



St. Joseph Holy Family Parish

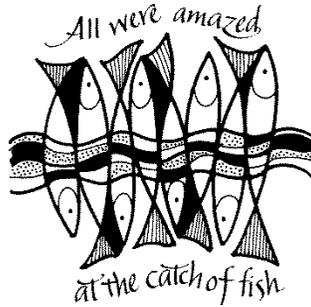
Phlox, Wisconsin



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The 5th Sunday
in Ordinary Time



FEBRUARY 10, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS

FEBRUARY

- 13 Wed. 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- 15 Fri. 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- 16 Sat. 4:30 p.m. Walter Welch
- 17 Sun. 10:00 a.m. John & Matt Menting

SERVERS' SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY

- 16 Sat. 4:30 p.m.
- 17 Sun. 10:00 a.m. Lily & Kim Muraski

GREETER

- Diane Koepfel
- Helen Schultz

LECTOR

- Mike White
- Greg Resch

The Sentinel of the Sanctuary for the week of Feb. 9-15 is: Richard Eibenholz. Contact Jane Menting at 489-3220 to sign up for Sentinel of the Sanctuary.



HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

- Healing Rosary – Monday, Feb. 11, 7:00 p.m., Gathering Space
- Faith Formation Classes – Wednesday, Feb. 13, 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- Indian Taco & Chili Fry Bread Fund Raiser – Sunday, Feb. 17, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



Week of Feb 2-3, 2019

Parish Support	\$ 895.00
Offertory	\$ 223.00

Flowers – Please help yourself to any poinsettia plants you may want from the gathering space.

Help Needed – Our parish needs help on Saturday afternoons and Sunday mornings to set up for mass. This includes being at church at least a half hour before mass is to begin, unlocking the safe, and setting out the sacred vessels needed for mass. Please make the mass more welcoming for your fellow parishioners by having everything all ready.

Mark Your Calendars! Clara's Indian tacos and chili fry bread will be served next Sunday, Feb. 17, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., in the parish center. Free-will offering. This is being held as a fundraiser with proceeds to benefit the St. Joseph Holy Family faith formation classes to purchase new/updated electronic equipment. If you would like to volunteer your time to help this worthy cause, please contact Helen Schultz at 715-623-9422.



Attention Eucharistic Ministers – Two hand sanitizer dispensers have been mounted to the posts near the altar. This makes it a little easier for you to use and a little less obvious.

Brunch – St. Philomena's Catholic Church in Birnamwood will be having its annual soup and pie brunch this Sunday, Feb. 10, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Free-will offering. Cash raffle, drawing at 1:00 p.m.



Food Pantry – The Antigo Community Food Pantry, 2120 Progress Blvd, Antigo, is open on Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and Fridays from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. They appreciate and accept monetary and food donations during regular pantry hours or you can call 715-623-1103 to make other arrangements. The pantry served 307 households during January. Their current wish list is: laundry soap, dish soap, Kleenex, and paper towels. Volunteers are also needed. They will be holding an open house on Saturday, Feb. 23, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Go and see what your generosity has created.

Dinner – The annual kielbasa & dumpling dinner will be held at Holy Family-St. William Catholic Church in Wittenberg, on Sunday, March 3. Serving will be from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Menu: sauerkraut, kielbasa, stuffed cabbage rolls, meatballs, potato dumplings, mashed potatoes, rolls, vegetable, pickles, and pie. All you can eat! Cost: adults - \$10.00, children 6-12 - \$5.00, 5 and under – free.

In Mary's Footsteps – The 7th Annual Women's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 9, 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 62 E. Main St., Chilton. A concluding mass will be held at 4:00 p.m. with Bishop Ricken. Lunch will be provided. For more information or to register, go to www.goodshepherdchilton.org. There is also a flyer on the bulletin board in the gathering space.



Koinonia Retreat is coming soon to Antigo at SS. Mary & Hyacinth, February 22. Requested donation \$60, \$50 for couples –includes stories, discussions, reflections, prayer, liturgical celebrations and all meals. Presenters are lay and religious clergy. You may stay overnight but it's not necessary. To register or get more information contact Bailey Hansen at 920-530-7983, Michelle Cochrane at 715-623-3148 (proudrn@charter.net), or Tom McGrath at 715-219-0214 (tommcg3911@gmail.com).

Retrouvaille –Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-VI with a long I) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide tools to help get marriages back on track. The program begins with a weekend, followed by post-weekend sessions. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning Feb. 15-17 in Racine, or March 29-31 in Garden, Michigan, call 414-502-7685 or email: lakeshore@retrouvaille.org or visit the website at <http://HelpOurMarriage.com>.

ST. JOSEPH HOLY FAMILY 2018/2019 CALENDAR WINNERS

JAN.	28	Sherri Hunter (Antigo)	#1830	\$ 25.00
	29	Heather & Ed Jesperson (Antigo)	#0580	\$ 25.00
	30	Missy Gallenberg (Bryant)	#1624	\$ 25.00
	31	Kathy Waldvogel (Peshtigo)	#1905	\$ 25.00
FEB	01	Lori & Bernie Ford (Wausau)	#0790	\$ 25.00
	02	Council of Catholic Women (Phlox)	#0864	\$ 25.00
	03	Bodie Nelson (Antigo)	#1165	\$ 50.00

2019 Bishop's Appeal

Last weekend was the kick off for the annual Bishop's Appeal. The Bishop's Appeal is an annual campaign that supports the ministries of the Diocese. It does not pay the Bishop's salary and has never been used to pay any legal settlements. The Appeal provides support to diocesan ministries reaching out to thousands of people each year. These ministries include Catholic Charities, Catholic Schools, the Compass, and the Emmaus Lay Ministry Formation program, to name a few.

Please make your gift to the Bishop's Appeal today by using the pledge card you received in the mail last week. If you did not receive one, we have several on the counter in the gathering space. You may also make a gift at www.catholicfoundation.org/give.

Life is a Gift from God. The Church's teaching on the dignity of human life is clear. "Human life," states the Catechism of the Catholic Church, "must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person – among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life."

--Denver Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila (Jan. 22, 2013)

Minutes of the Jan. 24, 2019 Pastoral Council Meeting

Reconcile Council Membership with the Parish Constitution – The proposed amendment of the constitution was published in the bulletin for public comment. There being no comments, it was voted on to approve the amendment. Article III, Section C, will state: minimum of three, up to a maximum of eight members at large on the pastoral council. Article X – Committees, will state: at least three members on each committee.

Financial Report – The income and expense report and the balance sheet for the first half of the year was handed out. The first half of the year shows a net income of \$6,669.

Meeting with White Lake – It was felt the White Lake and Phlox pastoral councils should meet jointly twice a year to discuss any issues.

Bishops Appeal – Two people attended the meeting in Shawano regarding the new Bishop's Appeal, which will kick off Feb. 2-3. Our goal this year is \$11,732. Last year it was \$11,790 and we did not quite reach it.

Plans for Growing Our Parish –

- 1) A letter was composed that perhaps Fr. Ed could use to send out to all parish members to introduce himself and encourage participation in activities. It would also help to update our census information and volunteer opportunities. (Perhaps we should look at hiring a new stewardship coordinator.)
- 2) One member attended a service where the homily was printed and handed out. It was also mentioned that Fr. Zak records his homilies and puts them on Facebook. Fr. Ed will consider this. He feels this will be helpful for the people.
- 3) Suggestions were made to add informational articles to the bulletin and perhaps distribute them to the community. Anyone is welcome to offer articles to be published.
- 4) Everyone enjoyed Fr. Ed's singing on Christmas Eve. A comment was made that it is nice when the musicians play the modern versions of the mass parts.
- 5) It was proposed to put a suggestion box in the gathering space and also ask for people to suggest what they would be willing to do.
- 6) The sign that was put up with the mass times for Christmas went over well. It was also put in Mattoon for a while.
- 7) It would be nice to have an apprentice program so people could learn how to do things that others have been doing for a long time (ex: mass setup). This will be brought for discussion at the next meeting.
- 8) Fr. Ed would like to celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph (which is Feb. 19) on a Wednesday evening and invite the faith formation students.

Education Committee – Faith Formation has only one TV and the projector has been removed as it was not working. They suggested having a fundraiser to purchase new equipment, and involve the youth. They would like to have Indian tacos and/or chili and fry bread and are looking at Feb. 17 to do this. Scholarships for All Saints School will be done like last year. The mass attendance requirement for the scholarship was discussed. It is very hard to track. Tim mentioned that other churches have religion classes on Sunday after mass. That way you get more people in church.

Worship Committee – Ash Wednesday mass will be at 6:30 p.m. on March 6. The students will also have a soup dinner at 5:00 that evening. Lent activities were discussed. They will be doing Rice Bowls again.

Funeral Committee – There was a suggestion to raise the price for non-parish members and set a price if the dinner is catered. A motion was made and carried to charge \$5.00 per place for non-parish members, \$3.00 per plate for parish members, and \$2.00 per plate for dinners that are catered in.

Cemetery – The parish would like to get the funeral records back from the committee and kept in the office. These records should also be digitized at some point.

Buildings and Grounds – Fr. Ed suggested having an office so he can be more visible in the parish. He would like it some place other than the confessional and perhaps where it could also be used to sleep on occasion. He suggested a portion of the storage room. We may also need a shed or garage to store items. It will be referred to the committee to get some prices and ideas. It was also decided that we need to get rid of things in the storage room that are no longer used or needed and get some totes and consolidate items. Suggest this be a summer project. This will be on the agenda for the next meeting.

Helping Hands – Doing okay. They haven't had many requests recently. They appreciate the parish donations.

Council of Catholic Women – Haven't met during the winter.

New Business - Personal petitions have been discontinued due to confidentiality. The people in the book of healing are used during the petitions.

Next Meeting – Sometime in March.

