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June 4, 2017 Pentecost Sunday

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

June 5th - June 11th

5 Monday 8:00 am † Communion Service 6 Tuesday 8:00 am † Chester and Irene Olds 7 Wednesday 8:00 am † John Nolan 8 Thursday 8:00 am † Larry Jackman 9 Friday 8:00 am † Debbie Moeller

The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

10 Saturday 4:00 pm † David & Deb Treu

· Living and deceased members of

Holy Name of Jesus Parish

11 Sunday 8:00 am † Holy Name Society

John and Delores Swita

10:30 am † Victor and Violette Behring

June 5th - June 11th

The Church Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to: Evelyn Winter

Dedicated from: Denis and Jeanne Lang

The Chapel Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to: Matthew and Megan on your graduation

Dedicated from: Grandpa and Grandma



The Birthday of our Church

Today is the Solemnity of Pentecost; the Birthday of the Church, the Day our Lord fulfills His promise to send upon the whole Church His gift of the Holy Spirit. Pentecost has a number of symbols attached to it, let's look at just two of them; wind and flame. In the Acts of the Apostles we read, "And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house." Also in the Acts of Apostles we read, "And there appeared to them tongues as it were of fire, which parted and it came to rest on each one of them." When we celebrate the birthday of someone we normally present a birthday cake with lit candles on it for the birthday person to blow out. Flames and wind are always part of this simple but loving family tradition.

Fire is a wonderful symbol of the work of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit is like a fire in at least three ways: He brings God's presence, God's passion, and God's purity. The Holy Spirit is the presence of God as He indwells the heart of the believer. In the Old Testament, God showed His presence to the Israelites by covering the tabernacle with fire. This fiery presence provided light and guidance. In the New Testament, God gives light and guidance to His adopted children by covering the tabernacle of their bodies with the same fiery presence of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit creates the passion of God in our hearts. After the two disciples traveling to Emmaus talk with the resurrected Jesus, they describe their hearts as "burning within us". After the apostles receive the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, they have a passion which impels them to speak the word of God boldly. The Holy Spirit produces the purity of God in our lives. The Holy Spirit is the agent of our sanctification. As fire purges the dross from precious metal, so the Holy Spirit removes our sins to refine us.

Wind or breath is also a wonderful symbol of the work of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit breathes into our hearts and minds. As a ship is moved through the water by wind in its sails, so we can be moved along in our life by the Spirit's impulse. This sacred breath of the Holy Spirit directs, guides, comforts, and influences us as it imparts newness of life. The song *Breathe on me, Breath of God* sums the workings of the Holy Spirit under this symbol of wind or breath: *Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew, that I may love the way you love, and do what you would do. Breathe on me, Breath of God, until my heart is pure, until my will is one with yours, to do and to endure. Breathe on me, Breath of God, so shall I never die, but live with you the perfect life for all eternity.*

On our birthdays we use our breath to blow out the flames so as to enjoy the cake. On the birthday of the Church, our Lord sends out His Holy Breath, to ignite the flames within the hearts of His disciples, so they may enjoy His life dwelling within them. Happy Birthday to all the members of the Church!

Everyday Stewardship

There are some things I miss now that my children are older. Fewer snuggles, fewer moments of awe and wonder, and fewer crazy questions that make me laugh. However, if I'm honest, there are some things I do not miss, especially the birthday party. I loved the aspect of celebrating my child's birth, but most years the party cost too much, involved too much stress, and resulted in a lot of presents that ended up in my garage. Today, nice dinners with family and friends sharing time together have taken the place of the "birthday party" and that is fine with me.

Centuries ago, God moved in such a profound way and sent his Holy Spirit upon us, imparting to the Church gifts that remain with us today. That first Pentecost was a first birthday party of sorts, with people gathered to celebrate their common faith in Jesus Christ. Of course, that party had none of the trappings of a child's event at Chuck E. Cheese's, but instead presented us all with generous gifts that could be used for the glory of God instead of the stuff children discard after a few weeks.

Every year I think it is important to really celebrate what God has given to us, the Church, on the feast of Pentecost. The generosity of God knows no limits and the Holy Spirit is alive. It's just that the gifts from this celebration need to be used or the celebration will be hollow. The gifts are free to us even though they are priceless. It would be poor stewardship to toss them in the garage with all those toys that time forgot.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question:

Is it true that the feast of Pentecost, the celebration of the descent of the Spirit upon the followers of Jesus, was a Jewish pilgrimage festival?

Answer:

Pentecost is only mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles, written by the author of Luke's Gospel. John's Gospel speaks of Jesus breathing the Spirit upon his followers on Easter Sunday. Luke in Acts is the only one who unpacks the Easter events of Jesus' passion, death, resurrection, ascension, and the sending forth of the Spirit in a period of fifty days.

The Jews had three pilgrimage feasts--Passover, celebrating the Exodus from Egypt; Shavuot, or festival of Weeks, celebrating the giving of the law on Mount Sinai; and Sukkot, the harvest festival of Booths, commemorating the forty years of wandering in the desert. Shavuot celebrated the central covenant event in Jewish life--the giving of the law to Moses on Mount Sinai. The mighty wind, the shaking of the house in which the followers were gathered, along with the tongues of fire all reflect elements surrounding the giving of the law to Moses in the Book of Exodus. Luke was imaging this very backdrop and scenario in this significant event of the community being gifted with the Spirit. As the Torah was the way to God for Jews, so Jesus' Spirit was the guide, power, path to God for his followers.

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To register: http://www.newmancatholicschools.com/pages/ NCS/Athletics/Booster Club

Save the Date

The 2017 Men of the Cross Conference will be held on October 28th at McDonell High School in Chippewa Falls. The keynote presenters include Fr. Richard Heilman, John Pridmore and Jessie Romero.

Mass for Health and Healing

St. Matthew Catholic Church Sunday, June 11th Confessions 2:00-3:25



Readings for the week of June 4, 2017

Sunday-4	Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or JI 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30/ Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52-56 or Ps 19:8-11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-9/JI 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23
Monday-5	Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-6/Mk 12:1-12
Tuesday-6	Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-9/Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday-7	Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-5ab, 6, 7bc-9/Mk 12:18-27
Thursday-8	Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-5/ Mk 12:28-34
Friday-9	Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-10/Mk 12:35-37
Saturday-10	Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh-8/Mk 12:38-44
Sunday-11	Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52-56/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

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Today we celebrate Pentecost. The Father and Jesus knew we needed strength to follow Jesus and continue His work here on earth so the Holy Spirit came upon the Apostles and upon each of us as we were confirmed. Peter, the bumbling fisherman, became a great preacher and converted 3000 with his first homily! Surely, God has created some miracles in your life also. Watch for the opportunities that He gives you to demonstrate love and caring to others. Remember you are the Body of Christ and the one to do His work.

Many do not follow up on their confirmation. Fr. Michael Schmitz has a book featured on FORMED that helps us to understand why young and old do not respond to the call to be Catholic in their adult years. It is called <u>We Must Go Out</u> and it can be found in the new materials on FORMED.



Dir. of Religious Education Needed

St. Michael and Church of the Resurrection (Eastside Parishes) are seeking a Director of Religious Education. This full-time position oversees the Children and Youth Faith For-

mation Program, Sacramental Preparation, Youth Group Ministry and Adult Formation.

Qualifications: BA in Theology or related field is preferred. Previous experience in a Faith Formation Program will be considered. Ability to work evenings, occasional weekends and flexible hours is essential.

Please send letter of interest with resume by June 29, 2017, to: St. Michael Parish, Fr. Robert Schaller, 611 Stark Street, Wausau, WI 54403.

June 10th and 11th THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

4:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
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Mary Joswick	Lois Murphy	Jeanne Lang
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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

June 4th - June 11th

Sun-4	Holy Name Summerfun 11:00-5:30
Mon-5	
Tue-6	NCS Education Meeting @ 6:00 pm @ St. Michael's
Wed-7	Communion Service Sturgeon Bluff @ 1:45
	Building and Grounds Meeting 1:00 pm—PC
Thur-8	
Fri-9	
Sat-10	
Sun-11	Totus Tuus Evening Camp 6:00-8:00 pm @ St. Matt's
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We wanted to share with you this thank you note we received, so that you can see that your donations make an impact:

My heartfelt and sincere thanks for your generosity with the Easter Basket food donation. I am grateful for the kindness of people like all of you. You have given me new hope and lifted my spirits to help see a brighter future ahead.

Your thoughtful gift is greatly appreciated. Thank you! The Circle of Joy also thanks you! Without you, we could not help put food on the shelves of those who need it the most.



We are still in need of someone to water flowers once a week. Outside flower beds in front of Church and around the Parish Center.

You need be able to lift and move hoses.
Please contact Ken at 715-842-4543 ext 6

HOLY NAME PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Collection Report for May 29, 2	2017
Adult Envelopes	\$ 4,615.00
ACH Weekly Deposit	\$ 460.00
Student	
Offertory	
Maintenance	\$ 5.00
Weekly Collection	\$ 5,585.85
Annual Appeal as of May 30, 2017	
Our Target	\$54,944.00
Pledged	\$47,541.50
Remaining	\$ 7,402.50
Percent of goal received	86.53 %

The Annual Appeal Address has been changed to Diocese of La Crosse

Attn: Annual Appeal PO Box 4004 La Crosse, WI 54602-4004





We welcome the newly Baptized into our faith community

Easton Nam Luu and Sophia Nguyen Lam



Please plan to join with the parish family as we say farewell and thank you to Father Dan for his time with us. Gather with us on Saturday June 17, 2017 after the 4:00 pm Mass in Simmon's Hall for a potluck.



The parish will be providing BBQ/buns, drinks and cake. Please bring a side dish (salads, casseroles, veggies) to share. Bring your specialty dish!

A short program will follow the meal.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY



Registrations have been mailed. Please return early and help us get ready for the fall!

If you have any questions, have not received your registration forms or need info to register, please call Noel in the Rel Ed office at 715-842-4543 ext 4 or email noel@holynamewausu.com.

See you on Sept. 13th, 2017—1st Night of Class

- It's not too late -Register at the Door

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Evening Youth Ministry for Gr 7-12 June 11-15 (Sun-Thurs) - 7 pm-9 pm

Place: St. Matthew

Register now at www.stmatthewwausau.org or call Janet at 715-842-3148



SUMMER CATHOLIC YOUTH CAMP



2017-2018 Religious Ed Program Needs Your Help!

We are looking for two Catechists to teach 4th and 8th grade Religious Education this fall. And a Wed. night Secretary to help with

the office and student concerns during class.

Training is available for all new Catechists, to make sure you are ready and comfortable before classes start in September. 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 will be provided if needed.



For questions or to sign up, call the Rel Ed office today— 715.842.4543 ext 4.

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Central Office – 715-845-5735 www.newmancatholicschools.com

NCS Family Night at the Woodchucks!

All NCS families are encouraged to attend NCS Family Night June 16th – 6pm. Enjoy friendship food - fireworks. Contact the NCS Advancement Office @ 715-842-4805 for tickets.



Helping our Youth Grow—

Thanks to an Anonymous donation of \$500, a wonderful projector and other religious education supplies were purchased for our parish programs and

events. Thank you for your continued support of our youth!



Join the adventure as we travel to Peru for a week of fun. where kids will discover how much God loves the world.

When: August 7th-11th, 2017 8 am to 12 pm daily Time:

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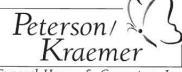
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