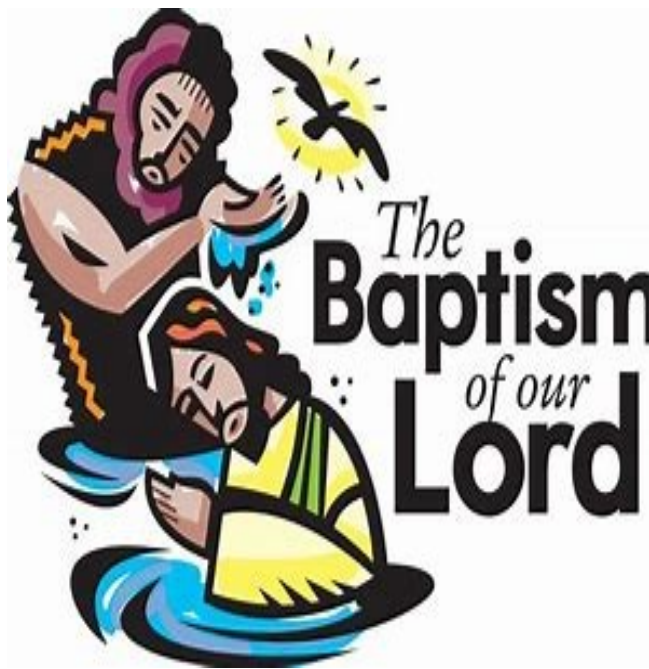




ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPPEALEAU



ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



Sunday Bulletin

**January 10, 2021
Year B**

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Deacon Russ Cabak & Deacon Kent Jacobson

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Parish Councils

St. Bartholomew Parish

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Finance: Tom Ladwig, Dave Mueller, Becky Harris, Sandy Salsman, Bruce Reedy, Roger Betthausen, Don Teska,

Pastoral: Kent Jacobson, Dave Mueller, Cindy Baer

“Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Corinthians 9:7)

CORNERSTONE CAMPAIGN

The Diocese of La Crosse has started **OUR CORNERSTONE CAMPAIGN** for the restoration of St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral. The cathedral Church represents each of our faith. So, we have the responsibility as a member of the Diocese to support the restoration of the cathedral. The project target is 6 million dollars. As Christ is the cornerstone of our faith, our Cathedral is the cornerstone of our Diocese. So, your support in the form of prayer and contribution is needed to reach the target of 6 Million Dollars for the complete restoration of the Cathedral.

Diocesan Annual Appeal

As for the **Diocesan Annual Appeal**, last five years, we reached the target in time. We need around \$3500.00 to reach the target in both parishes. If you haven’t given to Diocesan Annual Appeal, please consider giving it in view of Christmas. I know that you are all wonderful and cheerful giver. Kindly help us reach the target of Diocesan Annual Appeal.

To St. Mary’s Parishioners: As I have written to you, The Windows in the Church has to be re-framed. Kindly begin contributing towards this project also.

If you have any questions, kindly call the office or me.

This weekend, I will be talking to all about these projects.

In Christ,

Fr. Antony Joseph

Intentions January 11 – January 17

Monday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Richard Pampuch (2nd Anniversary of Death)

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m. St. Mary

Exposition and Confession at 5:00 p.m.

+ Gary Galewski

Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ David Krett

Thursday: 9:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Bob Pronschinske

Friday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

Roy Bentzen (For Heath)

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. St. Mary

+ Jack Emerson

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Andrew Cabak

The Mass will be live streamed on the Facebook named: **MotherMary_Galesville** so search for this facebook. You can also find the link in the groups of both parishes. If you can’t reach this facebook call Father Antony at 6088811401.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR Jan. 16

ST. MARY- 4:00 p.m.

Ushers: Bruce & Sheryl Reedy

Lector: Theresa Haines

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR Jan. 17

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Kris Krett, Craig Boyer

Lector: Genna O’Neill

END OF YEAR, NEW YEAR & SUNDAY

	<u>SBT</u>	<u>SMG</u>
Envelopes	\$1,400.00	\$ 336.00
Plate	37.00	78.00
Electronic Dep	24.75	194.14
New Year Env.	383.00	70.00
New Year Plate	25.00	3.00
End of Year	2,045.00	1,834.00
Youth Envelopes	3.00	4.00
Total Offering	<u>\$3,917.75</u>	<u>\$2,519.14</u>

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

ST. BARTHOLOMEW

ST. MARY

TARGET: \$23,300.00
PLEDGES: \$19,741.00
UNDER TARGET: \$ 3,559.00

\$11,520.00
\$ 8,025.00
\$ 3,495.00

ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- ♦ Religious Education classes will start again on Wednesday, January 13 at 6:15 p.m.
- ♦ Next PCCW meeting is March 9. Sorry I didn't receive this information until this week.
- ♦ St. Bartholomew parishioners will need to pick up their 2021 envelopes in the office. Thank you.
- ♦ Need prayers for any health or anxiety issue - big or small. Contact the prayer chain, Doreen Backler, 608-534-6118 or Ethel Ouellette, 608-534-6520.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER

SBT Income:	\$ 28,391.82	SMG Income	\$ 11,163.00
Expenses:	\$ 16,577.75	Expenses:	\$ 8,487.29
Net Income	\$ 11,814.07	Net Income:	\$ 2,675.71

ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

OUR MISSION: To love God, love others and go make disciples!

- ♦ Religious Education classes will start again on Wednesday, January 13 at 6:15 p.m.
- ♦ PCCW will meet on Tuesday, January 12, 6:30 in the church basement.
- ♦ **Pastoral Council** will meet on Thursday, January 21 at 6:00 p.m.
- ♦ Finance Council will meet on Monday, January 25, in the rectory.
- ♦ St. Mary parishioners may pick up their 2021 envelopes in the vestibule of the church. If you know someone is not coming to church at this time, please pick up their envelopes and drop them off for them. Thank you.
- ♦ **NEED GOD'S HELP?** Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or ekarow@hotmail.com.

COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ♦ Father Antony is looking for a stationary exercise bike. If anyone has one that Father can use, please call him at 608-881-1401.
- ♦ Diaconate Discernment Retreat Saturday, February 27. Are you a man at least 35 years of age who feels a yearning to give yourself more radically to the service of God and the Church – preaching the Gospel, serving those in need, assisting at the altar? If you think God may be calling you to be a deacon, talk to your pastor about attending the Diaconate Discernment Retreat at St. Mary's Church in Altoona on February 27, 2021. Then contact Deacon Bryan Hilts, Director of the Office for the Diaconate at bhilts@diolc.org. A new deacon formation class will begin in the fall of 2021 and attendance at the Discernment Retreat is a prerequisite.
- ♦ 100% Catholic, 100% Boys, 100% Boarding: St. Lawrence Seminary High School is an all-boys, Catholic boarding high school focused on college prep and spiritual depth. Located in Mt Calvary, WI since 1860, SLS students live, learn, work and pray together. Come explore this vibrant high school experience where 200 students from around the globe prepare for life after high school! Individualized and safe options are available for families to visit. Call (920) 753-7570 or visit www.stlawrence.edu/get-started
- ♦ **Sunday Mass on TV:** La Crosse, Channel 25, at 7:30 a.m.
Eau Claire, Channel 18, at 9:30 a.m.
La Crosse, Channel 19, at 9:30 a.m.

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@diolc.org. The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: diolc.org/safeenvironment/reporting. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local parish and on the diocesan website. If you have any questions about the Diocese of La Crosse and the implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Teresa Brown, Diocese of La Crosse, at 608.791.2679 or tbrown@diolc.org.



PCCW

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MaryKay Plunger
Carol Krett

As the New Year begins we would like to give you a quick update and take a look back.....

Due to Covid 19, the Fall Festival (as we all know it) with the Chicken and Meatball dinner, games in the tent, bake sale and raffle was not held. With much planning and adjusting, we were able to sponsor a Drive Thru Fish Fry. This effort to raise funds for the PCCW ongoing ministry was projected to fall short of the need. We reached out to our parish community to ask if they would continue to make a monetary donation so we could continue to provide assistance during these difficult times.

The response was overwhelming. We served 307 dinners and cheese curds for a profit of \$2,475 and accepted \$3,625 in donations for a total of \$6,100. This is amazing. We could not have done it without everyone's help! Once again our community comes together to help those in need.

The proceeds were used to provide financial support to various local and international organizations.

Diocese of La Crosse:

Diocese of La Crosse Seminarian Fund
Casa Hogar Mission
Televised Masses
Catholic Charity Warming Center
Arcadia Deanery (Refugee Women, Madonna Place, Water for Life, Milk Project)

Religious Organizations:

St. Clare Health Mission
School Sisters of St. Francis
Catholic Extension

Secular Organizations

Marinuka Manor (Advent gift)
Children's International (sponsor a child)
Grace Place of Winona
Place of Grace –La Crosse
Trempealeau County Health Care Center
G-E-T Food Pantry

This past year we added a new mission to our list: Marinuka Manor (Advent gift). With all the lockdowns and no visitors allowed, it was suggested to do something for the residents of the Marinuka Manor to brighten their day. It was unanimously decided at the December PCCW meeting to go forward to put a smile on the faces of the residents. MaryKay Plunger contacted the Dietary Director of the Manor. He was very receptive of the idea. MaryKay took the project to the Sweet Shop of La Crosse where they provided individual packages of sweets for the 34 residents of the Manor and 11 at the Eden House. Due to some dietary restrictions, individual packages of mixed chocolates, sugar free chocolates, and lemon/lime drops for those with lactose intolerance were packaged to accommodate as needed. With the help of Jeanne Pillar, MaryKay included a little message from the PCCW in each package and delivered the gifts on December 22nd. The employee that accepted the gifts was so impressed and grateful. Of course, it put a smile on everyone's face.

Thank You – MaryKay and Jeanne for making this project a success.

Another success story from this past year was to sponsor a needy family at Christmas. We were able to help out a family of 8 from our area. The Christmas Caring Tree was set up in the vestibule of the church with tags for gifts needed for the family. Again, with overwhelming support from our parish community we were able to provide them with needed gifts and the ingredients to make a Christmas Dinner. Thanks to all who contributed.

Going forward.....

Church Library Loan Project: Jeanne Pillar has been working with Father Antony on culling the books that were in the basement. The shelves were cleaned and straightened. It is currently located in the church basement. Father Antony has also approved some books that Jeanne donated. Any donated book will need to be approved. Jeanne has set up a sign out sheet and a basket that will be monitored for returns. Currently, the books are available for CCD. When things return to normal (after Covid) we will rearrange the Cry Room to accommodate the library. Books shelves have been donated by Charlene and Al Joyce and are in place in the room. Thanks to Jeanne for initiating this project. A notice will be in the weekly bulletin when the books are available for all.

We are still looking for another Set 2 Co-Chairperson. Thank you to Mary Klonecki for stepping up to fill in one of those spots.

As the new year progresses and the virus is behind us we look forward to the following projects:

- Potential Fish Fry during Lent
- Spring Luncheon and Rummage Sale
- First Confession Breakfast
- Tribute to our graduates
- Catfish Days Pancakes Breakfast and Bake Sale
- Fall Festival

All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend our next PCCW meeting on March 9, 2021. We are able to social distance and of course a mask is required. See you there!

We appreciate everyone's help in making these fund raising events a success so we can continue to help those in need! God Bless You All!

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