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Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Benti

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier

Pat Kulas, Secretary

Mary Uttecht, DRE

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Saturday 6:00 pm

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:35-3:55 pm

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

23rd Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME



And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!" - Mk 7:32-34

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Mark your Calendars!

September:

Wed. 8 - Mass 8:30 am

Fri. 10 - Mass 8:30 am

Wed. 22 - CCD Classes begin 6:15 pm

Thu. 30 - Thrivent Planned Giving 10 am



REMEMBER SEPTEMBER 11, 2001
PATRIOT DAY

HAPPY
Labor DAY

Liturgies of the Week

Wed., Sept. 8 - Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 am - Edward Ostrowski *by Dale Ostrowski*

Fri., Sept. 10 - Weekday

8:30 am - Tom Link *by Rosary Society*

Sat., Sept. 11 - Vigil: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm - Mary Kulas *by Friend*

Sun., Sept. 12 - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am - Linda Trzebiatowski *by John & Lynn Zdroik*

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

September 11-12

Saturday 4:00 pm **Sunday 8:30 am**

Word

Jeff Uttecht

Lisa Walder

Eucharist

Ron Knitter

B of C

Allen Ostrowski

Altar

Michael Wierzba

Sami Kaminski

Andy Wierzba

Colton Kaminski

Hospitality

Jan Lehrer

Joe Jr. Bushman

Lee Lehrer

Brennen Bushman

Rosary

Mary Uttecht

Glorious

Emerick Zoromski

TV Monitors

Hope Uttecht

Pat Kulas

Gifts to Our Lord (August 23-29)

Adult Tithing \$1438.00

Youth Envelopes 14.00

Offertory Gifts 618.26

Haiti Collection 20.00

CCD Tuition Fees 420.00

Total \$2510.26

CCD News

It is that time again! CCD begins September 22nd. Registration letters were sent out. Please mail or drop off (during office hours) your registration forms with payment before the first day of classes. Contact Mary Uttecht with questions 715-454-7060

***** ATTENTION *****

Dear Christ's Faithful of St. Joseph & St. Ladislaus Parishioners, On the most Solemn Feast of the Glorious Assumption of Mary, upon prayerful thought and reflection, I make the following announcement as your Servant and Pastor:

Beginning the 1st weekend of November 2021, 4 pm Mass switches to St. Ladislaus, Bevent.

BUT WITH IT COMES A CHANGE.

Beginning in November there will be

ONE SATURDAY MASS between our two parishes. Bevent will complete the 4 pm Mass switch to end of the year 2021, with NO 6 pm Mass in Galloway.

Exception: Hunting Opening Season Weekend, 2 Masses, Bevent 6 pm and Galloway 7:30 pm

JANUARY - JUNE 2022 (Bevent)

4 pm Mass for both Parishes

NO 6 pm Mass in Galloway

JULY - DECEMBER (Galloway)

4 pm Mass for both Parishes

NO 6 pm Mass in Bevent

Starting the first weekend of November 2021

Three weekend Masses from which Parishioners may choose which Mass time best suits them for the weekend:

Saturdays, 4 pm - Bevent

Sundays, 8:30 am - Galloway

10:10 am - Bevent

This change is in view of the well-being of the Pastor. Thank You, Fr. Gus Bentil (Pastor)

Do you want to deepen your faith and your relationship with Jesus Christ?

Sign up to read through the Catechism of the Catholic Church, 15 minutes per day. A modest schedule of 15 paragraphs per night (roughly 3 pages) has been arranged that will take about 10-15 minutes of reflective reading, 5 nights a week over 38 weeks. You will receive a schedule every two weeks. To register, send an email to Ann Lankford at alankford@diolc.org with Catechism written in the subject line.

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

From the time we are born into this world until we die, our human radar picks up signals about how to respond to life. What we picked up on when we were very young carries an even greater power. The messages we receive and process tell us what we are “supposed” to do with our feelings, how to understand and cope with disappointment, anxiety, failure, death, illness, and what to expect out of life. As life unfolds for us, these radar messages kick in and resonate in us at very deep levels. Sometimes what we have learned is helpful and sometimes it is not. The stories we have been told, especially when we are young, about how life is best lived and how to negotiate its pain carry a heavy weight.

Life can be challenging and frightening. Sometimes, it really hurts to be a human being. It also can be quite unpredictable and, at times, unfair. We face our vulnerability and brokenness of all kinds: physical, emotional, and spiritual. It doesn’t take much for life to quickly fall apart. What we knew to be familiar and true is gone and something we relied upon, physically, emotionally, or spiritually, can be taken away. It is hard to confront our limitations and sit with our incompleteness. Often, life hurts us so much that we find ourselves sitting in a pool of sadness, not sure what we are supposed to do. It is particularly hard when the signals we have inherited tell us that we need to be successful in what we do, and we have to avoid life’s unfairness. We can feel like a failure, wondering what precisely we did to deserve this fate, or ruminate about what we did not do correctly. But it’s really not about us. We are part of a bigger picture and a much more fascinating story!

If we cease doing battle with life’s incompleteness and see ourselves, as God does, on a journey toward wholeness and completeness we can better accept our disappointments and stand firm. The prophets told us, and Jesus reassured us: Be strong! Fear not! Sometimes we have to update our stories and replace them with newer, more accurate ones. When we make God’s story our own and tune our radar into His voice, what we hear is all about restoration, healing, and rejuvenation! This is true even when we think we have hit rock bottom and can go no further. There is always hope. Remember the words of Julian of Norwich: God made us, God loves us, and God keeps us. Now, listen to God when He says, “be opened!” Be healed and allow your stories to change.

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Thrivent: Plan on giving after you’re gone?

Are there people and organizations you want to help financially?

Attend Your Legacy: Family, Church and Charity to learn how you can provide for your loved ones, your church and community’s future, according to your legacy plan.

- Explore spontaneous, intentional and strategic/planned giving.
- See examples of people who have established legacy gift strategies.
- Learn about foundations for charitable giving.

Event details **Thursday, September 30 from 10 – 11 am.**

St. Joseph Church 182526 County Rd C Wittenberg, WI

Reserve Your Place Today: Please call Ashley Hable at 715-623-5279 by September 27.

2021 Harvest Dinner Donations

Reminder that the dinner is **canceled** for this year.

- Thank you for your prayers for the parish.
- Please continue to use any one of these means to offer your donation. Make sure you mark the envelope with your name and Harvest Dinner.
 1. Drop in the collection on weekends.
 2. Mail it in.
 3. Stop and drop it off at the parish office mornings only Monday-Wednesdays between 9 - 11:30 am.
- Our goal for donations is to reach \$10,000
So far we have received \$5350.00
- God Bless you and your family.

Area Events

- ♦ **St Patrick’s, Halder**
Celebrating Sesquicentennial (150 years 1871-2021)
Sunday, September 12 Mass @ 10 am
Followed by lunch and social and children activities
Raffle - Silent Auction - Bingo - Bean Bag tournament
Commemorative mugs and T-shirts for sale
Reprint of 1979 edition ‘green’ cookbook for sale
- ♦ **St. John Catholic Church, Antigo**
International Food Festival
Sunday, September 12 10 am - 3:30 pm
Langlade County Fairgrounds, 1633 Neva Rd Antigo
Mass with polka music at 9 am and 11 am
10 am International Food court, booths, silent auction
Noon - beer garden with NFL football on large screen
Live entertainment-kid games-bounce house-raffles
- ♦ **Fall Bazaar, Saturday, September 25**
from 9 am - 2 pm in Wittenberg
Holy Family-St William Church 202 N Ellms St
On-site eats, holiday crafts, baked goods
‘This ‘N that’ thrift, man things, produce, and more
Alpha House & St Paul Lutheran - same day sales

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