



# ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5 pm

Sunday 8 am, 10 am

### Weekday Masses

Monday - Wednesday 8 am

**NO Mass on Monday, May 25**

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 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

Please remember St. Raphael Church in your  
Will and Estate Planning

## 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.

## May 24, 2026



## PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the  
Father has sent me, so I send you." - Jn 20:21

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**Dear Parishioners,**

**Happy Pentecost!** This is always a special feast day, but especially so this year as we follow Bishop Ricken's invitation to focus more intentionally on the Holy Spirit. In my regular column, I have been offering a weekly reflection on the Holy Spirit throughout the Easter season, and you can find my last article in that series later in this bulletin.

I think for many of us the Holy Spirit is the unknown member of the Most Blessed Trinity – and **what is unknown can sometimes be scary**. If we really get close to the Holy Spirit, what will happen? Will we have to surrender control over our lives? Will we be asked to do strange things?

These questions – and others we might be asking – get at some very real fears. We'd like answers that reassure us. But I've found that receiving those answers out of context isn't always that helpful. Yes, we will have to surrender control, and yes, sometimes the things we're invited to do might seem a little strange. But what if we started first by **remembering the bigger picture?**

The Holy Spirit is the bond of love between the Father and Son. The Holy Spirit is LOVE. **The Spirit's first desire for us, before anything else, is to love us** – to remind us of our belovedness as sons and daughters of the Father, to make real for us the love of Jesus poured out on the cross.

As the Beloved Disciple reminds us in 1 John 4:18, "There is no fear in love, but **perfect love drives out fear** because fear has to do with punishment, and so one who fears is not yet perfect in love." When we truly know how much and how perfectly we are loved, our fears fade away. Love might call us to do crazy things and to let go of our own plans, but isn't that true for any person who falls in love, even on a human level? How much more shouldn't that be the case when we allow ourselves to be loved by the One who is Perfect Love?

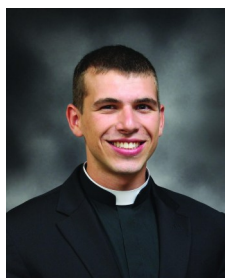
I am as prone to fearfulness as anyone, but I am trying to see those feelings as a reminder that I'm not yet fully immersed in the Perfect Love of God and as an invitation to believe more deeply that even fear can be an invitation to go deeper into God's Love.



**Sara Scheunemann**  
**Pastoral Associate**

May we all open up our hearts more today to the love of God in the Holy Spirit and allow his perfect love to cast out all our fear!

**Our New Priest will be ordained this week!**



**Nathan Budde will be ordained a priest** for the Diocese of Green Bay on **Saturday, May 30 at 10 am at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral**. All are welcome to go to the ordination. At the ordination, we expect Bishop Ricken to appoint Fr. Nathan to serve as

Parochial Vicar of St. Raphael, Chaplain at Lourdes High School, and Priest Celebrant at St. Jude.

On **Wednesday, May 27 at 7 pm** we will have a **Holy Hour** at St. Raphael to **pray for Deacon Nathan** as he prepares for ordination. Please come and pray for him.

**TRUSTEE ELECTION**



The election for Trustee-Secretary will be May 23-24. Jerry Stephens will be on the ballot as a candidate. Jerry and his wife Paula have been long-time parish members. The Trustee-Secretary serves as a member of the parish corporation and participates in the meetings of the Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Council. Each check from the parish is signed by the pastor and one of the two trustees. The other trustee is Dave Hetzel. The trustee serves a two year term. Parish members may vote for Jerry or write in the name of another candidate.

Secretary serves as a member of the parish corporation and participates in the meetings of the Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Council. Each check from the parish is signed by the pastor and one of the two trustees. The other trustee is Dave Hetzel. The trustee serves a two year term. Parish members may vote for Jerry or write in the name of another candidate.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Saturday, May 23

#### Our Own Needs Collection

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

### Sunday, May 24 Pentecost Sunday - wear **RED**

#### Our Own Needs Collection

Morning Masses at 8am & 10am  
 Coffee & Donuts after Mass

### Monday, May 25 Memorial Day

#### Parish Office Closed

8:00 am **NO Mass**

### Tuesday, May 26

8:00 am Mass  
 4:30 pm Reconciliation

### Wednesday, May 27

8:00 am Mass  
 7:00 pm Holy Hour for Vocations  
 8:00 pm Reconciliation

### Thursday, May 28

7:15 am Mass

### Friday, May 29

7:15 am Mass

### Saturday, May 30

#### Missionary Appeal Collection

8:00 am Easter take down –Worship Envir.  
 3:30 pm Reconciliation  
 5:00 pm Mass  
 6:00 pm Cookie Social

### Sunday, May 31

#### Missionary Appeal Collection

Morning Masses at 8am & 10am  
 Coffee & Donuts after Masses

## STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING

### WEEK ENDING MAY 17, 2026

Praying at Mass		1,624
Envelope Collection	\$	12,112
Loose Collection	\$	1,981
EFT	\$	802
Line Giving	\$	6,788
<b>Total Weekly Collections</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>21,683</b>

Year to date giving (actual) \$ 1,448,099

Year to date giving (budgeted) \$ 1,356,465

### Weekend Mass Updates:

	Saturday		Sunday		Total
	5:00	8:00	10:00	5:00	
April 25/26	330	382	448	321	1,481
May 2/3	400	414	658	186	1,654
May 9/10	428	492	635	202	1,757
May 16/17	413	412	546	253	1,624



The St. Raphael staff wishes you a safe and relaxing Memorial Day weekend! In honor of Memorial Day, the parish office will be closed Monday, May 25. There will be **no Mass on**

**Memorial Day.** The office will reopen on Tuesday, May 26 with normal office hours.



## MEMORIAL DAY

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### Our Own Needs Collection May 23/24, 2026

**Next weekend**, the annual collection for **Our Own Needs** will take place. Please generously support these collections through donation and prayer so that the Church can continue its important work here in the diocese and throughout the country. The four major beneficiaries represented in this collection are:

- **The Catholic Communications/Evangelization Campaign**
- **The Catholic Home Missions Appeal**
- **Black and Native American Missions**
- **The Catholic University of America**

For your convenience envelopes are located in the Gathering Space this weekend or you can donate online at [raphael.org/give](http://raphael.org/give).

### Fallen Soldier Table:

We thank the Military Veterans Museum for this year's representation of the military for our Fallen Soldier table. The Military Museum honors our nation's military history through education and preservation. We appreciate and honor all soldiers who gave the ultimate gift of their life for our freedom on this Memorial Day Weekend.



This week's Memorial Candle is burning in loving memory of **Cooper McBride**

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

## RE Updates

- Do you have a youth that will be entering grades 4K-11 the grade? Online RE Registration for Grades 4K-Confirmation is now open! Visit [raphael.org/youth](http://raphael.org/youth) to register or find out more about the 9 different Faith Formation options offered for youth and families! Contact Jessie Adrians ([jessie.adrians@raphael.org](mailto:jessie.adrians@raphael.org)) with questions.
- 9th and 10th grade Summer RE takes place **June 15-18 AND June 22-25, 1-5:00 pm**. Visit [raphael.org/youth](http://raphael.org/youth) to register. Contact Katie Klug ([katie.klug@raphael.org](mailto:katie.klug@raphael.org)) with questions.



May is the month dedicated to Mary. This month to celebrate Mary, we will focus on a different apparition, the key details for kids, and the ways in which families can live Mary's message. This weekend we will focus on Our Lady of Akita.

**Marian Apparition:** Our Lady of Akita

**About the Apparition:** In 1973, Mother Mary appeared to Sister Agnes Katsuko Sasagawa, a deaf nun living in a remote area near Akita, Japan. Sister Sasagawa heard Mother Mary's voice from a weeping statue on three occasions. She was also miraculously cured of her deafness. Our Lady asked people to pray the Rosary and have confidence in her.

### Key Details for Kids:

- **Saying Sorry:** Mary asked us to pray and make small sacrifices to say "sorry" to God for the times people forget to love Him or others.
- **The Healing Rosary:** She promised that praying the Rosary every day can bring peace to the world and protect us from harm.
- **Console Jesus:** Mary explained that Jesus is sometimes sad because of the bad choices people make. She asked us to be loving friends who make Jesus happy through our prayers and kindness.

### 3 Ways to Live the Message:

- **Pray the Rosary Daily:** As a family pray the Rosary every day for a week. If you can't pray the entire rosary a day, start with one decade, asking Mary's intercession for peace in your family and in the world.
- **Pray the Special Akita Prayer:** Sister Agnes was given a special, short prayer to say every day. It is perfect for kids to memorize because it is short and meaningful: *"Most Holy Trinity, I adore You! My God, my God, I love You in the Most Blessed Sacrament."*
- **Fold Origami Paper Lilies:** Our Lady of Akita appeared in the city of Akita, Japan. Celebrate her Japanese heritage by learning how to fold origami paper lilies to place near a home altar. You can watch step-by-step tutorials on YouTube for easy origami flowers that kids can decorate and keep.



## Children's Liturgy of the Word



**CLOW** happens year-round during the 10am Mass and is for children in 4K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade. Children are called forward before the readings begin and are dismissed to join their parents before the Eucharistic Prayer begins.

**In order for it to happen we need**

**Leaders (18 or older)**

**and**

**Assistants (16 or older)**

You can sign up to lead or assist on weekends that work for you.

Lesson plans and supplies are provided for you!

Contact Kathy Baehman at [kathy.baehman@raphael.org](mailto:kathy.baehman@raphael.org) for more information or to sign up!

## Youth Choir Year End

A special thank you to the St. Raphael Knights of Columbus for sponsoring a fun year end Youth Choir Bowling Party last Saturday, May 16. It was a great time for us to team build and to enjoy each other's company.

**Until fall, The Youth Choir.**



## SUNDAY SCHOOL

A Fun & Faith-Filled Experience for Children

Open to children who are starting 4K or Kindergarten in the Fall of 2026

**EVERY OTHER SUNDAY DURING THE 10AM MASS**

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Interactive Bible Stories
- Exciting Games & Activities
- Creative Crafts
- Music & Singing
- Friendship & Fun

To Register go to the Parish Website.



Contact Kathy Baehman at [kathy.baehman@raphael.org](mailto:kathy.baehman@raphael.org) with questions.

## Elementary Faith Formation Coordinator

St. Raphael is seeking an enthusiastic, faith-filled person to join the Faith Formation Team. This person will promote quality catechesis for grades 1-5. Specific responsibilities include: coordinate Faith Formation for grades 1-5; develop and implement lesson plans for grades 1-5; actively recruit, support and mentor volunteer catechists; and collaborate with the faith formation team in ministering to and supporting the domestic church of each family.

This seasonal part-time (36 weeks/20 hours per week) position is a key member of the faith formation team. Our parish has a commitment to helping youth and families develop a personal relationship with Jesus. The person must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with an understanding of child development, learning styles and needs.

Please send your resume and cover letter to Jessie Adrians, Director of Religious Education at [jessie.adrians@raphael.org](mailto:jessie.adrians@raphael.org)



As the sun rises on Memorial Day, American flags flutter gently in the breeze, decorating gravesites, front porches, and city streets. Across the nation, we pause, not for a mere long weekend, but for solemn remembrance. For Catholics in the United States, Memorial Day is not only a national holiday, but also a sacred opportunity to unite patriotism with prayer, civic duty with Christian charity, and remembrance with Resurrection hope.

At its heart, Memorial Day calls us to honor the men and women of our Armed Forces who gave their lives in service to this country. Their sacrifice echoes the words of Christ: *"Greater love has no one than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends"* ~John 15:13 These fallen heroes remind us that true freedom is not free. It is paid for in courage, in blood, and too often, in youth.

For Catholics, remembering the dead is an act of mercy and love. In every Mass, we recall the faithful departed, asking God to grant them eternal rest. On Memorial Day, we extend this sacred duty especially to those who died defending our freedoms. We not only remember them, but we also pray for them.

We can also serve the living. Many families carry the heavy burden of loss, widows, widowers and children without parents. Memorial Day is a time to comfort the brokenhearted. Reach out to a veteran or someone who has a loved one to war. Let them know they are not forgotten.

As Catholics, we look to Christ who conquered death. We know that those who have died in the service of others are not lost, they await their Resurrection. We entrust them to the mercy of God and ask that He bless our country with peace, integrity, and leaders who serve with humility and wisdom.

May this Memorial Day be not only a moment to pause and remember but a day of deep, reverent prayer.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God.

Rest in Peace.

**Kathy Baehman, Family Outreach**



Join Us!

**ORDINATION TO THE  
PRIESTHOOD  
DEACON NATHAN  
BUDDE**

**MAY 30 | 10 AM**  
St. Francis Xavier Cathedral,  
Green Bay

Unable to attend? Tune in to the livestream!  
[dioc.io/buddeordination](http://dioc.io/buddeordination)



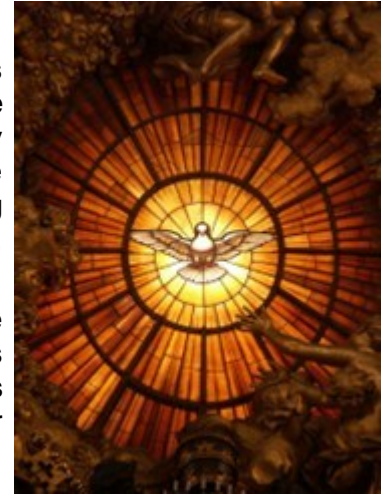
## Upcoming Events at a Glance

- May 23/24 - Trustee Election
- May 23/24 - Pentecost Weekend - wear **RED**
- May 25 - Memorial Day, Parish office Closed
- May 27 - Holy Hour for Vocations
- May 30 - Ordination to the Priesthood for  
Dcn Nathan Budde
- May 30/31 - Missionary Appeal Weekend
- June 7 - Eucharistic Procession
- June 8 - Community Blood Center Blood Drive

## The Gift(s) of the Holy Spirit

Today, we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit. Almost 2,000 years ago, as Jesus promised, he sent to his first disciples the gift of his Spirit – a gift that he continues to give us today in our baptism and at our confirmation. When the Holy Spirit comes to us, it is with great generosity, bringing many gifts to us. But we must not forget that the ultimate gift is that of God himself – the indwelling presence of God with us, uniting us to himself in Love. Through the Holy Spirit, we enter into the Divine Life, which is pure Love.

That Love shows itself in many and varied ways, most notably in the gifts of the Holy Spirit that are given to us in Baptism and strengthened and sealed within us at Confirmation. These seven gifts, which are listed in Isaiah 11:2-3, help us respond to God's invitation to love him with our whole being and to love our neighbors as ourselves.



- **Wisdom** is the gift of being able to discern how to love like God and make good judgments according to divine truth. Wisdom helps to perfect our love.
- **Understanding** is the gift of insight into the things of God, especially those revealed in the Scriptures and the truths of our faith that are necessary for our salvation.
- **Knowledge** is the gift of a deep trust and sureness about God and the truths of our Christian faith.
- **Counsel** is the gift of being able to receive and give good advice that helps us make the right choices to love God and others well.
- **Fortitude/Courage** is the gift that helps us stand up for our faith in Christ. It also enables us to endure difficulties and trials we might face for our faith.
- **Piety** helps us to grasp the depth of God's love for us and to grow in our loving response to him. It helps us to see the practice of religion not as a burden, but as a joy, and motivates us to develop a relationship with God through prayer.
- **Wonder and Awe/Fear of the Lord** is the gift of wonder, respect, and awe in God's presence. The gift of wonder and awe moves us to love God with great zeal so that we do not want to offend him by our words or actions. It is the feeling of amazement before God, who is all-present, and whose friendship we do not want to lose.

As we remember the gift of the Holy Spirit today, is there a particular gift you would like to ask for more of today? Come, Holy Spirit!



**Sara Scheunemann, Pastoral Associate**

P.S. I'll be taking a brief hiatus from this column until after the 4th of July. Everyone needs a summer break, right? I hope these summer days are full of many joys for you and your loved ones! I'll see you at Mass!

## Women of Faith Small Groups

Looking for community with others seeking to grow in their faith? New women are welcome to join in at any time! We are currently offering a study on Women in the Old Testament.

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

## Summer Catholicism 101: Encountering Jesus in the Gospel of John

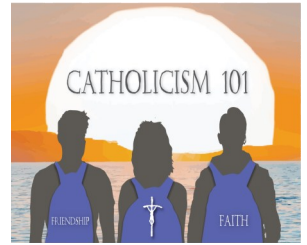
Mondays from 7-8 pm

June 1, 15, 29; July 6, 20, August 3, 17

Location: Rooms 104-106

There is no one else like Jesus. Come and get to know him better in our summer session of Catholicism 101. Whether you've known him your whole life or are just beginning, he always has more to share. We'll encounter and grow with him as we read and pray with the Gospel of John. A short video reflection from Dr. Allen Hunt of Dynamic Catholic will provide some background for our learning as well.

Interested in becoming Catholic? This could be a great place to start! Sara Scheunemann, our pastoral associate, would love to talk with you more about the right next step for you ([sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228).



### Getting to Know the Holy Spirit:

#### The Book of Acts

**\*\* Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 2 \*\* 2pm** Location: St. Martin Chapel

When our Bishop David Ricken met with Pope Francis in Rome a few years ago, he asked him what he could do to help us grow in our relationship with the Holy Spirit. Pope Francis encouraged him to read and pray with the Acts of the Apostles as a source of inspiration. As our diocese enters a season focused on growing deeper in our relationship with the Holy Spirit, we invite our parish to follow this advice!

Join us for a weekly time of prayer and conversation about Acts and the role of the Holy Spirit in the church at its founding and today in our own lives.

We'll meet most Tuesdays through the summer months. **We will not meet May 26.** Check the bulletin or the calendar on the St. Raphael website to confirm we are meeting that particular week. Contact Sara, Pastoral Associate, [sara.scheunemann@raphael.org](mailto:sara.scheunemann@raphael.org) or 920-233-8044, ext. 228 for more information. No RSVP required.



### Making Room for the Holy Spirit

We've been invited by our Bishop to make more room for the Holy Spirit in our lives. Sometimes though, we face barriers – like physical clutter and disorganization – that make that challenging. Join us for our summer speakers to think about practical ways to make space for God in your life.

#### Reducing the Clutter in Your Life

with Katie Zurawski

**Tuesday, June 16, 6:30-7:30 pm with Pizza at 6:00 pm (Please RSVP below) Good Samaritan Hall**

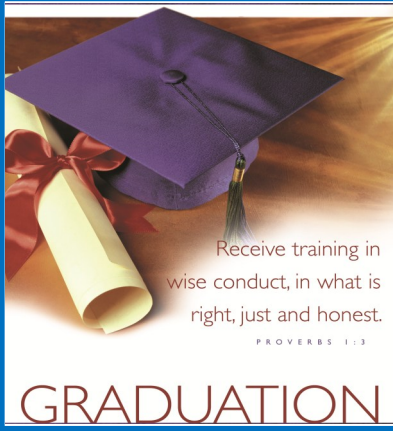
Come and hear from Katie Zurawski, a fellow parishioner and "Decluttering Queen," as she shares about how to make space for God by reducing clutter and creating a more peaceful environment in our homes.

**Families are especially invited!** We'll have pizza before Katie's talk at 6:00 pm. There will be childcare available during the talk for kids under 5 and activities for those 5 and older.

Middle- and high-schoolers are welcome to stay for the talk. Please RSVP here by June 15:

<https://tinyurl.com/declutteringtalk-june2026>





## Congratulations to our High School Graduates Class of 2026



### Eucharistic Processions through Oshkosh

## Sunday, June 7

*Feast of Corpus Christi*

Please join us for a prayerful Eucharistic Procession from each parish to Lourdes Academy.

*Leaving from:*  
 St. Raphael at 2:00 pm  
 St. Peter (MBS) at 2:15 pm  
 Sacred Heart (St Jude) at 2:40 pm  
 for 3 pm Benediction at Lourdes Academy followed by a reception thanking our departing school and parish leaders.

There will be a bus to return to St. Peter and St. Raphael.

### Missionary Cooperation Appeal next weekend

Sr. Matilda Sorkpor, a Sister of the HANDMAIDS OF THE DIVINE REDEEMER of Accra, Ghana West Africa will be with us for the annual Missionary Cooperation Plan of the Diocese of Green Bay. Currently, Sister is serving at Fr Carr's Place 2B homeless shelter for women and children, Oshkosh.

The Handmaids of the Divine Redeemer is a women's religious congregation with various ethnic backgrounds and diverse professions. The Congregation was founded in Ghana in 1957 by the late Bishop Joseph Oliver Bowers of the Divine Word Missionary (SVD), the then bishop of Accra Archdiocese.

There will be a second collection taken, which will be distributed among the 38 missionary groups speaking in the diocese. There are envelopes in your envelope packet, in the Gathering Space, or you may give online at [raphael.org/give](http://raphael.org/give)

Scan Here to Register!

# REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

# RAINFOREST

## AUGUST 3-7





**CARNIVAL**  
**FOR KIDS**

**SATURDAY, MAY 30**

10 am - 4 pm

This is a free, fun and safe open house event for the entire community.


Our campus is alcohol and smoke free.

**Carnival Rides | Food and Drink  
Kids Games and Challenges  
Raffle Prizes and More!**

1062 N. Koeller Street | Oshkosh  
fathercarrs.org


**Parking available at Oshkosh West and a shuttle to Fr. Carr's will be provided.**

Sunday Night Masses are celebrated at:  
5 pm Neenah St. Gabriel  
6 pm Appleton St Pius X  
6:30 pm Appleton St Joseph



**Please support this year's Bishop's Appeal!**  
**Our parish goal:**  
**555 Donors**  
**Number of Donors: 488**


**Sign Language Interpreter**  
A Sign Language Interpreter is available at a number of our 10 am Masses. If you wish to be added to the group text to know the schedule, please email the parish office at parish.office@raphael.org with your name and phone number to receive a text. Thank you.



**THE COMMUNITY BLOOD CENTER**

**Donate blood, save lives.**  
**It's so rewarding!**

**St. Raphael Catholic Church**  
**Blood Drive**  
Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus  
**830 S. Westhaven Dr., Oshkosh**  
**Monday, June 8 12:30 pm - 5pm**  
**To schedule your life-saving donation appointment, please call**  
The Community Blood Center at  
(800) 280-4102 or visit  
**communityblood.org/donor**  
Log in, click "Donate Now" and search for sponsor code **S159.**



**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 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.

**Mark Your Calendars**  
**Blood Drive Monday June 8th 12:30 to 5:00pm**  
**Council Brat Fry at Festival Foods July 9, 10 & 11**  
**Blessings to all,**  
**Mike Brefczynski, Grand Knight**

**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!

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, May 23

5:00 pm Mary Jo Streicher †

### Sunday, May 24 Pentecost Sunday

8:00 am Mike Jacob †

10:00 am Gene Gauthier †

### Monday, May 25 Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am **No Mass**

### Tuesday, May 26 St. Philip Neri

8:00 am Nikki Batdorf–Stevens †

### Wednesday, May 27

8:00 am The Osbourne Family

### Thursday, May 28

7:15 am Zach Leopold &  
Mackenzie Wasserburger

### Friday, May 29

7:15 am Carl & Betty Luedeke †

### Saturday, May 30

5:00 pm Sr. Roselyn Nichols †

### Sunday, May 31 The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am Jean & Glen Francis †

10:00 am Jean Weyenberg †

## The Most Holy Trinity / May 31, 2026

### First Reading:

Having come down in a cloud, the LORD stood with Moses there and proclaimed his name, "LORD." (Ex 34:5)

### Psalm:

Glory and praise for ever! (Dn 3)

### Second Reading:

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you. (2 Cor 13:13)

### Gospel:

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](mailto:first.last@raphael.org))

Example: Fr Tom: [tom.long@raphael.org](mailto:tom.long@raphael.org)

### Telephone ext

### 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

### Business Office

Business Manager (ext 238) ..... Tony Wihlm  
Accounts Receivable (ext 237).....Anne Glowcheski  
Facilities Manager (ext 247).....Howard Frank

### Liturgy/Music

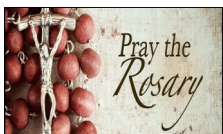
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