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A MINISTRY OF THE CAPUCHIN FRANCISCANS SINCE 1877

July 21, 2024



16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he disembarked
and saw the vast
crowd, his heart was
moved with pity for
them, for they were
like sheep without
a shepherd; and he
began to teach them
many things.
- Mk 6:34

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MASS TIMES

Saturday - 4:00 pm

Sunday - 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 6:30 pm

Weekend Mass may be viewed online: www.saintjosephparish.org

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 12:05 pm

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm,

Friday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm

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CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

Marriage: Active parish membership of 6 months is required before a wedding date may be set.

Reconciliation: Saturdays from 9 until approximately 9:30 am or call for an appointment.

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office 2 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office anytime.

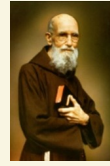
Br. Ray's Reflections

First of all, I want to apologize to all who are not animal lovers as this reflection may not make much sense to you. This weekend, we are given the image of the shepherd and although I have never met a Shepherd and may have seen sheep at a petting zoo when I was young, I've always had a warmth for the image of the shepherd. My impressions of shepherds are that they are strong, rugged, earthy and very protective of their sheep. I also think that shepherds enjoy their sheep like I enjoy my dog, Snoop. Some of my best moments with Snoop are taking a break during a walk in the park and just sit watching life go by. He sits near me and we are just content in each other's presence. Snoop was a rescue and I've always felt dogs that were rescued have a sense that they were chosen by their families and have a loyalty to that family. I think Snoop is grateful (except when I don't give him all the treats he wants) and I am grateful that he is my buddy. He has traveled across the country with me in the back seat of the car, never whining or barking or pestering, just being a faithful friend. Yes, Snoop helps me to understand the relationship between the shepherd and the sheep. I just delight in watching him as we walk along taking in every smell and investigating every bush and plant. He seems so innocent and pure and all I can do is smile.

Maybe those who have never had a pet will not understand any of this reflection. We, animal lovers, can be a bit odd when it comes to our pets but we understand the delight of the shepherd for his sheep. I think it's that delight that Christ has for each of us. He is the Good Shepherd, and we are his rescued sheep. He is content to just sit with us or walk with us or do nothing with us. He just enjoys being with each of us and that's so hard for us to receive. It's much like that for Snoop when I tell him what a good boy he is and he just looks at me with a puzzled glance. If we can delight in our pets, how much more must the Good Shepherd delight in us. Let's take some moments of quiet on these summer days and allow ourselves to feel that delight Christ has for each of us!

On another note, we are so grateful to Ben Wolf, our Faith Formation Coordinator, for organizing a mission trip to South Dakota with our youth and parents. They will be helping out in different ways on a Native American Reservation. There are 15 young people and 3 adults making the trip and we are so proud to have them represent St. Joe's. We are grateful for their willingness to give up part of their Summer vacation to help people who are struggling. To our wonderful young people, we thank you for your faith and your goodness and know that our prayers go with you on this journey. We will look forward to hearing about your trip when you return. May God bless all of you and keep you safe.

SCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS



***Blessed Solanus Casey
Pray for Us***

Tuesday, July 23

12:05 pm Living & Deceased Members of
The Clair Sherman Family
12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions

Wednesday, July 24

12:05 pm Dec. Ken Ertl

Friday, July 26

12:05 pm Dec. Marion Kemps &
Betty Johnson

Saturday, July 27

4:00 pm Dec. Eunice & Robert Robinson
& Members of St. Joseph Parish

Sunday, July 28

8:00 am Dec. Jo Ann & John Schmidt
10:00 am Paul Gerard Engel
6:30 pm Dec. Shirley Hoersch

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Thursday, July 25

9:00 am Care Ministry Mtg., Holly Hall

Saturday, July 27

9:00 am Private Reconciliation
5:15 pm Br. Ray's Birthday Dinner

No Coffee and Cookies - July 27

Next Saturday, July 27, there will not be Coffee and Cookies following the 4 pm Mass, due to the Surprise non-Surprise Birthday Dinner for Br. Ray. (SHHHH! Don't tell him!)

Congratulations Calendar Raffle Winners

July 7—Pat Christensen—\$25
July 8—Deb West—\$25
July 9—Carleen Schmidt—\$25
July 10—Cal Post—\$25
July 11—Isaac Shefka—\$25
July 12—Dave Jore—\$25
July 13—John Zaborsky—\$25

Please Pray For...

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill:
***Carolee Bornreger, Roxann Miller, Mary Stern,
Sue West, Mary Wichman***

Remember also our nursing home residents and shut-ins, and pray for the intentions recorded in our Prayer Book of Intentions.

Please pray for our parishioners or family members of parishioners who have died.

JULY 21, 2024 / SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Joseph Parish Faith Build

Our Faith Build has been scheduled! We will be building at 1067 Tayco Street in Menasha. The build dates are: August 13, September 3 and 25. We will also be providing the meals for those workdays.

- Our upcoming build date is on August 13, which is the second day of “building walls” (you do not need any construction experience).



- September 3 is the second day of “siding”.
- September 25 is the second day of “Wall Rock”.

If you are interested in any of the dates, for building or meal provider, please contact Sue Gallagher: susangallagher66@gmail.com or text: 920-915-4922. You can also sign up utilizing this link: <https://vhub.at/11GGSOB>.

Tickets for Br. Ray’s Surprise Non-Surprise Birthday Dinner

Dinner tickets will be sold after all of the weekend Masses through this Sunday, July 21, for Br. Ray's Surprise Non-Surprise Birthday Dinner on Saturday, July 27. Adult tickets are \$10 each. Children's dinner tickets (age 8 & under) are \$5 each.

In accordance with Br. Ray’s wishes, we are asking that **No Birthday Gifts** be given to Br. Ray. *Ten Percent* of each and every ticket sold will be set aside and given to Br. Ray to use in any way he sees as a best fit for his personal Ministry.

Parish Family Life Events – Save The Dates:

Flights and Bites: Sunday, August 18 after the 10 am Mass. Scheduled food trucks include: Kickin’ Ash BBQ, Doughlicious, Funtime Enterprises, Houdini’s Paninis, and Ro Caphe (Vietnamese Coffee and Drinks).

Packer-Lion Watch Party and Potluck: Sunday, November 3 at 3:00 pm. Wear your Packer or Lion's gear and cheer on your favorite team!

Christmas Bazaar Weekend: December 7 & 8. Cookies, candy and crafts will be sold. Sunday will be breakfast with Santa. Details coming in late fall.

High School Senior Recital



Thank you to everyone who joined us on Saturday, July 13th, for our recital.

Congratulations and Best of Luck: Lilie, Rowen, Nathan, Callie, and Angela.

Financial News

(7/6/24 - 7/7/24)

Tithing Needed.....	\$18,488.00
Last Week’s Tithing	\$11,979.00
Auto Withdrawal	\$26,147.00
Children’s Collection	\$3.00
IRA’s/Donations.....	\$250.00

Thank you for your financial support!

Readings for the Week of July 21

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Monday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/ Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Mt 20:20-28

Friday: Jer 3:14-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/ Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a, and 8a, 11/Mt 13:24-30

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Non-Raffle RAFFLE

This past week every parishioner received an invitation to help us with our annual “Non-Raffle Raffle”. This raffle has been successful in past years. Everyone who contributes is a “WINNER” by their faithfulness and generosity to St Joe’s. As you know, this raffle is held to help our parish pay its summer bills. There are no prizes or expenses. Please help in the next few weeks with your donation. Thank you ahead of time for your donation.

Church Chuckle

Why couldn’t Jonah trust the ocean? Because he knew there was something fishy about it.

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