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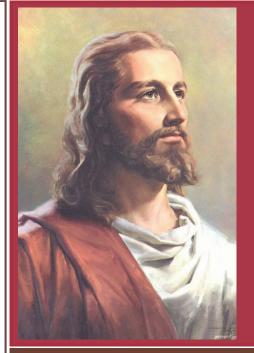
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January 22, 2017

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00pm

Sunday - 8:00am and 10:30am

Monday 8:00am Communion Service

Tuesday - Friday 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday 3:00pm-3:45pm

Parish Center and Chapel Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00a.m. - 4:30p.m.

Fridays 8:00a.m. - 12:00 Noon

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Fri. 12:00 noon, 1 week prior

bulletin@holynamewausau.com

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Fr. Bob for preparation classes. These are required for parents and recommended for godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Fr. Bob 6 months in advance.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact Fr. Bob for Information

Anointing of the Sick:

If you would like the Anointing of the Sick before entering the hospital for a scheduled surgery, or if you're at home or nursing facility, please contact Judy. If you would like Fr. Bob or Fr. Dan to visit you during your hospital stay, make sure to leave our church name upon registration.

MASS INTENTIONS

January 23rd - January 29th

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Poor Souls of Purgatory

28 Saturday 4:00 pm † Michael Medvecz
29 Sunday 8:00 am † Michael Medvecz
Theresa Tulickas
Living and deceased members of
Holy Name of Jesus Parish
10:30 am † Marcella Dobeck

January 22nd - January 28th

The Church Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to Heather and Zack Dedicated from: Grandma

The Chapel Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated from: Auntie Fran

Dedicated to: Rest in peace Dorothy



Unity, Being One in Mind and Heart in the Church

In today's second reading we read: "I appeal to you, brothers, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, to make up the differences between you... to be united again in your belief and practice... as it is clear that there are serious differences among you." There is nothing more demoralizing and destructive in our family, community, society and our Church than division.

Division causes peace and joy to evaporate and replaces them with tension and squabbling, envy and jealousy. Division often comes about because either we want something that is wrong in itself or we want something good, but in the wrong way. Some people want to be: adulterers, fornicators, thieves, drug dealers, gossipers, some hoping to cause harm, and others not so much intending harm, as just "doing what everyone else is doing".

Others are impatient, inconsiderate, weak or lazy, wanting something good, but unwilling to put any reasonable effort into it. They cheat, cut corners, and are thoughtless of the impact of their bad example on others. They are too focused on the end result without caring about the means to achieve that end. And for some things, they will never admit that the problem is with them. They like to play the part of the victim and always point at others as the problem.

Articles often appear in the media which claim that Catholic teaching and the Catholic Church itself is out of touch with the real world. They refer to the teachings of the Church, as mere policies, and demand that they be changed to fit into the social norms of today's world. Good people can even start to believe that missing Mass without a good reason is no big deal. That sin has been replaced by mistakes. That one can actively support abortion and mercy killing and still be a good Catholic. Or that living in sin doesn't harm anyone; and that repentance and confessing one's sins are no longer needed.

A more honest approach for those who fail to live up to what they know is a teaching of Christ and His Church, would be to say, "I know this is the teaching, but I am not willing to live my life according to it". Or, "I am a Catholic, but at least for now, I am not being a very good one". At least that would be honest, and such an honest heart is still open to change and conversion.

Catholics are supposed to be formed and shaped by Christ and the teachings of His Church, so as to become better Christians. We can sometimes forget that our Lord called His followers to be salt and light in the world, and foretold that His followers would at times be rejected just as He was. Our Lord was a sign of contradiction. That means, we too can be a sign of contradiction to those around us, including some of our family members. Hence, we can see the need for us to be united with other Catholics who are making an effort to be faithful to their Catholic faith.

From prison Saint Paul begged the Ephesians to "preserve the unity of the Spirit' so that they would not be 'carried along by every wind of doctrine, at the mercy of all the tricks men play and their cleverness in practicing deceit." To Timothy he wrote: "The time will come when, not being satisfied with sound teaching, people will be looking for the latest fad and listen to teachers according to their own tastes and then instead of listening to the truth, they will turn to what is popular." And he continues saying to Timothy, "Be careful always to choose the right course...." We too need to make every effort we can to know our Catholic faith and to choose the right course in living out our lives.

Come Sample the Lay Formation Institute Experience. NEW Class Begins in Fall of 2017

Would you like to see if the diocesan Lay Formation Institute (LFI) is right for you? What better way than to sit in on part of this exciting formation experience and "catch the spirit"? This opportunity is being offered for a limited number of inquirers the weekends of Feb. 3-4, March 3-4, or March 31-April 1, 2017 at beautiful St. Anthony Spirituality Center in Marathon. If you are interested in sitting in on part of a weekend, or even just one class, contact us at ministries@diolc.org or call the Office for Ministries and Social Concerns at 608-791-0161 to discuss your options. There is no fee unless you choose overnight lodging or meals. For more information on the LFI, visit www.diolc.org/lay-formation.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question:

January 25th is the feast of the Conversion of St. Paul and the end of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. What does one have to do with the other?

Answer:

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity consists of eight days beginning January 18 (the previous date for the feast of the Chair of St. Peter) and ending on January 25, the feast of the Conversion of St. Paul. The celebration was begun by Paul James Wattson, a former Episcopalian priest who eventually became a Catholic priest. Suggestions for prayer and education for the week are distributed each year at geii.org, emphasizing a jointly chosen theme. The 1964 Vatican II document on ecumenism, "Unitatis Redintegratio," gave a great boost to the octave, so that today many Christians worldwide promote and participate in the octave time of prayer. The emphasis on both Peter and Paul aptly fits into the rationale of the octave. Peter is seen as the source of unity within the Christian tradition; Paul is highlighted due to his vision of bringing all to Christ. The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is an ideal opportunity to pray for and promote respect, understanding, and, hopefully, eventual unity among Christians.

St. Anthony Spirituality Center-Marathon, WI.

Dipping Into Words Writing Workshop January 27-28, 2017. Our goal is to enjoy the writing process and have fun putting words together. That doesn't mean we won't get serious as we open to the creative spirit of God to move and inspire us. Includes writing prompts,



journaling, individual and group poems. Presented by local author Sallie Bachar. Cost of \$90 includes overnight accommodations, delicious buffet meals, and program fees. **Continuing the Journey of Widowhood Saturday, Feb. 11** (10 a.m. to 3 p.m.) The experience of living as a widow or widower is an on-going journey. This gathering is an invitation to explore, to share and to supports stories of the experience. Guided by Sue Soriano, Lynn Hilts and Jenny Murphy. Cost: \$50 includes a delicious noon meal.

Contact: 715-443-2236, info@sarcenter.com for reservations.

Holy Name of Jesus Website www.holynamewausau.com

Bishop Callahan's prayer requests to continue year round.

Due to the overwhelming response from all the parishes and as a continuation of Bishop Callahan's Christmas Prayer Intention request, he is making the prayer intention resource available throughout the year! If you would like to leave a prayer intention, please call 608-352-9565 or they can visit www.diolc.org/pray to fill out an online request.

PRO-LIFE RALLY - SUNDAY JANUARY 22, 2017 St. Mary's -Grand Ave, Wausau 11:30 AM - Outdoor Life Chain, Rosary in Church. 12:00 PM - Lunch in Thomas Hall 1:00 PM - Speaker, Julia Holcomb

"The Light of the World - the Steven Tyler and Julia Holcomb Story."

this author credits her faith in Jesus Christ as the lifeline that helped her rebuild her life after her abortion trauma. Today she is happily married for 30 years. They have (7) children. Layettes will be presented to Hope and to the Alexandria Center in Green Bay. Donations of baby supplies are welcome. Pro-life literature and items for purchase will be available.

Readings for the week of January 22, 2017

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Sunday-22	Is 8:239:3/Ps 27/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-
-	23 or 4:12-17
Monday-23	Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday-24	Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40/Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday-25	Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117/Mk 16:15-
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Thursday-26	2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96/Mk 4:21-25
Friday-27	Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday-28	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1/Mk 4:35-41
Sunday-29	Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-
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- ♦ Click on "Register"
- Enter our parish code R2QYZG on the homepage
- Create your personal account with your name/email and private password
- Start exploring and enjoying all the Catholic content!

It's Pro-Life Sunday. Formed offers <u>"40"</u>, a renound video on courageous lives. Those featured have truly made a difference in attitudes toward human dignity. Courage is a Gift of the Holy Spirit. You can also find out a lot about the Holy Spirit by viewing **The Wild Goose** series on Formed.

Kids in PreK to 4th Grade are invited to join Paco, Riko, Charo, Lola & Senor Pescado as they

Discover God's Good Gifts with a Passport to Peru!
August 7-11, 2017





This summer it will take a village, a Peruvian village, to help kids grow in their Catholic faith. If you would like to be part of that village, please join us for an informational meeting on Thursday, February 9th from 6:30-7:30 nm in

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the Religious Ed office.

With the snow piling up outside, August may seem like years away. In the VBS world, six months is necessary for proper planning and preparation for a successful week of VBS.

The first meeting will be to discuss the overall concept of Passport to



Peru, and the different areas that volunteers are needed. Volunteers from the past are asked to also attend to look at the timeline for the next few months. For questions, please call 715-842-4543



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE January 28th and 29th Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
EM		
Ken Behring	Paul Missett	Nancy Manowski
Darlene Martin	Carol Mroczenski	Kathy Oelke
Helen Pagenkopf	Marit Stumpner	Pam Thompson
Mary Rader		•
Mary Sleeter		
Beth Gorski		
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Lectors		
Bill Franzen	Jim Schroeder	Karie McAuliffe
Servers		
Christopher Medvecz	Alex Stumpner	Nick Torgeson
Thomas Medvecz	Emily Stumpner	Faith Torgeson
Ushers		
Steve Sleeter	Ron Hoffman	Dan Torgeson
Marlene Zoromski	Tom Miller	David Torgeson
Pat Hiatt	Marge Westrich	Jane Rasmussen
Wally Legenza	Carl Westrich	Sue Sullivan

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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

January 22nd-January 29th

Rite of Welcoming for RCIA during 8:00 Mass
Children's Liturgy at 10:30 Mass
DTS at Resurrection Church 6:30-8:30
SummerFun Meeting 6:00 PC
Fr. Dan Mass at Wausau Manor 3:00
Spaghetti Dinner 4:00-7:00 SH
Fr. Mass at Mountain Terrace 10:00
Religious Ed 6:15-7:30 EC
Cub Scouts 5:30 SH
Children's Liturgy at 10:30 Mass
Bible Study 3:00 SH

The Holy Name SummerFun Committee is gearing up for 2017!

Please join us for our kick-off meeting at 6 pm on Monday, January 23rd at the Parish Center if you would like to be involved in planning the event. SummerFun 2017 will be held on June 2nd, 3rd and 4th this year.



We welcome the newly Baptized into our faith community

Jacan Allen and Brennan Dale Sons of Jason and Bridgette Boehm

Karson Leo Sann Son of Charlie and Meganne Sann

Additional Christmas Flower Donations for 2016

No Memorials:

Ralph Witucki

Elaine Brodjeski Joseph and Brenda Ricci Irene Schmitz



In Memory of: Edward Hein and Herbert Guralski Clarence Knetter and Nancy Schilling Irene Knetter Dorothy Kania and Carl Lau Eugene and Mike Manowski Rick Lecher Joseph and Theresa Jakubowski Anne Birkholz



Remembered by:

Larry and Mary Guralski Scott and Mary Lau

Nancy Manowski

Eugene and Marge Peterson Mark and Lou Ann Witucki

Large Containers needed for Funeral Dinner left overs.

Ice Cream pails, larger cottage cheese or yogurt containers. Pleases bring to the Parish Center or leave in Simmons Hall.



HOLY NAME PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Collection Report for December 15, 2016		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 5.812.25	
ACH Weekly Deposit	\$ 460.00	
Student	\$ 2.00	
Offertory	\$ 731.84	
Maintenance	\$ 91.00	
Weekly Collection		
Annual Appeal as of January 16th		
Our Target	\$54,944.00	
Pledged		

Volunteers Needed

Remaining.......\$32,279.50 Families Pledged......276~ 41 %

On Saturday Feb 4th at 11:00am, we would appreciate your help taking down and putting away the Christmas Trees. Thank you in advance for your help~ The Sacred Worship Committee.



Valentine's Couples Night Friday, February 10th



6:00pm Social 6:30 Dinner catered by The Mint

Music by Serenity following dinner. \$30.00 per couple RSVP with payment to the Parish Center by Monday, Feb 6th

"Lord, as we watch the Super Bowl, help us be mindful of those without even a bowl of soup to eat.'

This was the single line in the pastoral prayer that started the grassroots movement known as the SOUPER BOWL



OF CARING. As you leave Mass on Super Bowl weekend (Feb. 4 & 5), we invite you to make a cash donation into the soup pots that will be located at each doorway. <u>All</u> the proceeds will benefit the Southwest Wausau Circle of Joy food pantry, which serves families in our Holy Name area. We need YOU help us Tackle Hunger!



CATHOLIC QUOTES

Ask Jesus what He wants from you and be brave!

--Pope Francis

Girl Scout Troops 7440 & 7030 Fundraiser **Super Bowl Sunday Brunch**

9:00am to 1:00pm Holy Name of Jesus Church Adults \$7.00, Kids 6-10 \$5.00, 5 and under FREE Come help support their trips to Washington D.C., New York and Savannah.

Game Day snacks will be for sale

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY



2016-2017 Religious Education Schedule

Classes on Wed. 6:15-7:30 (unless otherwise noted)

Jan 25 Rel Ed

Feb Rel Ed & Eucharist Parent Mtg # 2

Feb Feb 15 Rel Ed Feb 22 Rel Ed

Mar Rel Ed starts at 6pm for Ash Wed Mass All students are required to attend.

Parents are encouraged to join their student.

Rel Ed, 1st Eucharist Prt Mtg # 3 & 8 Mar

Living Stations Practice Mar 15 Rel Ed & Living Stations

Youth Ministry Annual

When: Tuesday, Jan. 24th

Time: 4pm-7pm

Where: Simmons Hall - Church basement

Cost: \$7.00 for Adults, \$4.00 Kids 3-10 yrs

Free for 2 vrs & under

Includes spaghetti, salad, garlic bread

dessert & juice, milk or coffee

Call ahead for orders to go!

Donations Still Needed to Help us Raise More!

Thanks to the terrific support of our parish, the group only needs a few more items to make this a 100% fundraiser. Monetary donations are also appreciated to purchase items still needed the day before.

Supplies Still Needed:

Beef Gravy (36 pkts) Milk-2% (5 gallons) Parmesan Cheese (8-8 oz) Lettuce-bags (40#) Water-Dasani (3 cases) Coffee—Decaf (1-3-5#)

All proceeds from this fundraiser will be used for the Religious Education, Sacramental and Youth Ministry programs and activities throughout the year.



DEAD THEOLOGIANS SOCIETY **Next meeting:** Sunday, Jan 22nd from 6pm-8pm at Resurrection Parish

NEWMAN SCHOOL NEWS

NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Need registration information?



St. Michael: 615 Stark Street, Wausau, 715-848-0206 St. Therese: 112 W. Kort Street, Rothschild, 715-355-5254

Preschool, 4 Pre K

St. Mark: 602 Military Road, Rothschild, 715-359-9662 St. Michael: 615 Stark Street, Wausau, 715-848-0206 Kindergarten - Grade 5

St. Mark: 602 Military Road, Rothschild, 715-359-9662 St. Anne: 604 N. 6th Avenue, Wausau, 715-845-5754

<u>Grades 6 – 12</u> Newman Catholic MS/HS: 1130 W. Bridge Street, Wausau, 715-845-8274

Central Office – 715-845-5735

www.newmancatholicschools.com



Community of Faith, Knowledge and Service

Our annual celebration of National Catholic Schools Week begins January 29. This year, we're celebrating our role as a community of faith, knowledge and service where today's students become tomorrow's leaders. See our website for the schedule of events www.newmancatholicschools.com or like us on Facebook.

Save the Date - All are Welcome

Join us in worship together for NCS All Schools Mass with Bishop William P. Callahan Friday, February 3rd - 10:30am NCM/HS Campus

1130 W. Bridge Street



Ash Wednesday Early Reminder

ALL students in Religious Education are REQUIRED to attend ASH WEDNESDAY MASS at 6:15pm on Wed. March 1st



4th Grade Catechist **Needed Immediately**

The Religious Education program needs a 4th grade catechist for the remainder of this school year. If you feel like you could make a difference

in the lives of the young people of our parish, please consider helping. Training will be provided to ensure that you are ready and comfortable before teaching.

Classes are on Wednesday evenings from 6:15-7:30 pm (weeks with holidays or student vacations are never scheduled). Preparation is done at home, but the textbook is easy to work with, and assistance is available if needed.

If you would like to know more about the program, please call the Rel Ed office at 715.842.4543 ext 4 to set up an appointment and talk one on one about this opportunity to help kids in our parish.





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