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Catholic Parishes of



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Sunday, October 25, 2020

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

| <u>Parish information</u> <u>Parochial Administrator</u> Fr. Mark Miller | <u>MASS SCHEDULE</u> |
|---|---|
| St. Ansgar Office: 608/989-2733 St. Bridget Office: 608/525-3811 stbridgets@centurytel.net | Mon., Oct. 26 <i>Weekday</i> No Mass |
| Office Personnel Secretary-Lorraine Brady 608/525-3811 Tue. & Thurs. 10:00am-3:00pm at Rectory Accountant-Julie Kitchner 608/525-5316 | Tues., Oct. 27 <i>Weekday</i> 8:30am St. Ansgar Mass † Clement & Melaine Eberhardt |
| Religious Education Supervisors STB-Sue Berg 608/399-5137 STA-Delrose Patzner-Hansen 715/662-2907 | Wed., Oct. 28 <i>Weekday</i> 8:30am St. Bridget Mass † Gary Bishop |
| Directors of Sacred Music STB-Nancy Stellflue 608/525-8161 STA-Geraldine Blaha 608/989-2039 | Thurs., Oct. 29 <i>Weekday</i> 9:00am St. Ansgar Mass † Clair Esser Family |
| Directors of Maintenance STB-Richard Heinz 608/525-3502 Bill Crogan 608/799-8833 | Fri., Oct. 30 <i>Weekday</i> 8:30am St. Bridget Mass † Charlotte Bishop |
| Cemetery Contact STB-Nicole Bishop 608/317-7682 Bill Crogan 608/799-8833 | Sat., Oct. 31 <i>Weekday</i> 4:00pm St. Bridget Mass † Betty Brandtner |
| | Sunday, Nov. 01 8:00am Solemnity of All Saints St. Ansgar Mass For the People |
| | 10:00am St. Bridget Mass † Bill Deeren |
| | Bulletin Info must be in the Office by Thursday at 10:00am |

Brothers and Sisters

"The reason why God is such a great lover of humility is that He is a great lover of truth. Humility is in fact truth, while pride is nothing but lying." - St. Vincent de Paul

Fr. Miller

| WEEKLY READINGS | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Mon., Oct. 26 | <i>Eph 4:32—5:8; Lk 13:10-17</i> |
| Tues., Oct. 27 | <i>Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a,25-32; Lk 13:18-21</i> |
| Wed., Oct. 28 | <i>Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16</i> |
| Thurs., Oct. 29 | <i>Eph 6:10-20; Lk 13:31-35</i> |
| Fri., Oct. 30 | <i>Phil 1:1-11; Lk 14:1-6</i> |
| Sat., Oct. 31 | <i>Phil 1:186-26; Lk 14:1, 7-11</i> |
| Sun., Nov. 01 | <i>Rev 7:2-4,9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a</i> |
| SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION | |
| Ettrick | Blair |
| Sat. 3:30-4:00pm | Sun. 7:30-8:00am |
| Wed. 8:00-8:30am | Tues. 8:00-8:30am |
| Fri. 8:00-8:30am | Thurs. 8:30-9:00am |

Sacrament of Baptism Parents wishing to have their child baptized are to contact the office to set up a meeting with Father Miller.

Sacrament of Marriage Couples planning to be married must contact Father at least 6 months prior to the intended wedding date and participate in the prescribed marriage preparation process of the Diocese of La Crosse.

Sacrament of Anointing Those who are seriously ill or scheduled for surgery are asked to contact the office and Father Miller.

If anyone needs or wants a home visit from Fr. Miller, please call the office to arrange a time.

| Ministry Schedule Nov. 01 | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| STA 8:00am | | |
| Youth Mass | Lector | Cami Subra |
| | Servers | |
| | Greeter & Gift Bearers | |
| Gary Gunderson Steve Gunderson | Ushers | Joe Fitzpatrick Bob Darkow |
| | Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | |
| Joe Bishop Mardie Corcoran | Cashiers | Liz Fitzpatrick Just Haase-Hardie |

| Financial Stewardship Oct. 18, 2020 | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|
| | Adult | Youth | Plate | Total |
| St. Bridget | \$750.00 | | \$150.00 | \$ 900.00 |
| St. Ansgar | \$1148.00 | | \$ 65.00 | \$1213.00 |
| Missions | \$ 200.00 | | | \$ 200.00 |

Beatification of Father McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, is Oct. 31st. Join the GET KC family on Oct. 31 at 3:00 pm for Family Rosary at St. Bartholomew's Grotto. The following events will be streamed at kofc.org/beatification.

PRAYER VIGIL Friday, Oct. 30 at 6:00 p.m. CT
BEATIFICATION MASS Saturday, Oct. 31 at 10:00 a.m. CT
MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR BEATIFICATION
 Sunday, November 1 at 11 a.m. CT

Sincerely, Grand Knight Gregory Goltz

Announcements

St. Bridget is in need of members for the Cemetery Committee which will be forming. From what I understand St. Bridget doesn't have governing committee or such a group has not met for years. Anyway, if you would be interested in being on this committee, I'd appreciate it. I think 3 members should probably be sufficient. I don't envision that this would take a lot of your time - perhaps 2 meetings a year. If you are interested, call the parish office. Thanks for your help! - Fr. Miller

Congratulation to the Confirmation Class of 2020 Being held on Oct. 25th at St. Bartholomew in Trempealeau. The Conferment's from St. Bridget's are Wyatt Berg and Kasey Teske. Also receiving the Sacrament are Gabe Lamberty, Lindsey Lettner, Genna O'Neil, and Kylie Schmitz.

St. Ansgar

MITTEN TREE

Once again, we will be having a Mitten Tree at St. Ansgar. The tree will be up the month of November. We are looking for hats, mittens, and scarves for children of all ages. These will then be given to the Trempealeau County Sheriff's Office to be distributed to families in need.

Virtual Baby Bottle Campaign!

Pro-Life Wisconsin's Helping Both Program fills the gap for families and gives hope to moms in crisis pregnancies. Your generosity provides the financial resources to continue supporting families in need.

Donate at: www.prolifewi.org/donate

People of St. Ansgar and of St. Bridget. Due to lack of interest we will not be having our Eucharistic Adoration novena for our nation. As a substitute, here is a novena to St. Martin de Porres, to begin on Oct. 26, and will end on Election Day - Nov. 3 (his feast day). Of course, you can pray this novena for your own intentions as well and at any time during the year: St. Martin de Porres, your concern and charity embraced not only your needy brethren, but also the animals of the field. You are a splendid example of charity; we thank and praise you. From above, hear the requests of your needy brethren, [for the well-being of the citizens of the United States] and (Mention your request here...) By modelling our lives after yours, and imitating your virtues, may we live content knowing that God has looked favorably upon us. Because this is so, we can accept our burdens with strength and courage in order to follow in the footsteps of our Lord and the Blessed Mother. May we reach the Kingdom of Heaven through the intercession of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

October is both Respect Life Month and the Month of the Holy Rosary
Live Stream of Pro-Life Rosaries Sundays. 7:30-8:00 PM
 Oct. 25 - Bishop James Patrick Powers, Diocese of Superior www.facebook.com/events/3090558687738830
 Nov. 1 Archbishop Jerome Edward Listeecki, Archdiocese of Milwaukee www.facebook.com/events/334174457652808
 The closing Rosary will be led by Archbishop Jerome Listeecki on November 1, the Feast of All Saints, concluding with their invocation through the Litany of the Saints. Visit www.dioc.org/live to participate.

Safe Environment The Diocese of La Crosse, through its policies and procedures, seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Karen Becker, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Becker at 608.791.0179 or intakeagent@dioc.org