

# Sunday Bulletin

## Blessed Sacrament & Roncalli Newman

Roman Catholic Churches of La Crosse, WI

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time | September 29, 2024

### MASS TIMES

#### SATURDAY

4:30PM Blessed Sacrament (BSP)

#### SUNDAY

9AM Blessed Sacrament (BSP)

11AM Roncalli Newman (RNC)

8:30PM (RNC)

#### DAILY MASS TIMES

Monday - Friday - 8:00AM (BSP)

Tues - 5:15PM (RNC)

Thurs - 7pm (RNC)

Wed/Fri - Noon (RNC)

### CONFESIONS

3:30 - 4:15PM Saturdays or by appt.

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Friday: 8:45am - Noon

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### FROM THE DESK OF FR. BILLY DODGE

**WARNING:** Watch out for e-mail scams! Several parishioners have fallen for a scam in which someone pretending to be me sends an email asking for monetary assistance - usually gift cards - and to email them the numbers on the gift cards. The ONLY email I use is billyjdodge@gmail.com - do not forget the letter "J". Often these scammers have emails like father.billy.dodge@gmail.com and include a picture of me which they found online, so be careful! If you have any doubt just call the parish office or call me and ask if I am in need of financial assistance. Do not give away any information through email or text.

**SILENT RETREAT:** From September 30 - October 8, I will be on an 8 day silent retreat at Mundelein Seminary just north of Chicago. Every priest is required by Canon Law to go on retreat at least once a year for an opportunity of prolonged and uninterrupted prayer - basically to take time to be alone with Jesus. I think lay people should go on retreats too. I do not recommend beginning with an 8 day silent retreat! I used to go on my retreat in November, but when I enrolled in a spiritual director training program this past spring I was obliged to join this retreat option at Mundelein Seminary in October. I was not a fan of my vacation at the end of August and my retreat being at the beginning of October, but that is just the way it will work this year. For a priest the differentiation between vacation and retreat is that vacation is for relaxing, whereas a retreat is to do deep interior spiritual work.

While I am away pray that the retreat will be spiritually rejuvenating. I will not have access to my phone or the internet. So if you or a loved one gets hospitalized you can reach out to Father Sam, or ask the hospital staff to contact the emergency priest on call in order to receive the Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and Confession. I pray for my parishioners daily, and you will be at the forefront of my prayers while on retreat.

### AROUND THE PARISHES

#### Daily Mass Changes this upcoming Week

Monday, Wednesday and Friday - 8:00 am at BSP

Tuesday and Thursday - NO 8:00 am Mass at BSP

Tuesday - 5:15pm at RNC

Thursday - 7pm at RNC

Wednesday and Friday - NO Noon Mass at RNC

#### Thank you for your generosity to our food drive!

Many thanks to all who supported our successful food drive last weekend at both parishes. We had overflowing collection tables and raised over \$2,000 for those hungry in our community. Thank you very much!

#### Apple Pie Sale Next Weekend!

This year's Apple pie sale will be next weekend on October 4-6. Donations of flour, sugar, shortening, and butter are needed and can be dropped off in the bin in the narthex at Blessed Sacrament or in the office. Apple peeling and pie assembly will be on Friday, October 4, beginning at 8:00 am. Please call Helen at (608) 780-7787 with any questions.

# AROUND OUR PARISHES & COMMUNITY

## Social Justice Committee Meeting Oct 1

RNC and BSP will be holding a Social Justice meeting on Tuesday, October 1st. The meeting will be in-person and virtual. We will meet at Roncalli Newman in the Conference meeting room at 6:00 PM. The Conference Room is in the lower level across from the elevator.

An email with the link for those attending virtually and a SJ Agenda will be sent out prior to the date of October 1st. All are welcome to attend. Questions? Please contact Deacon Allen.

## Family Faith Formation

Family Faith Formation meets this Wednesday, October 2nd from 5:30 pm-6:45 pm at Mary Mother of the Church. This week we will introduce our first monthly topic, You've Got Mail: The Bible, God's love letter to you!

## Next Gathering Loaves & Fishes Event:

Place: Blue Moon Restaurant | Date: **Thurs., Oct. 10th** | Time: 6 p.m.

Please contact Colleen at 608-787-1120 to join us.

## COATS FOR KIDS (and adults)

It's that thime again...getting colder ...going to get cold. The totes/barrels will be at the doors at both Roncalli Newman and Blessed Sacrament to collect you new or gently used warm winter wear---coats, jackets, snow-pants, hats, mittens, gloves, boots, scarves, etc. "Whatever you do to the least of my brethren, that you do unto Me" ...Let's help keep Jesus, in the disguise of the poor, warm this winter.

## November 16th Advent Christmas Fair is right around the corner

Please check into our "Opportunity for Volunteering 3 Ring Folder" in the BSP Narthex and Office for all the areas of our Advent Christmas Fair. Opportunities to volunteer begin Wednesday November 13th - Saturday November 16th. Don't miss the fun for parishioners of all ages!

## Donations Accepted for Advent Christmas Fair Children's Secret Store

The Advent Christmas Fair will be here before we know it! Donations are being collected outside Barb Swieciak's garage, 149 S 24th Street La Crosse. NEW candles, jewelery, mugs, tools, dolls, toys, and more are gratefully accepted. Lists of more items being collected are located on the box, as well as in the BSP Narthex. Thank you very much!

## RNC Homebound Parishioner

Do you enjoy playing board games? There are a few homebound RNC parishioners looking for someone to come and visit and play board games with. If you are interested, please contact Sandy in the office.

## BSP Scrip Program

Looking for ways to save on Aquinas schools tuition and/or support the parish and our Catholic schools? BSP offers a variety of giftcards like Kwik Trip, Festival, Woodmans, Walmart, Target, Culvers, and more! When you purchase a gift card, a certain percentage goes directly to a designated student of your choice, or a student in need of tuition assistance. This is a great way to give back just by doing your everyday shopping. Stop by the SCRIP office any weekday from 9am-12pm or by the table in the Narthex after the 9am Mass to learn more and purchase.

## Condolences

Our deepest condolences to Moran Lonning and Alex Weber, whose sweet baby, Charles "Charlie" Lonning's funeral was last weekend at Roncalli Newman. May he rest in the arms of Mary.

## Adoration Chapel Cleaning Update

Adoration Chapel Cleaning time now takes place on Mondays from 3-4

## Liturgical Ministers Needed

Are you interested in serving at one of the weekend Masses as a reader, greeter, singer, server, etc.? Please fill out our liturgical ministry survey to sign up for ways to get involved in our liturgies. Thank you!



# LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 5/6

Please check MSP for the latest  
Liturgical Ministry Schedule. Thank  
you for your service to our parishes!

Rosary Leaders at Blessed Sacrament  
10/05 4:30pm - Natalie Schwinn Weaver  
10/06 9am - Steve and Annette Flottmeyer

## AROUND OUR PARISHES & COMMUNITY

### Coulee Region Hunger Walk for 2024

The 2024 Coulee Region Hunger Walk will be held on Sunday, October 13th at 1:30 PM at the Main Shelter in Myrick Park. In 2023, the 5K Hunger Walk raised over \$11,000 for non-profit food agencies in the Coulee Region. Please consider sponsoring Father Billy and Father Sam who will be walking. You can sponsor our priests by going to the donation link on the website and filling in Father Billy & Father Sam as the person/team you are pledging. You can also send a check payable to Coulee Region Hunger Walk to Roncalli Newman Parish at 1732 State Street, La Crosse, WI 54601. Last year, with your generous support, Team Father Billy & Father Sam raised the #1 Team total at \$1733.20. You will find registration materials and contribution boxes at the Main St Entrance at RNC & the King St Entrance at BSP starting September 21. Or you can take a pledge sheet and walk with us! For complete Walk details go to: couleeregionhungerwalk.org. On September 29 and October 6 there will be volunteers at the Main St entrance at RNC to answer any questions. Thank you for your generous participation. Help us to end hunger!

### La Crosse Life Chain | Sunday, October 6 @ 2pm

The La Crosse Life Chain will be on Sunday, October 6, Respect Life Sunday. The Life Chain will start at the corner of La Crosse, St. and Losey Blvd. and proceed south beginning at 2pm and ending at 3pm. There will be volunteers with signs and donation buckets at each corner for as far as the Chain extends. Suggested donation is 50 cents per person and \$1 per family. Please make a point to be there to help us witness to the sanctity of life from conception to natural death. Please make a special effort to keep a prayerful silence as you stand in witness for the end of this genocide.

Please mark your calendars now so that our parish will stand united together against the killing of defenseless babies. This is an excellent opportunity for entire families and for the youth in our parish to stand up and witness our abhorrence of the holocaust that has now taken the lives of millions of unborn babies in the United States alone! It's just one hour, and that hour ends at 3:00, the hour of Divine Mercy.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

4:30pm BSP +Cyril & Shirley Murphy

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9am BSP +Mary Ann & Howard Bradley  
11am RNC +Jack Niedfeldt

8:30pm RNC

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

8am BSP +Rick Bath

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

NO 8AM BSP MASS

5:15pm RNC No intention listed

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

8am BSP The Intention of Bishop Callahan  
**(SCHOOL MASS)**

NO NOON MASS RNC

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

NO 8AM BSP MASS

7pm RNC +Trudy & JP Dupont

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

8am BSP +Bud & Kaye Sauer

NO NOON MASS RNC

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

4:30pm BSP +Ralph & Mary Brennan

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

9am BSP +Marianne Pittman

11am RNC +Jack Niedfeldt

8:30pm RNC

### Deanery Mission on the Holy Spirit

- October 19th and 20th -

Would you like to see the Church alive like it was for the apostles at Pentecost? Are you looking for healing in your life? Do you want to feel the love of God the Father or the power of the Holy Spirit? Cathedral is hosting Bart Schuchts for three days of teaching, healing, and mission. **Saturday, Oct 19 is the Day of Equipping** where Bart teaches what the Church believes about the Holy Spirit from the Catechism and Bible. This will be a day of encounter with the Holy Spirit and will enliven anyone's faith to be sent out on mission. Whether your daily life consists of teaching, working at the office, being in the home, or anything else the Lord will have something for you! Sessions Include: Inspiration & Vision, Fire & Fullness of Confirmation, Hearing From God, Steps for praying for Healing. Cost is only \$25 and includes lunch, snacks and refreshments.

**On Oct 20 from 4-8 pm and Oct 21 from 6-8pm**, Bart is back for a **Deanery Mission**. This mission will bring participants into an intimate and powerful encounter with the Father's love, transform lives, and equip people to live out Christ's mission more fully. The mission will cost \$10. Both events are not to be missed! For more information or to register, visit [www.cathedralsjworkman.org/church-on-fire-mission/](http://www.cathedralsjworkman.org/church-on-fire-mission/) or scan the QR code!



**Stewardship of Treasure 09/23**

BSP \$5,505 | RNC \$1,941

Thank you for your support!

## AROUND THE COMMUNITY

### Miracles of the Eucharist Exhibit at MMOC:

In the history of the Catholic Church, there have been Eucharistic miracles approved by the Catholic Church. They are visible proof of Jesus Christ's Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist. This Exhibit was created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, a 15-year old from Milan, Italy. The Exhibit will be available for viewing at Mary Mother of the Church parish on Saturday, Nov. 9th thru Monday, Nov. 11th, with a presentation by Patrick Brueggen on Monday, Nov. 11th at MMOC (2006 Weston Street, La Crosse, WI) at 7 pm. We highly encourage you to view the exhibit during this Year of the Eucharistic Revival.

Viewing times at MMOC, of the Exhibit and Relics are:

Saturday, Nov. 9th 3 pm to 6 pm (Mass time is 4 pm)

Sunday, Nov. 10th 7 am to Noon (Mass times are 8 am and 10 am)

Monday, Nov. 11th 5 pm to 7 pm Speaker Patrick Brueggen at 7 pm.

All are welcome to attend. No reservations necessary. This event is sponsored by Mary Mother of the Church

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# AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

## Voting as Catholics

What is a Catholic perspective on politics and voting? For resources, including materials from the bishops of the Wisconsin Catholic Conference (WCC) and the U.S. Catholic Conference (USCCB), visit [diolc.org/faithful-citizenship](http://diolc.org/faithful-citizenship) or scan the QR code to the right.



## Fall Adult Faith Formation Class

Beginning the week of September 15 we are offering Fr. Gaitley's "Consoling the Heart of Jesus". Each week there are 10 different class opportunities to choose from. Classes are at BSP on Mondays at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall, and at RNC on Saturdays at 9am in the church basement. You can attend the class that best fits your schedule, or this program can be done as a home study. Join us as we learn ways of living the Catholic faith daily and forming a relationship with Jesus. You can sign up for Consoling the Heart of Jesus in our parish office, online at [www.stpatsonalaska.com](http://www.stpatsonalaska.com) or by calling Amy Capelli at (608)783-0847. The cost for the book and workbook is only \$20.00. If you already have the book and workbook, the class is free.

## Discernment of Consecrated Life

Want to discover the call and gift of the ancient vocation of consecrated virginity for women living in the world? Join us at the Holy Cross Diocesan Center for the informational/discrimnment weekend on October 11-13. For more information about consecrated virginity for women living in the world go to the Diocesan web page: <https://dioc.org/consecrated-virgins/>

## Grief Circle

Meets September 18, 25; October 2, 9, 16

Facilitators: Karna Marks and Sarah Hennessey, FSPA

[www.FSCenter.org](http://www.FSCenter.org) | 608-791-5295

Franciscan Spirituality Center, 920 Market St., La Crosse, WI 54601

This group is for those who are grieving the death of a loved one. Many people who are grieving feel pressure to keep their grief to themselves. This is a place to share your thoughts, feelings and experiences – where you can talk about your loss with other people who are also grieving. Sometimes, friends and family, although well-intentioned, may not understand the meaning of your loss and the depth of your pain. The support of others on the same journey can bring a great deal of comfort and healing.

Note: To create a circle of trust for our work together, please commit to attending all five sessions. The first session is especially important. Limited to 7 participants. We are able to offer a discounted rate of \$35 to anyone who would like financial help to participate. Please enter the code GRIEF50 when you register online or call 608-791-5295.

## St. Patrick's School 5K/1 Mile Fun Run/Walk

After a four-year hiatus, the St. Patrick's School 5K/1 Mile Fun Run/Walk is back! The run/walk will be held on Saturday, October 5, 2024, starting at 9:00 am at 127 11th Ave North, Onalaska. The entry fee is \$20. Registration is available online at St. Patrick School 5K/1 Mile Family Fun Run ([runsignup.com](http://runsignup.com)), or by scanning the QR code below. You may also contact the parish office for race information or to register. The proceeds from the Fun Run will benefit the St. Patrick's School Building Fund.



## Join Bishop Battersby for the Gospel of Life White Mass & Banquet

### - Friday, Oct. 18 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in La Crosse

At 6:00 PM, Bishop Battersby will celebrate the "White Mass," at which the faithful honor and pray for Catholic healthcare professionals. The banquet will follow, with Bishop Battersby as the keynote speaker on "Prayer and the Eucharist: The Heart of Mission," showing us how we can be equipped to proclaim the Life-giving Gospel of Jesus Christ in this challenging world. All are warmly invited to the Mass, banquet and talk! To learn more and to register, visit [www.diolc.org/GospelofLife](http://www.diolc.org/GospelofLife) or scan the QR code below. Deadline Oct. 11, but space is limited, so register soon!



## AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Married Couples

Marriage is a journey! A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience can help you enrich your marriage and add some pizzazz to your journey. Whether you've been married 1 year or 50, a Marriage Encounter Experience may be just the thing you need to put a breath of fresh air into your relationship. The next weekends in our area are September 27-29 in Dubuque and Nov. 8-10 in Holstein. Call (563)920-9419 for more information or sign up at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org).

### Join the Oct. 19 "La Crosse Walk for Life" – Raise Funds for Alliance Family Services

The Walk for Life is an exciting time for pro-life families and individuals to come together and celebrate the medical, practical, emotional and spiritual support Alliance Family Services is providing FREE to women and families facing unplanned pregnancies. Learn how to get signed up for the Walk as a fundraising team (ideal) or as an individual by visiting [www.alliancefamilyservices.org/walkforlife](http://alliancefamilyservices.org/walkforlife) and scrolling down to the La Crosse link or scanning the QR code to the right. Then come celebrate starting at 9 am on October 19th in the Blessed Sacrament School parking lot at 130 Losey Blvd S, where there will be check-in, prayer, the Walk, refreshments and fun! The mobile clinic will be on-site that day, so you can take a tour.



### MMOC Garage Sale Oct 4-5

Mary, Mother of the Church, 2006 Weston Street, La Crosse, will be holding a Fall Rummage Sale on Friday, October 4, 11 AM - 3 PM, \$6 a bag; and on Saturday, October 5, 8 - 11 AM, \$3 a bag. Some items are priced individually.

### Pro-Life Speaker | Oct 4

Pro-Life leader Steve Karlen will be speaking in La Crosse on Friday, October 4th, at 3:00 PM, at the Black River Beach Neighborhood Center, 1433 Rose St., La Crosse. All are welcome to hear this dynamic speaker, author, and national campaign director for 40 Days for Life. Steve will be available to sign his newly published book: What to Say When 2. For more information go to [www.40daysforlife.com/en/lacrosse](http://www.40daysforlife.com/en/lacrosse)

**Holy Trinity Chicken-Que and Bake Sale** Thursday, October 10, 11:00-5:30, 13th and Park Streets, La Crosse. 1/2 Chicken, Beans, Coleslaw and Roll \$11.00. Carryout, Drive Through, Delivery. Presales preferred—Call the Chicken Line at 608-782-2028 Ext. 2.

### OCIA Beginning Soon!

#### at Blessed Sacrament

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW SEARCHING FOR...

- A deeper relationship with God?
- A sense of belonging in a faith community?
- A greater understanding of your mission in life?

#### HAVE YOU BEEN CURIOUS...

- What Catholics actually believe?
- Why Catholics do what we do at Mass?

#### ALREADY CATHOLIC...?

- Invite someone you know who may be interested and accompany them on their journey.

Get answers to all of your questions about the Catholic faith; Our "no strings" inquiry program is starting soon. Contact the office for more information.

#### at Roncalli Newman

Have you or do you know someone that has wondered why we do what we do as Roman Catholics? Why the Holy Water? What are the Seven Sacraments and how are they effective? How does bread become the Body of Christ, wine the Blood of Christ?

Come and See at Roncalli Newman Parish! The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) has two Come and See gatherings: 11 or 18 September, from 7pm until 8pm. Our first OCIA Class will be 25 September. We meet every Wednesday from 7pm until 8:30pm through 16 April following the UWL Class Schedule. No UWL classes, no OCIA. Questions? Please call Deacon Dave Belland at 608-769-4423 or email him at [dbelland@newmanlc.org](mailto:dbelland@newmanlc.org).

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# 5K/1 MILE

## FUN RUN / WALK

St. Patrick's School - October 5, 2024

Day-of registration begins at 8 am. Race start time is 9 am.

Entry Fee: \$20 Register by September 13 to be guaranteed your t-shirt.



Proceeds will benefit the St. Patrick's School Building Fund.

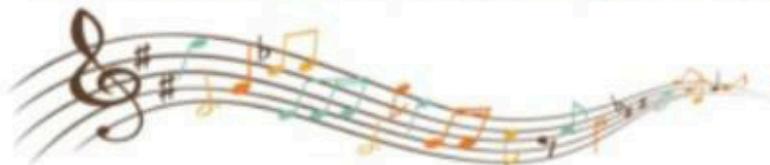
Medals awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place finishers in each division.

For more details or to register, visit us online at [stpatsonalaska.com](http://stpatsonalaska.com) or

<https://runsignup.com/Race/WI/Onalaska/StPatrickSchool5K1MileFamilyFunRun>

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# Out-of-Our-Minds Chamber Music Series 2024–25



All concerts will be in  
the Viterbo University  
Nola Starling Recital Hall.  
**FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.**

## CONCERT 1 – REGENLIED

Saturday, Oct. 5, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

Michelle Elliott, violin | Mary Ellen Haupert, piano | Thomas Hunt, horn | Ann Schoenecker, soprano  
Works for violin, piano, horn, and voice by Johannes Brahms

## CONCERT 2 – THREE LAKES

Sunday, Nov. 3, 2024 at 3 p.m.

Jonathan Borja, flute | Mary Ellen Haupert, piano  
Works for flute and piano by Philip Glass, Daniel Dorff, Amanda Harberg, and Amy Beach

## CONCERT 3 – WINTER TRAVEL

Saturday, Nov. 23, 2024 at 3 p.m.

Harry Baechtel, baritone | David Richardson, piano  
Multi-media performance of Franz Schubert's *Winterreise*

## CONCERTS 4 AND 5 – TO MY DEAR FRIEND, HAYDN

Saturday, Jan. 25, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.

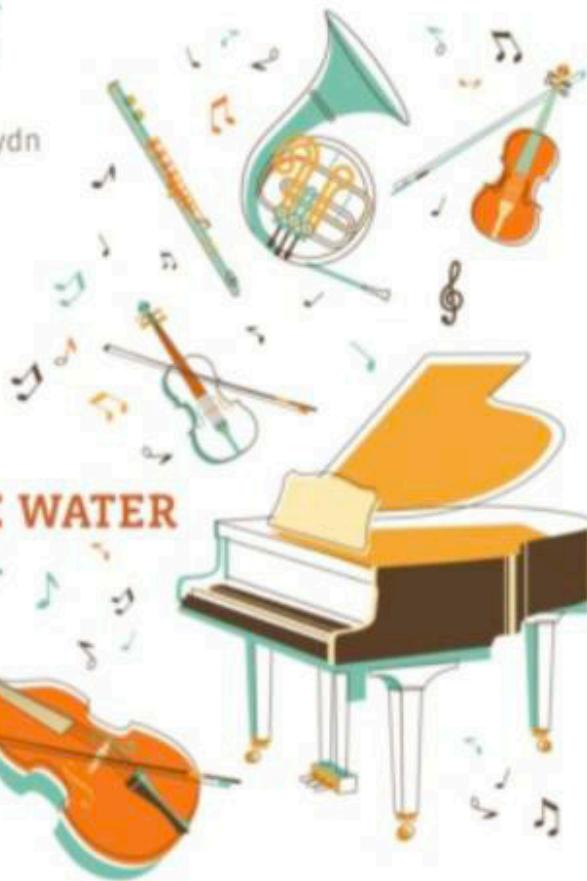
Sunday, January 26, 2025 at 3 p.m.

Artaria String Quartet  
Six string quartets dedicated to Franz Joseph Haydn  
by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

## CONCERT 6 – 1875

Saturday, Feb. 8, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.

Michelle Elliott, violin | Busya Lugovier, viola  
Derek Clark, cello | Mary Ellen Haupert, piano  
Piano quartets by Dvořák and Brahms



## CONCERT 7 – SMOKE ON THE WATER

Saturday, April 5, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.

Jennifer Campbell, soprano  
Jefferson Campbell, bassoon  
Kristina Gullion, violin  
Monika Sutherland, cello  
Mary Ellen Haupert, piano  
Works for voice, bassoon, piano,  
and strings by women composers



## **Life Chain's 37th Year**

**October 6, 2024**



- ◆ Stand with thousands of pro-lifers throughout the USA and Canada! You'll be a light in a darkened world as you help put an end to abortion through prayer!
- ◆ Bring your whole family!
- ◆ Water, lawn chairs, umbrellas and strollers are welcome and encouraged!
- ◆ Rain or Shine!
- ◆ Signs proclaim "Abortion Kills Children," "Adoption—the Loving Option," and "Pray to End Abortion."
- ◆ Donations are accepted to cover the costs of the local Life Chain. All proceeds after expenses are given to the area crisis pregnancy centers.

**LIFE CHAIN** is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for one hour praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death.

**Time: 2:00—3:00 p.m.**

**Place: Corner of Losey Blvd. & La Crosse St.  
to King Street & Beyond!**

**"WE WALK  
WITH OUR  
NEIGHBORS  
TO END HUNGER"**



## **Coulee Region Hunger Walk/Run/Bike**

*In-Person & Virtual*

Form teams or participate as individuals.

**In-Person:** Sunday, October 13, 1:30 PM at Myrick Park Main Shelter

**Virtual:** October 6-13: Submit your individual or team name  
to register at:  
[couleeregionhungerwalk.org](http://couleeregionhungerwalk.org)

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You might want to participate in person on October 13 & also virtually October 6-13.

*Proceeds to Hunger Task Force & WAFER Food Pantry & other non-profit food agencies,  
listed on website: [couleeregionhungerwalk.org](http://couleeregionhungerwalk.org)*

*Pledge Sheet: Call 608-385-5422, or website, [couleeregionhungerwalk.org](http://couleeregionhungerwalk.org)  
or email: [couleeregionhungerwalk@gmail.com](mailto:couleeregionhungerwalk@gmail.com)*

# ORGAN RECITALS

2024

SUNDAY AFTERNOONS

freewill offering

MAGNIFICENT 94 RANK NOACK ORGAN (2010)

SEPTEMBER 22 AT 3:30  
DAVID LIM

*Lecturer of Music*

University of Wisconsin—River Falls  
River Falls, Wisconsin

OCTOBER 20 AT 2:00  
BRUCE BENGTSON

*Director of Music emeritus*

Luther Memorial Church  
Madison, Wisconsin

NOVEMBER 10 AT 3:30  
GAIL ARCHER

*College Organist*

Vassar College

*Director of the Music Program*

Barnard College, Columbia University  
New York, New York

SAINT JOSEPH  
THE WORKMAN

*Cathedral*

THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF THE DIOCESE OF LACROSSE

**November 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**2024**

Third weekend in November  
**One week before** the opening of  
deer hunting season.

**Blessed Sacrament  
Parish  
Advent Christmas Fair  
From our Heart and Home  
to Yours**



130 Losey Blvd  
South, La Crosse  
**From 8am - 2pm**  
Please use the  
parking lot or side  
streets

Please keep the Drop Off area open for those with special needs.  
Use Losey Blvd. entrance.

Raffle Baskets (drawing at 1:45 need not be present to win)  
Giving Tree, Children's Secret Store, Grandma's Pantry,  
Cache of Jewelry, Catholic Family Room,  
Attic Treasures, Book Nook (with kids' corner while you shop)  
St Lucy Cinnamon Rolls 8-9:30,

11:30am - 1:30pm Special meal in Bethlehem Square  
foods which Mary and Joseph would have enjoyed ~ \$8/person  
or in The Shepherds' Field (free will offering)  
more information parish web site



# PARISH MISSION WITH OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

## MARY COMES TO INSPIRE YOUR FAITH!

Join us as we explore one of the most amazing events in the history of the Church. Fr. Tim will be presenting the vital message of Guadalupe for our troubled times. Let us stand close to Mary as she teaches us how to live for and love Jesus in our daily lives that all may come to believe and follow!

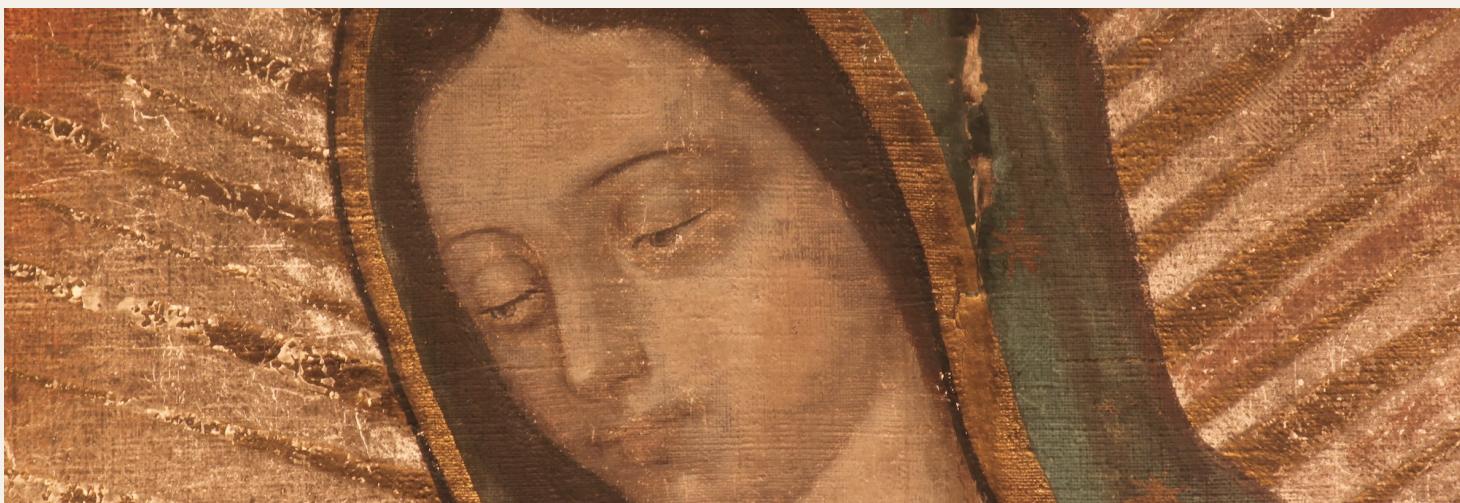
### WHAT YOU WILL LEARN:

- Mary's Message of Evangelization for our time.
- Meaning of the Miraculous Image of Guadalupe
- Reasons why Marian Devotion is essential
- Deeper Appreciation of how to share our Faith



Fr. Tim Oudenoven, S.T.D

Director of the Marian Messengers  
Priest of the Diocese of La Crosse, WI



THREE NIGHTS WITH THE MARIAN MESSENGERS

## SUN-TUES, OCT 6 - 8

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ 1032 CALEDONIA ST. LA CROSSE, WI

6:30 - 7:30PM

(608) 782-7557

<https://saintjameslax.com/>



Steve Karlen, author and national campaign director for 40 Days for Life, will be visiting and speaking at the La Crosse 40 Days for Life Mid-Campaign Rally. Steve has travelled to all 50 states and many foreign countries in promoting a culture of life. He lives in Madison with his wife and five children.



**DATE:** Friday, October 4, 2024

**TIME:** 3-4:00 PM

**PLACE:** Black River Beach Neighborhood Center, 1433 Rose St. La Crosse

**CAMPAIGN INFO:** [www.40daysforlife.com/en/lacrosse](http://www.40daysforlife.com/en/lacrosse)

40 Days for Life is an international campaign of prayer, fasting, and community outreach to end abortion. Part of the campaign includes a 40-day prayer vigil outside an abortion clinic, or one that refers for abortions.

Steve will sign copies of his new book *What to Say When 2: Your Proven Guide in the New Abortion Landscape*.



During our annual Advent Christmas Fair at  
Blessed Sacrament Parish

130 Losey Blvd. South, La Crosse

We have a new destination...

## Shepherds' Field

A simple lunch for the children of homemade bread,  
cheese, fruit served from 11:30-1:30

Contact Rachael 1-770-364-5243 for more information,  
to donate your time, homemade bread, cheese, fruit.

See you there!

Welcome to Bethlehem  
House of Bread



Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>

**Blessed Sacrament Advent Christmas Fair**

130 Losey Blvd South, La Crosse, Wisconsin

New this year!

**Bethlehem Square in our Parish Center**

Join us from 11:30-1:30 for a meal of shredded chicken

topped with caramelized onions, and

a sample of foods that Mary and Joseph would likely  
have encountered on their way to Bethlehem

along with a beverage

Pre ticket sales will begin in October  
after the Masses at Blessed Sacrament Church

\$8.00/ticket

(Alysha Del Rosario will have more information)

