

# Sunday, October 15, 2023

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 16, 2023  
8:00am † Jim Zwettler/Neal and Ellen Schoepp  
Tuesday, October 17, 2023  
8:00am † Joseph Coquard  
Wednesday, October 18, 2023  
8:00am † Eleanore Fassbender/Richard Fassbender Family  
Thursday, October 19, 2023  
8:00am † Joan Mack/Ken and Mary Breunig  
Friday, October 20, 2023  
8:00am † Peter and Marcella Ripp  
Saturday, October 21, 2023  
4:00pm † Buster Reible/Bonnie Reible Family  
8:00pm Living and Deceased Members of the St. Norbert Parish  
Sunday, October 22, 2023  
8:00am † DuWayne, Ellen, Jeff and Dean Schmitt

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please join us for Adoration. We have Adoration Thursdays following the 8:00am Mass until Benediction on Fridays at 7:45am. Please contact Julianne Brickl at 608-698-2961 or Mary Markielewski at 608-516-1335 if you would like to become a volunteer or a substitute for Adoration.

## SACRISTANS

Sat. Oct. 14 at 4:00pm - Volunteer Needed  
Sun. Oct. 15 at 8:00am - Martha Weiss  
Sat. Oct. 21 at 4:00pm - Volunteer Needed  
Sat. Oct. 21 at 8:00pm - Cora Brickl  
Sun. Oct. 22 at 8:00am - Reagan Breunig

## MASS SERVERS

Sat. Oct. 14 at 4:00pm - Caleb and Calvin Breunig  
Sat. Oct. 14 at 8:00pm - Noah Endres  
Sun. Oct. 15 at 8:00am - Carl Weiss  
Sat. Oct. 21 at 4:00pm - Noah Endres  
Sat. Oct. 21 at 8:00pm - Calvin Breunig, Jack Brickl  
Sun. Oct. 22 at 8:00am - Eli Breunig

## CONFESSIONS

Mondays - Fridays: Starting a half an hour before each of the daily Masses.

Thursdays: 5:00 - 7:00pm.

Saturdays and Sundays: Starting one hour before each of the Masses.

## CHOIR REHEARSAL

Everyone is invited to join the choir, new members are always welcome. We will have a rehearsals on Mondays 5:45 - 7:00pm until Christmas.

## BANNS OF MATRIMONY

Taylor Maier and Kaitlin Ring

## MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to request a Mass, please place your request in the collection basket, labeled "Mass intentions" with your PRINTED request; phone number, email address or mailing address; and a \$10 stipend payable to St. Norbert. Or you may mail your request to the Parish attention Mass request. Or feel free to contact Juanita via email or by phone.

## CONGRATULATIONS

St. Norbert's Parish Family would like to congratulate Simon and Bailey (Brokmeier) Breunig who were married here on Saturday. May God bless you as you begin your journey together.

## CCW CHRISTMAS WREATH AND ROPING SALE

The CCW is currently selling Christmas wreaths and roping. If you are interested in purchasing anything please contact a group member or Julianne Brickl at 608-643-2034 prior to **October 20**. Group members should have received their packets in the mail, and turn in orders by **October 20**. Online orders can be placed at [www.divinemeracy-parish.org/christmas-store](http://www.divinemeracy-parish.org/christmas-store). Please select St. Norbert's CCW as the organization to benefit from the fundraiser at time of purchase.

## INTERNATIONAL COMBINED COLLECTION

Next weekend, **October 21 – 22, 2023**, the International Combined Collection will be conducted in our parish. This collection is combining the following individual collections: World Mission Support, Catholic Relief Services, Church in Central & Eastern Europe, Church in Latin America, Peter's Pence Pastoral Solidarity for the Church in Africa. Your help in supporting these collections is critical. Please take this week to pray about the support you can provide. A brochure and envelope will be inserted into the bulletin next weekend for your donation. Checks payable to St. Norbert Parish

## LIFESAVERS FOR LIFE

Our Knights of Columbus members will be handing out "Lifesavers for Life" immediately after all the Masses the weekend of **October 21 and 22**. All proceeds will go to local pro life advertising and local pro life causes. Knights of Columbus members will be at the doors of the church, please give what you can (every little bit helps) and please help yourself to some lifesavers for life. The Knights thank you for your support of local pro-life causes.

## FELLOWSHIP

All are invited to join Fr. James and the Parish Council for some Fellowship in the Church Hall on **Sunday, October 22** after the 8:00am Mass.

## ST. ALOYSIUS HOME AND SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS

The St. Aloysius Home and School holiday fundraisers have started! This year we are again offering Poinsettias, and delicious baked goods from The Mixing Bowl Bakery and Sinsinawa Bakery. These items also make great gifts for friends, family, coworkers, and special helpers. Place your orders today either through a St. Al's student or online at <https://www.divinemeracy-parish.org/christmas-store>. Orders can be placed online through **October 21**, but order today!

Fall Harvest Breakfast  
Sunday, November 5, 2023  
8:00AM - 11:00AM

Join us for a hearty **St. Norbert's** breakfast.  
Scrambled Eggs, Breakfast Sausages, Hash Browns, Biscuits & Gravy, Assorted Rolls and more!

Adults: \$10.00

Children (10 and under): \$4.00

**St. Norbert's Catholic Church, Church Hall – Roxbury**



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**The next Religious Education Family Faith Community Night will be Wednesday, October 18 right here at beautiful St. Norbert. The night begins at 6pm with a small gathering and then a nature walk with a campfire and snacks. Please note there will not be a dinner.**

Dear Parishioners,

As you know, our Pastorate, formed by Divine Mercy, St. Norbert, and Holy Cross parishes, is on a journey of becoming one parish as part of the Into the Deep process. This is a great opportunity for us to grow in faith, unity, and mission as a community of disciples.

One of the important steps in this process is to choose a new name for our parish. The name of our parish should reflect our identity, our spirituality, and our mission as followers of Christ. It should also honor the rich heritage of our three parishes and the saints who have inspired us.

In the next months, I will be working with the Transition Team, whose members I will announce soon, to select three candidates for the new name of our parish. These candidates will be submitted to Bishop Hying before February 1, 2024. Bishop Hying will then choose the name of our parish from one of the three candidates.

I invite you to participate in this process by sharing your suggestions for the new name of our parish. You can send them to me or to one of the members of the Transition Team.

Please keep in mind the following limitations:

- No blessed can be used.
  - We can't use one of the existing parish names from the pastorate.
  - If you are proposing a saint combination, the duo should be saints who traditionally are named together (e.g. Saints Peter and Paul, Saints Cosmas and Damian, etc.).
- Additionally, please follow these guidelines for the naming options:
- The name of the Trinity (e.g. Holy Trinity Parish)
  - A name for Christ, invoked in the liturgy, or a mystery of His life (e.g. Sacred Heart Parish, Resurrection Parish)
  - The name of the Holy Spirit (e.g. Holy Spirit Parish)
  - A name for Mary, invoked under a title for her used in the liturgy (e.g. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Immaculate Conception Parish)
  - The name of a holy angel (e.g. St. Michael Parish, St. Gabriel Parish)
  - The name of a canonized saint (e.g. St. Francis Parish, St. Teresa Parish)

Once the Transition Team and I decide on 5 or 6 candidates, I will send a survey to the three parishes to get a feeling which of the candidates is more popular in our three parishes.

I thank you for your collaboration and your prayers in this important matter. May God bless our Pastorate and guide us in choosing a new name that will glorify Him and serve His people.

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
Fr. Miguel

## ST. DYMPHNA MASS

St. Dymphna is a Patron Saint for those who struggle with mental illness. On **Sunday, October 15** at 10:00am the Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities is hosting a Mass at Holy Name Oratory (702 S. High Point Rd), followed by a reception with light refreshments. This Mass and reception are open to all, with a special invitation to those who have been impacted by mental health challenges, whether personally, as caregivers, supporters, or health care workers. To register, please call or email the APD (608) 821-3050 or [apd@madisondiocese.org](mailto:apd@madisondiocese.org). Registration is not required, but much appreciated.

## GO MAKE DISCIPLES TIP OF THE MONTH

Fall is a great time to take a car ride to check out nature's colors. How about taking a car ride on the Sabbath to a local shrine or outdoor Stations of the Cross? Here are a few ideas:

1. Durward's Glen - located in Baraboo. It has a number of creations and statues that can help you spend some time reflecting on your faith.
  2. National Shrine of St. Philomena - located in Briggsville next to St. Mary's Catholic Church. It has a small structure next to the church with beautiful stained glass windows, statues, and candles.
  3. Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe -located in La Crosse. This shrine is well worth the drive as this shrine is located in the hills of La Crosse and offers outdoor exercise on a safe walking trail. The trail will lead you to a beautiful Votive Candle chapel, devotional statues, an amazing church, outdoor Stations of the Cross, and a Rosary walk. This Shrine is a must see.
- Thus, enjoy the wonderful colors of nature that God gives to us by taking a Sunday car ride to one of the many shrines in Wisconsin.

Our Go Make Disciples group are planning some extra times to meet and pray and learn together.

**Sunday, October 15 at 9:30am we invite you to Indian Lake to walk the path to the beautiful chapel. During the hike we will pray the rosary followed by snacks and fellowship in the pavilion campsite.**

## PARISH PRAYER INTENTION BOOK

As part of the Go Make Disciples initiative, members of St. Norbert's parish group have provided a Parish Prayer Intention Book. This book will reside in the back of the church. Please feel welcome to write down your own intentions; as general or detailed as you'd like. Also take a moment to page through the book and pray for other parishioners' intentions, maybe before or after Mass, or during Adoration. We can all benefit from more prayer in our lives and more care for each other. Please reach out to any member of the Go Make Disciples group with questions.

## FALL 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN

Sadly, abortions are once again being performed in Wisconsin, and innocent human lives are being taken. Join this Fall's 40 Days For Life campaign, by signing up for one or more hour-long prayer slots outside the nearby Planned Parenthood abortion facility, Madison from 6:00am to 9:00pm, 7 days a week, **through November 5**. It's a small sacrifice, but it's safe, easy, and fruitful – and no special skills are required! To sign up / more info: go to [vigilforlife.org](http://vigilforlife.org) or contact John Bohn, (608) 836-6323.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Oct. 15 KC Pork Chop Dinner serving 11am - 1pm.**

**Oct. 15 Indian Lake Rosary Walk. Meet at northeast shelter at 10:30 am. For more info, call Dan Pethan at 608-333-9490.**

**Oct. 15 4H Meeting in the Church Hall at 6:00pm.**

**Oct. 15 St. Dymphna Mass at Holy Name Oratory at 10am.**

**Oct. 18 Family based Religious Education Community Night at St. Norbert starting at 6pm.**

**Oct. 18 Grandparents Group will meet in room C of St. Aloysius Church basement from 9:00 - 10:00am. If you would like to order the book Dreams for Your Grandchild contact [grandparentsdivinemercy@gmail.com](mailto:grandparentsdivinemercy@gmail.com).**

**Oct. 20 Friday Fish Fry at St. Peter Parish, Ashton, served buffet style 4:30 - 7:30pm in the school hall. Carry outs available.**

**Oct. 21 Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents at St. Mary Help of Christians, Briggsville from 9:30am - 7:30pm. All are welcome. Donations: \$25/Individual and \$40/Couple. Scholarships are available. Pre-registration is required. For more information contact Nancy Davis at 608-742-6998 ext. 217 or use the registration form on the back register.**

**Oct. 24 Suicide Loss Session at Holy Name Heights, Madison. Optional supper from 5:00 - 6:00pm. Series from 6:00 - 8:00pm. Contact the APD office at [APD@madisondiocese.org](mailto:APD@madisondiocese.org)**