

# SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## FEBRUARY 11, 2018

### TODAY'S MASS INTENTIONS:

**Saturday 5:00 PM (LM) Larry Nelson**  
**Sunday 8:00 AM (LM) Harold Stilling**  
**Sunday 9:30 AM (JC) Mark K**  
**Sunday 11:00 AM (LM) Pro Populo**

If the Mass intention is for a friend or family member, we encourage you to be gift bearers at that Mass. Please let the ushers know before Mass if you will bring up the gifts.

### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE: LM = Lake Mills JC = Johnson Creek

Tuesday	13th	8:00 AM	LM	Walter and Myrtle Vogt
<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>14th</i>	8:00 AM	LM	Blessing and Distribution of Ashes
<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>14th</i>	5:00 PM	JC	Blessing and Distribution of Ashes
<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>14th</i>	6:30 PM	LM	Children's Liturgy of Ashes
<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>14th</i>	7:45 PM	LM	Blessing and Distribution of Ashes
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>15th</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>JC</b>	Mass at St Mary Magdalene
Friday	16th	8:10- 8:25 AM	JC	<b>†† CONFESSIONS ††</b>
Friday	16th	8:30 AM	JC	Theresa Rueth
Friday	16th	2:00 PM	LM	Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy Chaplet
Saturday	17th	4:00 – 4:30 PM	LM	<b>†† CONFESSIONS ††</b>
Saturday	17th	5:00 PM	LM	Edward and Florence Hrobsky
Sunday	18th	8:00AM	LM	Pro Populo
Sunday	18th	9:30 AM	JC	Missi Andrashie
Sunday	18th	11:00 AM	LM	Brian Larrabee

*This Sunday's Scripture Readings*  
Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Mk 1:40-45

*Next Sunday's Scripture Readings, February 18,*  
Gn 9:8-15; 1Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

**† From Fr. David:** The pure white snows of the past week remind me of Isaiah 1:18, "Come now, let us set things right, says the Lord. Though your sins be like scarlet, they may become white as snow." Lent is that time when we seek to become pure white again, and it begins this week with Ash Wednesday. Please come to our liturgies, and remember that 6:30 is especially for students, it is crowded, you may have to sit in the basement, and it is not a Mass (it has scripture and distribution of ashes). The other liturgies are Masses. Please join the whole Church in fasting on Wednesday. Fasting is well attested in scripture, starting with Moses on Mt. Sinai, and when accompanied by prayer it is an effective penance and way to renewal. We are all encouraged to "give up" something during Lent. I encourage those of us who are Confirmed to dedicate ourselves to the five marks of a disciple (Acts 2:42)—daily prayer, daily scripture, consistent worship at Mass, building faith-based relationships in our parish community, and evangelizing outside the parish. Please consider joining Alpha, Beta, or any other group as one way to meet others and grow in relationships in our parish. ► You are welcome to take a Little Black Book to help with daily reflection during Lent. I ask you to remember that these booklets don't take the place of daily scripture reading and reflecting. Rather, when used properly, they assist it. ► The Thursday morning Mass this week will

be at SMM in order to balance the number of morning Masses at each church. ► Starting Wednesday, the Communion antiphon sheets will be in stacks of three at the ends of each pew. Please try to keep these sheets in good shape, do not put them in the pew shelves, and return them to the ends of pews after Masses.

### Prayer of the Faithful

May we have the faith and courage to place our Hope in Him through loving and caring for the spiritual and physical needs of those in our diocese and generously giving to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal, and may we all join together to "Dare to Hope!" We pray to the Lord.

### † ST GABRIEL PARISH FAMILY †

**✠ BAPTIZED IN CHRIST** This weekend at St. Francis Xavier is Luciana Michele, infant daughter of Chris and Angela and Lopac. Through water of baptism, Luciana receives the gift of eternal life and becomes a child of God. May she and her family always feel the depth of God's love for them. *Congratulations!*  
 ► Please be careful walking in the winter time, especially near icy or unlevel surfaces.  
 ► Lost, near church, set of 6 keys. If found please turn them into the rectory.

► If you have the flu or some other serious illness, you may stay home from Mass. If you have a cold or a compromised immune system, please don't shake hands with others, but smile and say, "The peace of the Lord be with you." If you are not feeling well, please refrain from the Most Precious Blood.

► Important Meeting for the Annual SMM Pig Roast on Tuesday, March 6. We need to find new chairperson or cochairs. We need committee heads for committees like advertising, raffle, food and beverage, etc. The Pig Roast is always the second Saturday in September at Johnson Creek Community Center.

► **Alpha** has begun, but it's not too late to join it. Alpha is a ten-part series, meeting Monday nights, all at SMM in Johnson Creek, 6-8 pm. It begins with a meal. Alpha is for everyone--parishioners, those who don't go to church often, and those who have never been in a church. Invite a friend! Childcare is available (let us know how many children). To register, call Julie Engel, 920-541-6225. Alpha is an opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open, and informal environment. No pressure, no follow up, no charge.

► **Beta**, a follow-up to the Alpha program, has begun, and you are welcome to join it. It runs through April 9th, 6-8:00PM. Join us at St. Francis Church in Lake Mills as we seek to grow as disciples in our relationship with God; the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Each Monday we will gather together for a potluck dinner, video, and small group discussion. The Catholic "Symbolon" series "Knowing the Faith" will be our guide. For more information contact: Dorothy Donnelly 920-478-1119, [dortdonnelly@gmail.com](mailto:dortdonnelly@gmail.com).

► Baked Fish Dinners at St. Joseph's-Fort Atkinson. Fridays Feb 23, March 16, 30, 4:30-7:00 at parish hall. If Qs call Bob 920-285-0175, sponsored by KCs.

† PRAYER CORNER †

Please remember in prayer all of our beloved family and friends, especially:

Barbara Albers, Marie Brannan, Amanda C, Sarah Cahill, Erika Effenhauser, Jerry Fleury, Stephen Follin, Jeanne Frei, Jeff Gleiter, Katy Gleiter, CJ Graves, Harry Graves, Diane Kleinsteiber, Mary Jane Kristapovich, Wendy Kopplin, Art Maniaci, Holden McCombs, Phillip Mehl, Arlene N, F D'Obler, Paul Popowski, John Puhr, Asher Reeves, Gloria Rekowski, Tammy S, Zachary Sanchez, Tom Serocki, Grace Stilling, Irene Sullivan, Cherby Torres, Doug W.

*If you need prayers and would like your name added here, please call the parish office at 648-2468. If you are calling to add someone to the list, please ask for their permission to place their name in the bulletin.*

✠ Liturgical Roles ✠

**Ash Wednesday February 14**

8:00 AM (LM)

Altar Servers: Volunteers Needed

Lector: Gerry Oesterreich

Eucharistic Minister: Cathy Oesterreich

5:00 PM (JC) Altar Servers; Ushers; Eucharistic Ministers;

Lector - Volunteers Needed

7:45 PM (LM)

Altar Servers: Volunteers Needed

Lector: Mike Witt

Eucharistic Minister: Dave Doyle

**Next Weekend February 17 and 18**

**Altar Servers:**

5:00 PM (LM) – Gavin Lira and David Klein

8:00 AM (LM) – Nathan Brzowski and Sarh Krul

9:30 AM (JC) – Althea Hetue and Brianna Caito

11:00 AM (LM) – Vivian and Sophia Guerrero

**Lector:**

5:00 PM (LM) – Dan Olszewski

8:00 AM (LM) – Kate Wiskus

9:30 AM (JC) – Jacqui Ensenbach

11:00 AM (LM) – Scott Holman

**Eucharistic Minister:**

5:00 PM (LM) – Sally Kressin

8:00 AM (LM) – Mary Neff

9:30 AM (JC) – Susan Westerdale

11:00 AM (LM) – Margaret Pezzi

**Ushers:**

5:00 PM (LM) – Lynette Smith and Gerry Cayo

8:00 AM (LM) – Jo and Tim Lawson

9:30 AM (JC) – Eugene Mess and Dale Schmeling

11:00 AM (LM) – Joe Spoke and Mark Christenson

**FORMED News**

Check out the St. Gabriel section on the FORMED home page. Scroll down the page and you will see our bulletin cover (the SFX and SMM church images) and a brief listing of a few programs others in the parish have listened to and recommend, including the Symbolon, Knowing the Faith series being used for Beta. To sign up for free 24/7 access, go to [www.catholiclmjc.formed.org](http://www.catholiclmjc.formed.org) to register. Questions? Have suggestions for programs you enjoyed? Call Ann Hundt at 648-5071.

**Religious Education**

RE classes: K-8 6:15-7:15 pm February 14, 21 and 28.  
RE classes 9-10 7:00-8:30 pm. Feb 21 and 28. February classes will be held in the Blue House. Fr Bob will be teaching "Our Catholic Beginnings, The Church Apostles and Martyrs".

**February's Food Pantry Opportunity  
Jello and Pudding**



February 4, 2018

Envelopes..... \$ 3,004  
Offertory Collection..... \$ 183

🕊️ Mass Intention dates for 2018 are available for SMM and SFX. Send a note or call the parish office at 920-648-2468.