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PASTORATE 8



Divine Mercy + St. Norbert + Holy Cross

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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.
- Mk 9:7-8

2nd Sunday of Lent
February 25, 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we enter the season of Lent, we are called to repentance and conversion of heart. One of the most powerful ways to experience God's mercy and forgiveness is through the sacrament of Confession, also known as Reconciliation or Penance.

Confession is not only a means of obtaining pardon for our sins, but also a source of grace and strength to overcome them. It helps us to grow in holiness and intimacy with God, who loves us unconditionally and desires our salvation.

The Church encourages us to receive this sacrament regularly, especially during Lent, as a preparation for Easter. To help you make a good confession, here are some tips:

- Examine your conscience before going to confession. You can use the Ten Commandments, the Beatitudes, or other guides to help you identify your sins and faults.
- Be sincere and honest with yourself and with God. Do not hide or justify your sins, but admit them humbly and contritely.
- Confess your sins to the priest, who represents Christ and the Church. Tell him the kind and number of your sins, and any circumstances that may affect their gravity.
- Listen to the priest's advice and counsel. He will give you a penance to perform, which may be a prayer, an act of charity, or a sacrifice.
- Express your sorrow for your sins and your resolution to avoid them in the future. You can use an act of contrition or your own words.
- Receive absolution from the priest, who will say the words of forgiveness in the name of God and the Church.
- Thank God for his mercy and grace. Do your penance as soon as possible, and try to amend your life with the help of his grace.

To facilitate your access to this sacrament, we have updated our schedule of confessions on our pastorate website. You can also find resources online to help you prepare for confession.

We are happy to announce that Fr. Faustino is back

from his annual retreat, and that we will be able to hear confessions at all the weekend Masses at St. Aloysius. On Wednesday of Holy Week, we will have a special Penance Service from 4:30 PM to 7:30 PM at St. Aloysius Church. Four priests will be hearing confessions, and we will also have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the church.

We invite you to take advantage of this opportunity to receive God's mercy and healing. Let us approach the throne of grace with confidence and joy, knowing that God is always ready to forgive us and welcome us back to his love.

May God bless you and your families during this Lenten season.

Fr. Miguel



Mass Intentions

WE ARE NOW SCHEDULING MASSES FOR THE YEAR 2024 AND 2025.

Please contact the Parish Office at 608 643 2449

You may also order online at

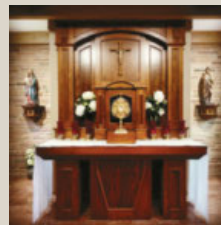
<https://pastorate8.org/mass-intentions>

"One merits more by devoutly assisting at a Holy Mass than by distributing all of his goods to the poor and traveling all over the world on pilgrimage."

-St. Bernard



ADORATION CHAPEL SCHEDULE



TUESDAYS

4:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS

Midnight to 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAYS

from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm.

If you would like to become an adorer or substitute, please contact **Laura Breunig**

laura.k.breunig@gmail.com or 608.963.2720



St. Aloysius Mass Intentions

Monday, February 26

- ◆ 7:00 AM † Marty Breunig (Family)
- ◆ 8:15 AM † Karen Breunig (Leon Breunig)

Tuesday, February 27

- ◆ 7:00 AM Special Intention for Matthew Schnur
- ◆ 8:15 AM Special Intention for Matthew Schnur

Wednesday, February 28

- ◆ 7:00 AM Special Intention for Matthew Schnur
- ◆ 8:15 AM † LaVerne Eckstein (Family)

Thursday, February 29

- ◆ 7:00 AM † Mary Walsh (Family)
- ◆ 8:15 AM † Mildred Noltner (Family)

Friday, March 1

- ◆ 7:00 AM Special Intention for Matthew Schnur
- ◆ 8:15 AM † Ruth Trausch (Sondra Gorius)

Saturday, March 2

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Bill Cotter (Carol Purcell)
- ◆ 4:30 PM † Sylvester & Dorothy Breunig (Family)

Sunday, March 3

- ◆ 8:00 AM Knights of Columbus Blue Mass (Knights of Columbus)
- ◆ 10:30 AM Special Intention for Fr. Miguel Galvez, on his Priestly Anniversary (Nick & Kay Ringelstetter)
- ◆ 12:30 (Español) Miembros vivos y difuntos de la Parroquia

Nursing Homes Mass Intentions

Friday, March 1 Maplewood Nursing Home

- ◆ 10:00 AM Special Intention for Fr. Miguel and the Society of Jesus Christ the Priest in Pastorate (Sue & Mark Barry)

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!
TOTUS TUUS**

IS COMING TO
DIVINE MERCY PARISH
JULY 14TH - 19TH. GRADES 1-12.



This year we will be hosting the Totus Tuus Team.

We are looking for two host families for the team members. If interested please contact

sharon.schoepp@divinemeracy-parish.org

SANCTUARY CANDLE

**Special Intention
(From The Fuchs Family)**



**DIVINE MERCY PARISH
WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

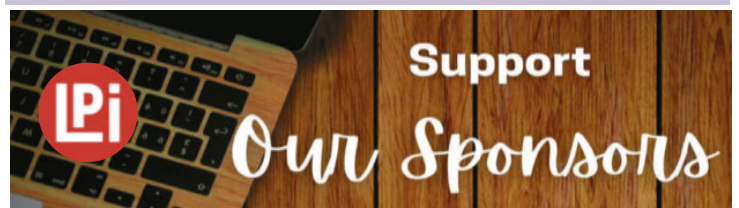
As of February 18, 2024
Collections.....\$ 10,829.87
Needed for Budget.....\$ 9,326.92
Difference: \$ 1,502.95

Year to Date

Total Collections... \$ 349,651.45
Needed for Budget..\$ 317,115.28

Difference: \$ 32,536.17

If you would like to give electronically please contact Margaret at 643-2449 or go to divinemeracyparish.org/giving





SEVEN SUNDAYS IN HONOR OF ST. JOSEPH: This Sunday, February 25th, just before Mass, we will be praying the FOURTH of the Seven Sundays Devotion to St. Joseph. The Seven Sundays Devotion celebrates the seven joys and sorrows that St. Joseph shared, as Head of the Holy Family, with the Blessed Mother

With the fourth Sunday, we honor St. Joseph's sorrow when he heard the prophecy of Simeon regarding the sufferings of Jesus and Mary, and the blessed joy he felt for the resultant salvation and glorious resurrection of countless souls. The Seven Sundays Devotion culminates on Sunday March 17th, the Sunday before the feast of St. Joseph. This year we offer the Seven Sundays Devotion for the preservation of the reign of God's Truth in our families, our Church, our country and our world and an increase of love and devotion in our hearts, for God in the Blessed Sacrament.

COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS AFTER MASS THIS SUNDAY: You are invited to join Fr. Pedro and fellow parishioners for coffee and doughnuts as well as friendly conversation, after Mass this Sunday, February 25th, in St. Mary Hall. All are welcome and we hope you can make it!

WINTER WEATHER MASS CANCELLATIONS: It is time to consider the possibility of Mass cancellations due to foul weather. If Mass will be cancelled, we will contact those of you who have internet access via email and ask that you pass the information on to your neighbors and those parishioners that may not have internet. If your internet address has changed or if we do not have your email address, please place it in the collection basket and label it "Mass cancellation email address". If you do not have internet and would like to be called when Mass is cancelled, please call Mardell Krejchik at 608-742-3364 to be placed on a calling list. Also, please be aware of our senior members and offer to help them enter the church safely whenever the opportunity arises. May God bless you all as we care for and assist one another.

Because of your generosity, we have 2 Masses available at Durward's Glen in June and many Masses at St. Mary's and the Glen in the months beyond. If you have deceased loved ones or a special intention 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 April 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.

COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S

Saturday, February 24

3:30-4:15 PM Confessions
4:30 P.M Mass

Sunday, February 25

9:10-9:25 AM Rosary
9:15-9:30 AM Confessions
9:30 AM Mass

Friday, March 1

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

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

COMING UP AT DURWARD'S GLEN



TUESDAY, February 27

7:35 AM - Rosary
8:00 AM - Mass
8:30 AM - Faith Discussion
9:00 AM - Refreshments

MASS THIS WEEK AT DURWARD'S GLEN. The February 27th Mass is being as a special intention for Wayne Johnson by John and Mardell Krejchik.

MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE JUNE 2024 AND BEYOND

ST. MARY HEALTH OF THE SICK MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 2

◆ 4:30 PM † Charlie Fuchs (Jeanne Fuchs)

Sunday, March 3

◆ 9:30 AM † Marty Richardson
(Dennis and Jeanne Breunig)

Tuesday, March 5 Durward's Glen

8:00 AM Special intention for Wayne Johnson
(John and Mardell Krejchik)

Thursday, March 7

◆ 4:30 PM Special Intention for Cera Krejchik
(John and Mardell Krejchik)

Saturday, February 24

◆ 4:30 PM † Bernard Breunig
(Dennis and Jeanne Breunig)



Sunday, February 25

◆ 9:30 AM † Charlie Fuchs (Jeanne Fuchs)

Tuesday, February 27 Durward's Glen

8:00 AM Special intention for Wayne Johnson
(John and Mardell Krejchik)



Liturgical SCHEDULE

		SACRISTANS	MASS SERVERS
Sat. Feb. 24	4:00pm	Volunteer needed	Caleb Breunig
	8:00pm	Reagan Breunig	Eli Breunig
Sun. Feb. 25	8:00am	Clara Weiss	Carl Weiss, Matthew Schoepp
Sat. March 2	4:00pm	Volunteer needed	Noah Endres
	8:00pm	Volunteer needed	Calvin Breunig
Sun. March 3	8:00am	Volunteer needed	Logan Schoepp

St. Norbert Mass Intentions

Monday February 26

- ◆ 8:00 AM Special intention for Jon Schnur (Elisa Schnur)

Tuesday February 27

- ◆ 8:00 AM Special intention for Marie Cecelia (Paul and Mary Westerman)

Wednesday February 28

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Fr. Roger Nilles (SNP)

Thursday February 29

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Fr. Alfonso Galvez (SNP)

Friday March 1

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Annella Gilles (Del and Judy Endres)

Saturday March 2

- ◆ 4:00 PM † Buster Reible (Bonnie Reible Family)

8:00 PM Living and Deceased of the St. Norbert Parish Family

Sunday March 3

- ◆ 8:00 AM Living and Deceased of the Joe and Betty Schurman Family (Roxi Maier)



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Mondays after the 8:00am Mass

Fridays at 7:00pm

SERVER PRACTICE

Fr. James invites all the servers and any young men interested in becoming a server in the Pastorate to a Server Meeting/Practice on Sunday, February 25. The meeting will start at 6:00pm, in the St. Norbert Church Hall and end at 7:00pm; dinner will be provided. See you there!



FELLOWSHIP

All are invited to join Fr. James and the St. Norbert Parish Council for some Fellowship in the Church Hall on Sunday, February 25 after the 8:00am Mass.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE MEETING

The St. Norbert Cemetery Committee will meet on Thursday, March 7 at 7:00pm in the Church Hall.

EASTER FLOWERS

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 24. Or you may contact Michelle at 608-393-6012 or Ashley at 608-669-8188.



AVAILABLE TO A GOOD HOME

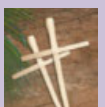
We have copies of The Apostolates Family Catechism volumes 1 and 2 available on the back register. Volume 1 contains questions 1 - 189 and Volume 2 contains questions 190 - 304. We also have some available for use during Adoration. We also have some Outline of the Catholic Faith books available on the back register. Please feel free to take Volume 1, Volume 2, and/or Outline of the Catholic Faith home today.

BULLETIN INFORMATION OR ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Bulletin information or information is due at 5:00pm on Mondays to Juanita.

OLD PALMS

A box is available on the register in church for old palms.



GO MAKE DISCIPLES TIP OF THE MONTH

Lent is a 40 day season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. We especially focus on examining our hearts, confessing our sins, and reflecting in the significance of Christ's death. Here are some ideas for prayer, fasting and almsgiving:



Prayer

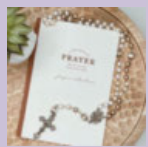
- *pray a decade of the Rosary
- *pray an Our Father for our priest
- *read and reflect on a Bible story

Fasting

- *fast from a meal or snacking
- *fast from complaining
- *do things the first time you are asked

Almsgiving

- * choose an item of clothing or a toy to donate
- * do an extra chore
- * send a card to someone



PARISH PRAYER INTENTION BOOK

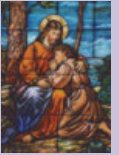
This book will reside in the back of the church. Please feel welcome to write down your own intentions; as general or detailed as you'd like. Also take a moment to page through the book and pray for other parishioners' intentions, maybe before or after Mass, or during Adoration. We can all benefit from 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.

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.



CONTACT US

- ◆ **Fr. James 608-644-6134:** Baptism, Hospitalizations and/or Shut Ins, Marriage Preparation, Parish Membership, Go Make Disciples
- ◆ **Marvin Breunig 608-643-6045:** Cemetery
- ◆ **Juanita Wipperfurth 608-643-8108:** Church Hall Rental, Mass Intentions, Parish Membership
- ◆ **Brad Walsh 608-212-2323:** Parish Council President
- ◆ **Ed Breunig 608-434-2996:** Finance Council President
- ◆ **Heidi Breunig 608-644-8484:** CCW President

EUCHARISTIC 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.

ST. BARNABAS

St. Barnabas

Mass Intentions

Sunday February 18

- ◆ 9:00 AM † Donald Altmann (Janette Altmann)

Sunday February 25

- ◆ 9:00 AM † Donald Altmann (Janette Altmann)



Lenten Soup Suppers

Our first Friday with Soup and Stations was very successful, Father Osvaldo gave a presentation on Time.

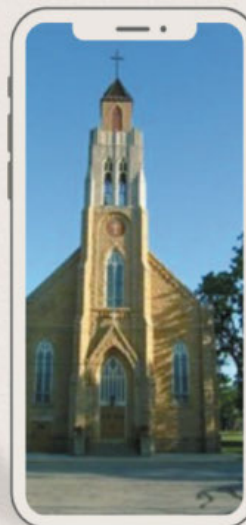
We will continue to have Stations of the Cross with soup afterwards on

FRIDAYS AT 5:00 P.M. DURING LENT.

Everyone is welcome.

DIRECTORY

Contact Us



PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS

Mary Gust 608-795-2555

CEMETERY

Steve Hutson 608-767-2533

DONATION FOR ESTATE SALE

Office 608-795-4321

(Please leave a message)

FOR BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES, AND RCIA

Fr. Osvaldo Briones 608-795-4321

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Maria Paz Carrasco

secretary@divinemersey-parish.org

Without grace there is no hope, but with it there is no shortage.

St. Barnabas



Date	Prize	Winner
02/18	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Emma Hull
	\$30 Gift Certificate - Fish Tales	Scott & Lisa Enerson
	\$25 Cash / \$25 gift card Every Ready Electric	Kelly Kendall
02/19	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	JoAnn Bindl
	\$25 Gift Certificate Piggly Wiggly	Julie Wuerger
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Kelly Kendall
02/20	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Jill Kruchten
	\$50 American Express gift card Schwarz Insurance	David Hruby
02/21	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	Kathie Pettis
	\$50 Cash Brickl Farms	Jean Harrison
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Mary Jo Kratz
02/22	\$50 Cash Brickl Farms	Sandy Fuchs
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Nicole Ederer
	\$25 Cash Meyer Insurance	Jen Drabsch
02/23	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	Jesi Betley
	\$25 Cash Prairie Plumbing and Heating	Laurie Van Parys
	\$25 Cash Hasheider Roofing and Siding	Garrett Ziehlsdorf
02/24	\$25 Cash Village Family Dental	Julie Wuerger
	\$25 Cash Dischler Heating & Cooling	Jeanna Raschein
	\$25 Cash Knights of Columbus # 3099	Abby Breunig



On March 3rd, Fr. Miguel will be celebrating his Priestly Anniversary!!

Let us thank him for everything he does for our Parish and for each one of us.

You can send cards, best wishes, gift cards, etc., etc., etc., to show him how much you appreciate him at:

Fr. Miguel Gálvez
115 Madison St.
Sauk City, WI 53583

SCHOLARSHIPS

DIVINE MERCY PARISH

Divine Mercy Parish will offer **two scholarship of \$350.00 each**. Students of the **2024 high school** graduation class, who are confirmed members of Divine Mercy Parish 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 12**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The KofC have two \$500 scholarships available for any 2024 Graduating Senior. Students can pick up an application form in the Sauk Prairie High School Guidance Office or you can contact Chad Brickl at 608-963-3335 or by email at chad.brickl5@gmail.com. **Deadline: March 31**

40 Days for Life

Lenten 40 Days For Life campaign Help promote the Sanctity of Life and the end to abortion. Join this Spring's 40 Days For Life campaign by signing-up for the many 1-hour vigil slots available Monday – Saturday (8am-8pm), from **February 14 – March 23**. No special skills required – just peaceful prayer, fasting, and compassionate witness outside Planned Parenthood in Madison. To sign up / more info: go to vigilforlife.org or call John Bohn at (608) 628-7552

KWIK TRIP
ULTIMATE CAR WASH CARDS



Buy a car wash gift card for \$35.00 and receive 5 Ultimate car washes. Your purchase will benefit you and help cover the vendor costs for our 2024 festival. Sign up at the entrances of the Church.



You will be notified when your card is here.
DEADLINE TO ORDER IS MARCH 1, 2024.



Country
BREAKFAST

**SUNDAY, MARCH 3
 8AM TO NOON**

**St. Aloysius School Gym
 Sauk City, WI**


ADULTS \$ 10.00
 SR. CITIZENS \$ 8.00
 CHILDREN UNDER 6 \$5.00



ALL YOU CAN EAT MENU

Fresh from the griddle pancakes, farm fresh scrambled eggs with ham, sausage links, applesauce, fruit cocktail and beverages.


FISH FRY



St. Peter Parish, Ashton will host a Buffet style Friday Fish Fry on Friday, **March 8 and March 22, 2024**, 4:30 - 7:30pm. Served in the School Hall. Carry outs available.

St. Luke Parish, Plain is hosting a Fish Fry on Friday, **March 1, 2024**, 5:00 - 8:00pm. Carry outs available. Bake Sale sponsored by Faith Formation.


St. Michael Church, Lodi is hosting a Drive Thru Friday Fish Fry on Friday, **March 1, 2024**, 4:30 - 7:00pm.



PIE SALE


St. Joseph's CCW, Baraboo, will be holding a PI DAY / PIE SALE on Saturday, **March 16**. The sale will be in the School Cafeteria from 8am to 12pm (or until pies are sold out).

CARD PARTY



There will be a Euchre Card Party will be held on **March 17, 2024** at 1pm in St. Joseph's School Gym, Baraboo. Fee is \$3.00. Snacks will be available. Join us for cards at 1 pm and then there will be plenty of time to celebrate your St. Patrick's Day afterwards. Sponsored by St. Joseph's CCW.

Love Begin Here provides middle and high school youth with an opportunity to encounter Jesus in a life changing way through week long, local mission trips where they live in Catholic community and continue His work on earth. Registration for Love Begins Here Summer 2024 is open now! **The deadline to register middle and high school youth is April 15th.** To learn more about Love Begins Here and for registration visit:
<https://madisondiocese.org/lbregistration>



Love Begins Here welcomes adults 25 and older to serve as Lead Missionaries who help the teens make the most of their experience. We are especially interested in collaborating with adults who are passionate about their Catholic faith, working with teens, and have a heart for service work. All LBH Lead Missionaries must meet the Diocesan State Environment requirements.

For questions about Love Begins Here, please reach out to Caroline Locke at caroline.locke@madisondiocese.org or 608-821-4578.



NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE WITH GOD

2024 Haiti Lenten School Project

Help kids in Haiti THRIVE!

Join us to help build the St. Jude Preschool in Jacmel

OUR SCHOOL'S LENTEN GIVING PROJECT

We all know the importance of having good Catholic schools. As part of our 2024 Lenten giving campaign we are raising money for the construction of the St. Jude Preschool Center (IDEPH) in Jacmel, Haiti. This campaign is an incredible opportunity to show our support for all the children who need our help in Madison's sister diocese and advance the mission of the Universal Church.

FAMILIES IN URGENT NEED

People in Haiti struggle with devastating poverty, and school is sometimes the only place of safety and stability for Haitian children. Following increases in school applications and growing insecurity due to violent armed gangs, the children of Jacmel are in desperate need of the new school. In many ways, the Church is the people's only hope.



**DONATE
TODAY**

WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The new school will provide a safe, functional facility to meet the demands of increased student applications, and it will create a quality learning environment that fosters the growth and well-being of children in Jacmel, Haiti. Your support can help make a difference in the lives of students living in Jacmel!

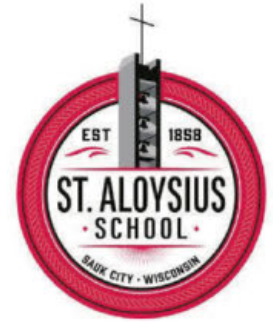
If every Catholic in the Diocese contributed just 78 cents (\$0.78), the school would be built. Together, with our efforts, prayers, and God's grace, we can make this happen! Inspired by St. Jude, "the apostle of the impossible," we are reminded that nothing is impossible with God.



*"In many areas of Haiti, the only education possibility for children and youth are the Catholic schools. The Church in Haiti leads the way to offer students a living relationship with Christ, as well as quality learning and basic nutrition. **Our support in the building of St. Jude Preschool in the Diocese of Jacmel is a graced opportunity for us to share the Light of Christ with our Haitian brothers and sisters who live in desperately poor conditions.**" - Bishop Donald J. Hying*

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."

LENT 2024

St. Al's students are taking up the challenge to grow closer to our Lord and prepare for the mysteries of Holy Week this Lent. Every time they do one of the good works tasks given to them at the start of the day, they get to remove a nail from the cross in our front lobby!

At left: 1st Graders Maddie Dischler and Vayda Warmka practiced, "Being Last", (letting others go before them in line or get their way in a game), and each removed a nail from the cross.



LENTEN ALMSGIVING



St. Al's students are entering the Do Good Wisconsin Cereal Box Domino Challenge! Schools from across the state compete to collect boxes of cereal ahead of National Cereal Day on March 7th and create the most unique domino design (with the intention of donating the cereal to a local food pantry afterwards)! Help build our "castle" higher and aid our domino efforts by sending in unopened boxes of cereal to the school office before March 7th!

A VALENTINE'S SURPRISE FOR OUR BELOVED ELDERLY



On Tuesday, February 13th, our Fifth Graders hand delivered Roses & Valentine Cards to the residents at nursing homes in our community. They handed out a total of 140 roses to the Pines and Maplewood, with an additional 30 roses sent to elderly who receive their lunch through the Meals on Wheels program. All roses were purchased with funds the kids raised through our penny war!



FOURTH GRADERS LEARN ABOUT GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY ON DEVIL'S LAKE FIELD TRIP

Mr. Gre's fourth grade class took an outing to Man Mound Historical Landmark and Devil's Lake State Park on February 7th. They got to learn the history of Native Americans who built Man Mound, and marvel at the natural wonders of Devil's Lake, plus enjoy s'mores around a campfire at the end of the day!

Bottom Left: Alex Kendall photographs Ian Campos-Briones as he demonstrates his amazing strength!



NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE WITH GOD
2024 Haiti Lenten School Project

**REMINDER:
SUPPORT OUR
SISTER DIOCESE
IN JACMEL!**



SCRIP CORNER

2023 - 2024 YTD SCRIP FUNDRAISING: \$7,223.94

Buy gift cards at face value and the vendors pay you and St Al's School a bonus!

Download the RaiseRight app or create an account at raiserright.com. Enrollment code for St. Aloysius is: B64EFF8A5783
Physical, e-gift, and/or gift card reloads are available.



**SCRIP RAISE DAYS!
FEBRUARY 29TH & MARCH 1ST**

Raise Days Bonuses apply to eGift cards and reloaded cards. Get a sneak peek of all brands on bonus in the RaiseRight app on February 28.

NEW BRAND: Firehouse Subs, earn 6% on \$25 physical gift cards

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IT DOESN'T GET MUCH CUTER THAN THIS...



Mrs. Breunig's puppy project made an appearance last week! Her Corgi dog gave birth to a litter of six puppies. All classes got to have a brief session of playing with them. Thanks Mrs. Breunig!

*Above right: Camden Dischler (3)
Below: Cecilia Krejchik (4)*



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