



ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPPEALEAU



ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



Sunday Bulletin

**April 10, 2022
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Holy Week is a week of love. Jesus during Last Supper taught this love and then He died on the Cross out of love for us. So that our sins may be forgiven until eternity and that we might join Him in eternal glory.

Let us meditate on this love by meditating on the first day of the Holy Week, the Passion Sunday. Spiritual writer Henri Nouwen as quoted by Fr. Joseph Galdon, SJ has a very good reflection about love. He says that if we are going to be good lovers, we have to exercise three Cs – we have to be Competent, Compassionate and Contemplative.

Love is Competence. It means that we have to be good in everything we do. As Fr. Galdon added: “If we are going to be good lovers we have to be ‘GGs’ – Good Guys or Good Girls. We have to be a good husband or a good wife, a good parent or a good child, a good brother or a good sister.” Love also means that we have to be good in our work because our work should be a work of love to help others. Also, being good in life!”

We have to be Compassionate. We have to sympathize with everyone in our lives, especially those who need us. Compassion means to love, to be supremely concerned with what is good for others and not just what is good for us.

We must be a Contemplative person. We have to pray. To be a greatest lover is to be a good pray-er. We need to reflect “Lord, into your hands, I commend my spirit.”

Let us grow in Competence, Compassion and Contemplation in this Holy Week.

Fr. Antony Joseph

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

	<u>SBT</u>	<u>SMG</u>
Envelopes	\$ 2,377.00	\$2,757.00
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Total Offering	\$ <u>2,736.26</u>	\$ <u>2,952.25</u>

Counters: Judy Kowalewski, Lori Mahoney

Intentions April 11— April 17

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

+ Jim Walske

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m. St. Mary
Exposition and Confession at 5:00 p.m.

+ Deceased Members of the Pientok Family

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

+ Dale Czapiewski

Holy Thursday: 6:30 p.m. St. Mary

+ Garry Schindler

Good Friday Service: 1:00 p.m. St. Mary
Way of the Cross 12:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday: 8:30 p.m. St. Mary

* Francis Haines Family

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

+ Addie Harms

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

+ Peter Baldini



Holy Thursday Adoration Schedule

Times

Groups to Lead

8:00-8:30 p.m.	Rel. Ed. and Choir - Both Churches
8:30-9:00 p.m.	Councils of SBT & SMG
9:00-9:30 p.m.	KC's & SBT & SMG PCCW's
9:30-10:00 p.m.	Father Antony & Deacon Kent

Shadow Stations: “What are Shadow Stations”? It is a very Unique and soul moving way to experience the Way of the Cross. The youth from St. Eliza beth Ann Seton parish will act out each of the stations from behind a screen making a visual effect of the station. The stations become “alive”. The object of the Stations is to help the faithful make in spirit, a pilgrimage to the chief scenes of Christ’s suffering and death. Dates are: Sunday, April 10th and Wednesday, April 13th at 7:00 p.m. each night.

Lenten Confession: Confession for the Deanery will be held on Palm Sunday, April 10 from 3-5 p.m. at Ss. Peter & Paul's Parish in Independence.

Holy Week Services will be held at St. Mary's Parish.

Holy Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Adoration following in the church basement until 10:00 p.m.

Good Friday at 1:00 p.m. with the Way of the Cross at 12:30 p.m.

The Easter Vigil is at 8:30 p.m. and Easter Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

St. Bartholomew: Easter Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m.

ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

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

- ♦ **SOUP SUPPER-** this is the last one! All are welcome. Soup served immediately after Tuesday's 6:00 mass April 12th.
- ♦ **LIVING WATER Prayer Community.** Open prayer meeting this Sunday evening at 6:00-7:30 PM, followed by the SPIRITUAL WARFARE Course – This Valley of Tears, A Lenten Meditation on the Cross.
- ♦ **STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Fridays during Lent, 6:00-6:30 PM.
- ♦ **CHURCH CLEANING:** We will be cleaning the church to get ready for Easter on **Monday, April 11 at 4:00 –6:30 p.m.** Please give an hour of your time to help. St. Mary's has all volunteer labor for cleaning the church, the rectory and all lawn care. Consider helping this dedicated group of workers!
- ♦ **FINANCE COUNCIL** will meet Monday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m.
- ♦ **PCCW NEWS: Spirituality Night** is coming up on Tuesday, April 19 @ 7:00 SS Peter & Paul, Independence. Carpool leaving from St. Mary's at 6:00. A collection will be taken at this event for the Ukraine War Humanitarian Fund. If you would like to write a check, make it out to the Arcadia Deanery. Donations can also be made by labeling an envelope and putting it into the collection basket at church.
- ♦ **St. Mary's PCCW** will meet Tuesday, April 26 at 6:30 in the church.
- ♦ **NEED GOD'S HELP?** Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or ekarow@hotmail.com.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ITEMS FOR YOU.

- + **WHAT** is our purpose as baptized and confirmed Catholics? To Know God and Make Him Known.
- + **HOW** will we do this? By living the mission Jesus gave us: To Love God, Love Others, and Go Make Disciples.
- + **WHY?** Jesus desires we be: A Parish of Joyful Missionary Disciples Living in the Love & Power of the Holy Spirit.

ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- ♦ **Welcome to *Lucas Adam Roland***, son of Andrew and Kayla Roland who was baptized last Sunday, April 3.
- ♦ **Thank you** to all who generously donated to the Easter basket project. We were able to assemble 50 overflowing baskets for three area charitable organizations. Your response was amazing and we couldn't have done it without your help. There will be many smiling children on Easter morning thanks to all of you!
- ♦ Please remember to return your mite boxes either in the collection basket or your next class.
- ♦ **PCCW** meeting on Tuesday, April 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the church hall.
- ♦ 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.

COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ♦ **Knights of Columbus** meeting is Tuesday, April 12th. For Lent, our meeting will start at **6 pm with Mass and soup supper at St Mary's.** Followed by our business meeting at 7 pm in the Rectory.
- ♦ **Shadow Stations** at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Holmen on Sunday, April 10 and Wednesday, April 13 at 7:00 p.m. each night.
- ♦ Ladies of the parish, please join other parish ladies at the Arcadia Deanery Spirituality Gathering on Tuesday, April 19, 7 p.m. at SS. Peter & Paul, Independence. Guest Speaker: Clare Ruff, Hosea Initiative will speak on a Pro-Life Theme. For ladies in attendance, a free will offering will be collected at lunch time. A fee will no long be collected at the door. A collection for the Ukraine War Humanitarian Fund will be conducted at this event. Checks payable to Arcadia Deanery. Thank you.
- ♦ The La Crosse Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's Convention is Saturday, April 23 at St. Vincent De Paul Church, Wisconsin Rapids. Registration due by April 14. All parish ladies are invited.

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Next meeting, April 12



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