parishioners



## WOMEN'S SPRING BELOVED RETREAT

**When:** Friday Evening, February 17 from 6:30– 9 pm  
& Saturday, February 18 from 9:00 am – 4:30 pm.

**Where:** Lakeland University, Plymouth (Free rides are available if you do not want to drive in Winter!)

**Cost:** \$30.00 per person

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER February 1, 2023.**

**Note: If we don't have 50 women registered by FEBRUARY 1, THE RETREAT WILL BE CANCELLED.**

Cost includes, all meals, snacks, and beverages. Each woman will also receive a lovingly created journal to capture their thoughts, ideas, references, take-aways and Holy Spirit moments. Full schedule, presentation descriptions, presenter biographies, additional retreat information, and registration are on the Sheboygan North Catholic Parishes website. Contact Kym for questions [leibhamk@catholicnorth.org](mailto:leibhamk@catholicnorth.org).

**Feast of St. Blaise (Bishop and Martyr):** The feast of St. Blaise (Bishop and Martyr) will be celebrated St. John Evangelist Parish on Friday, **February 3** at the **7:00 am Mass**. The tradition of the blessing of the throats is attributed to the healing of a young boy who was choking. The two candles used in the ceremony represent the candles brought to Blaise in prison by the boy's mother. We ask St. Blaise to intercede for us that we may be safe from every illness of the throat. Fr. Schmeckel will bless throats immediately following the 7:00 am Mass.

# EVENTS CALENDAR

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

12:00 pm AA Meeting  
Church hall  
5:30 pm Mass

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

8:00 - 8:45 am Reconciliation  
9:00 am Mass (Choir Sings)  
10:00 am **WINTERFEST**

## MONDAY, JANUARY 30

9:00 - 10:30 am Mother's Group

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

8:30 - 11:00 am Mission Society  
6:30 - 8:00 pm Choir Practice

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

4:00 - 5:15 pm Religious Education  
4K - Grade 6  
6:45 - 8:00 pm Religious Education  
Grades 7 - 12

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

2:00 - 3:00 pm Bible Group  
Church Hall

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3

7:00 am Mass (Social)

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

12:00 pm AA Meeting  
Church hall  
5:30 pm Mass

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

8:00 - 8:45 am Confession  
9:00 am Mass (Social)

## FIRST FRIDAY SOCIAL:

The Catholic Life Center will host a First Friday Social after the 7:00 am Mass on Friday, **February 3**. Please stay for a donut and some coffee.



**SUNDAY SOCIAL:** There will be a social immediately following the 9:00 am Mass **SUNDAY, February, 5**. Stop by and enjoy a sweet treat and come coffee. The social is hosted by the Ushers.

## FISH FRY:

St. Peter Claver Parish, 1439 S 12th St, Sheboygan will serve lightly breaded fish on **Friday, February 3** in Van Treeck Hall, Lower Level from **4:30 to 7:00 pm**. There will be lightly breaded fish with your choice of french fries or potato salad and coleslaw or applesauce. They will also have grilled cheese or grilled ham and cheese made to order. Desserts will also be available for sale by the 8th grade CCA students. All are welcome.



## FINANCIAL: JANUARY 22, 2023:

Collection: (contribution envelopes, electronic giving and loose offering): \$4,639.30.

## JANUARY WINE & HOSTS:

In memory of the Dohms & Kaboord Families by Dan & Diane Dohms.



**"MEN ON FIRE" MEN'S CONFERENCE:** On **Friday, February 17** from 6:30 - 9:00 pm and **Saturday, February 18** from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm at St. Alphonsus Parish (6060 Loomis Road, Greendale). Men 16+ are invited to join Bart Schuchts, Florida State tight end turned national Catholic speaker, for a transformative two day event. Bart will share the encounter he had with God while in the NFL locker room and how it lead him to dedicate his life to helping other men encounter the Father in powerful & intimate ways.

Cost is \$25.00 for adults and \$15.00 for students. Lunch will be provided on Saturday. Please see the St. John Evangelist Parish bulletin board for information on signing up.





## WINTERFEST!: SUNDAY, JANUARY 29, 2023 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Winterfest is here! Join your fellow parishioners and visitors for a day of food and fellowship. Beginning immediately following the 9:00 am Mass, head down into the church hall. Enjoy brats, hamburgers, chicken breasts, soup, potato salad & baked beans. There will be bucket and silent raffles as well as floor raffles throughout the day. There will be children's games and a cake walk, located in the Religious Education wing for the children. New this year: A Wine-Pull! Hope to see everyone there!!!

Sheboygan County Adult Faith Formation  
invites you to

### Young Adult Mass & Social at King Park Sheboygan, WI

Join other Sheboygan County young adults in their 20s and 30s for Mass in the King Park Pavilion followed by dinner and games! Bring a side to share, and a friend! The main course and drinks will be provided.

**Date:**

Saturday, April 15

**Time:**

5:30 PM Mass  
Social to follow

**Location:**

King Park Pavilion  
1615 S. 7th Street  
Sheboygan, WI  
53081



**BE A SPIRITUS MISSIONARY:** Do you know a young adult who lives out their faith and is eager to share it with others? SPIRITUS Ministries is looking for Catholics, between 19-29, who want to grow in leadership, holiness and inspire the next generation of youth to live out their Catholic faith. As a SPIRITUS missionary, you'll live in community by gender, travel to schools and parishes throughout Wisconsin, and inspire 5,000+ youth in grades 2-12 through retreats. Missionaries receive one-on-one mentoring, spiritual direction, food, lodging, monthly allowance, health insurance, and a \$3,000\* completion stipend. There is no fundraising required. For more info visit: [spiritusministries.org/beamissionary](http://spiritusministries.org/beamissionary). Want a taste of Missionary life? Register for a Come & See Weekend! Email Sarah at [recruiter@spiritusministries.org](mailto:recruiter@spiritusministries.org) or give us a call at (920) 722-8918 to learn more!



**ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:** Fr. Schmeckel will be conducting altar server training for children/teens who have received the Sacrament of First Eucharist and are in Grade 3 or beyond. If your child/children are interested in participating as altar servers, please have them attend one of the following sessions. If your child/children were altar servers in the past, they will still need to attend an upcoming training session. Please contact the Parish Office at 920-452-9623 or [stjohnnev@btsje.org](mailto:stjohnnev@btsje.org) with questions.

**Training Sessions:**

Wednesday, February 1 – 5:15-6:00 pm

Wednesday, February 1 – 6:00-6:40 pm

Saturday, February 4 – 9:00-9:45 am

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CHARITY CLUB:

Catholic Women's Charity Club (CWCC) will meet on Wednesday, February 1 at 1:00 PM in Van Treeck Hall at St. Peter Claver Church in Sheboygan. Program will be Laundry Love with Laura Graney presenting. Guests and persons interested in membership are invited to attend. Members in need of transportation to/from the meeting please contact Virginia at 783-8249 or Mary at 467-9679. For more information about CWCC, please visit <http://catholicwomenscharityclub.weebly.com>

**ARISE FAMILY ADORATION:** Will be held **EVERY FIRST FRIDAY IN 2023** at 6:30 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church (12700 W Howard Ave. New Berlin, WI). Encounter Christ as a family at Arise Family Adoration! This free, family-oriented night of worship will introduce your family to the teaching of the devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus through prayer, music, and children's breakout sessions alongside adult prayer. Please see **ARISEMKE.ORG/FAMILY-ADORATION** for more information.



A benefit for *Fresh Meals On Wheels*

**Treat Yourself with Soup to Go!** Let someone else make the soup, salad, rolls and dessert and bring them to you as you wait in the warmth of your car feeling good about supporting Fresh Meals On Wheels of Sheboygan County! The third annual Soup on Wheels event offers a wide assortment of gourmet soups made in the kitchens of Destination Kohler, Sargento and Fresh Meals On Wheels. Each quart of soup comes with dinner salad, rolls and homemade desserts for two.

Order your soups by **February 13** and at checkout, select the time on **Friday, February 23** that you would like to pick up your food. Then, at your designated time, drive up to Fresh Meals On Wheels, tell them the name on your order, and someone will bring your soup to your car. Your purchase will help provide nourishing meals and friendly visits to senior and homebound Sheboygan county neighbors. The link to order: [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/soup-on-wheels-2023-a-benefit-for-fresh-meals-on-wheels-tickets-492064256437?aff=ebdssbdestsearch&mc\\_cid=9e6b2c2302&mc\\_eid=1d0c6c01f3](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/soup-on-wheels-2023-a-benefit-for-fresh-meals-on-wheels-tickets-492064256437?aff=ebdssbdestsearch&mc_cid=9e6b2c2302&mc_eid=1d0c6c01f3)

## OPEN GYM!

2PM TO 4PM

December

- o 4th - SJB
- o 11th - CCA
- o 18th - St. Dominic

February

- o 5th - SJB
- o 12th - CCA
- o 26th - St. Dominic

January

- o 8th - SJB
- o 15th - CCA
- o 22nd - St. Dominic

March

- o 5th - SJB
- o 19th - CCA
- o 26th - St. Dominic

ST. DOMINIC  
SHEBOYGAN

- April
- o 2nd - SJB
  - o 16th - CCA
  - o 23rd - St. Dominic

HOMESCHOOLERS WELCOME!

ST JOHN  
THE BAPTIST  
PLYMOUTH

CHRIST CHILD  
ACADEMY  
SHEBOYGAN

Pancake



Breakfast

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST:

Will be held on **Sunday, January 29 from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm** (Inclement weather back-up date, Sunday February 5) at Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School in Sheboygan. Enjoy pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs and a drink for \$7.00 for adults, \$4.00 children ages 3 to 12, with 2 and under free. All proceeds will go to supporting Seton Catholic Schools.

RONCALLI HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS:

# LEARNING ON THE JOURNEY

A WINTER SERIES ON CATHOLIC FAITH, PRACTICES AND PERSPECTIVES

**TUESDAY NIGHTS:**  
**JAN. 10 - FEB. 14 6-7 P.M.**  
 SOCIAL TO FOLLOW  
 AT RONCALLI HIGH SCHOOL  
 2000 MIRRO DRIVE, MANITOWOC

**PRESENTATIONS BY:**

**FR. DAVID BEAUDRY, M.A.**  
**FR. MATT COLLE, M.S.**  
**TAYLOR GEIGER, M.A.**  
**CALLIE HYNEK, M.A.**  
**TIM OLSON, M.A., PRINCIPAL EMERITUS**  
**PAUL SCHWEIGL, TH.D.**  
**DIANNE VADNEY, M.T.S.**

NO READING, NO HOMEWORK, NO COST.  
 ATTEND AS MANY OR AS FEW AS YOU LIKE.  
 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST WITH  
 AT LEAST A WEEK'S NOTICE.



**JANUARY 10:** GENESIS - SCHWEIGL  
 HOW COULD A LOVING GOD...? - OLSON  
 FINDING HEALING IN CHRIST - GEIGER  
 THE MASS - VADNEY

**JANUARY 17:** APOSTLE'S CREED - SCHWEIGL  
 THE GOSPEL OF JOHN - BEAUDRY  
 PSALMS - COLLE  
 PASSING ON THE FAITH TO CHILDREN - VADNEY

**JANUARY 24:** THE BOOK OF JOB - SCHWEIGL  
 DISCERNMENT 101 - GEIGER  
 A POET, A COMPOSER & GOD - OLSON  
 EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES - HYNEK

**JANUARY 31:** ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM: THEOLOGIAN, PROPHET &  
 PASTOR - BEAUDRY  
 ISLAM - SCHWEIGL  
 ROMAN MARTYRS - COLLE  
 UNDERSTANDING SACRAMENTAL MARRIAGE - VADNEY

**FEBRUARY 7:** MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE WE WILL NEVER DIE - OLSON  
 MERCY: THE HEART OF THE GOSPEL - BEAUDRY  
 DOES GOD WANT ME TO BE HAPPY - GEIGER  
 JESUS IN THE CITIES OF THE HOLY LAND - VADNEY

**FEBRUARY 14:** JUDGES - SCHWEIGL  
 THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - BEAUDRY  
 SERVICE & SPIRITUALITY - HYNEK  
 PARABLES - VADNEY

  
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Registration: Not required, but greatly appreciated,  
 for planning purposes (especially for families utilizing child care).  
 920-682-8801 | [theology@roncallicatholicschools.org](mailto:theology@roncallicatholicschools.org)

**RONCALLI**  
 HIGH SCHOOL

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4. Find Blessed Trinity by parish name, address, or zip code
5. Enter your email - and you're in!





## CLC Calendar February 2023



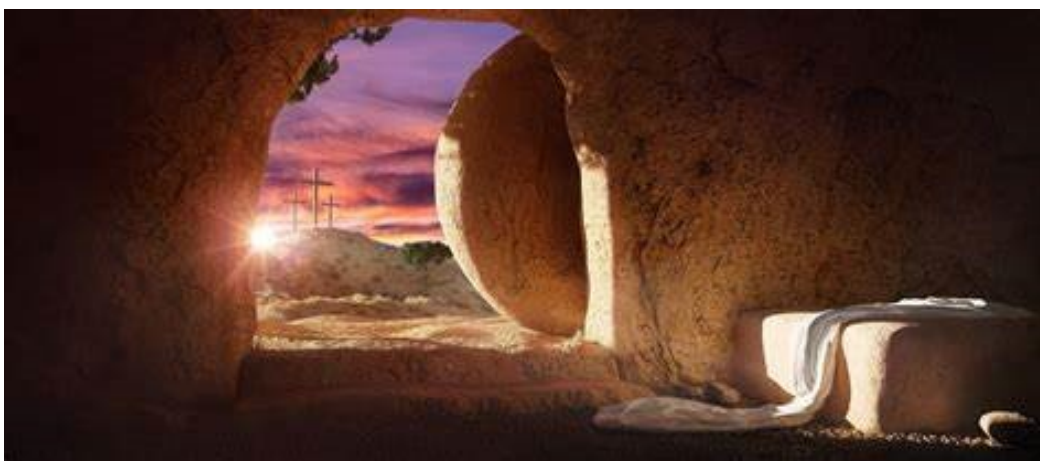
- February 1 -**Priest, Prophet, King** by Bishop Barron, Part 3, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 2 -Bible Study, 2:00-3:00 pm, SJE-LLCR
- February 3 -First Friday Coffee after 7:00 am Mass, SJE Gathering Space
- February 4 -**Walking With Purpose**, Women's Bible Study, 9:30-11:00 am, SJE Gathering Space
- February 5 -**Presence: Episode 2 The Story of the Eucharist**, 10:15-11:00 am, SJE Classroom
- February 6 -Mother's Group, 9:00-10:30 am, SJE classroom
- February 7 -**Conversations Over Coffee**, Becoming a Priest Through the Eyes of the Mother by Elly Weber, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 7 -CLC Committee Meeting, 6:30-7:30 pm, CLC-PMR
- February 8 -**Priest, Prophet, King** by Bishop Barron, Part 4, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 8 -Movie Matinee, *Bells of St. Mary's*, 1:30-4:00 pm, CLC-MR
- February 9 -Second Thursday Coffee after 9:00 am Mass, CLC-MR
- February 9 -Bible Study, 2:00-3:00 pm, SJE-LLCR
- February 10 -**Painting class is postponed**
- February 11 -**Walking With Purpose**, Women's Bible Study, 9:30-11:00 am, SJE Gathering Space
- February 13 -Adult Card Party, 1:00-4:00 pm, CLC-MR
- February 14 -**The Five Love Languages** presentation/ discussion, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 15 -**Priest, Prophet, King** by Bishop Barron, Part 5, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 16 -Bible Study, 2:00-3:00 pm, SJE-LLCR
- February 16 -Adult Card Social, 6:30-9:00 pm, CLC-MR
- February 18 -**Walking With Purpose**, Women's Bible Study, 9:30-11:00 am, SJE Gathering Space
- February 20 -Mother's Group, 9:00-10:30 am, SJE classroom
- February 21 -**Health and Wellness Discussion: Goal Setting**, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 22 -**Priest, Prophet, King**, by Bishop Barron, Part 6, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR
- February 23 -Bible Study, 2:00-3:00 pm, SJE-LLCR
- February 25 -**Walking With Purpose**, Women's Bible Study, 9:30-11:00 am, SJE Gathering Space
- February 26 -**Presence: Episode 3 Bread for the Journey**, 10:15-11:00 am, SJE Classroom
- February 27 -Adult Card Party, 1:00-4:00 pm, CLC-MR
- February 28 -**Alzheimer's Disease** presentation by ADRC, 10:00-11:00 am, CLC-MR/ AR

### Save the Dates!

- \*\*March 21, 28 -**Two-part Lenten Series** by Fr. Bob Lotz, in the evening
- \*\*April 1 -**Passion Play Matinee** Bus Trip to Xavier High School. A few seats left!
- \*\*\*TBD -**Acrylic painting** is postponed

CLC-MR, CLC-AR, and CLC-PMR refer to the Catholic Life Center Meeting Room, Assembly Room, and Parish Meeting Room in our facility adjacent to Blessed Trinity Church. CLCG refers to the Catholic Life Center Former School Gym. SJE-LLCR refers to the St. John Evangelist's Lower Level Conference Room.





## Bus Trip to All Rise! The Northeast Wisconsin Passion Play

Xavier High School, Appleton  
Saturday, April 1, 2023

9:30 am Bus leaves from Blessed Trinity Parking Lot  
11:00 am Lunch on your own at Fox River Mall Food Court  
12:30 pm Arrive at Xavier High School Theater  
1:00 pm Showtime!  
5:00 pm Arrive back to Blessed Trinity Parking Lot

Join us Palm Sunday weekend to see the scriptures come to life through music, dance and drama. Experience this inspiring production celebrating the joyous time when Our Lord walked the earth...the bustling seaside as Jesus calls The Twelve, the first miracle at the wedding at Cana, his compassionate teachings and the victory of the Resurrection.

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**Sign up by February 1st! Bus will fill up. \$40 per person includes bus and play.**

**Return to CLC or Parish Office (115 Summer Street, Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Guests: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Phone

Relationship

\$40 x \_\_\_\_ (number of people) = \_\_\_\_ (Total) Enclosed (Cash/Check Payable to Blessed Trinity Parish)

# Dear Padre,

## *At Mass, why does the priest put a part of the consecrated host into the chalice?*

The celebration of the Eucharist was known as “the breaking of the bread” in the Acts of the Apostles (2:42). “The gesture of breaking bread done by Christ at the Last Supper, which in apostolic times gave the entire Eucharistic Action its name, signifies that the many faithful are made one body (1 Corinthians 10:17) by receiving Communion from the one Bread of Life, which is Christ...” (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 83). At Mass, bread is broken and wine is poured for Communion, just as the Body of Christ was broken and the Blood of Christ was poured out on the cross. In this fraction rite, we recognize Christ in “the breaking of the bread,” as did his disciples on the road to Emmaus (Luke 23:30–31).

After the fraction of the bread, the priest places a small piece of it into the chalice “to signify the unity of the Body and Blood of the Lord in the work of salvation, namely, of the Body of Jesus Christ, living and glorious” (*GIRM* 83). This rite is called the commingling.

While the *Agnus Dei* (“Lamb of God”) accompanies the fraction of the bread, the priest quietly recites a prayer of preparation for Communion “so that he may fruitfully receive the Body and Blood of Christ. The faithful do the same, praying silently” (*GIRM* 84). ●



WIDEONET / SHUTTERSTOCK

**Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR / DearPadre.org**



CNS SCREENSHOT / YOUTUBE

### **A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS**

***Sisters and brothers, I am convinced that “the world can be seen more clearly from the peripheries.” We must listen to the peripheries, open the doors to them and allow them to participate. The suffering of the world is better understood alongside those who suffer.***

**FOURTH WORLD MEETING OF POPULAR MOVEMENTS,  
OCTOBER 16, 2021**

#### **MONDAY**

January 30  
*Weekday*  
Heb 11:32–40  
Mk 5:1–20

#### **TUESDAY**

January 31  
*St. John Bosco, Priest*  
Heb 12:1–4  
Mk 5:21–43

#### **WEDNESDAY**

February 1  
*Weekday*  
Heb 12:4–7, 11–15  
Mk 6:1–6

#### **THURSDAY**

February 2  
*Presentation of the Lord*  
Mal 3:1–4  
Heb 2:14–18  
Lk 2:22–40 or  
Lk 2:22–32

#### **FRIDAY**

February 3  
*Weekday*  
Heb 13:1–8  
Mk 6:14–29

#### **SATURDAY**

February 4  
*Weekday*  
Heb 13:15–17, 20–21  
Mk 6:30–34

#### **SUNDAY**

February 5  
*Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
Is 58:7–10  
1 Cor 2:1–5  
Mt 5:13–16

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