



MARY MOTHER OF MERCY

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4TH SUNDAY OF LENT



When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out,
he found him and said, "Do you believe in the
Son of Man?" - Jn 9:35

4th Sunday of Lent
March 15, 2026

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Dear Parishioners,

As we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Lent—Laetare Sunday—our journey of fasting and repentance is brightened by a moment of joyful anticipation. This coming week, on March 19, we celebrate the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. While this day is not a Holy Day of Obligation, it remains one of the most important and cherished solemnities in the Church’s liturgical year, offering us a powerful example to reflect upon.

Cultivating a deep devotion to St. Joseph is a profound spiritual gift for all Catholics, but his life offers a particularly vital blueprint for the men of our parish. In the Gospels, St. Joseph never speaks a single word, yet his actions echo through history. He responded to God’s call with absolute trust, protecting the Holy Family through danger, poverty, and uncertainty.

In today’s world, we are in desperate need of strong husbands and fathers who look to St. Joseph as their primary model. St. Joseph teaches us what true strength looks like: it is not found in dominance, but in the willingness to live out one’s vocation through sacrificial love.

The Call to Servant Leadership Scripture calls husbands to love their wives "just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her" (Ephesians 5:25). This is the very definition of servant leadership, and St. Joseph embodied it perfectly. What does this look like in practice?

Sacrificial Love: A servant leader places the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of his wife and children above his own comforts.

Leading by Example: He is the spiritual anchor of the home, guiding his family not just with rules, but by his own consistent example in prayer, virtue, and hard work.

Protector and Provider: Like Joseph guarding Mary and Jesus, a servant leader creates a sanctuary of love, fidelity, and security in the home, shielding his family from the spiritual dangers of the outside world.

When fathers and husbands embrace this monumental call to servant leadership, they become an earthly reflection of our Heavenly Father's care.

As we continue our Lenten disciplines this week, let us bring our families to St. Joseph. Let us pray especially for the husbands and fathers of our parish, that they may be granted the grace to lead, serve, and love their families with the pure, courageous, and steadfast heart of St. Joseph. St. Joseph, Pillar of Families and Protector of the Holy Church, pray for us!

God bless,
Fr. Miguel

Easter Memorials



We are now 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" for the collection basket or Parish Office.

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

Join Our Bible Study

Classes During Lent





THURSDAYS
AFTER 8:15 AM MASS
ROOM C
(Basement of St. Als)

Immediately following morning Mass, we'll gather to explore the "Conquered by Christ" program, with Fr. Miguel.

FAMILY BIBLE STUDY

Sundays
at 5:00 PM
Room C
(Basement of St. Als)



Bring the whole family and join Fr. Miguel for our brand-new Sunday Family Bible Study!

ST. ALOYSIUS MASS INTENTIONS



Monday, March 16, 2026

- 7:00 a.m. - † Fidalia "Dale" Ann Breunig
(Margaret Watson)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Bud Ederer
(Caroline Ederer)

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

- 7:00 a.m. - Special Intention for Fr. Miguel Gálvez
(Margaret Watson)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Mike and Catherine Weiss
(Family)

Wednesday, March 18, 2026

- 7:00 a.m. - † Roman and Judy Lamberty
(Patrick and Julia Lamberty)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Vilas Richards
(Sally O'mara)

Thursday, March 19, 2026

- 7:00 a.m. - † Delores Pieper
(Margaret Watson)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Mary Jo Pape
(Family)

Friday, March 20, 2026

- 7:00 a.m. - † Alice Stader
(Matthew Baute)
- 8:15 a.m. - † Marvin Frey
(Don Ziegler)

Saturday, March 21, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Don and Jean Daniewicz
(Margaret Watson)
- 4:30 p.m. - † Terry Hartmann
(Mary Jo Peterson)

Sunday, March 22, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - For the living and deceased members of the Mary, Mother of Mercy Pastorate
- 10:30 a.m. - † Clara Goff
(Mike & Janet Wedwick)
- 12:30 p.m. - † Pedro Dominguez
(Familia)

Nursing Homes Mass Intentions

Friday, March 20, 2026 MW Nursing Home

- 10:00 a.m. - † Barbara Bath
(Margaret Watson)



KEEPING OUR GROUNDS PEACEFUL

When visiting St. Aloysius Cemetery, we kindly ask that you keep your speed to a minimum. A slow drive isn't just about safety—it's a way to show respect for the families in reflection and the quiet beauty of our shared space. Thank you for being mindful and helping us keep this a place of comfort for everyone.

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



FRIDAYS FOLLOWING 8:15 AM MASS

DIVINE MERCY PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

As of March 8, 2026

Collections.....\$ 15,955.14
 Needed for Budget.....\$ 9,615.39
 Difference: \$ 6,339.75

Year to Date

Total Collections... \$ 430,240.11
 Needed for Budget..\$ 336,538.65
 Difference: \$ 93,701.46

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



ST. MARY HEALTH OF THE SICK MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 14, 2026

- 4:30 p.m. - † Janette Baute
(Matthew Baute)

Sunday, March 15, 2026

- 9:30 a.m. - Special Intention for Fr. Pedro Escribano
(John and Mardell Krejchik)

Saturday, March 21, 2026

- 4:30 p.m. - † Joanne Edmondson
(Matthew Baute)

Sunday, March 22, 2026

- 9:30 a.m. - Special Intention for Kathy Jo Pink
(Matthew Baute)

COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S

Saturday, March 14

- ◆ 3:30-4:15 PM Confessions
- ◆ 4:30 PM Holy Mass

Sunday, March 15

- ◆ 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 20

- ◆ 5:30 PM Confessions
- ◆ 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

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

SEVEN SUNDAYS IN HONOR OF ST. JOSEPH

This Sunday, March 15th, just before Mass, we will pray the SEVENTH and last of the Seven Sundays Devotion to St. Joseph, celebrating the seven joys and sorrows that St. Joseph, as Head of the Holy Family, shared with the Blessed Mother. On



On this seventh Sunday, we honor St. Joseph's sorrow when, having lost the Child Jesus, he searched for Him with a sorrowful heart for three days; and with overwhelming joy, he found Jesus in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors.

The Seven Sundays Devotion culminates on Sunday March 15th, the Sunday before the feast of St. Joseph. We offer the Seven Sundays Devotion in thanksgiving for the unspeakable Mercy of our Divine Savior and for His faithful guidance over our Parish, our Diocese and our country.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION THIS SUNDAY,

MARCH 15: 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.

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.

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.



MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE MARCH 2026 AND BEYOND

Because of your continued generosity, we have 4 Mass intentions available in March and many in the months beyond. If you have deceased loved ones or a special intention for a living friend or relative, please consider offering a Mass for them. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the most efficacious prayer that we can offer for our living and deceased loved ones since it is the Holy Sacrifice of Jesus on the Cross. To reserve a Mass in March and beyond at St. Mary's or Durward's Glen, please contact Mardell Krejchik, at 608-742-3364 or calcab89@yahoo.com or simply put your request in the collection basket at the next Mass. Please include your telephone number in case there are questions and your email address if you would like a receipt emailed to you. Thank you so much for your continued support by offering Mass intentions. God Bless



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.

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 17, 2026

• 8:00 a.m. - All Guardians of the Glen
 (Durward's Glen Retreat Center)

Tuesday, March 24, 2026

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 2026:

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



CATHOLIC MEN'S RETREAT

- * Renew your identity as a Son of the Heavenly Father
- * Reclaim your masculinity
- * Pursue freedom in Christ
- * Prayer ministry for inner and physical healing
- * Masculine activities like axe throwing
- * Mass, adoration, and confession

When: Friday, April 10, 2026 at 5:30 pm through Sunday April 12, 2026 at 1pm

Where: Durward's Glen

Cost: \$250 (covers 2 nights of lodging and all meals); \$150 (commuter rate)

Register: Scan QR code or go to holyfamilyhealing.org

**For more information,
 contact Randy Verges
 at 608-332-4363**



**FALLING DEEPLY
 IN LOVE WITH GOD**

March 27-29

The Flame of Love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (which is Jesus himself) is not just another devotion. It is a movement spreading around the world quickly since it provides a way to counter Satan's attack against the family. The movement began with messages to a humble widow and mother of six in Hungary in the early 1960's. These messages from Jesus and Mary (in Elizabeth Kindelmann's diary) address our profound need for the Eucharist and Our Blessed Mother; the suffering and sacrificial life to which we're called; the blinding of Satan; and the greatest outpouring of grace since the Word was made flesh.

REGISTER

608-356-8113

theglen150@gmail.com

**DURWARD'S
 GLEN**

Welcomes faith-filled retreats, family gatherings, business conferences, priestly retreats, and even wedding receptions.



We are here to serve our community and the Catholic faith community. To reserve an event at Durward's Glen, email theglen150@gmail.com or call (608) 356-8113.

Visit our Website, durwardsglen.org, for all the latest details and upcoming retreats and events.



Liturgical SCHEDULE

		SACRISTANS	MASS SERVERS
Sat. March 14	4:00 pm	Reagan Breunig	Eli Breunig
	8:00 pm	Volunteer needed	Caleb Breunig
Sun. March 15	8:00 am	Volunteer needed	Landon Ambrose
Sat. March 21	4:00 pm	Reagan Breunig	Calvin Breunig
	8:00 pm	Teresa Weiss	Carl Weiss
Sun. March 22	8:00 am	Volunteer needed	Matthew and Jacob Schoepp

St. Norbert Mass Intentions

Monday, March 16, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Bob Statz
(Claire Statz and Family)

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Melvin Nolden
(Monte and Roxi Maier)

Wednesday, March 18, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Maryellen Frey
(Cory and Sondra Weiss)

Thursday, March 19, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Raymond and Joan Sauvey
(Mary Sauvey)

Friday, March 20, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - Living and Deceased of the Elmer and Sally Henn Family (Dave and Janice Henn)

Saturday, March 21, 2026

- 4:00 p.m. - Living and Deceased of the Marvin and Theresa Ziegler Family (Family)
- 8:00 p.m. - † Melvin Nolden
(Ron and Juanita Wipperfurth)

Sunday, March 22, 2026

- 8:00 a.m. - † Vern Maier
(Ted and Rebecca Maier Frey)

MASS INTENTIONS

We have no weekend Masses available in 2026. We are currently have a Mass a few Masses available in December 2026. We are also scheduling Mass in January - February, 2027 and tentative dates after March 8 for 2027. 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 \$20 stipend payable to St. Norbert. You may also mail your request to the Parish attention Mass request. Or feel free to contact Juanita via email or by phone.



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!

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS



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.

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.

BULLETIN INFORMATION OR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletin announcements or information are due on Mondays by noon to Juanita. There are earlier deadlines for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday bulletin information. Palm Sunday information is due to Juanita by Friday, March 20 and the Easter Sunday information is due by Monday, March 23.

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.

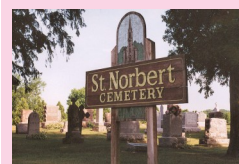


OLD PALMS: A box is available on the register in church for old palms. The box will be removed after April 12.

MEAL TRAIN

 Ben and Katelyn O'Brien just welcomed their fifth little blessing, Patrick Jonathan, into the world. Please consider helping them adjust to life as a family of 7 by providing a meal. Sign up at <https://mealtrain.com/emo201>. Or please consider purchasing his book, *The Proving Ground: A Catholic on Ladder 17* from Ignatius Press at https://ignatius.com/the-proving-grounds-pgp/?searchid=4207615&search_query=Ben+O%27Br. Congratulations to Ben and Katelyn and a warm St. Norbert's welcome to Patrick.

EUCHRE/CARDS: All are invited to come and play cards in the St. Norbert Church Hall on Wednesdays at 1:00pm.



Cemetery information
**Angie Schaaf 608-393-8987 or
Preston Breunig 608-438-2763**

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.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS



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

ADORATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

St. Norbert currently has perpetual Adoration starting after the 8:00am Mass on Thursdays until the 8:00am daily Mass on Fridays. This has been a long-standing tradition, and we are thankful for the many volunteers who make this a reality. Adoration allows you to worship and pray in the presence of Jesus Christ through the Blessed Sacrament. Are you interested but not sure you can commit to every week? No problem, form a team of friends and family, and then rotate coverage. We have a couple of those today, and they work great, including our Go Make Disciples group. 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.



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



2025 TAX STATEMENTS

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



St. Barnabas Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 15, 2026

• 9:00 a.m. - † Connie and Pat Lucey
(Randy Lucey)

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

• 5:30 p.m. - † Maureen White
(Mark and Paula Fischer)

Thursday, March 19, 2026

• 8:00 a.m. - † Special Intention

Sunday, March 22, 2026

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

ESTATE SALE

Thursday, March 19

8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Friday, March 20

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday, March 21

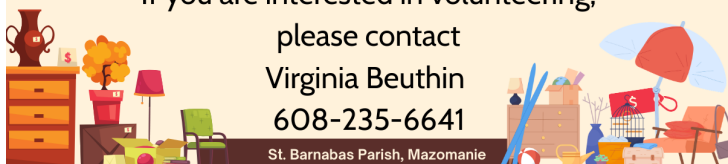
8:00 am - 12:00 pm

This annual event is our parish's largest fundraiser and an important way to support our ministries and mission.

If you are interested in volunteering,
please contact

Virginia Beuthin
608-235-6641

St. Barnabas Parish, Mazomanie



FOR BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES, AND RCIA

Fr. Cristian Valenzuela 608-795-4321

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS

Mary Gust 608-795-2555

CEMETERY

Karen Lawler 608 795 2748

DONATION FOR ESTATE SALE

Meghan Kuefler (608) 616-2876

PARISH FAMILY AND COMMUNITY MINISTRY COORDINATOR

Meghan Kuefler (608) 616-2876
meghan.kuefler@divinemeracy-parish.org



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A Special Celebration



Holy Mass with BISHOP DONALD HYING

MARCH

SUNDAY

22

AT 9:00 AM

We are pleased to welcome Bishop Hying, who will be celebrating the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Barnabas. Following Mass, please join us for Fellowship Sunday, a time to gather, connect, and enjoy one another's company as a parish community.

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!





Night of Knights Holy Hour A Blessed Evening

Last Friday night, 50 men gathered for our Night of Knights Holy Hour to adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and reflect on a powerful meditation offered by Fr. Miguel. It was an inspiring evening of prayer, brotherhood, and renewal. A special thank you to the Mazomanie Knights of Columbus Council 7811 for their help in organizing this meaningful event. The night concluded with fellowship and dinner, giving the men an opportunity to connect and grow in fraternity.



DURING LENT

FRIDAYS

Stations of the Cross 5:15 PM

Follow by Soup Supper

SUNDAY

Bible Study
Right after Sunday Mass
in the Rectory

Community Evening

AT ST. BARNABAS

**TUESDAY, MARCH 17TH
5:00 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.**

Join Tuesday evening for a time of fellowship, prayer, and family fun. Families are encouraged to bring a potluck meal to share in the Parish Hall while enjoying community time together.



St. Barnabas Cemetery CLEAN UP

Saturday, April 11th

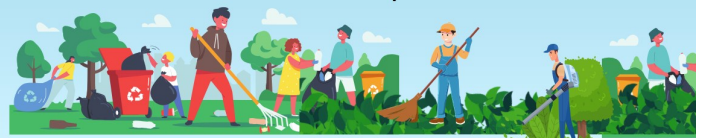
9am - noon.

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.



SACRED HEART HOLY HOUR

**St. Barnabas Church
Tuesday, March 17th
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

The Knights of Columbus Council 7811 invite all parishioners to a Sacred Heart Holy Hour on Tuesday, March 17, featuring the Sacred Heart Pilgrim Icon.



This beautiful icon is one of more than 300 traveling icons journeying across the world, each bearing the blessing of Pope Francis, as part of the Knights of Columbus Pilgrim Icon Program.

The Holy Hour will include Eucharistic Adoration and prayers devoted to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



SYMBOLON

THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED

Hello Parishioners,

Some time ago I mentioned at Mass that we would soon be beginning a new OCIA program. Because of some planning and scheduling matters, the start of the program has taken a little longer than expected. Thank you for your patience as we worked through those details. Are you, or someone you know, interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith?

Each year our parish accompanies men and women who are discerning entry into the Catholic Church through the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA). Through prayer, instruction, and the support of the parish community, participants are prepared to receive the sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation.

Beginning this year, our OCIA will follow a full-year journey of formation, allowing more time for reflection, prayer, and a deeper understanding of the faith. We will normally meet on the second and fourth Saturday evenings of each month.

The program is open to:

- Unbaptized individuals
- Those baptized in a non-Trinitarian formula
- Individuals baptized Catholic who have not received First Holy Communion and Confirmation
- Baptized Catholics who have not yet received First Holy Communion
- Baptized Christians from other Trinitarian denominations

Entering the Church is never something rushed or pressured. It is a process of discernment, where each person is free to listen to the Lord and discover whether He is calling them to full communion with the Catholic Church.

Our first gathering will be this Saturday, March 14, 2026, at 6:00 PM in Room C of the St. Aloysius Church basement. Anyone interested is welcome to come. If you would like more information beforehand, you are also very welcome to contact me.

Please note that OCIA is intended for those discerning entry into the Church or completion of their initiation, rather than as a refresher course for practicing Catholics. Those wishing to grow in their understanding of the faith are encouraged to participate in our Adult Education opportunities.

If you or someone you know may be interested, please feel free to come this Saturday. You will be most welcome.

Blessings,

Fr. Miguel



40 DAYS OF WINNING

Raffle Winners

Week 4

03/08/26	\$100 Cash Seiler Concrete	Brittany
	\$25 Cash Village Family	Heidi Hicks
	\$25 Cash RDH Plumbing	Mitch Dohm
03/09/26	\$25 Cash Knights of	Jenny Bellinder
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating	Brian Dischler
03/10/26	\$25 Cash Hasheider	Ana Sisul
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating	Lucy Clemens
	\$25 Cash Village Family	Heidi Hicks
03/11/26	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	Rochelle Harris
	\$100 Cash Seiler Concrete	Luka Sisul
03/12/26	\$100 Cash Meise	Gabriela Galvan
	\$25 Cash Village Family	Alisha & Hunter
	\$30 Gift Certificate - Fish	Mary Dischler
03/13/26	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	Matthew Baute
	\$25 Gift Certificate Piggly	Darlene Holl
03/14/26	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Jodi Nelson
	\$25 Cash Hasheider Roofing and Siding	Molly Taylor
	\$25 Cash Village Family	Suzanne Sheridan



Diocese of Madison's annual

CHRISM MASS

Thursday, April 2, 2026
(Holy Thursday)
10:00 am

St. Maria Goretti Church
5313 Flad Ave., Madison


"I have found David, my servant;
with my holy oil I have anointed him,
That my hand may be always with him;
and that my arm may make him strong."
Psalm 89

DIOCESE of MADISON

TV MASS TIME CHANGE NOTIFICATION


The former 7am airing of the Mass on Tvw channel 3.2 is now at **8am**

The 6am airing on Wisc Channel 3.1 will continue as scheduled.




The Apostolate has been able to provide the TV Mass on WISC-TV Channel 3 for over 50 years. We invite all those in their homes or health care facilities who are unable to attend Mass in person to join us in prayer. All current and previous TV Mass recordings can be found at <https://www.channel3000.com/station/apostolate-for-persons-with-disabilities/>

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. Pick up the scholarship application in the side lobby of the Church Office, High School Office, or online: pastorate8.org

Deadline: March 24

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APRIL 7-14, 2026

OPENING MASS
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April 7 at 7PM

St. Joseph Catholic Church
1905 W. Beltline Highway, Madison
Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish



FOR MORE INFORMATION:
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HELPING CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND

In this season of almsgiving, why not consider helping the Christians in the Holy Land by donating to the Good Friday Collection? Through our generosity last year, Catholics across our country helped make an incredible difference in many lives by helping to create more than 1,500 jobs and rehabilitate over 100 homes for Christian families in the Holy Land. This year, as war continues in the many countries that make up the Holy Land, your help is needed more than ever! Will you help make a difference again this year with your donation to the Good Friday Collection?

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIPS

The Knights of Columbus have two \$500 scholarships available for any 2026 Graduating Senior. Students can pick up an application form in the Sauk Prairie High School Guidance Office or you can contact Chad Brickl at 608-393-3335 or by email at chad.brickl5@gmail.com. Deadline to apply is March 31, 2026.

