



ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPPEALEAU



ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



Sunday Bulletin

**April 25, 2021
Year B**

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A REFLECTION ON THE FIRST READING

The priests and Sadducees (who did not believe in the resurrection of the dead) were *annoyed* with Peter and John for healing and teaching without their permission and for proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead.

As are many people today.

Yet several thousand of those who saw and heard what Jesus' apostles had done, believed. The power of God confirmed to them that the Word of God was true.

For Peter had said to them that it was in the name of Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, that this man was standing before them well. **"And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."**

The word "salvation" as used here has a broader meaning in the Greek than that commonly used. It describes deliverance from danger, restoration to health, and the preservation from danger and destruction in this life and the next.

St. Augustine, who did not originally believe in miracles, later catalogued 2430 of them. Here is one. He relates the story of a woman, Innocentia, who discovered she had breast cancer. Doctors gave her no hope, so she turned to God alone in prayer for help. In a dream, she was told to wait in the church for the first woman who came out after receiving baptism, and to ask her to make the sign of Christ over her breast. She did so and was completely cured.

He writes, "What do these miracles attest but the Faith? ... God may himself perform them. Being eternal, He is active in temporal events; or He may affect them through the agency of His servants. ... Be that as it may, they all testify to the faith in which the way to eternal life is proclaimed."

Some in our parishioners have already experienced the first fruits of salvation in this manner, e.g. restoration of sight, alignment of leg and foot bones, control of an eating disorder, etc. **JESUS IS ALIVE!**

It is written, "Jesus is the same yesterday, today and forever." And He uses ordinary people who believe in Him to bring His healing and the good news of eternal life to others. Through faith, baptism and confirmation we have been drafted into this, His mission. So, as opportunities arise daily, be kind to others no matter the circumstance, pray **WITH** them, and don't be afraid to let the name of Jesus enter your conversation.

"Do not be afraid! Do not be satisfied with mediocrity! Put out into the deep & let down your nets for a catch!" (St. John Paul II).

God bless!

Dcn. Kent

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

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Intentions April 26—May 2

Monday: (Personal Mass) **St. Bartholomew**

+ Monica Knepper

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

Exposition and Confession at 5:00 p.m

+ Justin Bawek

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

+ Mark Klein

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

Exposition and Confession at 9:00 a.m

+ Harvey Glaede

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

+ Mary Giemza

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

* Hammer & Klein Families Living and Deceased

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

+ Pete Symitzek

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. St. Mary

All the People of the Parishes

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 May 1

ST. MARY— 4:00 p.m.

Ushers: Bruce Reedy, Sheryl Reedy

Lector: Tom Ladwig

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY May 2

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Craig Boyer, Kris Krett,

Servers: Reagan Lamberty, Volunteer

Lector: Graduates

ST. MARY— 10:30 a.m.

Ushers: Steve Grover, Sarah Grover

Lector: Ellen Karow

ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- ◆ ***Congratulations to Dawson Don Farley***, son of Bob & Melissa Farley who was baptized on Monday, April 19.
- ◆ We will be honoring our Graduates on Sunday, May 2 at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.
- ◆ Barbara Bice has kindly volunteered to become co-chairperson for set 2. Thank you.
- ◆ Our PCCW will be having roses on May 9, Mother's Day, for the Right to Life organization of Trempealeau County. Please make a donation for the roses and support this worthy cause.
- ◆ **PCCW meeting Tuesday, May 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the church hall. Silent Auction after meeting.**
- ◆ 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.

ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

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

- ◆ Finance Council meeting is Monday, May 3 at 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ St. Mary's PCCW will be selling roses on May 8 and 9 for the Right to Life organization of Trempealeau County. They will be offered at both masses on Mother's Day weekend. Suggested price will be \$3. each or 2/\$5. Please support our PCCW and a worthy cause for our area.
- ◆ We will be honoring our Graduates on Saturday, May 8 at the 4:00 p.m. Mass.
- ◆ **NEED GOD'S HELP?** Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or ekarow@hotmail.com.

COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ◆ **Please join us for the Rosary before Mass starts.**
- ◆ **Tootsie Roll Drive (TRD)** - Help the Knights of Columbus support these special organizations: **GET Special Education, Trempealeau County Special Olympics and Wisconsin Badger Camp.** Our annual TRD is Saturday, **May 1st**, at these fine establishments. Galesville at Randy's Neighborhood Market, Trempealeau at Riverstop, Centerville at Toad's Cove and Ettrick at Ettrick Express.
- ◆ The Knights of Columbus will have a second collection at the Masses on May 1st and May 2nd, for the Tootsie Roll Drive.
- ◆ **Adventure Summer Camp**, we are offering this to our children in grades 6th through 12th. The date is June 27 to July 1. Cost is \$425.00 including the bus. Please contact Father Antony, 608-881-1401 or the office, 608-534-6652. ASAP.
- ◆ **World Day of Prayer for Vocations** is April 25, 2021, which is today. Please take a few minutes of your day and pray for vocations. There is a flyer on the bulletin board with quotes from our seminarians, take a few minutes and read them they are very interesting.
- ◆ Be Part of an Amazing Adventure in Faith – Join the Lay Formation Institute! Registration is now open for the next two-year Lay Formation cycle that begins in fall of 2021. Draw closer to Christ and deepen your knowledge of the Faith in a joyful community of learners! See complete information, schedule and application form at diolc.org/lay-formation. Discuss with your pastor and contact the Office for Ministries and Social Concerns at ministries@diolc.org or call (608) 791-0161.
- ◆ **New Leader of Prayer Class Begins in July 2021** Applications are now open for a new class of men and women who wish to serve as Leaders of Prayer for the Diocese of La Crosse. This is a three-part course of study by which lay persons are prepared and commissioned to serve their parishes by bringing Holy Communion to the sick; conducting a Liturgy of the Word on weekdays when a priest is unavailable (or on Sunday in care facilities or jails); and by leading parishioners in prayer at other times. Applicants must have completed the Lay Formation Institute and be sponsored by their pastor. For more information and to apply, visit diolc.org/ministries and click on "Leader of Prayer."
- ◆ **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. Families invited to come visit April 23-24 or April 30-May 1 and to start the application online today! Call (920) 753-7570 or visit www.stlawrence.edu/weekend-visit
- ◆ **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.**

REMINDER: ROSARY WILL BE SAID AT THE GROTTO DURING THE MONTH OF MAY AT 6:00 P.M. PLEASE JOIN US IN SAYING IT.

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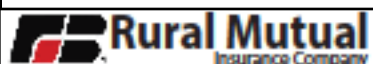
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