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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  
Cindi Sturm, Parish Administrator  
Mary Uttecht, DRE

### Mass Times

#### St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am

#### St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Sunday 10:10 am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30-3:50 pm  
Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

### Mark your Calendars!

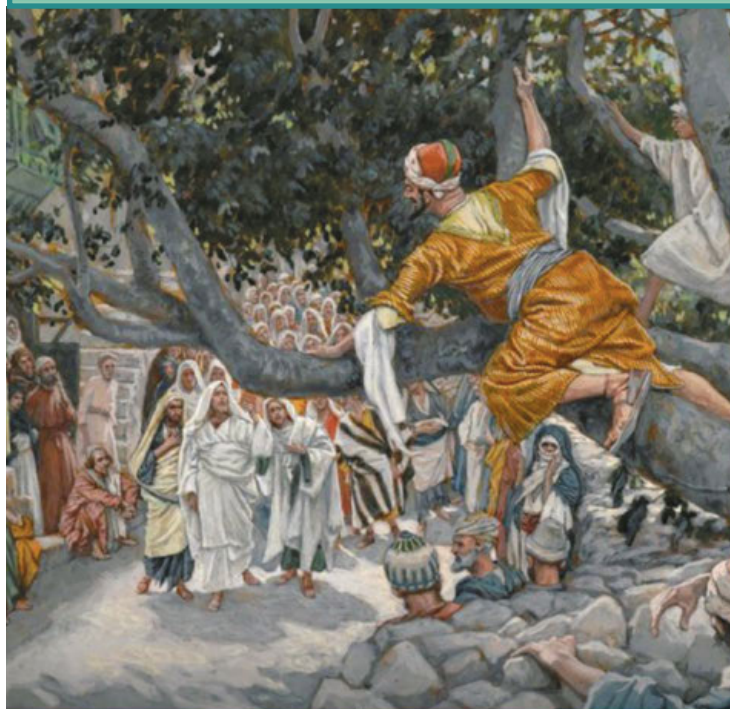
#### October:

- Tues. 1- PCCW Mtg 6 pm  
All Saints Day Mass 7 pm
- Wed. 2 - Mass 8:30 am  
CCD 6:15 pm - 2nd grade parents mtg
- Sat. 5 - Mass 4 pm
- Sun. 6 - Mass 8:30 am



**Change your clocks**  
**Sat. night, Nov. 5!**

**OCTOBER 30, 2022**



### 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over." - Lk 19:8

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## Liturgies of the Week

**Tues., November 1 - All Saints**

**7 pm** - Ray & Eleanor Kosobucki *by daughters, Linda & Geri*

**Wed., November 2 - All Souls**

**8:30 am**- Sick, Homebound & Departed Parishioners

**Sat., November 5-Vigil, 32nd Sun. in Ordinary Time**

**4 pm** - Florence Zoromski *by Jeff & Mary Uttecht*

**Sun., Nov. 6- 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:30 am** - Health of our Community Members

**Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass**

### Liturgical Ministers

**Saturday Mass 4 pm - November 5**

Lector: **Renee Groshek**

Blood of Christ: **Donna Golomski**  
**Dick Golomski**

Ushers: **Cindy Koszarek**  
**Fred Groshek**

TV Monitors: **Carol Wanta**

Rosary (Glorious) & Litany: **Dick & Donna Golomski**

**Sunday Mass 8:30 am - November 6**

Lector: **Jim Martin**

Eucharist: **Joe Bushman**

Blood of Christ: **Jeff Uttecht**

**Donna Kezeske**

Altar Servers: **Jaxton Bushman**  
**Kiya Kersten**

Ushers: **Scott Kezeske**  
**Drayden Kersten**

TV Monitors: **Lia Kezeske**

Rosary (Glorious) & Litany: **Joan Brahmer**

### Gifts to Our Lord (Oct. 18 - Oct. 24)

Adult Tithing .....	\$1,742.00
Youth Envelopes .....	2.00
Offertory Gifts .....	299.00
Memorial Gift.....	135.00
World Mission Sunday.....	348.00
Building Improvement Envelopes .....	75.00
Total.....	\$2,601.00

**Baptism dates:** Nov. 6, 13, 19 or 20, Dec. 3, 4, 10 or 17. 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!

With a grateful heart, I write to express my sincere gratitude and appreciation to all in our two parishes, St. Joseph and St. Ladislaus, for your prayers and kind wishes during the past weekend on my birthday. I am particularly thankful for the cards and the gifts I received to support my ministry. I do acknowledge the love of parishioners for me as I work with you all as your pastor and your faith inspires me as well. May God continue to bless you all and your families.

Fr. Gus



### Book of Life

Once again, our Book of Life will be in front of church during November, the month dedicated to those who have gone before us in death. You are invited to enter the names of deceased loved ones in the Book. During November, we will remember in a special way those whose names are entered in the Book of Life. "Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."

## Marriage Banns

Please join us in praying for Derek Hoffman & Riley Worzella who are preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony. Their marriage will take place on November 12th.



**Join us following Sunday morning mass for donuts and coffee. Get to know some of your fellow parishioners!**



All Saints' Day Mass will be held at St. Joseph's at 7 pm on Tuesday. This holy day of obligation is a day commemorating all the saints of the church, both known and unknown, who have attained heaven.

#### EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS: **Do We Watch Jesus from a Distance?**

It seems to me that Zacchaeus may have gotten more than he bargained for when he scaled that sycamore tree.

We can only speculate as to what the original intentions of the wealthy tax collector were. We know he wanted to see Jesus, of course — but what does that mean? Was he simply curious about this famous and controversial man? Was he moved by what he heard of Jesus' teachings? Was he trying to catch a glimpse, or to get close?

Whatever his initial motivations, we can safely assume he did not expect Jesus to look up and say: "Get down. I am coming to your house today."

I often find myself taking the same posture as Zacchaeus in the tree. Perhaps I have a problem I'm wrestling with or a personal fault I need to overcome. At times I know I need to give of myself in ways that scare me. Whatever it is, I am watching Jesus from a distance. I am removed. Because I worry that when he gets close, he will get in my space. He will see whatever it is I don't want to deal with or tackle.

I need to remember that Jesus does not come to condemn, but to assist. It is God's desire to make us "worthy of His calling." To do that, He knows we need help. He knows we need Him in our space.

I'll say this for Zacchaeus — he was ready. He jumped right down, acknowledged what he had to be ashamed of, and vowed to do better. He brought Jesus home.

May we all have that same courage.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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## Area Events

- ♦ **Ethics & Discernment in Illness or Injury Retreat, Nov. 4-6**, St. Anthony Spirituality Center, Marathon.
- ♦ **St Philip Church, Rudolph, Pancake Breakfast, Nov. 6**, 8am-noon, Adults \$10, 6-12 \$4; 4 & under free.
- ♦ **Sacred Heart, Polonia, Steak Night & Raffle, Sat. Nov. 5** after 4 pm mass. Dinner \$25/person
- ♦ **Bevent Lions Porkie Pancake** all you can eat breakfast, Sunday, **Nov. 6** at St Ladislaus Church in Bevent. 8am to Noon (no flyer)
- ♦ **Silent Theme Retreat, Nov. 11-13**, St. Anthony Spirituality Center, Marathon.
- ♦ **Men of the Cross, Catholic Men's Conference, Sat. Nov. 12** 8:30 am-5:15 pm, LaCrosse Center, \$45/person or highschool age free with their father.
- ♦ **Catholic Classical School information session, Wed. Nov. 16**, 6:30-8 pm, Holy Name of Jesus School, Wausau
- ♦ **St. Therese Holiday Showcase, Schofield, Sat., Nov. 19** 9 am-3 pm. Crafts, Lunch, Raffle, Bake Sale; free admission
- ♦ **St. Ladislaus Noodle & Bake Sale, Sat. Nov. 18 noon-7:30 pm**, noodle & bake sale, crafts, lunch. Vendor space is available - call Sue 715-446-3165.

*(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)*

**PCCW Meeting:** The next meeting of the women of the parish will occur on Tuesday, November 1 at 6 pm. This is just before the 7 pm Mass for All Saints Day. All women of St. Joseph's are invited to join us!

#### Event at St. Ladislaus

Sister Mary Ellen: 715-446-3060,  
sisterme@stladislaus.org

**Memorial/Candle Lighting Ceremony:** Monday, Nov. 7 at 6:30 pm. Please contact Sister Mary Ellen if you would like to have someone who passed away last year included. A light supper will follow the service.



Calling all Boy Scouts interested in earning their Religious Emblems: Ad Altare Dei and Pope Pius XII. If your unit does not offer classes and you want information, contact

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