

# Sunday, December 11, 2022

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 12, 2022

*6:30am Tony Brummel Family*

8:00am † Denise Roelke/Irene Ripp

Tuesday, December 13, 2022

*6:30am James Zaffino*

8:00am Edward Tuttle, Patricia Franz, their 7 children, their 23 grandchildren, and great grandchildren and extended family members

Wednesday, December 14, 2022

*6:30am Jelovnik Family*

8:00am Paul Molitor

Thursday, December 15, 2022

*6:30am Living and Deceased of the Joe and Karen Wagner Families*

8:00am Peter Molitor

Friday, December 16, 2022

*6:30am Dan Brummel Family*

8:00am Living and Deceased Members of the Elmer and Sally Henn Family

Saturday, December 17, 2022

4:00pm For the Living and Deceased Members of the St. Norbert Parish Family

8:00pm † Fr. Laverne Meier/ St. Norbert's CCW

Sunday, December 18, 2022

8:00am † Alfred Roelke

*11:00am Daniel Howard*

*Traditional Latin Masses are italicized.*

## MAY ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO HIM

We pray especially for the response of the soul of Bishop Paul J. Swain. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen. All rosaries before the weekend Masses will be offered for the repose of the soul of Bishop Paul J. Swain.

## BAPTISM

Little Wesler Moreno Herrera was baptized this weekend. Congratulations to the proud parents, Lester and Mayerling Herrera, and a warm St. Norbert's welcome to Wesler Moreno.

## CCW MEETING

The CCW will meet on Sunday, December 11 after the 8:00am Mass in the Church Hall. All ladies are invited and encouraged to attend.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus are doing a membership drive at Mass this weekend. If you were inspired by the pulpit announcement but didn't have time to speak to the KC Officer after Mass, please contact Grand Knight Nick Ballweg, he will be very happy you did! Call/Text 1-608-370-2220 or email [14nickb@gmail.com](mailto:14nickb@gmail.com).

## BLESS OUR PRIESTS COLLECTION FOR DIOCESAN RETIRED PRIESTS

Make sure to remember the retired priests of our diocese by making a gift to the Bless Our Priests collection. This collection is used to directly support all retired priests welfare including the rising cost of healthcare, long-term care and medical costs. Please return your gift in the envelopes available attached to the bulletin this weekend. Your generosity supports retired priests from all 11 counties of our Diocese! Please make all checks payable to the Diocese of Madison.

## CARING TREE ITEMS DUE SUNDAY AT NOON

Please return your new unwrapped Caring Tree items, with their card to the Caring Tree by noon on Sunday, December 11.

## CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS

Anyone who would like to donate a poinsettia in honor of or in memory of a loved one is asked to contact Michelle at 608-393-6012 or Ashley at 608-669-8188. Or you may place your printed request and donation in an envelope marked "flower donation" with your name, the name of your loved one, and your phone number and place it in the collection by **December 18**. A \$20 donation is greatly appreciated.

## BABY JESUS SHOWER

The CCW invites all members of the parish to participate in the celebration of Jesus' birth by participating in the Baby Jesus Shower. All donations will be taken to the Women's Care Center in Madison. Monetary donations also accepted. A cradle is located in the Church Hall for all donations. A list of items needed and wanted posted on the bulletin board

## Christmas and New Year's Mass Schedule

### Christmas Eve Saturday, December 24, 2022

4:00pm English with the Children's Christmas Pageant

8:00pm English

*Midnight Traditional Latin High Mass (Biblical Lessons and Hymns starting at 11:15pm)*

### Christmas Day Sunday, December 25, 2022

8:00am English

*11:00am Traditional Latin Mass*

### New Year's Eve Saturday, December 31, 2022

4:00pm English

8:00pm English

### New Year's Day Sunday, January 1, 2022

8:00am English

*11:00am Traditional Latin Mass*

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please join us for Adoration. We have Adoration Thursdays following the 8:00am Mass until Benediction on Fridays at 7:45am. Everyone is invited and welcome.

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. Dec. 10 at 4:00pm - Myah Brickl

Sun. Dec. 11 at 8:00am - Reagan Breunig

Sat. Dec. 17 at 4:00pm - Volunteer Needed

Sun. Dec. 18 at 8:00am - Maggie Sisul

## MASS SERVERS

Sat. Dec. 10 at 4:00pm - Phillip and Jack Brickl

Sat. Dec. 10 at 8:00pm - Noah Endres

Sun. Dec. 11 at 8:00am - Landon Ambrose, Eli Breunig

Sat. Dec. 17 at 4:00pm - Calvin and Caleb Breunig

Sat. Dec. 17 at 8:00pm - Gaige Breunig

Sun. Dec. 18 at 8:00am - Logan and Matthew Schoepp

Server practice Saturday December 17, 5:30 - 6:30pm.

## CONFESSIONS

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

Thursdays: 5:00 - 7:00pm.

Saturdays and Sundays: Starting an hour before each of the Masses and after the Latin Mass.

## ENGLISH CHOIR REHEARSAL

The English Choir will have a rehearsal on Wednesday, December 14, 5:30 - 7:00pm. New members always welcome.

## 2023 CALENDARS AVAILABLE

The 2023 Religious Art Calendars are available at all bulletin stations. A very special thank you to the Knights of Columbus for sponsoring the calendars.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes for Preschool - Sixth Grades, Sundays, 9:05 - 10:05am.  
Classes for Seventh - Ninth Grades, Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00pm  
Next Class Mass is the Second Grade Class on Sunday, January 15, 2023 at 8:00am.

Please call the office at 608-643-6611 to report an absence.

**Thank you to the High School Students who helped deliver the donated food items to the Food Pantry from our Thanksgiving Food Drive. Thank you too to everyone who donated. Over 306 pounds of items were delivered.**

## ADVENT GIFT IDEAS

If you are looking for some Advent gifts here are a few options in the area:

Religious items are available for sale at St. Aloysius, Sauk City in the lobby (please pay in the office).

Religious items are available for sale at Mixing Bowl, Sauk City. St. Norbert Choir CD available from Dorothy Mack at 608-643-3730.

The CCW has the following items for sale: Cookbooks - \$12, Vanilla - \$4/bottle, Metal Christmas Ornament - \$17, Ceramic Wall Cross - \$30, Magnet - \$10, Deck of playing cards - \$12. The CCW will sell items after the 8am Mass on Sunday, December 11 or you can contact Roxi Maier at 608-370-3727 to purchase.

## LOOKING TO GET MORE INVOLVED IN THE PARISH?

There are many ways to get more involved here at St. Norbert's such as volunteering, or substituting for Adoration, leading the Rosary, commentating, counting money, singing in one of our amazing choirs, being a member of the Parish Council, and joining Go Make Disciples to name a few. If you would like more information or if you would like to be added to our wonderful group of volunteers please contact Juanita by December 24. You do not need to contact her if you are already a volunteer unless you have change in your status.

## YOUNG ADULT GROUP

In lieu of our typical second and fourth Thursday events, for the month of December we will be hosting an Advent Potluck on **Saturday, December 17 at 6:30pm** in the St. Aloysius Church Basement, Room C. We'll pray the first of the traditional "O Antiphons" in the Church, and then head downstairs for a great meal and games! Main course will be provided. Bring a side dish, beverage or dessert to pass. See you there!

## MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY AT DIVINE MERCY

How can the church be a sanctuary - a place where those living with mental health challenges can feel safe, supported, and have a sense of belonging? The Sanctuary Course for Catholics was created to inspire and equip communities of faith that are asking this important question. Developed in consultation with mental health professionals, theologians, and people with lived experience, this eight-session course explores key mental health topics and examines meaningful ways to offer companionship, support recovery, and promote well-being. Our next session will focus on the recovery journey associated with mental illness. We will watch a 22 minute video from the course, and then there will be an opportunity for small group discussion. If you or someone you know has been impacted by mental illness and you would like to learn more about how your Catholic faith can play a role in coping and healing, we invite to you join us on Tuesday, December 20. We can be reached at [mhmdivinemer-cy@gmail.com](mailto:mhmdivinemer-cy@gmail.com) and our team includes Brenda Murphy, Kay Ringelstetter, and Kate Rossing. Crisis Line is 988 24 hours a day/7 days a week.

## BULLETIN INFO OR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Information and announcements for the bulletin are due on Wednesdays. Please contact our parish secretary, Juanita Wipperfurth at [thew-ipp412@gmail.com](mailto:thew-ipp412@gmail.com) or 608-643-8108.

## Go Make Disciples December Tip of the Month

Advent is upon us, and its literal meaning is "to prepare". It's also a period of quiet reflection of our Holy Mother's "yes" and God's love for us to send his only son in the form of an infant, a perfect counter to a loud secular holiday message. The four pillars of Go Make Disciples (GMD): 15 minutes of prayer daily, keeping Sunday holy, making Friday penitential; aligns beautifully with the purpose of Advent. Along with the four pillars some other suggestions: re-establish old traditions such as an Advent wreath in the home, daily family rosary and/or prayer, meditating on the daily readings, acts of charities, The Giving Tree, caroling/visiting at our local nursing homes... You get the idea! One or many of these will surely lead oneself to being prepared for our Lord on Christmas day! From our St. Norbert's GMD group, have a Blessed and Merry Christmas season and make it the most spiritual one yet.

## INTO THE DEEP

Between now and **December 11**, the Diocese is accepting feedback on the proposed model, everyone is encourage to respond at [intothedeepmadison.org/feedback](http://intothedeepmadison.org/feedback).

## 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. All Masses, English and Traditional Latin, are taken in 2022, we are scheduling into 2023.

## 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.

## STARTING AT DIVINE MERCY PARISH

Join us for a new, totally free Women's Group, "Living Joy", where you'll learn why: Gratitude is the first key to unlocking deep joy, Silence creates space in your life for happiness, Rest, friendship, and fun are integral to joyful living, And so much more! There will be time to share your experiences in a small group and lift one another up in prayer. Join them **Wednesday, December 14**, right after the all school Mass. They will meet bi-weekly in the St. Aloysius Church Room C of the church basement from 9:00-10:30am. Please bring a pen and notebook. We look forward to seeing you there! If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Young at (608) 843-8577. Core team members include Lisa Enerson and Lisa Young

## MEN'S GROUP AT DIVINE MERCY PARISH

That Man Is You meets on Thursday mornings 6:00 - 7:30pm in the St. Aloysius Church Room C. All men are welcome.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Dec. 10 and 11** KC Membership Drive

**Dec. 11** Caring Tree items due at noon.

**Dec. 11** Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast at St. Olaf Parish, DeForest in the Parish Center. Serving 7:30 - 11:00am.

**Dec. 11** CCW Meeting

**Dec. 13** Knights of Columbus Meeting at 7:30pm in the Hall.

**Dec. 17** Young Adults Group in the St. Aloysius Church Basement room C at 6:30pm.

**Dec. 25** Baby Jesus Shower items due.

**Jan. 30 - Feb. 3** Meals on Wheels volunteers needed