



ST. RAPHAEL

THE ARCHANGEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5 pm
Sunday 8 am, 10 am, 5 pm

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
7:30 am on WFRV Local 5

Parish Office Hours (Closed Labor Day)

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Friday 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Our Catholic School: Lourdes Academy
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

September 7, 2025



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Which of you wishing to construct a tower does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if there is enough for its completion? ... In the same way, anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple." - Lk 14:28, 33

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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.



Christian Family Movement

Dear Parishioners,

Don't you just love a good redemption story? There is something about stories like *Les Miserables* and *The Count of Monte Cristo* that are so satisfying and inspiring. Of course, the greatest redemption story in history is that of Jesus Christ, who died to save us. St. Paul's Letter to Philemon (our second reading this Sunday) beautifully mirrors the salvation offered in Christ. Let's investigate.

The letter has 3 main characters: St. Paul, a runaway slave named Onesimus, and Onesimus's master. St. Paul, in prison (literally) for Christ, meets Onesimus during his imprisonment. In their conversations, St. Paul wins Onesimus for Christ. So, Onesimus returns to his master with this letter, no longer a slave to sin, but truly set free in Christ. Onesimus and his "master" now share One Master, the Christ. They are "brothers" in the Lord and St. Paul encourages the recipient of the letter to treat Onesimus as such. They share a freedom in Christ Jesus that is so much deeper than the exchange of services.



May this brief letter from St. Paul remind us that our bond as sons and daughters of the Father is far deeper than anything that might separate us by worldly standards.

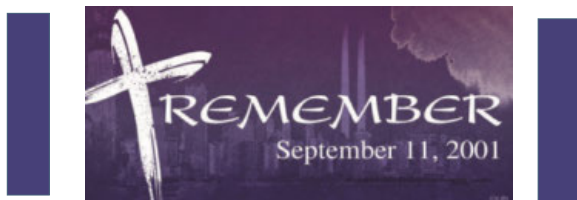
**Peace,
Fr. Ben**

Two new Saints for our Time!

Canonization on September 7



St. Carlo Acutis	St. Pier Giorgio Frassati
1991-2006	1901-1925
First Millennial Saint	Man of the Beatitudes
"The Eucharist is my highway to heaven."	"Verso l'alto!" ("To the Heights!")



Upcoming Events

September 7 - Sunday 5pm Mass begins
September 9/10 - RE Classes begin
September 14 - Second Sunday Holy Hour
September 20 - Newcomer Dinner
September 21 - Burrito Sunday
September 28 - Families of Faith



Second Sunday Holy Hour (Sshh...) Returns!
Sunday, September 14,
from 4-4:45 pm *Before the 5 pm Mass*

Adoration and quiet prayer time with Jesus, present to us in the Blessed Sacrament. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available.



This week's Memorial Candle is burning in memory of the **Audrey Felker**

This week's Sanctuary Candle is burning in memory of the **Tom Scharpf**

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Saturday, September 6

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

Sunday, September 7

Morning Masses at 8am & 10am

Coffee & Donuts after Masses

- 5:00 pm Mass
- 6:00 pm Cookie Social after Mass

Monday, September 8

- 8:00 am Mass
- 6:00 pm Baptism Class
- 6:15 pm Confirmation Class

Tuesday, September 9

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:45 am SSM Association Meeting
- 4:30 pm Reconciliation
- 4:30 pm Grades 1-5 RE Classes
- 4:30 pm Middle School Edge
- 6:15 pm Human Concerns Commission
- 6:30 pm Living Hope Discipleship Group

Wednesday, September 10

- 8:00 am Mass
- 9:00 am Living Hope Discipleship Group
- 9:30 am Women's Spirituality Group
- 4:30 pm Grades 1-5 RE Classes
- 5:30 pm Middle School Edge
- 7:30 pm High School RE Classes
- 8:00 pm Reconciliation

Thursday, September 11

- 7:15 am Mass
- 6:00 pm Financial Peace University
- 6:00 pm Christ Child Society Board Meeting
- 6:00 pm Mixed Choir
- 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus

Friday, September 12

- 7:15 am Mass

Saturday, September 13

- 9:00 am Working Moms' Group
- 3:30 pm Reconciliation
- 5:00 pm Mass
- 6:00 pm Cookie Social after Mass

Sunday, September 14

Morning Masses at 8am & 10am

Coffee & Donuts after Masses

- 4:00 pm Second Sunday Holy Hour
- 5:00 pm Mass
- 6:00 pm Cookie Social after Mass

STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 31, 2025

Praying at Mass	1,299
Envelope Collection	\$ 12,037
Loose Collection	\$ 1,333
EFT	\$ 1,077
On-Line Giving	\$ 7,562
Total Weekly Collections	\$ 22,009
Year to date giving (actual)	\$ 224,224
Year to date giving (budgeted)	\$ 180,000

Weekend Mass Updates:

	Saturday	Sunday	Total
	5:00	8:00 10:00 5:00	
August 9/10	339	435 512 n/a	1,286
August 16/17	324	379 630 n/a	1,333
August 23/24	333	407 566 n/a	1,306
August 30/31	400	398 501 n/a	1,299

Second Collection for Gaza

Bishop Ricken is asking all parishes to have a collection to support the relief efforts in Gaza this weekend!

Funds will be used to support the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) and Catholic Relief Services (CRS). These organizations are the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic Church and are in Gaza, working to provide medical and psychological care, food, shelter, and hygiene supplies to all in need.



Ben Collins

will enter the Catholic Church through a Profession of Faith and the sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation this weekend.

Ben, welcome to the Catholic Faith!



Please pray for:

Betty Grover who died August 30

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)

NEVER underestimate the power of PRAYER....

Heavenly Hero for September: St. Teresa of Calcutta

Born: August 26, 1910

Died: September 5, 1997

Feast Day: September 5

Patronage: World Youth Day, Missionaries of Charity, and the Archdiocese of Calcutta
Mother Teresa, also known as Saint Teresa of Calcutta, was born in a city called Skopje, located in present day Albania. Her parents called her Agnes. When Agnes was just twelve, she realized God was calling her to become a missionary. At the age of eighteen, Agnes joined the Sisters of Loreto and became a missionary with the Sisters of Loreto in India.

Sister Teresa was transferred to the convent school in Calcutta. She taught there for almost twenty years. She was very saddened by the poverty in India. On September 10, 1946, Sister Teresa experienced "the call within the call." She describes the experience in the following way, "I was to leave the convent and help the poor while living among them."

In 1948, Teresa donned a cotton sari (traditional Indian garb) with a blue border. Armed with an Indian citizen and basic medical training, Teresa ventured into the slums. She founded a school and began caring for the poor and the hungry. Women began joining her in her work in 1949. Teresa then began formulating the groundwork for a new religious community dedicated to serving "the poorest of the poor." This community became known as the Missionaries of Charity.

Mother Teresa served as superior general of the Missionaries of Charity from 1950 until her death in 1997. Each member makes the customary vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience and to *give wholehearted free service to the poorest of the poor. At the time of Mother Teresa's death, the Missionaries of Charity had grown to more than 4,000 sisters and 300 brothers working at 610 missions in more than 123 countries. She was canonized by Pope Francis in 2016.*

Talking Point with Children: St. Teresa of Calcutta reminds us that when we do small things with great love we can make a difference in the world. Her witness impacted countless lives and she inspired many others to answer Jesus' call to serve the least of these through acts of mercy and love.

Action Step for Children: Perform small acts of kindness: Challenge each family member to do "small things with great love." This could be as simple as smiling at a stranger, helping a sibling with a chore, or sharing a toy.



RE Updates

- Are you interested in teaching youth about their faith but can't commit to volunteering weekly? We are currently in need of **substitute catechists** for all grades and times. Contact Jessie Adrians (jessie.adrians@raphael.org) if you can help.
- Registration for Faith Formation grades 4K-Confirmation is available online. Scan the QR code to register or find out more.
- Weekly class sessions for grades 1-8 and bi-weekly class sessions for grades 9 and 10 begin September 9/10. Letters confirming registration were sent to families on August 29.
- Confirmation classes begin Monday, September 8. There is a First Reconciliation parent meeting on September 16/17, 4:30-5:30. Invitations were sent to families the first week of September.



Children's Liturgy of the Word is in need of leaders.

CLOW happens during the 10am Mass time and is about 20 minutes long. An outline and all materials are provided. You can sign up to lead when it is convenient for you. CLOW leaders must be 18 or older but if you are under 18 you can sign up as an assistant. Contact Gwendolyn Noto at gwendolyn.noto@raphael.org to sign up to help or with questions.



Makenzie Timmerman
Tony & Kristin Bird

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!



Welcome!

This retreat is an invitation to pause, listen, and rediscover the quiet strength of hope. God's love is personal, present, and powerful. And hope is the light that keeps it burning.

Join us Saturday, September 27th from 9AM - 5PM, on the peaceful grounds of the Jesuit Retreat House for a one-day retreat created especially for young adults (ages 18-30).

Through prayer, reflection, conversation, and silence, we'll explore what it means to carry hope—not as a feeling, but as a way of being in the world.



Registration

Please register online and secure your spot today! We look forward to welcoming you to our peaceful shores.

Cost: \$20 payable at registration (includes lunch)

Got Rhythm?

The beginning of the school year brings a lot of change to family life. I have a friend who is sending her oldest off to college, my niece walked her son to kindergarten for the first time. These times make us aware of the rhythm of life.

In past generations people's lives followed the rhythms of nature more closely. In Autumn people prepared for winter. Winter came and life slowed down. People rested, reflected and rejuvenated. With spring came the work of preparing soil, planting seeds and pruning away unnecessary deadwood. In summer, people tended to what had been sown. The season included long days of hard work, but also, days of celebration with family and friends.

For a lot of parents, these seasonal rhythms have been replaced. Maybe by sports seasons of football and soccer, basketball and volleyball, baseball and more soccer. Or by the consumer buying seasons: back-to-school sales, Halloween candy, costumes and decorations, followed by Thanksgiving, then Christmas shopping, after-Christmas sales, Valentines Day, Easter and Fourth of July. Yet, these new cadences of life offer little or no down time. It's all go, go, go!

How do we get off this merry-go-round? Just jump off? Is it possible to slow down a bit and then step off? Rhythm is such an essential part of nature, it must be important in our lives. How can we be more intentional about establishing rhythm nowadays?

Start small. Maybe night or morning prayer is already a habit; add two minutes at noon or before dinner. Use the family Bible to read a psalm or chapter from the Gospels or sit quietly for five minutes concentrating on the rhythm of your own breathing. As you get in the rhythm, you may find you want to increase the amount of prayer, or the number of times.



Establishing a regular pattern of prayer fertilizes the soil so other life-giving rhythms can take root!

Kathy Baehman
Family Outreach Coordinator



Happy Birthday to
Myra Kation
who will celebrate her
85th birthday
this week!



Jubilee Year of Hope Guest Speaker Series: Bringing God's Hope to Infertility

Our Jubilee Year of Hope Guest Speaker Series welcomes **St. Gianna Clinic**.

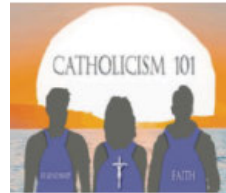
**Tuesday, September 16
6:30-7:30 pm
Good Samaritan Hall**

Located in De Pere, the St. Gianna Clinic provides faith-centered health care that abides by the teachings of the Catholic faith. Areas of specialty include women's care, pediatrics, family medicine, infertility/fertility planning, and psychiatry. On September 16, Dr. Tom Reinardy will join us to share about hopeful options for couples who face infertility.



**St. Gianna
Clinic**

Truly Excellent. Always Faithful.™



A New Session Begins September 15!

Would you like to better understand the Catholic faith? Want to grow in your relationship with God?

Catholicism 101 is a great place to take the next step in your faith journey. Open to all! Join us anytime!

Catholicism 101 is especially for those interested in becoming Catholic or being confirmed as an adult. One-on-one learning options are also available for those who can't make it on Monday nights.



**Mondays, 6:15-7:45 pm
St. Raphael, Rooms 104-106
Starts September 15**

Our first 7 sessions will focus on the big questions of faith that we all ask, following along with the series: The Search.

Need more info? Not able to make Monday nights, but still interested in becoming Catholic or being confirmed as an adult? Contact Sara Scheunemann, pastoral associate at St. Raphael, sara.scheunemann@raphael.org or 920-233-8044, ext. 228.

OSHKOSH CATHOLIC PARISHES WOMEN OF FAITH

Fall 2025 Bus Trip Women of Christ Conference

Saturday, November 15

Depart from St. Raphael 6:45AM
Conference Day 8:45AM - 5PM
Return to St. Raphael 7PM (approx.)

Featuring:

Julianne Stanz • Msgr. James Shea •
Archbishop Grob • Eucharistic
Adoration • Confessions • Eucharistic
Procession • Holy Mass • and more!

How to Join Us

1. Register for the conference online
Visit womenofchrist.net
Cost: \$47/person through Oct 25
2. Register for bus transportation
Contact Sara Scheunemann
sara.scheunemann@raphael.org
920-233-8044 ext.228
Cost: \$45/person (Includes subs & snacks on the return trip)



REGISTER BY: OCTOBER 25
Financial assistance available to those in need.
Contact Sara Scheunemann for more details.

Women of Faith Small Groups

New women are welcome to join in at any time! We are starting a new study on Women in the Old Testament in September.

Mom's Group: First & Third Tuesdays of the Month (Sept-May), 9 am, St. Raphael, Good Samaritan Hall

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

Women's Group Open to All: Third Mondays of the Month, 2 pm, St. Raphael Rooms 104-106

Women's Group Open to All: Third Mondays of the Month, 7 pm

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

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 THIS WEEKEND 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 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 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 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.



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

Be a Part of a Living Directory!



Submit Your Photo

Email directory@raphael.org

Include:

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



raphael.org/directory

Please indicate

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

Need a Photo?

Come to Good Samaritan Hall before or after Masses on
Sept 6/7, 20/21, 27/28

Information about Accessing Web/App Version Coming Soon!

Questions? megan.kugel@raphael.org, (920) 233-8044, ext. 234

To date we have over 250 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!

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



Caregiver Support



Do you need emotional or spiritual support as a caregiver? St. Raphael will host a support group. **Our first meeting will be Thursday, October 9 at 10 am in St. Martin's Chapel at St. Raphael Church.** If interested or if you have questions, please contact Kay Sternat at 920-203-2790. Feel free to just attend.



Chapter 54

— Catholic parishes of Oshkosh, Omro, Winneconne —
Cordially invites you to our

INFORMATIONAL SOCIAL

Sunday September 14, 2025 –

Immediately following 10:30 AM Mass

(approx. 11:45 AM)

MBS St. Mary's Church, 605 Merritt Ave., Oshkosh

- Learn about the history of the beautiful Cathedral-style church and how the Society of St. Vincent De Paul (SVdP), assisted by MBS Parish members, helps our community.
- Enjoy lunch in the wheelchair-accessible lower-level gathering space. We will accept free-will offerings for lunch.
- Donations to the Oshkosh Area St. Vincent De Paul Society will be welcomed; \$250 will be matched by Catholic Financial Life.

11:50 – Church tour

12:15 – Presentation by Kay O'Neil of the SVdP Thrift Store

12:30 – Lunch and Social

Reservations (for food planning) appreciated (but not required).

RSVP to Kevin or Susie Gerarden at 920-235-5494.

JOIN US – RELAX – ENJOY – LEARN

**Bible Study and Breakfast Group at
Fr. Carr's Place 2B Chapel;
2nd Saturday of the Month at 8am**

**The next Bible Study will be
Saturday, September 13, 2025**



Led by Fr. Dave Duffeck. Reference materials and breakfast provided at no charge. You are asked to bring your own Bible. For more information, call the parish office at 920-233-8044.

The Bread and Wine this weekend is sponsored in loving memory of
Margaret Bauer and Jim Hetue.





Christian Family Movement

As fall approaches we have so many things to look forward to and be thankful for, including gathering once again as a CFM “family of families” beginning the evening of October 11! If you participated in CFM last year we look forward to joining in fellowship with you once again. If you will be newly joining, welcome!

This year we will register with CFM National as one group through our parish, St. Raphael the Archangel, not as individual families online at the CFM website. You may register by:

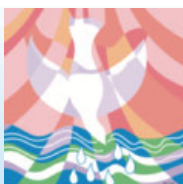
- Stopping by the CFM table in the gathering space after Mass on September 6 or 7
- Emailing Deacon Mark at cfm@raphael.org
- Clicking on the contact link on the CFM page at our St. Raphael the Archangel website

There is a fee for renewing membership (reduced for those joining initially). If this is an issue contact us. No one will be prevented from joining our “family” due to cost. If you have any questions do not hesitate to reach out through email or by calling the parish office. This year let us continue growing, making a difference in our families, parish, and community through our love for God and each other!



Blessings!

Deacon Mark



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

Isabella Maria

daughter of Pierce & Julia Laedtke

Nash Sullivan,

son of Jacob & Heather Korb

Welcome, Little Ones!

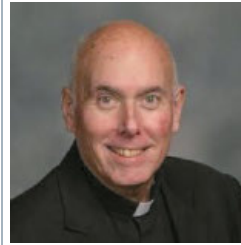
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Saturday, September 20, 2025

Rev. Msgr. James L.

Gunn, Pastor, Churches of Mater

Dei Parish: All Saints, Berlin; Our Lady of the Lake, Green Lake; St. Mary, Kingston; St. Joseph, Markesan; St. James, Neshkoro; and St. John the Baptist, Princeton. Vicar for Priests - Diocese of Madison. Year of Ordination: 1977



Topic: "From Farmer to Priest"

EVO Men's Spirituality Morning

7:00 am - Arrival / Welcome

7:05 am - Reconciliation / Confession

(Msgr. Jim & Fr. David)

7:15 am - Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:45 am - Holy Sacrifice of the Mass (**Msgr. Jim**)

8:15 am - Continental Breakfast / Fellowship

8:45 am - Presentation (**Msgr. Jim**)

9:30 am - Wrap Up

9:45 am - Departure

Father Carr's Place 2B – Mother St. Teresa Center

St. Martin de Porres Chapel

1062 N. Koeller St., Oshkosh

Free Will Offering



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. The St. Raphael Council 11305 are asking you to consider joining today at kofc.org/join. Specify council11305 for the preferred council. We look forward to having you join us in our mission.

Burrito Sunday

The next Burrito Sunday is September 21. The proceeds will go to support Father Carr's Food Pantry. The community need is greater than ever. Consider supporting the food pantries.

Any questions contact Mike Brefczynski at mbrefczynski@gmail.com or 920-379-7716 or Greg Weisse at gmweisse@gmail.com or 920-420-9897.

To join the Knights, you can go to: <https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-kofc.html>.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 6

5:00 pm Nicholas Drexler †

Sunday, September 7 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

10:00 am Elena Hoetschl †

5:00 pm Sanford Sylvester †

Monday, September 8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am Fr. George Beaudet †

Tuesday, September 9 St. Peter Claver

8:00 am Richard Furman †

Wednesday, September 10

8:00 am Karen Wilhelm †

Thursday, September 11

7:15 am Julie Hart †

Friday, September 12

7:15 am Donald & Michelle Phillips †

Saturday, September 13 St. John Chrysostom

5:00 pm Virgil & James Kohlbeck †

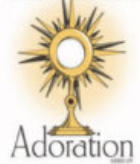
Sunday, September 14 24th Sunday Ordinary Time

8:00 am Bev Glaeser †

10:00 am Leonel Ruiz †

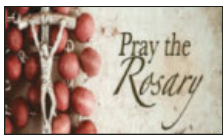
5:00 pm People of the Parish

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. 920-539-6871



The **Rosary** is prayed each weekday at St. Raphael church. Mon-Wed at 7:25am before the 8am Mass, Thur-Fri at 7:45am after the 7:15am Mass.

The Rosary is also prayed at 10:15am every Wednesday at Fr. Carr's.

Parish Leaders:

Trustee-Secretary: Ed Jeziorny

Trustee-Treasurer: Dave Hetzel

Parish Council Chairperson - Ben Sanderfoot

Finance Council Chairperson - Su van Houwelingen

Lourdes Academy, our Catholic School

Dr. John Dinegan President

Daniel Moore Elementary & Middle School Principal

David Mikesell High School Principal

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross / September 14, 2025

First Reading:

"We have sinned in complaining against the LORD and you.

Pray the LORD to take the serpents from us." (Nm 21:7)

Psalm:

Do not forget the works of the Lord! (Ps 78)

Second Reading:

He humbled himself,
becoming obedient to death,
even death on a cross. (Phil 2:8)

Gospel:

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him might not perish
but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

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Parish Staff (email staff & priests: first.last@raphael.org)

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Pastoral Team:

Pastor (ext 224)..... Fr. Tom Long
Parochial Vicar (ext 226).....Fr. Ben Pribbenow
Pastoral Associate (ext 228).....Sara Scheunemann
Pastoral Minister (ext 236).....Dcn. John Ingala

Parish Office

Executive Secretary (ext 221)Deb Ransbottom
Pastoral Care Facilitator (ext 222)Jill Eaton
Religious Education Secretary (ext 223).....Anne Glowcheski

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Business Manager (ext 238) Tony Wihlm
Accounts Receivable (ext 237).....Anne Glowcheski
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