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ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



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What Must I Do to Inherit Eternal Life?

It's all about relationship! So what's love got to do with it?

When the lawyer tests Jesus with the question, "What must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus turns it right back on him by asking, "What is written in the law? How do you read?"

The lawyer's answer? "You shall love the Lord your God with your whole heart, soul, mind, and strength; and your neighbor as myself."

Jesus' skewers him: "Do this and you shall live."

Does this make us a little uneasy? It should. Because no human has **ever** loved God (except Mary)—heart, soul, mind, and strength—for their whole life. We all come up short, don't we? We're all sinners.

We don't get to heaven by being "nice" people. We aren't. We get there by being humble enough to recognize and turn away from all that separates us from Him. We too need to go to the cross, trusting His promise to forgive to all who repent. Because, in the end, isn't it about loving Him enough to trust Him?

If you doubt that, just look at who God loves: Jacob was a cheater; Peter had a temper; David had an affair; Noah got drunk; Jonah ran from God; Paul was a murderer; Miriam was a gossip; Martha was a worrier; Thomas was a doubter; Sara was impatient; Elijah was moody; and Abraham was old. But in the end, they all turned their lives around to trust and live for Him.

If we turn to Him as they did, not counting the cost, we too will live! That's His promise.

Then He shows us what it really means to love our neighbor as ourselves - to show mercy, even towards our enemies, as the Samaritan did to the Jew. Jesus isn't *asking* us to like or feel good about them, He *commands* us to do good to them and pray for them, showing us what this looks like when He goes to Calvary for our sake.

Our sin has made us like the man half dead on the road. Christ, through the sacraments, pours oil and wine into our wounds, washes us, and makes us clean and whole. His love and compassion restores us to life showing us what it really means to love our neighbor.

God bless!

Dcn. Kent

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

	<u>SBT</u>	<u>SMG</u>
Envelopes	\$ 2,212.00	\$ 1,461.00
Plate	222.00	150.50
Electronic Dep	79.25	0.00
Youth Envelopes	0.00	2.00
Total Offering	\$ 2,513.25	\$ 1,613.50

Counters: Charlene Joyce, Lori Mahoney

Intentions **July 11 — July 17**

Monday: NO MASS

Tuesday: NO MASS

Wednesday: NO MASS

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

+ Bill Schwertel

Friday: NO MASS

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

+ Emmalene Neslon

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

+ Dorothy Chuchna

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

+ Jim Walske

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

+ Barb & Mark Jacobson

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY: July 16

ST. MARY- 4:00 p.m.

Ushers: Carmen Rolbiecki, Doreen Emerson

Lector: Sheila Collom

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 5:30 p.m.

Ushers: Phil Palzkil, Volunteer

Server: John Severson

Lector: Doreen Backler

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY: July 17

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Adian Ganz, Bruce Brenengen

Servers: Zak Guenther, Eli Schwertel

Lector: Missy Ganz

Communion Minister: Anne Bagley

ST. MARY— 10:30 a.m.

Ushers: Steve Grover, Justin Sagler

Lector: Ellen Karow

Please Join Sacred Heart-St. Patrick Parish for

Father Antony's Welcome Party.

**Saturday, July 16 following the 4:00 pm Mass,
Sacred Heart Campus, 448 N. Dewey St. Eau Claire
From 5-7 pm. Outside Tent, DJ Music, Food
Trucks, Yard Games, Conversation and Fellowship.**

Food trucks will have food available for purchase.

ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- ♦ St. Bartholomew Raffle/Fall Festival Weekend. Requesting cash donations for prizes. Monies will be bundled for fewer but larger cash prizes. Donor names will not be on the ticket, instead printed list of donors will be printed in the bulletin with IMO and IHO info. Drawing will be at the Fall Festival Weekend Donut Sunday, Oct. 9 at 10:30 a.m. Please email Janet Amundson, gramsjan4@hotmail.com or phone 608-534-6541 with donations and questions. Deadline July 18. Thank you! Your generosity is appreciated!
- ♦ 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!

- ♦ ***Congratulations to Savannah Gilligan***, who received her First Communion and First Confession on July 3.
- ♦ **St. Mary's PCCW will meet Tuesday, July 19th at 6:30 in the church basement.** There will be no mass before our meeting.
- ♦ **St. Mary's PCCW will soon be selling football sweepstakes tickets for our parish.** If you would like to help sell these tickets, contact Becky Harris 608-484-0630.
- ♦ **LIVING WATER Prayer Community** open prayer meeting this Sunday evening at 6:00-7:30 PM. 10 session series following the prayer meeting: METANOIA Session 7 – Jesus Calls & Empowers.
- ♦ **The Window Project for St. Mary's was a great success.** We now have the donor memorial display in the back of the church. A big thanks goes to Roger Betthausen for his time/talents in designing this fitting display. The stained glass round window above the main doors is also going to be changed to a stained glass window of Mary & baby Jesus. The finance council is still working on getting bids for this part of the project. Thank you to all the donors for this project, we could not have completed this project without your generosity.
- ♦ **The garden behind the church has been discontinued.** Thank you to Ron Schwertel and Roger Betthausen for tilling and reseeded.
- ♦ **NEED GOD'S HELP?** Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or ekarow@hotmail.com.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ITEM FOR YOU.

+ Conversion means accepting, by a personal decision, the saving sovereignty of Christ by becoming His disciple" (St. John Paul II).

+ To become Jesus' disciple does not mean that I can look at my heart and say, "Am I perfect?" but, "Has God gripped my heart and life completely?" (Ga 2:20).

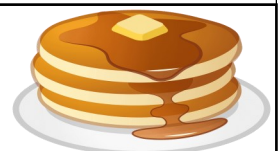
COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ♦ **Join the G-E-T Knights of Columbus**, with neighboring councils in the District 25 Sportsmen's Knight Out Raffle. Prizes include archery and hunting equipment, jewelry packages, Badger football tickets and much, much more. Over \$10,000.00 in prizes. Contact Larry @ 608-797-3102, Kirk @ 608-397-3934 or Greg @ 608-865-1518. Drawing is August 16, 2022.
- ♦ **Healing Conference: Saturday, July 16, 2022 – Free.** Dr. Mary Healy will be presenting three talks at a healing conference entitled Healing: Bringing the Gift of God's Mercy to the World, which is the title of her book. The presentations will be followed up by a healing service. Dr. Healy is a well-known professor of Sacred Scripture at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit and is an author. This healing conference will be held at Mary, Mother of the Church Parish in La Crosse. For further details, download a flier at: diolc.org/catechesis/bulletin-inserts.
- ♦ Casa Hogar Optical Mission is looking for volunteers for its January 2023 mission to Lurin, Peru. If you are interested, please contact Cindy Sjolander at casahogaropticalmission@outlook.com with any questions and the application form.
- ♦ We are excited to announce an upcoming series of discernment retreats. During the day will be for young men ages 12-16. The evening will be for men aged 17 and above. These were formally called Date to Follow and Threshold retreats. Check flyer for more information.



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