



ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPPEALEAU



ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



Sunday Bulletin

**July 24, 2022
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ASK FOR MORE

No matter what Jesus is doing in your life, He wants to give you more of His Holy Spirit. **The key is learning there is more, asking for it, and receiving it.**

Jesus gave all of us a mission: to love one another and to 'Go, make disciples of all nations' (see our mission statement!). We can't do this on our own power — we need more of the Holy Spirit; we need to pray, "God, I need more of Your Spirit. *I need more of You because I see how little I have.*"

At this past weekend's conference on healing, we saw miracles that are only possible by the power of the Holy Spirit working through those who are yielded to Him.

As St. Bonaventure noted, this power *does not* come because of our efforts, study or holiness, *but only* through **our surrender to the Holy Spirit.**

Jesus said, 'He who believes in me, out of his heart will come rivers of living water' (Jn 7:38). Some of us only have a little trickle.

Do we have enough humility, enough trust, to ask our Heavenly Father for more of His Holy Spirit? Are we willing to risk what others may think of us in order to please Him?

St. Augustine saw so many miracles that he stated, "there is no lack of miracles in our day. And the God who works the miracles we read of in the Scripture uses any means and manner He chooses."

For him, miracles were not sent primarily by God to relieve pain (although that was a benefit), or to create a spectacle that would attract crowds, or to provide stories that would make a national best-seller. "**Miracles have no purpose but to help men believe that Jesus Christ is God;**" they demonstrate that He's alive; they validate His resurrection and help men's faith.

Do we love Jesus enough to personally give our lives to make Him known and loved? Who's our king—comfort or Christ? He told us following Him wouldn't be easy. Faith most certainly can be spelled **R.I. S.K.** — it's hard on the ego. So, ask for *more* of the Holy Spirit now! He, the power of God, is our helper!

God bless!
Dcn. Kent

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

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Counters: Judy Kowalewski, Kathy Kujak

Intentions July 25 — July 31

Monday: NO MASS

Tuesday: NO MASS

Wednesday: NO MASS

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

+ Jean Meckstroth

Friday: 11:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

Funeral: Thomas (Squeak) Mikrut

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

+ Ed Rolbiecki

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

+ Paul Severson

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

+ Ed Stanislawski

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

+ Nancy French

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY: July 30

ST. MARY- 4:00 p.m.

Ushers: Kathy Kujak, Sandy Salsman

Lector: Theresa Haines

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 5:30 p.m.

Ushers: Doug Woestman, Volunteer

Server: John Severson

Lector: Greg Goltz

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY: July 31

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Kris Krett, Craig Boyer

Servers: Chaes Suchla, Reagan Lamberty

Lector: Joe Plunger

Communion Minister: Darlene Schlessner

ST. MARY— 10:30 a.m.

Ushers: Steve Grover, Justin Sagler

Lector: Shelia Collom

*"Know that the greatest service that man
can offer to God is to help convert souls."
(St. Rose of Lima)*

*"My concern is not whether God is on our side;
my greatest concern is to be on God's side,
for God is always right."
(Abraham Lincoln)*

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!

- ♦ St. Mary's PCCW will be selling football sweepstakes tickets before and after masses this weekend. These tickets are \$20. We will be using the proceeds to purchase a refrigerator for our church,
- ♦ **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 8 – Jesus' Power Over the Evil One. .
- ♦ **NEED GOD'S HELP?** Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or ekarow@hotmail.com.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ITEM FOR YOU.

- + Have you ever thought on hearing Jesus say, "I came that they may have life and have it abundantly" – "Where is it?"
- + When Mass is over & soup suppers are done, have you ever felt, "There must be more to 'abundant life' than this."
- + Have you ever wondered, "Why doesn't my experience match His promise?"

COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ♦ **St Mary's PCCW** is selling football sweepstakes tickets to replace our old inadequate refrigerator in the church. If you would like a ticket please contact Becky Harris at 608-484-0630. Thank you supporting us.
- ♦ **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.
- ♦ **Trempealeau Community Vacation Bible School 2022!** VBS starting Sunday, August 14 to Wednesday August 17. 6-8pm each evening. For kids entering K-5th grade in the fall of 2022. Online registration available: vbspro.events/p/events-trempvbs. Interested in volunteering please contact Wendy at wendysuchla@gmail.com
- ♦ SS. Peter & Paul Parish, Independence are having their Fall Festival on August 13 & 14. Check flyer for info.
- ♦ 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.
- ♦ Chris Stefanick to speak on Living Joy - Wednesday, August 24 Living Joy is an urgently needed message for a world grasping for joy but settling for short-lived pleasures. With his characteristic humor and insights from daily life, Chris Stefanick will share the path to living joy, the joy that only Jesus Christ can give. Chris, an internationally known author and speaker, will present virtually on Wednesday, August 24th from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$10 per person. The first 80 people to register will receive Chris's new book, "Living Joy," retail cost of \$24. To register, download a brochure and/or poster, visit diolc.org/witness-joy

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