

ST. BARTHOLOMEW, TREMPEALEAU

ST. MARY'S, GALESVILLE



# Sunday Bulletin June 23, 2024 Year B

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#### Fear Not The Lord Calms Our Storms

On the twelfth Sunday of the ordinary time, the holy mother church reminds and encourages us that, Christ is with us even in the midst of all the storms of this life.

Both the first reading from Job and the Gospel of Mark today, reminds us that God is the creator of the world. Hence, he has the power to control and regulate all the natural, physical and spiritual forces or activities going on in this world. He knows when best to intervene both in our personal life and in the history of our entire world. This is evident in his timely response to Job and, intervention in the situation of his disciples.

In the second reading, God intervenes in our life out of His love for us his children and world. He allowed his only son Jesus Christ to die at the appropriate time to save and renew us.

Life is full of storms. At times, they can become so strong and strange that our human strength can no longer support us. At such moments fear and complaints might take over the central stage of our life. Even in some cases, we might lose our faith in God, thinking that he has abandoned us or that he does not exist. These storms come in different forms.

They could be problems in our marriage, family, our children, no good job, poor finance, or a prolonged sickness that has defiled all treatments, also be the inability to find or maintain a good and stable relationship or, falling out with people all the time, also poor results in our business. The list is unending, but these represent the realities we face every day.

My dear people, the truth is that there is no assurance that our lives would be completely free of storms. However, the good news is that there is an assurance that Christ is with us to help us succeed. So, we shall overcome all our storms with Christ. God Bless You All!!

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# Intentions June 24 — June 30

**Monday:** NO MASS

**Tuesday:** NO MASS

**Wednesday:** NO MASS

**Thursday:** NO MASS

Friday: NO MASS

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

+ Anita Lilla

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

+ George Richtman

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

All the People of Our Parishes

### **ALL MASSES ARE AT ST. MARY'S**

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY, June 29

4:00 p.m.

**Ushers: Doreen Emerson, LaVonne Peterson** 

**Lector: Volunteer** 

Servers: John Severson

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY June 30

8:30 a.m.

Ushers: Tim Jessessky, Charles Muller

Servers: Chloe Lilla, Nolan Lilla

**Lector: Anne Bagley** 

Communion Minister: Darlene Schlesser

10:30 a.m.

**Ushers: Bruce Reedy, Sheryl Reedy** 

**Lector: Cindy Anderson** 

Servers: Sarah Sagler, Steve Grover

#### **FAMILY PRAYER CORNER:**

At 7:00 p.m. Every evening all parish families are asked to pray: 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary and 1 Glory Be to the Father with this intention in mind: For those all those who are traveling, especially Fr. Sebastian, that they may have a safe and happy summer.

Personal Prayer Request: Pray for the priest who administered you the sacrament of Holy Eucharist.

St. Bartholomew's started doing improvement work in the church. So starting June 8th & 9th all the weekend Masses will be held at St. Mary's in Galesville. During this time the Mass schedule will be Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Remember these will all be at St. Mary's. The weekday Masses will be Tuesday at St. Mary's as usual at 6:00 p.m. with adoration at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday will be held in St. Bartholomew's church hall at 10:00 a.m. Please watch the bulletin for updates.

#### ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS.

- Bake Sale and Lunch: Start making your bake goods for the Bake Sale coming on Saturday, July 13th. We will be selling Grilled Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Chili Dogs, Sloppy Joes, Chips, Bars, Water, Soda, Coffee and Rootbeer Floats. Serving from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. or until gone. This is our fundraiser for the Catfish Day weekend.
- St. Bartholomew's Parish will again have a **Fall Raffle**. 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. Please email Janet Amundson <a href="mailto:gramsjan4@hotmail.com">gramsjan4@hotmail.com</a> or call 608-534-6541. Deadline June 30. Thank you! Your generosity is appreciated!
- Mark your calendars Fall Festival, Sunday Oct 13th. We will be changing our fall festival again, This year we will do a Breakfast Brunch after the Polka Mass at 8:30 a.m. Kids games, basket raffle and big ticket raffle. Raffle will begin at 11:45. Watch the bulletin and your mail in August for more information and details. Thank you for your continued support!
- Need prayers for any health or anxiety issue big or small. Contact the prayer chain, Doreen Backler, 608-534-6118, Ethel Ouellette, 608-534-6520 or the Knights of Columbus (Greg Goltz) @ 608-865-1518.

#### ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

**OUR MISSION:** To love God, love others and go make disciples! **OUR VISION:** To awaken the faithful, reach the Lost, and make Church matter!

- FYI: the summer lunch program starts next week and is served in the park across from St. Mary's on Tuesdays and Fridays at 11:30 a.m. Due to the kitchen remodeling at Zion, they will be using our kitchen for some of preparation (until the Zion kitchen is finished.)
- ECUMENICAL PICNIC All ladies of St. Mary's are invited to the annual ecumenical picnic on Thursday, July 11 at 6:00 p.m. Bring a dish to pass and a friend if you would like. If the weather is quite hot or if it is raining, the location will be St. Mary's basement.
- ◆ <u>NEED GOD'S HELP?</u> Contact St. Mary's Prayer Chain, Ellen Karow 582-2688 or <u>ekarow@hotmail.com</u> or the Knights of Columbus (Greg Goltz) @ 608-865-1518.

#### **PASTORAL COUNCIL ITEM FOR YOU:**

- + Pope Francis' vision for our parish is that we stop focusing on ourselves and focus outwards for the salvation of souls.
- + "Know that the greatest service that man can offer to God is to help convert souls." (St. Rose of Lima).
- + "God doesn't call us to be successful, He calls us to be faithful!" (Mother Theresa).

#### **COMMUNICATION TO ALL**

- Father is going on a trip the week of June 24 through June 28. There will be no Mass during this week.
- **Diocesan Annual Appeal** monies need to be at the dioceses by June 30. St. Mary's has only \$235.00 left to meet their target. Thank you for getting this in on time.
- ◆ *LIVING WATER!* prayer meeting, Sunday evening, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6:00-7:30 PM, St. Mary's Rectory. Following the meeting: "PRAYER GROUP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM INTRODUCTION" with Joe Boroden, Speaker & Diocesan Chairperson for the Catholic Charismatic Renewal, in Pensacola/Tallahassee, FL
- Urgent request for rosary novena from Marija, a visionary of Medjugorje, June 16-25. Join at 3:00 p.m. to pray for World peace.

#### DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE

The Diocese of La Crosse, through its <u>policies and procedures</u>, seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Teresa Brown, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Brown at 608.791.0179 or <a href="intakeagent@diolc.org">intakeagent@diolc.org</a>. The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: <a href="diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting">diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting</a>. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local Parish and on the <a href="diocesan website">diocesan website</a>. If you have any questions about the Diocese of La Crosse and the implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Teresa Brown, Diocese of La Crosse, at 608.791.2679 or <a href="tebrown@diolc.org">tebrown@diolc.org</a>.

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