

# HOLY FAMILY Catholic Parish

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## HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Website: [www.prairiecatholic.org](http://www.prairiecatholic.org)

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**St. John Nepomuc**

710 S. Wacouta Ave.

Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 608-326-6511

### Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 1:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

### St. Gabriel Archangel

710 S. Wacouta Ave.

Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 608-326-2404

### Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Monday - Friday)

Available by telephone

### Holy Days

Mass times to be announced.

### Baptism

Please call St. John's Rectory office.

### Marriage

Please contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

### School Administrator

Michelle Kapfhamer

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### Office Manager

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### Dir. of Grade School Religious Ed.

John Chaffee 608-326-5456 or 563-513-1357

### Parish Nursing Program

Rose Bauer, Shirley Cipra (608-326-8553)

*January 7, 2024 The Epiphany of the Lord*



As you prepare your final will and testimony, please remember your parish family. Your financial gift will support the work of the Catholic Church in our community for the generations to come. The annual operating budget and maintenance of the parish building and grounds are paramount to be the presence in our community.

The 2023 Diocesan Annual Appeal is underway throughout the diocese. Last year, the appeal was under the Inspired by the Spirit campaign. The total target amount for the diocese is \$6,000,000.00 which remains the same as last. The target for our parish is \$65,725.00 which is \$2,149.00 less than last year. As of **1/02/2024**, the amount pledged is **\$40,093.50** or **61.00%** of the target from **144** donors. Over the past several years, we have exceeded the target which is greatly appreciated! Please be very generous again this year to support the needs of the Church here and abroad. If our parish does not meet its target, the balance has to come from the general account used to operate the parish.

### LOTTERY SWEEPSTAKE CALENDARS

Thirty monthly prizes. You can purchase them at St. John's Rectory, Prairie Catholic School or call John Fischer **(326-2827)**. **Six for \$100.00 or \$20.00 per calendar.** Winners names will be published in the church bulletin.

The Knights of Columbus are having a **food drive**. Items will be distributed through the Cap Office. Boxes are located in the back of both Churches and Primitive Health Chiropractic. Thank you.



## St. Gabriel Archangel

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS--JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 4:00 pm Tanner Koresh

Sunday 8:00 am Ella Heilmann & Bronwyn Campbell

### LECTORS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 4:00 pm J J Jackson

Sunday 8:00 am Barb Mezera

### USHERS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

### SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 8:00 am Volunteer

**Holy Family Parish -St. John's location will be hosting the Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit January 17 -19, 2024. The display will start at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday January 17 with a 45 minute presentation by Pat Brueggen from the Marian Catechist of the Guadalupe Shrine in La Crosse, Wisconsin. We will also have viewing hours on Thursday, January 18th from 2-4 p.m. and on Friday, January 19th, following 7:30 a.m. Mass until 10:00 a.m. We are looking for a few volunteers to host the viewings on Thursday and Friday, please call the rectory if you are available.**



## St. John Nepomuc

### HOME COMMUNION FOR JAN 14

**Shirley MacEachern and M & B Frommelt**

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER-JAN 13/14

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### SERVERS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 7:00 pm Cora Fuelling & Wynn Hall

Sunday 10:00 am J Walkers

### LECTORS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 7:00 pm Pat Mulhern

Sunday 10:00 am J Walkers

### USHERS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am J Walkers

### SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 13/14

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Volunteer

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember Father Hubert Boschert in your prayers. He passed away on Nov 25th at the St. Camillus Jesuit Community in Wauwatosa, WI. He served as pastor here for many years. May God grant eternal life to Father Boschert and comfort to his family.

**WEEKEND MASSES: MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY REQUESTING THE MASS ARE ASKED TO BRING THE GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE TO THE ALTAR. PLEASE MAKE YOURSELVES KNOWN TO THE USHERS AND SIT NEAR THE GIFTS. THANK YOU!**

### MASS INTENTIONS

|                       |          |                      |                                    |
|-----------------------|----------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| Monday, January 8     | 7:30 am  | St. John's Church    | Lavonne Laskaskie                  |
| Tuesday, January 9    | 8:30 am  | St. Gabriel's Church | John Powers                        |
| Wednesday, January 10 | 7:30 am  | St. John's Church    | Robert Schneider                   |
| Thursday, January 11  | 8:30 am  | St. Gabriel's Church | Dr. & Mrs. Daniel Fagan            |
| Friday, January 12    | 7:30 am  | St. John's Church    | Michael (Mick) Schloegl            |
| Saturday, January 13  | 4:00 pm  | St. Gabriel's Church | Peter & Catherine Ambrose          |
|                       | 7:00 pm  | St. John's Church    | the Faithful of Holy Family Parish |
| Sunday, January 14    | 8:00 am  | St. Gabriel's Church | Richard Day                        |
|                       | 10:00 am | St. John's Church    | Arlene Trautsch                    |

## Readings for the week of January 7, 2024

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Monday: Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 (3)/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a)/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember Rita Hamann in your prayers. May God grant eternal life to Rita and comfort to her family.

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember Florence Becwar in your prayers. May God grant eternal life to Florence and comfort to her family.

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember June Looney in your prayers. May God grant eternal life to June and comfort to her family.

### PRAYER CORNER

**God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for:** Dennis Droessler, Bob Wachter, Donna McRobbie, Oaklynn Petersen, special intention, special intention and special intention.

If you have a special intention or loved one who is in need of prayers; please let us know so we can include them.

## CONFESSIONS

St. Gabriel's 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm on Saturday  
St. John's 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm on Saturday

## THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Sunday, January 7

11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John Parish Hall unless noted otherwise. Coffee and cookies provided. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

Monday, January 8

Tuesday, January 9

5:00 pm Cemetery Meeting

Wednesday, January 10

6:30 pm Sophomore Confirmation Class

6:45 pm Grade School CCD Classes at St. John School

Thursday, January 11

Adoration after the 8:30 am Mass at St. Gabriel's

Benediction at 1:00 pm

6:00 pm Finance Council Meeting

Friday, January 12

Saturday, January 13

Sunday, January 14

11:00 am Scripture Study in St. John Parish Hall unless noted otherwise. Coffee and cookies provided. Any questions, call 608-326-5459.

### IN SYMPATHY

Please remember Lucille Phelps in your prayers. May God grant eternal life to Lucille and comfort to her family.

### BAPTISM

We welcome into the family of God, **Maximo Felix Munoz**, son of Juan Alejandro Munoz and Brady Marie Bove Munoz through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Maximo** and his family.

### BAPTISM

We welcome into the family of God, **Iris Marie Pitzer**, daughter of Emily Marie Gillitzer through the Sacrament of Baptism. May God continue to bless **Iris** and her family.

## PARISH SUPPORT

|                      | This Year         | Last Year         |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Envelopes for Dec 31 | \$7,585.00        | \$4,166.35        |
| Plate for Dec 31     | <u>966.00</u>     | <u>495.00</u>     |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>\$8,551.00</b> | <b>\$4,661.35</b> |
| Solemnity of Mary    | \$1,198.00        | \$1,865.00        |

The second collection came to \$645.00 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**