

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC PARISH

Prairie du Chien, WI 53821

Rev. James C. Weighner
Pastor

This Week at the Parish

Sunday, November 10

6:30 pm Bible Study at the
Grunwald residence

Monday, November 11

7:00 pm Bingo at St. Gabriel's
School Hall

Tuesday, November 12

3:30 pm Mass at Prairie
Maison

Wednesday, November 13

5:30 pm Choir practice at St.
John's. NEW VOICES ARE
WELCOME

6:45 pm CCD Classes

Thursday, November 14

Adoration after the 8:15 am
Mass at St. John's
Benediction at 1:00 pm

Friday, November 15

2:55 pm Divine Mercy Prayer
Group at St. John's

Saturday, November 16

Sunday, November 17

6:30 pm Bible Study at the
Grunwald residence

6:30 pm JWalkers meeting at
St. Gabriel's School

CAR & CASH II

Grand Prize 2013 Dodge Dart
1st Prize \$2,500 cash
2nd Prize 10 x \$250.00 each
Raffle tickets are \$20.00 each
or 6 for \$100.00. Tickets can be
purchased at either rectory or
school office, from Mary
Neisius, and many local busi-
nesses. The car is courtesy of
Sut Hill.

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Next week-end is the
non-perishable food
collection for our local
Food Pantry. There
are containers in the
back of both churches.
Thank you to all who
donate to this worthy
cause.



St. Gabriel Archangel

506 N. Beaumont Rd.
326-2404



St. John Nepomuc

710 S. Wacouta Ave.
326-6511

CALLING ALL SINGERS

Choir practice will begin
Wednesday, Nov. 13th at
5:30 pm at St. John's for
Advent & Christmas.
For more info, call Terri
Connell at 326-4240 or
Linda Kramer at 326-
4054.

Jesus said to them, "The children of this age marry and re-marry; but those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise." - Lk 20:34-36



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November 10, 2013 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. GABRIEL'S CHURCH

Offertory Gift Bearers-Nov.16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Volunteers
 Sunday 8:00 am Volunteers

Eucharistic Ministers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Mary Kirschbaum, Tom Steiner,
 & Laura Meyer
 Sunday 8:00 am Ann Lessard, Donna Teynor &
 Rhonda Stubbe

Home Communion Ministers for Nov. 17th:

Jeri Kluesner & Sheila Linder

Servers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Clayton DuCharme & Ella Hager
 Kama & Lizzie Tesar
 Sunday 8:00 am Kendall & Weston Hill
 Dominique Reilly & Ryan
 McGrath

Lectors-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Barb Welsch
 Sunday 8:00 am Jeanette Steiner

Ushers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Joe Barrette, Stu Bosworth,
 Russell Eulgem, & Gene
 Kirschbaum
 Sunday 8:00 am John Chaffee, Don Cipra, John
 Gillitzer & Mark Hamann

Scrip Workers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 4:00 pm Corey & Rob Steger
 Sunday 8:00 am Volunteers

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Offertory Gift Bearers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Volunteers
 Sunday 10:00 am Volunteers

Eucharistic Ministers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Mary Ellen Pellock
 Sunday 10:00 am Peggy Gallagher, Doris
 Krogman & Patty Schauf-Yager

Home Communion Ministers for Nov. 17th

Ceil Benda, Ramona Heiring & Pat McCoy

Servers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Nathan & Macy Banasik
 Nick & Matt Rogge
 Sunday 10:00 am Brytta Sagedahl & Alexis Nolan
 Caitlin Pattison & Caitlin Nolan

Lectors-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Andy Banasik
 Sunday 10:00 am Jerry Cummings

Ushers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Merle Frommelt, Bernie Mayer,
 Alex Schaefer, Tim Looney
 Sunday 10:00 am Jim Gallagher, Ron Trautsch,
 Mark Mara & Dennis Mezera

Scrip Workers-Nov. 16/17

Saturday 7:00 pm Teresa Jaynes
 Sunday 10:00 am Patrick or Tammy Nolan

Holy Family's Mass Intentions

Monday, November 11	NO MASS		
Tuesday, November 12	St. John's Church	8:15 am	Don Shea: by JoAnn Shea
Wednesday, November 13	St. Gabriel's Church	8:15 am	Walter Hermsen: by Edith & Larry Jelinek
Thursday, November 14	St. John's Church	8:15 am	Fay Marfilus: by Lewis Marfilus
Friday, November 15	St. Gabriel's Church	8:15 am	Walter Hermsen: by Friends
Saturday, November 16	St. Gabriel's Church	4:00 pm	Earl Rybarczyk & M/M Walter Welsh: by Family
Saturday, November 16	St. John's Church	7:00 pm	For All Those Entrusted to Our Pastor
Sunday, November 17	St. Gabriel's Church	8:00 am	Jonathan Steger: by Greg & Diane Steger
Sunday, November 17	St. John's Church	10:00 am	Robert Neuman: by Shirley Neuman

Holy Family Parish

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time.

We're all in this together

Pope Francis—in tune with Jesus—reminds us again and again to welcome one another, to listen to one another, to seek truth together. There are passages in the gospel that pit the Sadducees against Jesus. They ask him what appears to be a trick question, trying to show the impossibility of resurrection in which they do not believe, but Jesus takes their question seriously. He does not call them names; he understands that people can sincerely disagree with each other, even in matters of faith—not a bad lesson for a world in which so many seem to want to exclude one another over controversial issues.

Today's readings: *2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38 (156)*

"May our Lord Jesus Christ himself . . . encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word."

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Scripture quotes come from the New American Bible Revised Edition.

Above is a new feature for faith development that I hope you find useful. Read through it, read through the passages from Sacred Scripture. Invest 5 minutes a day for eternity. We will include these short reflections as space allows: Fr Jim

BISHOP'S APPEAL

As I mentioned a couple weeks ago, we have met our goal for this year's appeal for the diocese. This is great news for our parish, as the collections that are over the goal are returned to our parish without any diocesan tax. In addition, we normally receive over \$20,000 a year in grants from the campaign for a variety of local programs. We continue to struggle in getting a healthy percentage of parishioners returning their pledge cards. Currently we have 30% of our families that have replied, which means that 70% have chosen not to reply. Please, if you have not responded, I ask that you pray over this. We will take pledge cards in the collection, place them in the mail or drop them off at one of the parish offices. Even if you are not able to commit to a financial donation at this time, the prayers that are offered are very much needed.

THANK YOU

To all that helped make our fall bazaar and fall fest such a success this year. Together, these two events are critical in attaining our parish budget, and they were both very successful this year. The bazaar suffered a bit from a cold rain, but the fall fest was the best attended in my 5 years here as your pastor. This, too, takes many volunteer hours, in so many different areas. The more people stepping forward, the less weight any one individual has to take on. However, there are always those few that are there to see that everything goes off without a hitch. To all that played a role in these events, thank you and God bless.

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for John Felder, Ann Fulcher, Jim Coorough, Sis Jelinek, Elaine Shedivy, Nancy Patzner, Janelle Becwar, Virginia Eichmann, Carissa Waldo, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, Cathy Vondrum, Mildred Prew, Steve Moris, Mark Lochner, Tony Teynor, Eileen Sutton, Mary Ann Heisz, Jerry Matousek, Loren Fishler, LaVern Sutton, Roger Pellock, Janet Dickman, Peg Stoeffler, Maxim Kramer, John & Cheyenne Messling, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Gary Adams, Margaret Konichek, Geraldine Barr, Marguerite Begnoche, Jill Spinna, Roberta Marfilus, Ann Rowe, Bill McCoy, Randy Radsek, Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie Eden, Mark Gilberts, Lara Czajkowski Higgins, Carrie Breuer, Mae & Merv Nimbar, Graham Shedivy, Dale Boldt, Marion Bernabei, Mary Gillitzer, Roger Goodman, Doug Rickleff, Richard Aschom, Michael Aschom, Kayla Taylor Vorwald, Mary Lou Kavon and Ken Fleshner.

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

Parish Support

	<u>This Year</u>	<u>Last Year</u>
Envelopes for Nov. 3rd	\$10,272.00	\$8,920.00
Plate for Nov. 3rd	<u>1,238.00</u>	<u>837.25</u>
Total	\$11,510.00	\$9,757.25

The second collection came to **\$1,482.84** and will be used for school and CCD expenses.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

The 5th Grade will be hosting a Soup Supper on Wednesday, November 20th at St. Gabe's School cafeteria as a Washington DC fundraiser. They will be serving Chili & Chicken Noodle Soup and Grilled Cheese from 4:30 to 6:45 pm in St. Gabriel's School Hall. They will also be taking pre-orders for quarts of soup so be on the lookout for order forms soon or call the school office. Also, if anyone would like to donate any quart jars to the class, they can be dropped off at the St. John's school office.

Don't forget to use SCRIP for all your shopping needs. You can purchase it after Mass or at the parish rectories.

2013 FALL FEST WINNERS

\$1,500.00 cash donated by Parishioners: Connie Ihrke; **\$500.00 cash donated by Parishioners:** Caitlin Pattison; **\$500.00 Scrip donated by Parishioners:** Natalie Rink; **Amish Desk donated by Tiller Furniture:** Jon Nicholson; **Black Onyx Stone donated by Elliott Jewelers:** Kevin Tesar; **\$250.00 cash donated by Peoples State Bank:** Pat McCoy; **\$200.00 cash from Steger Farms:** Bob Becker; **\$200.00 cash from Garrity Funeral Home:** Dan Kussmaul; **1 night's stay at Americinn:** Zita Balk; **\$150.00 Scrip donated by John & Norma Gillitzer:** Jimmy Peck; **1 night's Stay at Country Inn & Suites:** Jack Check; **\$100.00 cash donated by Butch & Bonnie Boland:** Bill Huser; **\$100.00 cash donated by Mrs. Richard DuCharme:** Evelyn Waller; **\$100.00 cash donated by Check's Antiques:** Robert Schneider; **\$100.00 cash donated by Frank Nolan:** Nicholas Ziel; **\$100.00 cash donated by Paul Flansburgh:** Pat Wachuta; **\$100.00 cash donated by Sunburst Memorials - John Luster:** Jim Mezera; **\$100.00 cash donated by Sut Hill:** Lena Zabel; **\$100.00 cash donated by Kussmaul Insurance:** Sharon Dilley; **\$100.00 cash donated by Thornburg Grau Funeral Home:** Mark Forsythe; **2 \$50.00 cash donated by Pedretti Angus Farms:** James Cram & Heidi Dalton; **\$50.00 cash donated by Hess Auto & Tire:** Irmgard Hogenon; **\$50.00 cash donated by Adams Auction Service:** Kay Tesar; **50 Chamber Bucks donated by Anchor Bank:** T. Panka, Sr.; **3 \$50.00 Scrip cards donated by Fr. Weighner:** Mary Jaynes, Shane Michel, Jody Winter; **2 \$50.00 gift cert. from Halpin Tire:** Pat McCoy & Helen Fernette; **1 yr. rent Safety Deposit Box from Citizens Bank:** Joe Ludvik; **4 \$25.00 gift cert. from Kozelka's Men's Wear:** Mary Osterhaus, Katy Bouzek, Virginia Elvert & Traci Morovits

Money Barrel Winners: \$296.75 each - Gayle Aspenon & Mildred Zimmerman

Turkey Winners: Mariajane Mezera, Judy Portwine, Sheila Gillitzer

Ham Winners: Char Steger., Mark Mezera & Sheila Gillitzer

Basket Winners: Angie Fishler, Joe Prew, Mindy Horkheimer, Carol Davis, William Check, Sheila Gillitzer, Addison Kirschbaum, Aladean Doll, Evan Horihan, Carol Walz, Nancy Sutton, Tammy Cram, Monica Horner, Judy Portwine, Aladean Doll, Beth Walz, Bonnie Boland, Bob & Donna Hamann.

NEXT WEEKEND WE WILL CONTINUE TO POST THE NAMES OF THE ANNUAL APPEAL DONORS.

SCHOOL NOTES.....Greeting from the 5th Grade at Prairie Catholic. The 5th graders are learning about the Old Testament in Religion class and the message of how much God loves His people. They are finding that this message still lives on today in our everyday life. Through the month of November they truly give thanks for all they have through the Liturgy, at home and at school. Happy November!
- Mrs. Pelleymounter

Bingo Winners from Monday, Nov. 4th: \$25.00 - Karolyn Priebe, Linda Marfilus, Carolyn Weipert; \$30.00 - Pat Check; \$45.00 - Bob Wallin; \$100.00 - Linda Kelly; **Progressive Consolation (\$34.00 each)** - Virginia Meana, Mary Ann Baker & Sandy McCoy.

Bingo Workers for Monday, Nov. 11th: **Check Writer:** Deb Schulz; **Floor Workers:** Pam Kiesau & Becky Rooney; **Caller:** Bill Schultz; **Lunch Provided by:** Char Steger. **Lunch Stand Workers:** Parents of Isabelle Cummuta & Renae Irvin

November 2013 Calendar Winners
100.00 - Cindy Jelinek, PdC; Faith Dillman, PdC; Ryan Swatek Family, Onalaska; Absolute Plumbing, PdC; John Titlbach, PdC
\$50.00 - Jane McGrath, St. Paul, MN., Misty Lemon Rogers, PdC; Gary Novey, Ames, IA; Jim Hutchison, PdC; Tim White, Eagan, MN
\$25.00 - Holly Horihan, Houston, MN; Mary Kay Lange, PdC; Gari A. Lorenz, Wauzeka; Tommy Mara, PdC; Roger Slama, Eastman; Miller Family, PdC; Peggy Fischer, PdC; Lindsey Krachey, PdC; Brian Kazda, Mt. Hope; Thomas Steger, Zumbrota, MN; Rosemary Hall, Steuben; Louis Steger, PdC; Kathy & Gary Koch, PdC; Mona Lee, Machesney Park, IL; Jerry & Judy Matousek, PdC; James Cornford, PdC; Jan Rutter, PdC; Dylan Baker, PdC; James Cram, PdC; Betty Fischer, PdC.

**PRAIRIE CATHOLIC MIDDLE SCHOOL
FIRST TERM HONOR ROLL**
6th Grade High Honors: Elizabeth Carlson, Jenna Holler, Karly Jaynes, Ellie Mara, Zachary Mara, Sophia Miller, Jack Peterson; **6th Grade Honors:** Joshua Dyer, Madelyn Gerhards, Kierstyn Rogers, Gina Sebastian, Elizabeth Tesar, Breanna Teynor
7th Grade High Honors: Preston Hendrix, Morgan Kiesau, Alexis Nolan; **7th Grade Honors:** Gracie Colson, Faith Dillman, Clayton DuCharme, Makenan Gerhards, Weston Hill, Anthony Irvin, Lauren Kennedy, Peggy Koresh, Joshua Linder, Ryan McGrath, Caitlin Pattison, Brytta Sagedahl, Benjamin Teynor, Kylee Weber
8th Grade High Honors: Evan Boisvert, Isabella Cummuta, Bailey Ottaway; **8th Grade Honors:** Breann Holler, Renae Irvin, Samuel Peterson, Paige Severson, Kama Tesar.

Holy Family Parish-Prairie du Chien WI

Mass Schedule

Saturday **4:00 pm** **St. Gabriel's**
 7:00 pm **St. John's**

Sunday **8:00 am** **St. Gabriel's**
 10:00 am **St. John's**

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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.

Principal
Wade Marlow

Office Managers
Lana Gratace
Sandy Halverson

Director of Grade School Religious Education
Pat Prochaska

Parish Nursing Program

Rose Bauer, Shirley Cipra
Please call (357-2000)

Rectory Office Hours at St. Gabriel's:

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

Rectory Office Hours at St. John's

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

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

No 3:00 pm confessions on days with weddings or funerals.