

Saint
Francis of Assisi Parish

Welcome to...

THIRD *Sunday of*
LENT

*But God proves his love for us
in that while we were still
sinners Christ died for us.
(Romans 5)*

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March 27, 2011 • Third Sunday in Lent



From the Pastor

Dear Parishioners & Friends,

As we journey through this sacred season longing for holiness, may the Holy Spirit guide and lead you in this blessed pursuit. **This week we will be continuing with parish-wide celebrations of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.** The Precepts of the Church require that we “confess serious sins at least once a year.” What a powerful way for us to be cleansed of our sins and to be made holy.

Along with our regularly scheduled Stations of the Cross, there will be a special “**Family Stations of the Cross**” this week Monday and Wednesday at 7:00pm at the Faith Formation Center Church. All families of the parish, indeed all parishioners, are invited to pray The Way of the Cross as we relate our prayer to events in today’s world.

We continue to remember our Japanese brothers and sisters in our prayers. We will designate the parish **Holy Thursday Collection** as our stewardship giving to help with the recovery from this disaster. Otherwise, you can make a contribution through www.crs.org to the Catholic Relief Services. Archbishop Leo Jun Ikenaga SJ of Osaka, issued the following prayer, requesting its circulation that the church “might all pray in unity” for the victims of the disaster:

Merciful God, you never depart from us even in the worst of times; be with us in both our joy and in our sadness. Grant your aid and encouragement to those who suffer in the face of this great calamity. We, too, continue to offer you our prayers and sacrifices for their sake. Bring us with all possible haste to the day when all can live in safety. May all those who have lost their lives in the devastation find peaceful repose in your presence. Mother Mary, pray for us.

Do not let this holy season slip by unnoticed. There is still time to deepen your relationship with the Lord who is the source and summit of our longing for holiness.

St. Francis and St. Clare, pray for us!

Fr. Dan

LENT

Longing for the Holy...

Opportunities for spiritual growth

Sunday, March 27th—

- Sunday Vespers: 4:00 PM at Grand

Monday, March 28th—

- Family Stations of the Cross: 7:00 PM at the Faith Formation Center

Tuesday, March 29th—

- Stations of the Cross with Benediction: 6:30 PM at Grand

Wednesday, March 30th—

- School Stations of the Cross: 9:00 AM at Waldo
- Reconciliation Service: 1:30 PM at Waldo
- Stations of the Cross: 2:00 PM at Marshall
- Reconciliation Service: 6:30 PM at Waldo
- Family Stations of the Cross: 7:00 PM at the Faith Formation Center

Thursday, March 31st—

- Reconciliation Service: 10:30 AM at the Faith Formation Center
- Reconciliation Service: 1:30 PM at Grand
- Reconciliation Service: 6:30 PM at Marshall

Friday, April 1st—

- Stations of the Cross with Benediction: 2:00 PM at Waldo
- Stations of the Cross in Spanish: 7:00 PM at the Faith Formation Center church
- Life in the Spirit Seminar: 6:00 PM through Sunday, April 3rd at 1:00 PM, at the Faith Formation Center

Sunday, April 3rd—

- Sunday Vespers: 4:00 PM at Marshall

Tuesday, April 5th—

- School Stations of the Cross: 2:30 PM at Grand
- Stations of the Cross: 6:30 PM at Grand

Wednesday, April 6th—

- Stations of the Cross: 2:00 PM at Marshall

Thursday, April 7th—

- Retreat for everyone-Deacon Patrick & Carolyn Whitcomb, 6:30 PM Faith Formation Center

The Week Ahead

Sunday, March 27th—

Sunday Supper: 5:00 PM at Wesley United Methodist Church, sponsored by St. John's UCC

"Great Gospel Gathering": 3:00 PM at Roncalli

Monday, March 28th—

Adult Confirmation Preparation: 7:00 PM parish office

Wednesday, March 30th—

Men's AM Bible Study: 5:30 AM parish office

Friday, April 1st—

NOMADs (Nurturing Other Mothers As Disciples): spiritual fellowship group for mothers; childcare provided: 9:00—11:00 AM, LifeTeen House

Saturday, April 2nd—

Interpreted Mass for the Deaf: 4:30 pm at Waldo

Sunday, April 3rd—

Fellowship Social: following morning Masses at the Grand site

Student Art Exhibit Opening Reception & Artist Award Presentation: 1:00 PM at Rahr-West Art Museum

Saint Francis of Assisi School **Invites you to...**
Student Art Exhibit

"A Whole New Artistic Mind"

Opening reception: Sunday, April 3rd,
1:00—3:00 PM

Artist Award Presentation at 1:00 PM

Rahr-West Art Museum
610 N. 8th Street, Manitowoc

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Monday, April 4th—

- Grief Share Drop-In Group: 6:00 PM parish office
- Adult Confirmation Preparation: 7:00 PM parish office
- Daughters of Isabella: 7:00 PM Grand site Letz Ctr

Tuesday, April 5th—

- Prayer Shawl Mtg: 7:00 PM parish office

Wednesday, April 6th—

- Men's AM Bible Study: 5:30 AM parish office

Thursday, April 7th—

- Virtus Training: 6:00 PM Waldo site

Friday, April 8th—

- Serra Club: 12:00 Noon at Holy Family Memorial

Saturday, April 9th—

- Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Convention: St. Bernard's in Green Bay

Sunday, April 10th—

- Rosary Recital: 12:15 PM at Knollwood Memorial Pk
- Baptismal Preparation Class: 6:00 PM parish office

First Saturday Mass

The next first Saturday Mass at Calvary Chapel Mausoleum will be on April 2, at 10:00 AM.

CHOIR SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 3

Grand at 8:30 AM: *Grand Troubadours*

Waldo at 9:30 AM: *St. Francis Men's Choir*

Marshall at 10:00 AM: *Immaculate Conception Singers*

All other Masses will have an organist/song leader.

ONGOING WEEKLY EVENTS

Monday:

EDGE—religious education, grades 6-8:

6:30—8:00 PM, LifeTeen house & Waldo site school hall

Monday-Friday:

Adoration Society—Adoration before the Tabernacle:

8:00 AM—8:00 PM at Holy Family Memorial chapel

Rosary Recital: 6:00 AM at Marshall, 6:45 AM at Waldo

Mondays & Wednesdays:

Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

10:00 AM—10:00 PM, Faith Formation Center side chapel

Religious Education Classes, grades 1-5:

6:15—7:30 PM Faith Formation Center school

Wednesdays:

Holy Hour for Life: 8:00 AM in the Eucharistic Chapel at the Waldo site

Women of Hope Bible Group: 9:30 AM parish office

Thursdays:

Bible Study: 9:00—10:30 AM, parish office

Holy Family Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group:

7:00 PM at the parish office, includes prayer for needs

Sunday:

Childcare Service: during the 9:30 AM Mass at Waldo

Mass Intentions

Saturday March 26th—Vigil, Second Sunday of Lent

- 4:00 PM G †Jeff Bruns
 4:00 PM M †Paul Kohlman
 4:30 PM W †Louis & Florence Marshek & Violet Iraci

Sunday March 27th—Second Sunday of Lent

- 7:30 AM W †Vic Walters;
 †Jacob & Clara Felten and Thomas & Doris Holschbach
 8:00 AM M †Jeanette Ewen
 8:30 AM G †Allen Longmeyer
 9:30 AM W For the Parish
 10:00 AM M †Marilyn Manthey
 10:30 AM G †Ralph Knox
 6:00 PM W †Janet & John Hlinak

Monday March 28th—Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 AM M Liturgy of the Word with Eucharist
 7:15 AM W †Margaret Schmidt

Tuesday March 29th—Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 AM M †Gerald C. Jackowski
 7:15 AM W †Arthur Flanagan
 9:00 AM G †Sigward, Alice & Jerry Rugowski

Wednesday March 30th—Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 AM M †Evelyn Boeldt
 7:15 AM W †Don, Helen & George Radey; †Debra (Strauss) Zima
 8:45 AM M †Margaret Schmidt

Thursday March 31st—Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 AM M †Catherine & John Ludwig
 7:15 AM W L/D Mbrs of the Simono & Schwarzenbart Families
 9:00 AM W †Raymond Smazel

Friday April 1st—Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 AM M †Bob DeRoche
 7:15 AM W †Alvin & Bernice Novak

Saturday April 2nd—Vigil, Fourth Sunday of Lent

- 4:00 PM G †Rosalie Walters; †Richard Bogenschutz
 4:00 PM M †George A. Brandt;
 †Allen Aulik and L/D Mbrs of the Stone & Aulik Families
 4:30 PM W †Fred & Adeline Leick; †Clarence Jerabek & Arnie Wolff

Sunday April 3rd—Fourth Sunday of Lent

- 7:30 AM W †Victor & Agnes Zeman
 8:00 AM M †Viola Hill
 8:30 AM G †Mabel & Leonard Tienor;
 †Salvatore & Virginia Sgarioto
 9:30 AM W †June Fetzer
 10:00 AM M †Ethel M. Walters
 10:30 AM G †Jack A. Mrozinski; †Rita Troska
 6:00 PM W †Milton Perron

Third Sunday Of Lent

Sr. Renee Delvaux



How scandalous, according to Jewish standards, is Jesus' behavior in today's Gospel as He meets the Samaritan woman at the well! He totally disregards the Jewish law. He dares to have a conversation with a woman, a Samaritan, and one married to five men. She is considered an outcast.

What becomes evident is the universality of Jesus' compassion, love and open invitation to all to be part of the Kingdom. He accepts without judgment this woman who is a questionable member (a sinner) of a subordinate group (a woman) of a despised people (a Samaritan). She is the one that Jesus approaches and to whom He reveals Himself as Messiah. Without rebuke He offers the woman "living water," and she who has been thirsting for meaning in her life, accepts the "living water" in gratitude and faith. She then proclaims the good news of Jesus to the townspeople and they go to meet Jesus. What a profound moment – the word of salvation takes root in the hearts of the despised and marginalized.

What message is here for us! It is **that Jesus is always reaching out to us, offering "life—giving water" as He did to the Samaritan woman, even as we are also sinners. He alone can satisfy our thirst.** We are called to recognize grace being offered to us, and then to choose life (grace) over death (selfishness and sin).

A question for us after hearing this Gospel is: **how do we treat those we consider "lowly and despised," the "sinner" in our lives?** Carefully consider Jesus' example, being willing to even stand before criticism for His acceptance of the Samaritan woman. To what lengths will we go in openness and acceptance of others?

Let us pray: **Lord, give us Your "living water" to nourish our thirst for truth and meaning. Fill us with Your love, compassion and acceptance of all.**

"God is Spirit, and those who worship him must worship in Spirit and truth." The woman said to him, "I know that the Messiah is coming, the one called the Christ; when he comes, he will tell us everything." Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one who is speaking with you."

- Jn 4:24-26

Annual Rite of Election celebrated

Bishop welcomes 230 catechumens, candidates

BY SAM LUCERO | THE COMPASS

DE PERE — Call it an open house. For the 230 guests at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, the opportunity to experience a slice of Catholic worship with people from around northeastern Wisconsin provided a sample of what is in store for them.

To top it off, each of them got to meet

and shake hands with the Bishop of Green Bay.

The March 13 service, called the Rite of Election and Call to Continuing Conversion, brought catechumens (those not baptized in any Christian faith) and candidates (those baptized but who have not received other Catholic sacraments), representing 51 parishes, together.....

Soul cleansing during Lent

What addictions do we have?

Fasting, abstinence and prayer. This trio of Lenten practices makes for good soul cleansing, which is something we can all use right about now.

At last Sunday's Rite of Election and Call to Continuing Conversion ceremony in De Pere, Bishop David Ricken spoke about addictions that people might confront during Lent. Addictions, even as tame as too much television and Web surfing, can obstruct the

soul cleansing we seek during Lent, said the bishop. He repeated a familiar mantra several times on Sunday: the need for people on the Lenten journey to "die to the things that are not of Christ."

Fasting and abstaining came to mind after reading a few news reports. One focused on the tax cuts for low-income Americans and the other about millionaires who worry about not having enough income to live comfortably.....

For full story, see the March 18, 2011 edition of The Compass. To subscribe call 920-272-8208



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PARISH SUPPORT

Received Week of 3/20/11

	Total	Per Family
Envelopes	\$ 31,295	\$ 9.87
Loose Offering	\$ 2,630	\$.83
Total	\$ 33,925	\$ 10.70
Support Budgeted/Week:	<u>\$ 45,962</u>	<u>\$ 14.49</u>
Difference this Week:	(\$ 12,037)	(\$ 3.79)

DONATIONS for JAPAN

Catholic Relief Services, the official overseas relief and development agency of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, is accepting donations towards the relief effort in Japan, visit: www.crs.org.

A **collection** will also be taken at all Masses on **Holy Thursday**, April 21st, to benefit the relief efforts for Japan.

– Bishops Appeal 2011 –

Catholic Education gets a boost from the Bishop's Appeal

For thousands of kids, going to religious education at their parish is a chance to develop a deeper relationship with Jesus. These kids are taught by faith-filled educators who have been given quality tools to do the job of teaching our young people. At the center of creating these tools is the diocesan Education Department. If you have not made a gift to the Bishop's Appeal, please prayerfully consider the impact it has on our parishes, Catholic schools and communities and make a gift today.



Assessment:
\$186,900

Current donations:
\$140,857

1,194 families
donating

*Thank you
for making
a gift to the
Bishop's Appeal.*

www.catholicfoundationgb.org

In Memory of...

For the week of March 27th
Sanctuary Lights are in memory of...

**Bertha & Jules Brotski,
Sharon Johnson and Sherry Karnes**
at the Grand site

Eternal Rest to Our Loved Ones

We extend our sympathy to the families & friends of:

Velma Budysz

Emily Drab

June Fetzer

Skyla Hill

Robert Kraemer

May all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Readings for the Week of March 27, 2011

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or
4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14
Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/
Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38



LifeNight for April 3rd: No Place Like Home

How do we uphold the dignity and life of those closest to us? This LifeNight takes an in-depth look at how we live a moral life at home. See you next Sunday!



Angel Mythbusters

Are there angels? Demons? Or is it all just a nice story? Check out EDGE next week as we talk about angels and whether or not these creatures are "myth" or fact.

Next week's LifeNight
is sponsored by:
A Friend of LifeTeen
And is in memory of:
Leatrice Check

SCRIP SCRIP SCRIP

Parish Office Scrip Sale Hours:

Monday: 8:30 AM—4:00 PM

Wednesday: 12:30 PM—4:30 PM

Friday: 8:30 AM—12:00 Noon

Scrip is also sold after all Masses at all sites!

Scrip News: Kwik Trip has raised their profit to 10%! When the inventory of 5% cards has been sold, the 10% will go into effect.

Visit → www.sfamanitowoc.org
For a complete list of all participating businesses!

**Sales for the week ending
March 20th were
\$3,590 and total profit was \$161.**

Thank You for your support of Scrip!

Our SFA Scrip Coordinator is:
Cindi Verch
683-6880 or 684-3718

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Each week we invite you to visit this space as we feature a group in our parish community that exemplifies our stewardship concepts of prayer, service & sharing.



An organized way to serve... in work that works to rebuild!

Rebuilding Together Manitowoc County, Inc.



At a recent St. Francis of Assisi Stewardship Service Team meeting a "Community Service Days" event was discussed. The types of projects centered around tasks that can be done at the homes of people in our community that could not do the tasks on their own.

An organization called "Rebuilding Together Manitowoc County, Inc." is operational in our community and provides assistance to low-income homeowners and non-profit organizations. Their primary purpose is to help homeowners remain in their homes. The organization is comprised entirely of volunteers. The Rebuilding Together board does selection of homes to be rehabilitated based on qualifications, budget constraints, and extent of work needed.

The skills required by these project teams vary from basic clean-up tasks, both in-doors and out, to carpentry, electrician, and plumbing skills. The skills required are matched to the volunteers' skills.

The home improvements of the selected homes are normally accomplished in one day. This requires several teams to be working at several locations simultaneously. This year's event will happen on Saturday, April 30th, 2011. If you are interested in helping for the entire day or a few hours, please contact (by April 12th):

Tom Sitkiewitz tsitkiewitz@comcast.net or 682-8350
OR
the **Parish office** info@sfamanitowoc.org or 684-3718

Let us work, let us serve! Thank you!



FELLOWSHIP SOCIALS

The Fellowship-Hospitality socials are held after the Sunday morning Masses at the following locations:

April 3—Grand site April 10—Marshall site April 17—Waldo site

Join us for juice, donuts, coffee and conversation! All are welcome!

There is no agenda! Just friends and neighbors visiting in a warm and welcoming way!



Saint Francis of Assisi School

**** Save the Date ****

Tuesday, April 5th, 6:30—8:00 PM
Roncalli High School

*The very dynamic Julianne Donlon-Stanz,
Adult Faith Formation/Young Adult Ministry Director
for the Diocese of Green Bay, will share...*

The Spirituality of Self Esteem

Children, especially teen and tweens, are particularly sensitive to criticism and praise, especially when it comes from their parents. Placing self-worth in the context of spirituality, this humorous presentation will give creative strategies to boost the self-esteem of your children.

Free to all parents, guardians and caregivers.
Watch for more information coming soon from your sponsor, Parents In Action!

PIA is a volunteer organization that supports the mission of SFA school by providing quality programs for parents, teachers and students.

FAMILY FUN DAY

Sunday, April 10 ~ 1:00—4:00 PM
Roncalli High School

*FREE admission & snacks
basketball contests & games
children's games & prizes ~ board games
family-friendly movies ~ ping pong
beach volleyball ~ Wii sports ~ bowling*

Enter our drawing to win one of five
\$100 tuition vouchers!
Parents and children of all ages are welcome!

Sponsored by: Manitowoc County Catholic
Education Conference

FISH FRY AND RAFFLE

St. Michael's, Whitelaw

Friday, April 8, 4:00—8:00 PM

Serving perch, shrimp & smelt plates.
Haddock and grilled cheese sandwiches.
Desserts & refreshments also available.

Carry-outs available 732-3473.

MASS PRESIDERS SCHEDULE:

For the month of April

Grand site—Fr. Dick, Waldo site—Fr. Dan

Marshall site—Fr. Viertel

(Changes may occur due to special events.)

Relay for Life—July 29-30, 2011



Join the SFA team! Last year the two SFA teams raised over \$7,000 to help find a cure for cancer. Interested in joining us? There will be an informational meeting on **Wednesday,**

March 30th at 6:00 PM at the parish office. Come hear how you can help make a difference in the lives of those touched by cancer!

Sunday Mass Childcare Service

The 9:30 AM Sunday Mass Childcare Service (formerly Nursery) for children ages one through five years old (and older under special circumstances) is available at the Waldo site. **The Childcare will continue every Sunday through May 22, 2011 except for Easter Sunday.**

The Sunday Mass Childcare is in the mini-gym which is located directly under the altar in the church basement.

There are two options for you to use the Childcare, neither of which requires a regular time commitment, or advance registration:

- Either your children can come and have a wonderful time with us in the Childcare while you are at Mass OR,
- you and your child/children can stop in for a visit if your Childcare-aged child/children are getting restless and want a change during Mass. Additionally, older children can come with their younger brothers and sisters to help them adjust to the Childcare.

If you have questions, please call Jean Willis at 684-7794. If anyone is interested in starting a Sunday Mass Childcare program at either the Marshall or Grand sites, Jean would be happy to help with ideas.





Felician Village Award

Nominations are being accepted for the 5th annual Felician Village Award. The award is given to recognize an individual who has been an advocate for seniors. Nominees must have had a significant impact on seniors in a unique and personal way. **Nomination forms must be received no later than Friday, April 8th** and are available at area locations including the SFA parish office, Felician Village, Manitowoc and Two Rivers Senior Centers. Forms may also be downloaded from the Felician Village website, www.felicianvillage.org. For additional information or to have a form mailed to you, call the Felician Village at 684-7171, ext. 329.

"Where There Is Sharing, Healing Takes Place" Grief Share Drop-In Group

This group is open to any adult grieving the loss of a loved one. The group is non-denominational, providing the opportunity to find support, share memories, feelings and concerns, with others who have also experienced the loss of a loved one.

There is no fee; registration is appreciated but not necessary. Groups meet the first Monday of each month. The next meeting is **April 4th from 6:00—7:30 PM at the SFA parish office, 601 North 8th Street, in the Heritage Room.** Please call Sally at 973-7402 with any questions or concerns.

PASTORAL CONGRESS

April 2, 2011 ~ 8:30 AM—3:30 PM
Notre Dame Academy
610 Maryhill Drive, Green Bay

For pastoral council members and parish staff

Keynote speaker: Dr. Dan Ebener, author of "Servant Leadership Models for your Parish"

For more information contact:
Deb Wegner-Hohensee
at 920-272-8286 or dhohensee@gbdioc.org

St. Vincent de Paul Help Corner

In today's Gospel, Jesus says: "My food is to do the will of the One who sent Me and to finish His work."

The food you donated last week helped to fill the shelves of the pantry, so that we can help the less fortunate of our community. THANK YOU!

Diocesan Appalachian Outreach Program

Service opportunity to Eastern Kentucky for **Adults and Teens.** Adult program is June 11-18. This one week session will involve working on house repairs. Willingness to work is the principal requirement. Youth program is July 9-24. Age focus is 16-19. There will be an orientation retreat May 13-14th at St. Mary School in Clarks Mills for both groups. Youth program includes house repair and a youth outreach school program. If you are interested, contact Fr. Dick Klingeisen by April 1, 2011, at 920-629-9770.

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PRAYER NETWORK

If you wish to request prayers for someone, please contact Alice Haen at 682-9163. Alice is the coordinator of the parish Prayer Network. Only the first names of persons to be prayed for are needed.



March 9 to April 17, 2011

You are invited to take part in the national **40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN** going on now through April 17. Each Saturday from 10:00 AM—Noon, Peaceful Prayer Vigils will be held outside of the Medical Arts Building, 704 S. Webster St., Green Bay, the site of OB-Gyn Associates of Green Bay. April 16 is the designated prayer vigil time for St. Francis of Assisi Parish and other Manitowoc County Christians. You may also join other groups at other times.

For more information or for sharing a ride to Green Bay, please contact:

Maxine at 684-3036 or Rose Marie at 682-4415.



RONCALLI HIGH SCHOOL



Roncalli High School is a Christian learning community educating the whole person in the Catholic tradition emphasizing academic and spiritual growth.



Roncalli High School Presents...

Hello Dolly

Come enjoy wonderful dancing and some of the finest songs ever written for the Broadway stage in one of the greatest musicals of all time.

March 31-April 2 - 7 pm
April 3 - 2 pm

Roncalli's Zimmer Auditorium

*Tickets at the door
or call 686-8151*

Characters

Dolly Levi
Horace Vandergelder
Ermengarde
Ambrose Kemper
Cornelius Hackl
Barnaby Tucker
Irene Molloy
Minnie Fay
Ernestina
Mrs. Rose
Rudolph Reinsweber
The Judge

Thursday, March 31 & Saturday, April 2

Sarah McMahon
Carl Waldhart
Marissa Kohlbeck
Liam Casey
Taylor Pritzl
Tyler Jensen
Aubrey Ley
Brooke Miller
Lauren Haasch
Abby Halla
Tom Mueller
Justin Thimmesch

Friday, April 1 & Sunday, April 3

Sarah Conard
Chris Sowinski
Maren Gainey
Andy Kaesermann
Orion Schemenauer
Neal Riesterer
Emily Casey
Lisa Kroeger
Carrie Bruce
Kari Pritzl
Seth Duprey
Spencer Miller

Singing and Dancing Every Performance

Paige Arneson	Thao King	Lucy Schmitz
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Hannah Dunn	Janella Massey	Kevin Sievert
Kyle Ebelt	Lauren Mihalakakos	Danielle Steltz
Jasmin Elliot	Cassie Perrault	Ben Stelzer
Andrew Geren	Emily Peterson	Abigail Swanson
Emily Goonan	Emily Pierquet	Tomash Taubr
Angela Kahrs	Austin Ruh	Branden Timm
Cung King	Randall Russel	Isaias Valdez

What's happening at... *Saint Francis of Assisi School*

Saint Francis of Assisi School

Spring Fun Fair!

**For Children
Ages 3-5**

Stories, Activities,
Easter Egg Hunt,
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Central Office: 601 North 8th Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin 54220
Office Hours: Mon.—Thurs. 7:30 AM—5:00 PM; Fri. 7:30 AM—Noon
www.sfamanitowoc.com / parish email: info@sfamanitowoc.com

Parish Worship Sites

Grand Ave. & S. 14th St. ~ Marshall St. & S. 21st St. ~ Waldo Blvd. & N. 14th St.

Pastoral Leadership Team

Fr. Dan Felton Fr. Richard Klingeisen
Dcn. Bob Beehner Fr. Daniel Viertel
Sr. Renee Delvaux, OSF

Parish Deacons

Deacon Rich Bahnaman Deacon Bob Beehner
Deacon Alan Boeldt Deacon Mike Dolezal
Deacon Bob Drobka Deacon Paul Kieffer
Deacon Kenn Nelesen

Parish & School Team

Sr. Lynne Jagemann.....Director of Worship
Barbara Kratz.....Director of Faith Formation
Ann Lensmire.....Director of Music
Joel Stepanek.....Director of Youth Ministry
Candice Giesen.....Development
Connie Heinzen.....Development
Patrick Brandel.....Stewardship
Linda Bender—Principal
 St. Francis Xavier (PreK thru 5).....683-6888
 St. Francis de Sales (K thru 5).....683-6892
Jim Clark—Principal
 St. Frances Cabrini (6, 7, 8).....683-6884
John Stelzer—President, Tim Olson—Principal
 Roncalli High School.....682-8801

Faith Formation Center

1001 Marshall St., 683-3897

Want to become a Catholic?

There is a process to connect with the Spirit and the Church. Call the parish office and ask about RCIA. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults).

We Welcome You to St. Francis of Assisi Parish Community!

- Our most important involvement in the parish community is our presence at the Sunday Eucharist—“the source and summit of our life in Christ”.
- Our parish Christian stewardship is based on prayer, service, and sharing. We are called to give back to God as generously as God has given to us.
- If you wish to find out more about our parish community, please contact the parish office, or complete this form and drop it in the collection basket at Mass. You will be contacted by a member of the parish staff.

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____ Phone: _____

Mass Schedule

Saturday: Marshall site: 4:00 PM
Grand site: 4:00 PM
Waldo site: 4:30 PM

Sunday: Waldo site: 7:30 & 9:30 AM
6:00 PM LifeTeen Mass
Marshall site: 8:00 & 10:00 AM
Grand site: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

Weekday: 6:30 AM at Marshall, 7:15 AM at Waldo

Radio Broadcast Mass: Sun. 9:30 AM, WCUB 980AM

Cablecast of Sunday Mass: Tues. & Wed. at 2:00 PM
Comcast Cable Channel 20

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Marshall site: Saturday, 9:30-10:30 AM
Grand site: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 PM
Waldo site: Saturday, 3:00-4:00 PM
Anytime by appointment.

Baptism & Marriage

Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick

A communal celebration is offered three times per year. Individual anointing is available upon request.

Pastoral Care of the Sick/Homebound

Please notify the parish office of family/friends who are homebound, in care facilities, or hospitalized.