

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 13, 2019

TODAY'S MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday 5:00 PM (LM) Jim Latsch
Sunday 8:00 AM (LM) Ryan Latsch
Sunday 9:30 AM (JC) Bob Brannan
Sunday 11:00 AM (LM) Al Batzner

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	15th	8:00 AM	LM	Art and Rose Maniaci
Wednesday	16th	8:00 AM	JC	Mary Hughes
Thursday	17th	8:00 AM	LM	Molly Claire Van Wagner
Friday	18th	8:10-8:25 AM	JC	†† CONFESSIONS ††
Friday	18th	8:30 AM	JC	
Saturday	19th	4:00-4:30 PM	LM	†† CONFESSIONS ††
Saturday	19th	5:00 PM	LM	Deceased Members of Reising Family
Sunday	20th	8:00 AM	LM	James Smith
Sunday	20th	9:30 AM	JC	Pro Populo
Sunday	20th	11:00 AM	LM	Mary and Larry Hughes

This Sunday's Scripture Readings
Is 42:1-4; Acts 10:34-3; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings, January 20,
Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

† **From Fr. David** This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, which commemorates the baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist in the Jordan River, the event which marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. This feast's origin goes back to the fourth century, when the Eastern churches started celebrating the birth of Jesus on Dec 25. At the same time they started celebrating two events on January 6—the magi coming the Bethlehem and the Baptism of the Lord. Now we separate these two feasts into two consecutive weekends. Today also marks the end of the Christmas season. Let us enjoy the Christmas decorations today, and I give special thanks to our liturgy committees and chairpersons who made the special efforts to beautify our churches as wonderfully as they did, both inside and outside the churches!

▶ Next weekend we will observe Safe Haven Sunday, which is a new event, and it will be observed by every parish in our diocese. It will raise awareness about the harmful impact of pornography, which has become widespread and is, unfortunately, in every community. We will have helpful materials for the support and protection of individuals, marriages and families and for keeping our homes safe. ▶ I will be offering the class "Fundamentals of the Faith" Thursdays starting January 24 at SFX for adults preparing for Confirmation. It is a good review of Catholic beliefs in a friendly environment with opportunities for discussion. Anyone is welcome.

†ST GABRIEL PARISH FAMILY †

▶ Organist or pianist wanted, someone who can lead music at our parish. This is a paid service. Please contact Fr. David or the parish office.

▶ Caution! Please be careful when walking near church grounds in the winter. Be extra careful on slanted surfaces, like the SFX parking lot. We try to salt all the walking surfaces, but it is also good to walk cautiously. We don't want anyone to slip!

▶ Alpha is for meeting Jesus! Alpha is a ten week program which will be Monday nights starting Feb 4 at SMM. Childcare is available. It starts at 6:00 pm with dinner, then a video, then table discussion (no question is out of bounds, in fact the question mark is the logo of Alpha). It finishes by 8:00. Alpha is made for people who have little or no church background, but many people who have been going to church all their lives try Alpha and get renewed in faith. Come, give it a try! Register by calling the parish office or Mike & Dawn Ready, 920-261-3952.

▶ Alpha Invitation Cards. Do you know someone who may have interest in Jesus Christ, the life of faith, or the Catholic Church? Invite them to Alpha, Mondays starting Feb 4 at SMM. These postcard-sized cards make it easy to invite someone. Get them at church.

▶ The Parish Council meets on Tuesday, January 15 at 6:30 pm in the SFX Center.

▶ Sign up for the St. Mary's Annual Chili cook off to be held on January 27 after Mass.

▶ If you brought cookies for the Cookie Walk, please pick up your containers.

► **The 2018 Annual Giving Statements are available at the back of church.**

► Italian Buffet, Jan 19: Enjoy the KC sponsored Italian Buffet dinner on Jan. 19, 2019, provided by Extra Touch Catering, will be served buffet style by your RE HS students in SFX Center at 6:00 pm, following Mass. Net proceeds are directed to St Gabriel's HS RE program. Tickets: \$10, age 14 yrs +, \$6, age 6-13, 5 & yngr, FREE. Please help support your Parish's young adults! The Knights will sell tickets, following each Mass this weekend.

► Show your support for all life! March For Life-Wisconsin, Tuesday, Jan 22. Starts with 10:00 am Mass at St. Patrick Church, 11:00 walk to the capitol, 11:25 gathering at State Street steps, 11:30 march to the King Street entrance, 12:00 guest speakers. Please bring a package of diapers for families in need. After the march, all are invited to visit legislators to promote the protection of life. All are welcome to St. Patrick Parish Hall for a simple reception after the event. Come prepared for any kind of weather. More at 608-233-5440.

► Want to learn the secret to living your marriage sacrament freely, totally, faithfully and fruitfully? Come learn Natural Family Planning; it's highly effective and can do wonders for your relationship. To learn more, a series of classes on the [Sympto-thermal Method of Natural Family Planning with the Couple to Couple League](#) is starting Sunday, February 3rd at 1 pm at Holy Name Heights, 702 S. High Point Rd., Madison. To register, go online: <http://www.madisondiocese.org/classes-and-registration>.

► Men discerning a call to a religious vocation—Come to Quo Vadis Men's Discernment Group, organized by Fr. Greg Ihm, vocation director of the Madison Diocese. It meets monthly, 6:30-9:00 pm, and the next one is Feb 8 at Holy Name Heights, 702 S. High Point Rd, Madison. More at 608-821-3095.

► Durward's Glen Weekly Rosary and Mass. Tuesdays--starts with rosary at 7:35 am, then Mass, then Bible Study led by Fr. Pedro Escribano, then conversation and treats. Walk the grounds any time sunrise to sunset. More at 608-356-8113.

► Grief Education and Support, all at the Rainbow Hospice Care Inpatient Center, 1225 Rimmel Drive, Johnson Creek. One meets every 1st and 3rd Monday, 8:30-10:00 am. Another meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday, 4:00-5:00. There are also special 3-week series starting in fall that focus on "sudden loss of pre-born, infants, and children," "sudden loss of teens and adults," and "Grieving from a Christian Perspective." For more info, contact Robb Rennix, robert.rennix@rainbowhospice.care.org.

Religious Education

RE classes K-8 – 6:15-7:15 pm, January 16, and 30.
Class for 9-10 – 7:15-8:30 pm, January 23, and 30. Classes will be held in the Blue House.

Galaxy S3 Donation: The Relig Ed. Program is seeking a used, Samsung Galaxy S3 tablet, to incorporate into their classroom e-learning assist presentations. If you can help our youth program in this fashion, please call Natalie Raupp @ 920-723-0402. Thanks!

† **PRAYER CORNER** †

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

Megan B, Mark Christenson, Maria Cerroni, Adonis and Lisa Gray, Steve and Amy Riddle, Eric X, Paul Adkins, Stephen Follin, Jeanne Frei, F D'Obler, Gloria Rekowski, Tammy S, Cayden Topel, Cherby Torres, Phyllis Adkins, Jerry Fleury, Wendy Kopplin, Jeff and Katy Gleiter, Judy Bukstein, Edward and Carissa Davis Family, Hudson Davis, CJ Graves, Harry Graves, Grace Stilling, Maureen P, Carly B.

If you need prayers and would like your name added here, please call the parish office at 920-648-2468. If you are calling to add someone to the list, please ask for their permission to place their name in the bulletin.

† **Liturgical Roles** †

Next Weekend January 19 and 20

Altar Servers:

5:00 PM (LM) – David Klein and Volunteer
8:00 AM (LM) – Kathryn and Natalie Czerniak
9:30 AM (JC) – Althea Hetue
11:00 AM (LM) – Thomas and Rex Cassady

Lector:

5:00 PM (LM) – Karl Hundt
8:00 AM (LM) – Julie Hatch
9:30 AM (JC) – Denise Nelson
11:00 AM (LM) – Scott Holman

Eucharistic Minister:

5:00 PM (LM) – Ted Hoffman
8:00 AM (LM) – Cathy Oesterreich
9:30 AM (JC) – Julie Karczewski
11:00 AM (LM) – Jean Korban

Ushers:

5:00 PM (LM) – John and Kathryn Wittwer
8:00 AM (LM) – Gerry Oesterreich and Tom Cianciola
9:30 AM (JC) – Bill Nelson and Dan Frei
11:00 AM (LM) – Henry and Clinton Mess



\$ OFFERTORY GIVING \$



January 6, 2019

Envelopes.....\$ 4,927
Offertory Collection.....\$ 316

January Food Pantry Opportunity

Soup and crackers.

Miscellaneous Donations are always welcome.

FORMED News

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