

182590 County Road C, Wittenberg, WI 54499

Parish Office & Rectory: 715-454-6431 Office Hours Monday-Wednesday 8 am - noon

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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. Bentil

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier Cindi Sturm, Parish Administrator Mary Uttecht, DRE

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent Sunday 10:10 am Saturday 4:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

Mark your Calendars!

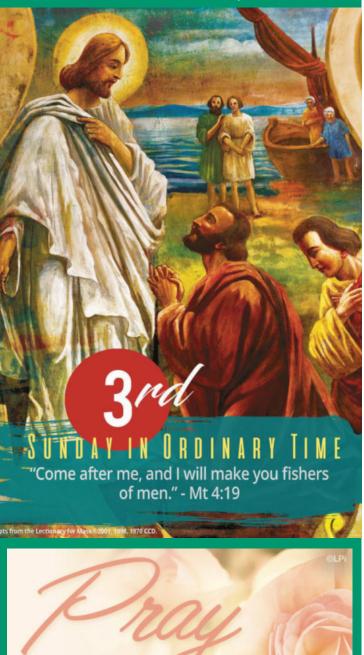
January:

Wed. 25 - CCD 6:15 pm Sun. 29 - Mass 8:30 am **February:**

> Wed. 1 - CCD 6:15 Sun. 5 - Mass 8:30 am Wed. 8 - CCD 6;15



JANUARY 22, 2023



FOR THE **PROTECTION** OF THE UNBORN

Liturgies of the Week

Sun., Jan. 29 - 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time 8:30 am - Dorothy Zoromski *by Family*

Rosary prayed half hour before Mass

Liturgical Ministers Sunday Mass 8:30 am - January 29 Lector: Lisa Walder Eucharist: Jeff Uttecht Blood of Christ: Mary Uttecht Pat Kulas Altar Servers: Henry Knitter Dominick Knitter Ushers: Joe Bushman, Jr. Brennan Bushman TV Monitors: Jett Rogowksi Rosary (Joyful): Crystal Bushman

Gifts to Our Lord (Jan 10 - Jan 16, 2022)

Adult Tithing	\$1,589.00
Youth Envelopes	4.00
Offertory Gifts	
Energy Needs	
Total	\$1,949.00



Parish Office hours are typically Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 8 am to noon. If you call outside of these hours or if no one is available to take your call, please leave a message if you have a non-urgent request. If your need is urgent while Father Gus is away, please contact Sister Mary Ellen at St. Ladislaus in Bevent at 715-446-3060.

Baptism dates: March 4, 5, 11, 12, 25 or 26. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.





Thank you to Father Clayton Elmhorst for serving this weekend. We are so grateful to Fr. Elmhorst for his pastoral presence and for sharing his wisdom through his homily.



Join us following Sunday morning mass on the last Sunday of each month (next week for January) for donuts and coffee. Get to know some of your fellow parishioners!

Candlemas commemorates the ritual purification of Mary, 40 days after the birth of her son Jesus.

This day also marks the ritual presentation of the baby Jesus to God in the Temple at Jerusalem. ... On Candlemas night, many people place lighted candles in their windows at home. It falls on February 2, which is traditionally the 40th day of and the conclusion of the Christmas. We have candles blessed for you to take home and use.



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"SIMON THE FISHERMAN TRUSTED THIS RABBI, WHO DID NOT GIVE HIM ANSWERS BUT REQUIRED HIM TO TRUST." DOPE BENEDICT XVI

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A Minute with Jesus: Why does Jesus want to stay with us always?

You know that Jesus wants to stay with you always because He loves you unconditionally (completely). Why? Because He wants to be with the person He loves. How do you (we) know He loves you so much? Jesus gave His life for you by dying on the Cross so that your sins can be forgiven.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week. Thank You, Jesus, that You want to be with me all the time.

This week read Psalm 139: 13-16 which speak of how well God knows you and how close He is to you.

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS by Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

The Art of Retreat

Social media has made it far too easy for me to share my opinion. These virtual spaces tend to strip our words of all empathy. Someone will post something that I think is nonsense, and I just have to tell them why — and quickly! Hurry! Before they delete it! Nine times out of ten, when the dust is settled, I find that I've said too much and listened too little.

As I've gotten older, the motto I try (not always successfully) to live by is this: You do not have to be on the attack all of the time, even if it's for what you think is the truth.

I can't help but notice that the first thing Jesus does when he hears of the arrest of John the Baptist is to retreat. He doesn't punch a hole in a wall or take to the streets in protest. He withdraws.

And what does he do after withdrawing? A lot of praying, I would imagine. A lot of thinking, a lot of reflecting. A lot of listening to the voice of his Father.

Sometimes we mistake stillness with vulnerability. But Christ shows us that to withdraw, to contemplate, can actually be a tremendous show of strength. Even the fiercest dogs wait for the command of their master before they act.

For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel, and not with the wisdom of human eloquence. -1 Corinthians 1:17 ©LPi

Area Events

- Silent Theme Retreat, Jan. 27-29, St. Anthony Spirituality Center, \$220/person
- Galloway Steak Night, Jan. 28, 4-8 pm, Galloway Community Center
- St. Adalbert Catholic School Breakfast Event, January 29, 8:30am-noon. Adults \$12, Children 6-12 \$5; under 5 are free.
- KOC of Polonia Prime Rib or Shrimp Dinner, Feb. 4, 5-7 pm, \$22 per person
- Divorce Recovery Workshop, St. Anthony Spirituality Center, Marathon, Feb. 10-12, "Learning to let Go, Living a Life of Peace", \$220/person
- Green & Gold Evening of Fun; St. Ladislaus Parish, Bevent, Sat., Feb. 11 beginning at 5 pm; food, drinks, door prizes, raffles.
- Chimis at the Church, St. Florian's Parish, Hatley, Feb. 11, 5-7:30 pm. \$13/plate.
- St. Joseph PCCW Soup Cook-Off, Saturday, Feb. 18, 4:30-6 pm (see details below)
- Lent Fish Fry, St. Florian Parish, Hatley, Feb. 24, Mar 3, 24 & 31, 4-7 pm. \$14-2 piece plate; \$16-3 piece plate.

(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)



Back by popular demand - **PCCW Soup Cook-off** -Saturday, February 18, 4:30-6PM - Enter your soup to win cash prizes! Come and sample lots of soups for only \$5. Basket raffle - 50:50 - Fun! See you there!





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