

St. Bridget & St. Ansgar

Roman Catholic Churches of Ettrick & Blair

February 16th, 2025

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)



St. Ansgar Parish
607 E. Olson St, Blair WI



St. Bridget Parish
22650 Washington St, Ettrick WI

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Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Bridget Saturday 3:30 – 4:00 pm

St. Ansgar Sunday 7:30 – 8:00 am

Holy Mass Schedule & Intentions

Tuesday, Feb. 18th **St. Ansgar 8:30am**
+ Clemens & Melaine Eberhardt

Wednesday, Feb. 19th **St. Bridget 8:30am**
+Gust Klimek

Thursday, Feb. 20th **St. Ansgar 8:30am**
+ Bob & Darlene Wolfe

Friday, Feb. 21st **St. Bridget 8:30am**
+ Mary Forseth

Saturday, Feb 22nd **St. Bridget 4:00 pm**
+ Allan Smith

Sunday, Feb. 23rd **St. Ansgar 8am**
For the People
St. Bridget 10am
+ Smith Beirne

**The Month of Febuary is dedicated
to the Holy Family**

Unplug! Set an Easy Goal!

The season of Lent begins on Wednesday, March 5th. It is helpful to decide what we will offer up before Lent actually begins so that we are ready on Ash Wednesday. Would you like to “unplug” from screens by setting an easy goal of time to fast? There will be simple themes for the next few weeks to help us stay committed.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP for Feb. 9th 2025

	St. Ansgar	St. Bridget
Adult	\$601	\$775
Youth		\$5
Plate	\$31	\$134
Total	\$632	\$914

MINISTRY SCHEDULE for Sunday, Feb. 23rd

	St. Ansgar 8:00 am	St. Bridget 10:00 am
Lector	Judt Haase-Hardie	Jess Martin-Wagner
Eucharistic Minister	Eric Barczak	Mary Martin
Servers	Katerina Barczak	Payten Wagner Paisley Wagner
Greeters & Gift Bearers	Carol Nortman Geralyn Subra	Susan Beirne Jan Loken
Ushers	Volunteer Neal Wozney	Scott Martin Nick Martin
Cashiers	Judt Haase-Hardie Mary Hanson	Mary Martin Marilyn Bishop

**Men of the Cross “Freedom in Forgiveness” |
March 8th 2025 | Blessed Sacrament Church, La
Crosse**

Join men from all over the Diocese of La Crosse and beyond to experience Freedom in Forgiveness through Mass, inspiring talks, discussion and fellowship. The Church needs men to live freely, allowing them to help other men break the chains that bind them so they may also live the joy-filled life that Christ wants for us. To register please go to menofthecross.org (High school students who attend with a parent/guardian are free.)



St. Ansgar Parish

Universal Church Directories will be taking family photos of St. Ansgar Parishioners on May 6th. The last time St. Ansgar had family photos and a new church directory was in 2011!

Appointments will be necessary. Information & sign-up sheets will be available on Feb. 16th or you can sign up online. Each family will receive a free 8x10 and a church directory. Please pass the word so we can get 100% parish participation. Thank you!

Jubilee 2025 – Pray as ‘Pilgrims of Hope’

We live in a time of much anxiety, fear, and discontent. The theme of this Jubilee Year 2025 should capture our attention, with its focus on hope. Hope is an incredible virtue which is given to us by God at baptism that disposes us to live in relationship with the Blessed Trinity. Hope is the virtue “by which we desire the Kingdom of Heaven and eternal life as our happiness, placing our trust in Christ’s promises and relying not on our own strength but on the help of the grace of the Holy Spirit” (CCC #1817). During this year of hope, “let us lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus (Heb. 12:1-2) One way to participate in Jubilee 2025 is to receive the sacraments more frequently. The sacrament of Holy Eucharist – Jesus Himself – opens our eyes to see His power and love in action in our daily lives. Let us join our parish family in gathering together each Sunday (or Saturday evening) to be strengthened in the powerful gift of hope.

Evening of Hope | Feb 22nd 2025

Bishop Battersby will celebrate the 4:30pm Mass at the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman, La Crosse. After Mass, he will impart the Papal Blessing with the attached plenary indulgence. A Holy Hour will follow Mass, during which Bishop Battersby will offer a Jubilee Reflection on Hope. All are welcome.

**Bulletin announcements must be received by
Wednesday 12pm. Thank you!**

**For administration of the Sacraments, please
call or email the Parish Office.**

