



ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPEALEAU

ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



# Sunday Bulletin

May 9, 2021 Year B

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## Love's Two Stages

**First,** we receive love. St. John puts it like this: "This is love: not that we have loved God, but that he loved us." We have no love that is not first received; any love I give was previously given to me from another (my mother, my father, my friends, etc). And the first source of all love in the world is God. So: stage one is to receive love from God.

But love must move to stage two, or it is incomplete and will die. Stage two is to give that love to another, to pass it on. If we just sit on the love given to us, it dies. So Jesus says, remain in my love by keeping my commandments. "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." This I command you, Jesus says: love one another. Love is not a feeling (no one can command feelings—they are beyond our control). But he can and does command an act of our wills, a decision to love. This is the basic stewardship principle: everything given to us is meant to be shared. That is particularly true of love. Love received is not complete or effective if I don't give it away.

### A Mother's Love

I can't earn love, but I can give it away. What does this authentic love look like? Well, look at a mother. She gives her blood during a pregnancy. She gives her milk after the child is born. She gives her sleep for the first two years; she gives immense amounts of her time and her sweat and her attention to her child. And in giving, she receives, perhaps not immediately, but she receives love. It comes not always from the child, but always from God. Authentic love does not look much like what you see on television. It looks a lot more like what you see in your mother, and hopefully your father too.

I wish all Mothers a Happy Mother's Day. I am gifted to have wonderful mothers in my parishes. Thank you.

Fr. Antony Joseph Cell- 608-881-1401

# LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

	<u>SBT</u>	<u>SMG</u>
Envelopes	\$1,987.00	\$ 942.00
Plate	64.00	76.34
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Total Offering	\$2,055.00	<u>1,018.34</u>

# Intentions May 10 — May 16

Monday: (Personal Mass) St. Bartholomew

+ Dorothy Chuchna

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

Exposition and Confession at 5:00 p.m

\* Special Intentions

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

+ Dana Backler

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

Exposition and Confession at 9:00 a.m

+ Janet Vondrasek

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

+ Hubert Peplinski

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

+ Angeline Kamrowski

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. St. Bartholomew

All the Poor Souls in Purgatory

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

+ Betty & Monica Knepper

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 15

ST. MARY-4:00 p.m.

Ushers: LaVonne Peterson, Sandy Salsman

**Lector: Tom Ladwig** 

ST. BARTHOLOMEW—5:30 p.m.

**Ushers: Doug Woestman, Phil Palzkil** 

Servers: Volunteers Lector: Kirk Shimek

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY May 16

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Brian Brenengen, Craig Boyer Servers: Aidan Ganz, Ayden Aschenbrener

**Lector: Missy Ganz** 

ST. MARY-10:30 a.m.

**Ushers: Bruce Reedy, Steve Grover** 

**Lector: Becky Harris** 



# A Mother's Day Prayer

Dear Lord, Please watch over and support all mothers on earth and in heaven... and help them to know how much they are appreciated on Mother's Day and every day. Amen.

### ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- PCCW will say the Rosary at the Grotto at 6:00 before the 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.

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

 SBT Income:
 \$ 15,639.37
 SMG Income
 \$ 12,321.46

 Expenses:
 \$ 18,928.21
 Expenses:
 \$ 11,952.08

 Net Loss
 \$ (3,288.84)
 Net Income:
 \$ 369.38

### ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

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

- ◆ PCCW meeting is on Tuesday, May 11 at 6:30 p.m.
- We will be honoring our Graduates on Saturday, May 22 at the 4:00 p.m. Mass.
- NEED GOD'S HELP? Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or <a href="mailto:ekarow@hotmail.com">ekarow@hotmail.com</a>.

### COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- Serving the Lord is what we are to do on earth. Our parishes are looking for people to serve in the roles of readers, ushers and servers. Please ponder the service you or your family members can give for an hour on Saturday or Sunday. Call the office, 608-534-6652, to let me know what will work best for you.
- Rosary at the Grotto at 6:00 p.m. during the month of May. Only on Saturday nights it will be following the 5:30 p.m. Mass, instead of at 6:00.
- Knights of Columbus meeting on Tuesday, May 11 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Rectory.
- The Knights of Columbus are the designated presenters for Rosary at the Grotto May 18th (Tuesday) at 6:00 pm. So bring your wife, your children or a friend. There's room for all.
- 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.
- NEW! Where do we find the Mass in the Bible? What is the relationship between the two? In ten beautifully produced lessons, Parousia: The Bible and the Mass answers these questions and more. In the latest video Bible study from the St. Paul Center, discover why the liturgy is a major theme that runs through the entire Bible, from Genesis to the Book of Revelation. We'll see how the New Testament is concealed in the Old, the Old is revealed in the New, and why both point directly to the Mass, the sign of the New Covenant. Join host Scott Hahn to uncover how and why all of God's action, in creation and redemption, isordered to the Mass. Ten weeks, beginning May 27<sup>th</sup>, Thursday evening, 6:30 PM in St. Mary's "Lower Room" (basement). If interested, contact Dcn. Kent via phone or email (608-864-0952, dcnkent@outlook.com) by Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Cost? Just your time.
- ◆ 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.

### MISSION TRIP TO LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA: JULY 23-30, 2021

Plans are in the works for a beautiful week of service to Louisiana to provide relief for a very demolished area. Lake Charles was shredded by Hurricane Laura and Delta which hit the area just 6 weeks apart from each other. We are working with Catholic Charities and a few other organizations to make it possible for us to help in this devastation. Cost is \$400, this includes lodging, meals and bus. Only out of pocket expenses will be meals on the ride to and from Louisiana and souvenirs. We leave from Prairie du Chien on Friday, July 23. Freshmen and older, who would like to join in this Mission Trip should contact Fr. Antony, before May 9th, at 608-881-1401. For any questions please contact Mary Stoeffler, 563-329-0149 or mstoeffler64@gmail.com.

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