



# MARY MOTHER OF MERCY

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## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life;  
whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live."  
- Jn 11:25

5th Sunday of Lent  
March 22, 2026

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## 2 MARY, MOTHER OF MERCY

Dear Parishioners,

If you look around the church today, you will notice a stark and solemn change. As we celebrate Passion Sunday and enter the final two weeks of our Lenten journey—a period traditionally known as Passiontide—our crucifixes and statues have been covered in purple veils.

This ancient tradition serves as a powerful "fasting of the eyes." Just as we fast from food or certain



comforts during

Lent to focus our hearts, the Church veils her sacred images to heighten our spiritual longing. Stripped of these beautiful visual comforts, our attention is drawn entirely and intensely to the impending Passion and death of Jesus Christ. The veils remind us that His glory was hidden during His suffering, and they build an aching anticipation within us to see the joy of the Resurrection on Easter morning.

For the past month, our Lenten journey has been one of self-reflection, repentance, and spiritual discipline. Now, the tone shifts. The focus moves slightly away from our own personal penances and directly onto Christ's ultimate sacrifice. We are no longer just wandering the desert; we are beginning our ascent to Calvary.

One of the most profound ways we walk this path with Jesus is through the Stations of the Cross. This beautiful devotion has deep historical roots, originating with early Christian pilgrims who traveled to Jerusalem to retrace the actual steps of Jesus along the Via Dolorosa (the Way of Sorrow).

Because traveling to the Holy Land was dangerous and impossible for most, the Franciscans began erecting outdoor shrines and indoor plaques in local parishes during the Middle Ages. This allowed the faithful everywhere to make a spiritual pilgrimage, meditating on Christ's sacrifice without ever leaving their hometown. Today, these fourteen stations remain a vital anchor for our worship, especially during Passiontide.

We saw the enduring power of this tradition come alive in a truly special way this past Wednesday, as we prayed the Stations of the Cross together with our Religious Education families.

There was something incredibly moving about watching our young parishioners moving from station to station. Through the eyes of our children, we were reminded of the simple, profound reality of Christ's love for us. Their reverence and their heartfelt prayers breathed new life into this ancient devotion. It was a beautiful testament to our parish and a

powerful reminder that we do not walk this journey to the cross alone—we walk it together as a parish family, passing our faith from one generation to the next.

As we look at the veiled statues this week, let them be a prompt for prayer. Let us use these final weeks before Palm Sunday and the Sacred Triduum to stay close to Jesus, meditating on His great love for us, so that our hearts may be fully prepared for the joy of Easter.




God bless,  
Fr. Miguel



Join Our **Bible Study** Classes During Lent

**THURSDAYS**  
AFTER 8:15 AM MASS  
ROOM C (BASEMENT OF ST. ALS)

**FAMILY BIBLE STUDY**  
Sundays at 5:00 PM  
Room C (Basement of St. Als)



**MEXICAN FOOD**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 29**  
**ST. ALS GYM**  
10am - 3pm

**FRIED FISH**  
**RICE, SALAD & REFRESHMENT**

**Fish Filets**  
**\$15.00**

**Whole Fish**  
**\$20.00**

**ORDER AT**  
**ELSA: 608-495-9108**  
**LORENA: 608-370-2415**



**ST. ALOYSIUS MASS INTENTIONS**



**Monday, March 23, 2026**

- 7:00 a.m. - Bill & Dina Baute (Matthew Baute)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Sonja Eckstein (Deloris Hicks)

**Tuesday, March 24, 2026**

- 7:00 a.m. - † Delores Pieper (Margaret Watson)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Delwin Breunig (Donna Breunig)

**Wednesday, March 25, 2026**

- 7:00 a.m. - † Richard (Dick) Pape (Patrick and Julia Lamberty)
- 8:15 a.m. - † David Raphael Breunig (Dennis and Jeanne Breunig)

**Thursday, March 26, 2026**

- 7:00 a.m. - Nicole Baute Honoree (Matthew Baute)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Mary Jean Fiegel (Chris Albert)

**Friday, March 27, 2026**

- 7:00 a.m. - † Lucille Spartz (Mike & Janet Wedwick)
- 8:15 a.m. - Delores Hicks (Family)

**Saturday, March 28, 2026**

- 8:00 a.m. - Living and Deceased members of Kirch Family (Jim and Diane Kirch)
- 4:30 p.m. - For the living and deceased members of the Mary, Mother of Mercy Pastorate

**Sunday, March 29, 2026**

- 8:00 a.m. - † Erna McNeely (Scott & Lisa Enerson Family)
- 10:30 a.m. - † Sally Cicero (Family)
- 12:30 p.m. - † Miguel Tecalero Xelhua (Hilaria García)

**Nursing Homes Mass Intentions**

**Friday, March 27, 2026 MW Nursing Home**

- 10:00 a.m. - *No Intention*

**Sanctuary Candle**

FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION  
From Pauline Ballweg



*Divine Mercy Sunday*

**APRIL**

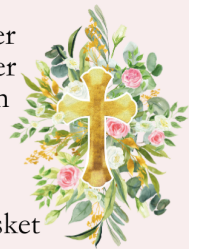
**SUNDAY 12 MASS AT 2 PM**

At St. Aloysius Catholic Church,  
Sauk City, WI



*Easter Memorials*

We are accepting donations for our Easter lilies and sanctuary flowers. You may offer these in memory of a departed soul or in honor of someone special.



Please use an envelope marked "Easter Memorial" and drop it in the collection basket or Parish Office.

We are so grateful for your generosity in beautifying our spiritual home.

**Mobile Meals**



**Coming up the weeks of April 13 & 20**

We are looking for volunteers to help deliver meals on the weeks of April 13 and 20. Please sign up at the side entrance or call the Parish office at 608 643 2449

**DIVINE MERCY PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

**As of March 15, 2026**

Collections.....\$ 6,706.36

Needed for Budget.....\$ 9,615.39

Difference: (**\$ 2,909.03**)

**Year to Date**

Total Collections... \$ 436,946.47

Needed for Budget..\$ 346,154.04

Difference: \$ 90,792.43

If you would like to give electronically please contact Daniela Saldaña at 643-2449 or go to <https://www.divinemercy-parish.org/giving>



**ST. MARY HEALTH OF THE SICK MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, March 21, 2026**  
 • 4:30 p.m. - † Joanne Edmondson (Matthew Baute)

**Sunday, March 22, 2026**  
 • 9:30 a.m. - Kathy Jo Pink (Matthew Baute)

**Saturday, March 28, 2026**  
 • 4:30 p.m. - † Amy Waters (Al and Kris Koberstein)

**Sunday, March 29, 2026**  
 • 9:30 a.m. - † Francisco Rodriguez

**COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S**

**Saturday, March 21**  
 ♦ 3:30-4:15 PM Confessions  
 ♦ 4:30 PM Holy Mass

**Sunday, March 22**  
 ♦ 9:10-9:25 AM Rosary  
 ♦ 9:15-9:30 AM Confessions  
 ♦ 9:30 AM Holy Mass  
 ♦ 10:30 AM Family Faith Formation

**Friday, March 27**  
 ♦ 5:30 PM Confessions  
 ♦ 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

**St. Mary's Prayer Chain (608) 493-2337**

**SIGN UP FOR ADORATION ON HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND:**

It is a beautiful Catholic tradition to spend time with Our Lord in Adoration after the Holy Thursday Mass. Thus, there will be Adoration at St. Mary's after the 7:00 pm Mass on Holy Thursday, April 2nd, until 9:00 p.m. You are invited to sign up on the schedule located on the bulletin board in back of church if you are able to spend 30 minutes to an hour in Adoration of Our Lord.



**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION THIS SUNDAY, MARCH 22:** We hope you will join Father and other parishioners this Sunday after the 9:30 a.m. Mass in St. Mary's Hall for Family Faith Formation. Bring your children and grand-children as well as we will have Br. Francis on DVD for the little ones. Parents and adults can enjoy a cup of coffee and some words of wisdom with Father. All are welcome.

**OLD PALMS DEPOSITORY:** A basket will be available in back of church for the deposit of old palms until Friday, March 27th. Feel free to bring your old palms in preparation to receive new ones the weekend of Palm Sunday.



**EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWER DONATIONS**

Anyone wishing to donate memorial flowers for Easter, may do so by placing your donation in an envelope marked "Easter Memorial Flowers" in the collection basket. Those memorials received by Sunday, March 22nd, will be published in the Easter bulletin. Please include who the memorial is for, who the donor is and a phone number in case there are questions.

**LENTEN SCHEDULE AT ST. MARYS**



**CONFESSIONS**

**Fridays:** 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM  
**Saturdays:** 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM  
**Sundays:** 9:15 AM - 9:30 AM

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Fridays:** 6:00 PM

**COMING UP AT DURWARD'S GLEN MASS INTENTIONS**

**Tuesday, March 24, 2026**

• 8:00 a.m. - † Charity Krejchik (John and Mardell Krejchik)

**Tuesday, March 31, 2026**

• 8:00 a.m. - † Keith Johnson (John and Mardell Krejchik)

**TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2026:**

7:30 AM Rosary and Confessions  
 8:00 AM Holy Mass  
 8:30 AM Faith Discussion with Father  
 9:00 AM Refreshments



**FALLING DEEPLY IN LOVE WITH GOD** **March 27-29**

REGISTER 608-356-8113 theglen150@gmail.com

**April 3, 2026:** The Stations of the Cross will be prayed at the outside Stations, (weather permitting), after St. Mary's Good Friday Service, at about 3:00 P.M. After the Stations, the movie "The Passion of the Christ" will be shown followed by a light supper of vegetarian soup and buns at 6:00 p.m. Free will offering.





## Liturgical SCHEDULE

### SACRISTANS

### MASS SERVERS

<b>Sat. March 21</b>	4:00 pm	Volunteer needed	Calvin Breunig
	8:00 pm	Teresa Weiss	Carl Weiss
<b>Sun. March 22</b>	8:00 am	Volunteer needed	Matthew and Jacob Schoepp
<b>Sat. March 28</b>	4:00 pm	Martha Weiss	Carl Weiss
	8:00 pm	Volunteer needed	Dennis and Devin Ballweg
<b>Sun. March 29</b>	8:00 am	Myah Brickl	Jack Brickl

### St. Norbert Mass Intentions

#### Monday, March 23, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Don Mack  
(Scott, Lisa and Grace Enerson)

#### Tuesday, March 24, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Beverly Frey (Lucy Kippley)

#### Wednesday, March 25, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Bob Kruchten and Clara Ziegler  
(Jacquelin Kruchten)

#### Thursday, March 26, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Dennis Kalscheur (Lucy Kippley)

#### Friday, March 27, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Virginia Check (Claire Statz)

#### Saturday, March 28, 2026

- 4:00 p.m. - † Maryellen Frey (Cory and Sondra Weiss)
- 8:00 p.m. - † Living and Deceased of the Gary and Ruth Ziegler Family (Family)

#### Sunday, March 29, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Roland Mack (Wally and Helen Breunig)

### ADULT LADIES FAITH FORMATION TALK AND CCW MEETING

On Sunday, **April 12** all ladies of the Parish are invited to attend a spiritual uplifting Adult Ladies Faith Formation brief talk led by Fr. James starting at 9:00am. After Fr. James' talk the CCW will have their monthly meeting. Ladies are welcome to leave after the Faith Formation or stay for the meeting.



**2025 TAX STATEMENTS:** If you would like your 2025 contribution statements, please contact Juanita. Statements can be mailed or emailed per your preference.

**OLD PALMS:** A box is available on the register in church for old palms. The box will be removed after April 12.

### EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS DUE NEX SUNDAY:

Anyone interested in donating an Easter flower in memory of or in honor of a loved one is asked to place a \$20 donation in an envelope and put it in the collection with your name, phone number and the person you are requesting the flower for, all clearly printed on it by **Sunday March 29**. Or you may contact Michelle at 608-393-6012 or Ashley at 608-669-8188.



### GOOD FRIDAY BAKE SALE APRIL 3

The St. Norbert CCW members will have a variety of homemade goodies available for sale after the Good Friday services on **April 3** in the church hall. If you are still watching your waistline, they welcome monetary donations to the CCW as well (marked envelope in the offertory baskets, containers at the bake sale or mail to Laura Shadewald- 2009 Cherokee Drive, Prairie du Sac, WI 53578). We look forward to seeing you and help support the St. Norbert CCW!

**FOOD DRIVE:** St. Norbert's Church is sponsoring a Food Drive for the local Food Pantry until **Wednesday, May 13**. Containers



are available by the main entrance of the Church for your non perishable donations. Monetary donations also accepted. Items needed: pasta/rice; macaroni and cheese; tuna; hamburger helper; peanut butter; cereal/oatmeal; canned vegetables and fruits; canned soups; canned meats, pastas, pork & beans, chili, sloppy joes or similar; condiments; ketchup, mustard, salad dressings, BBQ sauce or similar; cake mixes, baby food and formula; diapers especially sizes 4, 5,6) and wipes; baking materials (flour, sugar, brown sugar, etc.); laundry and dish soap; toilet paper and Kleenex

### CONFESSIONS

**Mondays - Fridays:** 7:15 - 7:50am

**Thursdays:** 5:00 - 7:00pm

**Saturdays:** 3:00 - 3:50pm and 7:00 - 7:50pm

**Sundays:** 7:00 - 7:50am





## ST. NORBERT WALKING TOUR & TASTING

Wollersheim Winery & Distillery

APRIL 9 - 5:30 PM

### St Norbert Fundraiser Tour/Tasting \$30/person

St Norbert's CCW is hosting a fundraiser with a custom behind-the-scenes tour with Philippe. You'll be able to see the old winery, fermentation room, wine cellars, still house and taste two wines and a cocktail along the way. There is elevator access for those that prefer to not take stairs. The tour starts in the winery and ends at the distillery. The Dorf Haus is providing some cheese to go with the cocktail. The event is on Thursday, April 9, 2026 from 5:30-7:00 and open to men and women 21 or older. Join us for a special evening to benefit St. Norbert's Church in Roxbury.



### CCW SPRING CLEANING

Spring cleaning for the church and church hall is scheduled for Saturday, April 11th from 9:00 until noon. Members of the cleaning committee include: Maria Carrasco, Diane (Les) Endres, Shelbi Endres, Claire Karls, Maureen Fiene, Marisa Greiber, Brenda Humbracht, Miriam Maiquez Ortiz, Diane Marthaler, Mary Markielsewski, Susan O'Neil, Kimberly Olsen, Maddie Olsen, Yolanda Piedra, Amy Ryan, Daniela Saldana, Mary Sauvey, Maria Sisul, Nancy Sisul, Veronica Sisul, Andrea Urra, Lisa Young, Kim Hakes and Crystal Ellington. Any additional cleaners are welcome to help! Members are asked to bring their own bucket and rags, as well as a vacuum (if easy to transport). Call or text co-chairs Julie Coquard (608-963-1841) or Karen Merline (608-516-8046) with any questions. Thanks in advance for your help!

### BULLETIN INFORMATION OR ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Bulletin announcements or information are due on Mondays by noon to Juanita. Easter Sunday information is due by Monday, March 23.

**MEAL TRAIN:** Please consider helping Ben and Katelyn O'Brien and adjust to life as a family of 7 by providing a meal. Sign up at <https://mealtrain.com/emo201>.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Mondays after the 8:00am Mass  
Fridays at 7:00pm.



Anyone is invited and encouraged to attend Adoration without having an assigned time. Please contact Julianne Brickl 608-698-2961 or Mary Markielewski 608-516-1335 to answer questions or to volunteer.

On Thursday, April 2 we will have a modified Adoration schedule. Adoration will start after the 7:30pm Mass and end at Midnight.

## ST. BARNABAS



### St. Barnabas Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 22, 2026

- 9:00 a.m. - † Maureen K. White (Penny Hiler)

Tuesday, March 24, 2026

- 5:30 p.m. - Nubia Manzanaras (Daniel Tataje)

Thursday, March 26, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Maureen White (Penny Hiler)

Sunday, March 29, 2026

- 9:00 a.m. - † Maureen White (Elizabeth Bellissimo)

A Huge *Thankyou*  
to Our Estate Sale  
Volunteers!

A huge thank you to all the volunteers who helped at the estate sale. Your hard work and dedication made the event a great success. We truly appreciate your time and effort in organizing, assisting customers, and managing the sale. We couldn't have done it without your wonderful support.



## St. Barnabas Cemetery CLEAN UP

Saturday, April 11th

9am - noon.

We are looking for anyone to come and help pick up sticks, rake and remove the Christmas wreaths and flowers.

Bring your rakes, gloves and ready to work. We will have a trailer to dump the branches and garbage into.

If you have any questions please let Karen Lawler know at 608-220-2886.

Rain date will be April 25th.



# Help Us Keep ST. BARNABAS CEMETERY BEAUTIFUL



We need a new lawnmower to keep the cemetery grounds peaceful and well-maintained.

The cemetery is a sacred space for reflection and remembrance, and your contributions will help us purchase a reliable, professional-grade mower to ensure our loved ones' resting places are cared for with dignity.

**How to Give:** Use the envelope at all entrances marked **"Cemetery Mower Fund"** and place it in the collection basket, drop it off at the parish office.

Every bit helps us keep the grass green and the paths clear.

Thank you for your continued stewardship and generosity!



# THANK YOU BISHOP HYING



A Heartfelt Thank You to Bishop Donald Hying

The community of St. Barnabas extends our deepest gratitude to Bishop Donald Hying for visiting our parish this weekend to celebrate Mass.

His visit was a wonderful reminder of our connection to the wider Church, and we are grateful for the time he spent with our community.

It was a joy to share in the Eucharist together, and we thank him for his warmth and pastoral care for our parishioners.

## DURING LENT

## FRIDAYS

Stations of the Cross 5:15 PM

Follow by Soup Supper

**SUNDAY** Bible Study

Right after Sunday Mass  
in the Rectory

## OUR COMMUNITY

03/20/26	\$25 Cash Village Family Dental	Evelyn Cunningham
	\$50 Cash Brickl Farms	Diane Endres
03/21/26	\$25 Cash KofC # 3099	Casey & Amanda
	\$25 Cash Meyer Insurance	Jack Brickl
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Dustin McCubbin

## SCHOLARSHIPS

**MARY, MOTHER OF MERCY PASTORATE**

will offer two scholarships of \$350.00 each. Students of the 2026 high school graduation class, who are confirmed members of our pastorate and have plans to further their education can apply. **Deadline: March 24**

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIPS

The Knights of Columbus have two \$500 scholarships available for any 2026 Graduating Senior. Deadline to apply is March 31, 2026.

**40 DAYS OF WINNING**

# Raffle Winners

Week 2

03/15/26	\$25 Cash KofC # 3099	Mike Danse
	\$25 Gift Certificate Piggly	Kate Rossing
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating &	Molly Taylor
03/16/26	\$100 Cash Seiler Concrete	Angela Beth Ludwig
	\$25 Gift Certificate - C2 Jui-	Justin Fuchs
03/17/26	\$25 Cash KofC# 3099	Stacie Fuchs
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Andrew Fuchs
	\$25 Gift Certificate Piggly	Vincent Meier
03/18/26	\$50 American Express gift card Schwarz Insurance	Breanne Eckstein
	\$25 Cash RHD Plumbing and	Peggy Eckstein
03/19/26	\$25 Cash KofC# 3099	Aaron and Lisa
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Bob Koch



# Holy Week & Easter



	<b>HOLY THURSDAY (APRIL 2)</b>	<b>GOOD FRIDAY (APRIL 3)</b>	<b>HOLY SATURDAY (APRIL 4)</b>	<b>EASTER SUNDAY (APRIL 5)</b>
<b>ST. ALOYSIUS SAUK CITY</b>	<p><b>No</b> 7:00 AM &amp; 8:15 AM Masses.</p> <p><b>6:30 - 7:30 PM:</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>7:30 PM: English</b> Mass of the Lord's Supper</p> <p>Adoration until 10 PM.</p>	<p><b>2:00 PM: English</b> Veneration of the Cross</p> <p>Confessions right after.</p>	<p><b>No</b> 8 AM Mass/ <b>No</b> 4:30 PM Mass</p> <p><b>7:30 to 8:30 PM:</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>8:30 PM: English</b> Easter Vigil Mass</p>	<p><b>8 AM &amp; 10:30 AM:</b> English Masses</p> <p><b>12:30: Spanish</b> Mass</p> <p>With an hour of confessions before each Mass.</p>
<b>ST. NORBERT ROXBURY</b>	<p><b>No</b> 8:00 AM Mass</p> <p><b>7:30 PM: English</b> Mass of the Lord's Supper</p> <p>Confessions following Mass until 10PM</p> <p>Adoration until Midnight</p>	<p><b>1:00 PM: English</b> Ven- eration of the Cross</p> <p>Confessions following the Services until 4:00 PM</p> <p><b>6:00 PM: Spanish</b> Veneración de la Santa Cruz</p>	<p><b>No</b> 4:00 PM Mass</p> <p><b>6:30 to 7:30 PM:</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>8:00 PM: English</b> Easter Vigil Mass</p>	<p><b>7:15 -7:45 AM:</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>8 AM &amp; 9:30 AM:</b> English Masses</p>
<b>ST. MARY HEALTH OF THE SICK MERRIMAC</b>	<p><b>7:00 PM:</b> Mass of the Lord's Supper</p> <p>Adoration 7:30 -9:00 PM</p>	<p><b>1:00 PM:</b> Veneration of the Cross</p> <p><b>3:00 PM:</b> Stations of the Cross at Durwards Glen</p>	<p><b>No Mass at St. Mary's</b></p>	<p><b>9:30 AM:</b> Mass</p>
<b>ST. BARNABAS MAZOMANIE</b>	<p><b>5:30 - 6:30 PM</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>7:00 PM:</b> Mass of the Lord's Supper</p> <p>Adoration until 10 PM.</p>	<p><b>1:45 - 2:45 PM</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>3:00 PM</b> Veneration of the Cross</p>	<p><b>6:30 - 7:30 PM</b> Confessions</p> <p><b>7:30 PM:</b> Easter Vigil Mass</p>	<p><b>9:00 AM:</b> Mass</p>

# ST. ALOYSIUS SCHOOL NEWS

Always and Everywhere Faithful



“Saint Aloysius is a Catholic education community whose ministry provides opportunity for all students to develop their spiritual life and academic potential.”



## GERM UPDATE!



Mrs. Breunig’s 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade class dove deeper into their germ unit this month. No more glitter - this time, they were real-life germ catchers! The students swabbed different surfaces (recess balls, bathroom doors, chromebooks, etc) and left these swabs in an enclosed Petri dish for several weeks. What they grew was incredible. This was definitely a hands-on learning experience and a reminder to always wash your hands!

## Speaking of Germs... Let’s Talk Food Safety!

The 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders started their cooking class, “Flavor Factory,” with a lesson on cross-contamination and food safety. Their teacher, Mrs. Dent, shared why chefs must be mindful of how they store and prepare their food, and how bacteria can spread from item to item. This trimester, they will learn how to prepare a full dinner - appetizers, entrees, and desserts - for their families, Ms. Daniela, and Father Miguel!





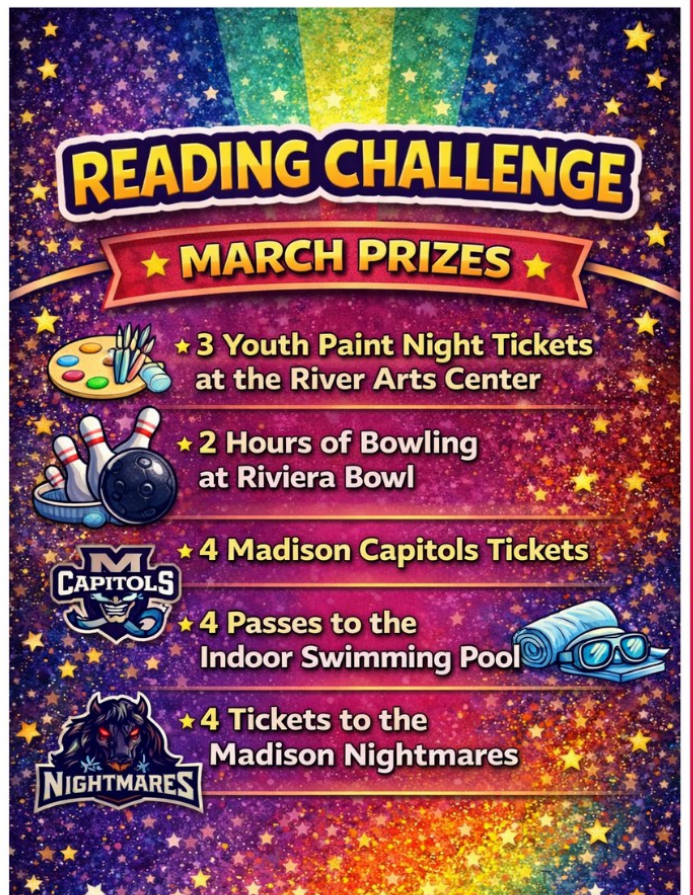
Our students are so excited about this year's reading challenge! They are diving into new books every day—and earning great prizes along the way.



During the months of March and April, students in grades K-8 are tracking their reading each night using reading logs. For every day they meet their reading minute goal, they earn a raffle ticket for a chance to win some amazing monthly prizes.



We would like to extend a big thank you to our generous donors for the March prizes listed here. If you have the opportunity to visit any of these local businesses, please help us show our appreciation for their support!



ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL, SAUK CITY

# WE ARE HIRING.




TEACH WITH PURPOSE. LEAD WITH FAITH.



**St. Aloysius Catholic School** is seeking joyful, faith-filled educators and staff to form our students academically and spiritually. Now hiring:

**5TH GRADE TEACHER | CUSTODIAN | SCHOOL COOK**

 608 Oak Street, Sauk City, WI

 (608) 643-6868

 [daniela.saldana@saintaloyssiusschool.org](mailto:daniela.saldana@saintaloyssiusschool.org)

## 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CEREAL COLLECTION CHALLENGE!

This month we collected cereal boxes for our local Sauk Prairie Food Pantry. This was inspired by Do Good Wisconsin's Annual Domino Cereal Challenge! We gathered a total of 70 boxes. Thank you for everyone who donated. We are truly being Jesus's hands and feet as we complete these Corporal Works of Mercy throughout the year.



*Honoring our Mary,  
Mother of God Chapel  
in Memory of  
Donald & Imelda Lins*

**Dorf Haus**  
Celebrating 60 Years  
Authentic German  
& American Food  
Banquet facility for  
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