



# ST. RAPHAEL

## THE ARCHANGEL

### CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday 5 pm**

**Sunday 8 am, 10 am**

Our 5 pm Sunday night Mass will return on Sept. 7

#### Weekday Masses

Monday - Wednesday 8 am

Thursday & Friday 7:15 am

#### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Tuesday 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Wednesday 8:00 pm - 8:30 pm

#### Mass for the Homebound

Radio Mass Sunday 8 am on WOSH 1490AM

TV Mass w/ Bishop Ricken - Sundays at  
**10:30 am on WFRV Local 5**

#### Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Friday 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Our Catholic School:** Lourdes Academy  
[www.lourdes.today](http://www.lourdes.today) 920-426-3626

#### PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor	Fr. Tom Long
Parochial Vicar	Fr. Ben Pribbenow
Pastoral Associate	Sara Scheunemann
Deacons	Greg Grey, John Ingala, Mark Leafgren

## August 17, 2025



### 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished! Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. From now on a household of five will be divided, three against two and two against three." - Lk 12:50-52

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### MISSION OF ST. RAPHAEL

As friends and followers of Jesus, we are devoted to fostering households and communities of discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.



Dear Parishioners,

Blessed 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time! We are in the dog days of summer. School is right around the corner and things are about to ramp up. In this light, I was struck by a line in our second reading for this weekend. *"Let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus."*

As a former track athlete and current runner, I enjoy racing. There are many beautiful parallels to running a race and the Christian life. Perhaps this is why the author of Hebrews uses this analogy. Christ is our ultimate goal. We want to arrive at union with Him. We are racing, running towards him. That said, this race is not a sprint! The Christian life is a slow process of *ridding ourselves of burdens and sins. This takes place through daily prayer, the sacrament of confession, and Christian Community (very important!).*

Running gets easier when you do it regularly, just like **prayer**. Every few weeks, you need to change it up and do a different workout. This is like **confession**. Finally, going for a run is much more enjoyable when done with friends. Likewise, we need **Christian community** if we will ever effectively arrive at Christ. As the school year approaches, I encourage you to dive into these three practices and so persevere in running the race towards Christ.



**Blessings,**

**Fr. Ben**



This week's Memorial Candle is burning in memory of the **Irene, Sy & Jerry Wolf**

This week's Sanctuary Candle is burning in memory of the **John Nolte, Sr. & John Nolte, Jr.**

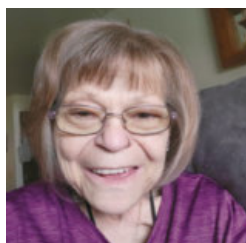


**Our Young People Need Your Support:** We are seeing Jesus enter the lives of so many young men and women on their faith journey. Have you made your gift to help our young people? Let us see if we can increase our support of this important part of the mission of the Diocese of Green Bay, and let's help our young people say "yes" to a vocation to the priesthood or religious life. Make your gift today by mailing in your pledge card, visit [www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give](http://www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give) or call **Tammy Danz at 920-272-8123.**

Please also return the card suggesting a young man or woman to consider the call.

*Reconciliation*

Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 pm  
Tuesday 4:30 to 5:30 pm  
Wednesday 8:00 to 8:30 pm



Congratulations to **Doreen Effertz** who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend.



Our weekend's Radio Broadcast Mass can be sponsored in memory of a loved one or in celebration of a life event.

**The donation is \$60.**

Please remember St. Raphael Parish as a beneficiary in your will and estate planning. This helps form a strong foundation for our future. **Thank you!**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Saturday, August 16

#### Oshkosh Area Food Pantry Collection

9:00 am	Christ Child Society Wrkshp/Mtg
3:30 pm	Reconciliation
5:00 pm	Mass
6:00 pm	Cookie Social after Mass

### Sunday, August 17

#### Oshkosh Area Food Pantry Collection

#### Morning Masses at 8am & 10am

Burrito Sunday

### Monday, August 18

8:00 am	Mass
2:00 pm	Women of Faith Small Group
5:00 pm	Prayer Shawl Meeting
6:00 pm	Usher Meeting
6:15 pm	Catholicism 101

### Tuesday, August 19

8:00 am	Mass
4:30 pm	Reconciliation
6:00 pm	Greeter Meeting
6:15 pm	Finance Council Meeting
6:30 pm	Bringing God's Hope to the Immigrant

### Wednesday, August 20

8:00 am	Mass
5:00 pm	Middle School/High School Social
6:00 pm	Reader Meeting
8:00 pm	Reconciliation

### Thursday, August 21

7:15 am	Mass
2:00 pm	Grief Support
6:30 pm	Parish Council

### Friday, August 22

7:15 am	Mass
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### Saturday, August 23

3:30 pm	Reconciliation
5:00 pm	Mass
6:00 pm	Cookie Social after Mass

### Sunday, August 24

#### Morning Masses at 8am & 10am

Coffee & Donuts after Masses
3:00 pm Families of Faith

## STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING

### WEEK ENDING AUGUST 10, 2025

Praying at Mass	1,286
Envelope Collection	\$ 15,002
Loose Collection	\$ 1,408
EFT	\$ 617
On-Line Giving	\$ 5,642
<b>Total Weekly Collections</b>	<b>\$ 22,669</b>

Year to date giving (actual) \$ 151,057

Year to date giving (budgeted) \$ 120,000

## Weekend Mass Updates:

	Saturday		Sunday		Total
	5:00	8:00	10:00	5:00	
July 19/20	377	366	467	n/a	1,210
July 26/27	378	403	524	n/a	1,305
August 2/3	313	418	531	n/a	1,262
August 9/10	339	435	512	n/a	1,286



RAMSEY

**FinancialPeace**  
UNIVERSITY

Register to Join the  
Classes at St. Raphael!

**Thursdays**  
**September 11– November 13**

Call the parish office at 920-233-8044  
for more information!

## Upcoming Events

- August 24 - Families of Faith begins
- August 30/31 - Missionary Appeal Weekend
- September 1 - Labor Day (No Mass)
- September 7 - Sunday 5pm Mass begins
- September 9/10 - Religious Education Classes begin



The intercessory prayer team will be available to pray with you after the 5pm Mass on Saturday and 8am and 10am Masses on Sunday mornings. The intercessory prayer team will pray with you for special intentions that you might have for yourself, family, friends, or to pray with you to thank God for His many blessings.



## Heavenly Hero for August: St. John Vianney

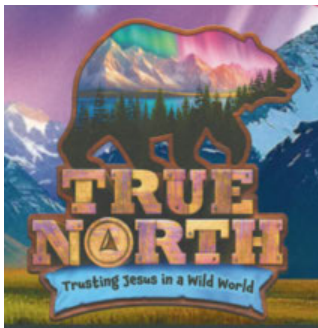
St. John Vianney is the patron saint of parish priests and confessors. St. John Vianney spent his life building the Church through his ministry as a parish priest.



To honor his work as a family to build a church out of Legos or some other type of blocks. For an instructional video on

how to build a church out of Legos visit [www.youtube.com/watch?v=jdS4wq1MgLO](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jdS4wq1MgLO).

***St. John Vianney, pray for us!***



On August 4-8 over 100 children participated in True North VBS where they learned that no matter what, we can trust in Jesus in a wild world! A big thank you to all the youth and adults who volunteered for VBS. An

extra special shout out to VBS Coordinator **Katie Zurawski** and the following members of the VBS leadership team. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus to the children and families of our parish!

- Veronica Glodowski (MC)
- Jenn Jensen (Bible Adventures)
- Sarah Klein (Games)
- Violet Krautkramer (Assistant MC)
- Abby Mikesell (4k Base Camp)
- Megan Paulik (Imagination Station)
- Emily Sopata (Sticky Scripture)
- Mary Wichmann (Snacks)
- Kathy Baehman (Family Outreach Coordinator)

## RE Updates

Are you interested in teaching youth about their faith? We are **currently in need of catechists** for the following days/times. Please Contact Jessie Adrians ([jessie.adrians@raphael.org](mailto:jessie.adrians@raphael.org)) to find out more or to volunteer to help.

**Tuesday, 4:30-6:00: Grades 3, 4 & 5**

**Wednesday, 4:30-6:00: Grades 1, 2 & 3**

Registration for Faith Formation grades 4K-Confirmation is now available online. Scan the QR code to register or find out more.



Families of Faith begins Sunday, August 24, 3-5pm. Please register no later than Sunday, August 17.

Weekly class sessions for grades 1-8 and bi-weekly class sessions for grades 9 and 10 begin September 9/10. Please register no later than Thursday, September 4.

Confirmation classes begin Monday, September 8. Please register no later than September 1.

There is a First Reconciliation parent meeting on September 16/17, 4:30-5:30. Invitations will be sent to families the first week of September.



**Tom & Cindy Schuetz**

## JOINING OUR PARISH

If you are interested in becoming a member of St. Raphael Parish, ask a parish staff person, deacon or priest before or after Mass for a New Parishioner Folder, or call the parish office. After reviewing the folder, set up an appointment to meet with Fr. Ben or Fr. Tom. We would love to welcome you as a parish member!



Bringing Christ to the world through the media



**LOURDES  
ACADEMY**

2025-26  
**KINDERGARTEN**  
REGISTRATION OPEN!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT  
**THERESA WARWICK**  
[twarwick@lourdes.today](mailto:twarwick@lourdes.today)  
**920-426-6421**




The following child will be  
baptized at  
St. Raphael this weekend

**Everly Leea**  
daughter of Ean & Kayla Aleson

**Welcome, Little One!**

### Infant Baptism

Infants accept the faith through the faith of their parents. Our parish offers group sessions to prepare parents for the baptism ceremony and for leading their children in a life of faith. Sessions are held twice per month, all year round. It may be easier to participate in a session before the child is born. Please call or email to register for the Baptism Preparation session and to schedule your child's baptism.

Contact Jill Eaton at 920-233-8044, ext 222 [jill.eaton@raphael.org](mailto:jill.eaton@raphael.org) There is one session for the first child, and a different session for the second child. Once parents have completed both sessions, they do not need to repeat for subsequent children.

One **Catholic godparent** is needed, who must be a **Confirmed, practicing Catholic** at least 16 years of age. If there are two godparents, there should be **one male and one female**. There should not be more than two godparents. A non-Catholic Christian may serve as a Christian witness in addition to the Catholic godparent.

## THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY INTO HEAVEN A Special Feast Day

The Assumption of Mary is also known as the Falling Asleep of the Blessed Virgin Mary and is celebrated every year on August 15.

We celebrate when our Blessed Mother was taken up into Heaven body and soul at the end of her life. On November 1, 1950 Pope Pius XII declared the doctrine of the Assumption:

*"By the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, of the Blessed Apostles Peter and Paul, and by our own authority, we pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory."*

What is the difference between the Ascension and the Assumption? Jesus ascended. Mary was assumed. Because Jesus is God, He went up into Heaven by His own power. Mary, however, is a creature. She is not God. She could not ascend to heaven by her own power. So, she was assumed—taken up into heaven.

Even though Mary was assumed into Heaven, she is always with us. Heaven is our home and Mary wants us to be with her and her Son for all eternity. On the Solemnity of the Assumption, let us remember our Mother who is in Heaven and who loves us very much. The Assumption is the fourth Glorious Mystery in the Rosary. So every time we pray the Rosary we can remember that she is always with us and that she loves us more than anyone else on earth could!

*"Mary, give me your heart: so beautiful, so pure, so immaculate; your Heart so full of love and humility that I may be able to receive Jesus in the Bread of Life and love Him as you love Him and serve Him in the distressing guise of the poor."*

### BLESSED MOTHER MARY, PRAY FOR US!



**Kathy Baehman**  
**Family Outreach Coordinator**

**HAVE YOU  
PRAYED TODAY?**



### Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

If you are interested in becoming part of the Catholic faith, or learning more about it, please call or email the parish office to learn how you can join the Catholic Church. 920-233-8044 or [parish.office@raphael.org](mailto:parish.office@raphael.org)

## Jubilee Year of Hope Guest Speaker Series: Bringing God's Hope to the Immigrant



Our Jubilee Year of Hope Guest Speaker Series next welcomes **World Relief**.

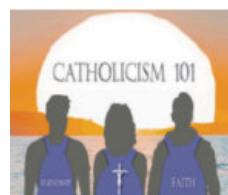
World Relief comes alongside refugees and other vulnerable immigrants in the Oshkosh and Appleton areas to provide refugee resettlement services, immigration legal services, employment services, and English classes.

Come and learn more about the challenges that refugees face in our communities and what is being done to help. Our guest speaker will be Kalina Davis, the Church and Community Engagement Manager with World Relief in our area.

**THIS Tuesday, August 19**  
**6:30-7:30 pm**  
**Good Samaritan Hall**



The stranger who resides with you shall be to you as the native among you, and you shall love him as yourself, for you were aliens in the land of Egypt; I am the Lord your God. (Leviticus 19:34)



### Catholicism101

*Understand Our Catholic Faith Better*

**Next Meeting: Monday,  
August 18, 6:15-7:45 pm**  
Rooms 104-106

**Topic: The Body & Blood of Christ**

Questions? Contact Sara at

[sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228.

### Summer Women of Faith Small Groups

*New women are welcome to join in at any time!*

**Mom's Group:** Weekly summer playdates

**Working Mom's Group:** Second Saturdays of the Month (Sept.13), St. Raphael, Rooms 110 & 111 (off of Good Samaritan Hall) 9am

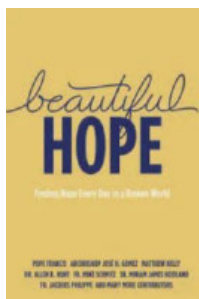
**Women's Group Open to All (afternoon):** 2pm

Third Mondays of the Month (August 18),  
St. Raphael Rooms 104-106

**Women's Group Open to All (evening):** On break for the summer.

Contact Sara at [sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228, to be connected to any of these groups.

### Beautiful Hope Book Discussion



Tuesday 6:30-7:30 pm -  
**August 26 - OR -**  
Wednesday 9-10 am - **August 27**  
Rooms 104-106

One of the parish's Easter gifts this year was Matthew Kelly's book, *Beautiful Hope*. It's an easy and encouraging read - perfect for your summer "beach reading." Join us on Tuesday evenings or Wednesday mornings in August to talk about the virtue of hope. Come anytime; no sign-up needed.

If you need a copy of the book, contact Sara at [sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or at 920-233-8044 ext. 228.

**God has no phone  
but I still talk to Him.**

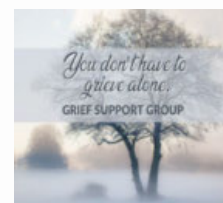
### Grief Support

An ongoing support group for those grieving the loss of a loved one.

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays**  
**2-3 pm**

**St. Raphael Parish**

New Members are welcome! If you have questions, please contact Jill Eaton at 920-233-8044.



Our church is open during the daytime almost every day of the year. Evening times vary based on scheduled events. You are welcome to spend time in prayer in the church or in our Eucharistic Chapel (in back of church). Praying with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament (tabernacle) is unlike praying in any other location because of the real presence of Christ.



St. Raphael is equipped with a hearing loop.  
Please switch your hearing aid to T-Coil.



# Our Afghan Neighbors

As we consider the theme of bringing God's hope to the immigrant, one thing that can help us is getting to know their stories. The weekend of September 6-7, we welcome a traveling exhibit to St. Raphael that features the stories of eight Afghan refugees.

"World Relief Fox Valley and the History Museum at the Castle (in Appleton) partnered to make the exhibition possible. Staff from World Relief and the History Museum worked together conducting oral history interviews with

eight Afghans. Their stories and chilling accounts of escaping Afghanistan are the basis for the personal exhibition. The Afghans interviewed for the exhibit challenged the stereotypical image of Afghanistan depicted in the news. *Our Afghan Neighbors also shows the connections between local, national, and international history.*" (From the History Museum at the Castle website)

**Stop by Good Samaritan Hall after Mass on September 6 or 7 for a cookie or donut and to view the exhibit.**



## Living Hope Discipleship Group

We are asked as Christians to always "be ready to share our hope" (1 Peter 3:15). But what does that look like

exactly? We'll explore what it means to bring our hope in Jesus to our families and friends through the witness and example of the saints.

### Topics:

- What is the hope that we share?
- How have we experienced this hope in our own lives?
- Praying with Hope: St. Monica & St. Therese
- Speaking with Hope: St. Ambrose & St. Philip
- Acting with Hope: St. Mother Teresa & Mary, Mother of God

### Dates & Times:

Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 pm -or-  
Wednesdays 9-10 am

September 9/10 and 23/24  
October 7/8 and 21/22  
November 4/5 and 18/19

RSVP at <https://tinyurl.com/livinghope2025> or to Sara Scheunemann at [sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228.



**Special Saturday Opportunity:  
Bringing God's Hope to Loved  
Ones Who Have Left the Faith  
Guest Speaker: Mike Iversen  
Saturday, September 27  
9:30-11:30 am  
Good Samaritan Hall**

RSVP at <https://tinyurl.com/mikeiversen> or to Sara Scheunemann at [sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228. Walk-ins are also welcome!

In this session, Mike will look at some common misconceptions and mistakes that we often make when trying to get our loved ones back to the Church. Mike will then provide some practical tips and tools to help us enter into dialogue with those we love regarding faith and the goodness it brings. You don't have to have a Master's Degree or be a member of Clergy to have meaningful conversations about being Catholic, you only need to be authentic!

Mike Iversen is the Director of Discipleship at SPIRITUS. He has spent over 25 years working with young people, and over 20 years in full-time ministry in parishes and apostolates. Mike has been married to Kate for 24 years, and they have three young adult children. Mike was an ordained Protestant pastor until 2009, when he and his family were confronted with the truth that God's Church is One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic, and can only be found in the Catholic Faith. His family came into Full Communion with the Catholic Church 15 years ago, and they haven't looked back.

# Be a Part of a Living Directory!

**For Full Details:** Scan QR Code or visit [raphael.org/directory](http://raphael.org/directory)  
**Questions?** [megan.kugel@raphael.org](mailto:megan.kugel@raphael.org), (920) 233-8044, ext. 234



## Submit Your Photo

Email [directory@raphael.org](mailto:directory@raphael.org)

### Include:

- The correct spelling of names
- Email addresses of those who wish to have web/app access
- (optional) phone number, birthday

### Please indicate

if you **do not want** your email address published or child/ren's names listed.



## Need a Photo?

Bring your smartphone before or after Masses to Good Samaritan Hall **August: 9/10, 16/17, 23/24**

Photos will not be taken on Labor Day Weekend.

More weekends will open in September if needed.

To date we have 128 families who have sent photos for our Living Directory!

If you need assistance sending your photo, please contact the parish office at 920-233-8044!

# Father Carr's Place 2B Annual Appeal

We are excited to announce a new initiative, Father Carr's Annual Appeal. This annual appeal will focus on upgrading our infrastructure and facilities over forthcoming years.

- Facilities renovations
- Grounds improvements
- HVAC replacements
- Technology infrastructure upgrades
- Other special projects as needed

Please consider a one-time gift, a monthly or annual pledge to support our facilities and infrastructure needs to maintain Father Carr's for generations to come. For your convenience, below is a QR code that you can use to donate.



For more information on our Life Enrichment Center and how to support the ministry through this Annual Appeal, please contact Jim Boehm, Father Carr's Executive Director at (920) 231- 2378 or at [jimboehm@fathercarrs.org](mailto:jimboehm@fathercarrs.org).

**Father Carr's Place 2B Life Enrichment Center receives no public/government funding.**



Prayer Shawls are available for persons who are ill or in need of healing in some way. Prayer shawls are knit and/or crocheted by women in our parish. Each is crafted with prayer, soft yarn (provided along with a variety of patterns) and love. **If you and would like to request a Prayer Shawl, please call the office at 920-233-8044.**



## Service Opportunity

**Prayer chain** – Pray on your own by first name for those requesting prayers  
[parish.office@raphael.org](mailto:parish.office@raphael.org)



## Divorce Support

Are you recently divorced? Have you been divorced for a while and are struggling to move on with life? There are people within the St. Raphael catholic faith community that have lived this experience and can assist you during this challenging time with addressing some common “myths” about the path ahead and to reassure you that you aren’t alone.

For more information contact the parish office or email [tom.long@raphael.org](mailto:tom.long@raphael.org)



## Dear St. Raphael Church,

Just wanted to thank you for the generous donation and continued support of Oshkosh Area Community Pantry. We continue to be the busiest we have ever been and don’t anticipate the need reducing anytime soon. This donation will help keep our shelves stocked with food! We appreciate the help in solving food insecurity in our community.

Thank you!

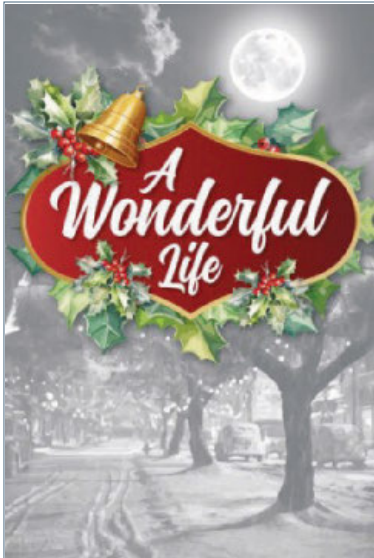
**Ryan**  
**Oshkosh Area Community Pantry**



## Fireside Bus Trip!

Mark your calendars for **Friday, November 21** for St. Raphael’s Annual bus trip to Fireside Theater in Fort Atkinson to see the classic ***A Wonderful Life***.

**More details will be available in next weekend’s bulletin!**



*Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the LORD your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you....(Deuteronomy 31: 6)*

## KNIGHTS IN ACTION



### Who are the Knights of Columbus

We are your ushers, communion servers, lectors, and members of the choir. We are the ones handing out tootsie rolls, making breakfast burritos, flipping pancakes and grilling brats and burgers. We at St. Raphael are but a few of the over a million men worldwide who have banded together to keep the mission going, and we love what we do. But more than that, we are fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and your neighbors and friends. We are community members who enjoy our lives and families. The St. Raphael Council 11305 are asking you to consider joining today at [kofc.org/join](http://kofc.org/join). Specify council11305 for the preferred council. We look forward to having you join us in our mission.

Any questions contact Mike Brefczynski at [mbrefczynski@gmail.com](mailto:mbrefczynski@gmail.com) or 920-379-7716 or Greg Weisse at [gmweisse@gmail.com](mailto:gmweisse@gmail.com) or 920-420-9897.

### Burrito Sunday

Proceeds support our Sister Parish

### Coats for Kids

I know its early, but start gathering up those coats for the October Coats for Kids drive.

To join the Knights, you can go to:

<https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-kofc.html>

## Congratulations to

**Ronald & Juanita Schmitz**  
who are celebrating their  
**69th Wedding Anniversary**



## Wedding Anniversary Blessings



If you are celebrating a wedding anniversary of 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or over 60 years, contact the parish office if you would like to receive a blessing during Mass and/or be included in the intercessions (petitions/ Universal Prayer). We will be limiting blessings during Mass to these years unless there are unusual circumstances. Congratulations to all married couples as we pray for God’s strength to live out your vocation.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, August 16

5:00 pm Sandy Frankovich †

### Sunday, August 17 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Beverly & Richard Schumacher †

10:00 am Carol Gibson †

### Monday, August 18

8:00 am John Nolte, Sr. & John Nolte, Jr. †

### Tuesday, August 19

8:00 am Stephen Landolt †

### Wednesday, August 20 St. Bernard

8:00 am Palomaki Children

### Thursday, August 21 St. Pius X, Pope

7:15 am Jerry & Jane Panske †

### Friday, August 22

#### Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:15 am Mary Be Lay †

### Saturday, August 23

5:00 pm Jim Finnel †

### Sunday, August 24 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Dr. Katie & Bob Kubiak †

10:00 am Frank Rekowski †

## 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time / August 24, 2025

### First Reading:

I know their works and their thoughts,  
and I come to gather nations of every language;  
they shall come and see my glory. (Is 66:18)

### Psalm:

Go out to all the world and tell the Good News. (Ps 117)

### Second Reading:

So strengthen your drooping hands and your weak  
knees. Make straight paths for your feet,  
that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed.  
(Heb 12:12-13)

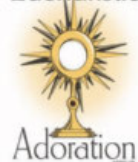
### Gospel:

For behold, some are last who will be first,  
and some are first who will be last." (Lk 13:30)

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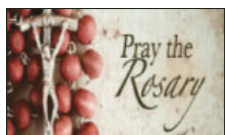
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## Eucharistic



### City-Wide Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration is available M-Th  
9am to 8pm at St Mary Church. Please  
contact Kathie Reed with the Adoration  
Committee for more information.  
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The **Rosary** is prayed each weekday  
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