

BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC PARISH



Saint Patrick, Lodi

Saint Michael, Dane

Rev. Fr. Scott Jablonski

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Parish Offices & Pastoral Staff

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 Hours.....Monday - Thursday 8:30 am-4:30 pm
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Blessed Trinity School & Staff

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Parish Cemeteries

Saint Michael Cemetery.....Dean Clemens
 Saint Patrick Cemetery.....Mary Gamer

Registration

New parishioners are most welcome to the parish.
 All are invited to register in the parish office or
 online.

Holy Mass Schedule

Sunday Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm (Lodi)
 Sunday 8:00 am (Dane)
 Sunday 10:00 am (Lodi)
Weekday: Tuesday 8:00 am (Lodi)
 Wednesday 8:00 am (Dane)
 Thursday 8:00 am (Lodi)
 Friday 8:00 am (Dane)

May 14, 2017
 The Fifth Sunday Of Easter



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday 5:45 - 7:15 pm (Lodi)
Friday 8:30 - 9:30 am (Dane)
Saturday 3:30 - 4:15 pm (Lodi)
Sunday 7:30 - 7:50 am (Dane)

If these times do not work, Father is
 more than happy to set up a time
 that works for you, please call him
 directly.

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 5:45 - 7:15 pm (Lodi)
Friday 8:30 - 9:30 am (Dane)

Sacrament of Baptism

Our Baptismal Preparation Program
 is required for parents and God-
 parents who wish to have a child bap-
 tized. Please call the parish office in
 advance to register for the class and
 the baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage

The common policy of the Diocese of
 Madison requires a six month
 minimum notice before the date of
 marriage.

Sick Calls or Team Care

Please notify the parish office if you
 or someone you know would like Holy
 Communion at home, is in the
 hospital, or in need of Team Care.

NEWS & NOTES

Second Quarter Birthdays To Celebrate!

Our parish second quarter birthday breakfast honoring parishioners who are celebrating their 80th birthday or above the months of April, May, June, is this week, Tuesday, May 16th in the parish hall (8:45-9:45 am) at Saint Patrick Church, Lodi, following the 8:00 am morning Mass. Volunteers to help with the birthday breakfast are needed...please contact Cindy Fischer if you would like to help with refreshments, or to assist with hosting. Those attending are asked to RSVP by Monday Noon, May 15th.

Blessed Margaret Dinner for People With Disabilities

Blessed Trinity Catholic Parish is holding "Blessed Margaret Dinner" for parishioners with disabilities, at Saint Patrick Church, Lodi, this week, Thursday, May 18, 2017 from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. We will gather for prayer, a short program, and enjoy dinner. Under the patronage of Blessed Margaret of Castello, Father Scott will host the dinner. As part of the evening's program, each individual will have an opportunity to share an accomplishment he or she is particularly proud of as we rejoice together in God's goodness and abundant graces. If you or someone you know did not receive an invitation but would like to attend the dinner, please contact Mrs. Fischer in the parish office (592-5711 x. 3 - cfischer@btcatholic.us by Tuesday noon of this week. We are grateful for the support and sponsorship of this special evening through the Diocese of Madison, Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities.

Vocations...

Called to Priesthood or a Religious Vocation? If you are interested in becoming a priest, sister, or brother, talk with Father Scott Jablonski. fr.scott.jablonski@btcatholic.us



PARISH, YOUTH & SCHOOL NEWS

Blessed Trinity Catholic School Summer Enrichment Camp

Blessed Trinity Catholic School is now accepting registration for our Summer enrichment Camp. The Camp will host 2 sessions this year. The first begins from June 19 - 30th, and the second from July 10 - 28th.

The Camp is for students 4K and up to 10 years of age. Please contact the School Office for more information. 608-592-5711.



**LOVE
BEGINS
HERE**
LOCAL, LIFE CHANGING MISSION TRIPS

Adult Chaperones Needed! For our **Love Begins Here** High School Mission Trip in Berlin **July 16 - 21**. It's a great opportunity for our parish youth with lots of fun, service, and spiritual growth. Come and make it a great week for them, we need your help.

Chaperones must be 21 or over and able to drive. Contact Andy if interested at aschindhelm@btcatholic.us or 592-5711 x4.

Clean-Up Day at Saint Michael Church, Saint Patrick Church

Making our Parish grounds beautiful, shows our love for our Parish. Therefore, we would like to have two crews for **Saturday, May 20th**.

Those who would like to help in Dane meet at 8:00 am at Saint Michael.

Those who want to help in Lodi meet at Saint Patrick Church at 8:00 am.

Please mark your calendar and come help even for an hour or two! Lots of helping hands make these work days fun and rewarding!

We plan on washing windows, tables and chairs, and cleaning up the lawns at both churches. We hope to paint the outside beams, and clean out the storage garage at Saint Michael and pressure wash some of the cement areas outside the church at Saint Patrick.

Saint Michael and Saint Patrick Catholic Cemeteries

CEMETERY RULES

1. Plants (natural or artificial) must be in NON-BREAKABLE containers, placed on monument or fixed to the base.
2. Natural or artificial plants, must be placed on the monument or monument base.
3. Christmas decorations must be removed by May 15th and summer flowers by November 1st.
4. NO metal stakes, fences, wire, or glass of any kind.
5. Only ONE shepherd's hook or plant holder allowed per lot.
6. NO portable decorations (e.g. solar lights, lawn ornaments, etc.)
7. NO landscaping of any kind. Including nothing planted directly in soil.
8. Please do not drive or park on the lawn.
9. Items in violation will be removed.

The cemetery is the final resting place for the beloved deceased of our parish family. It is important that we maintain and uphold the sacredness of our Catholic cemeteries.

Knights of Columbus

Chicken Dinner - May 21 - The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring their Chicken Dinner on Sunday, May 21st from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Parish Hall at Saint Patrick. Chicken seasoned with peanut oil. 1/2 Chicken \$10.00, includes baked potato, corn, peas, rolls and brownies - milk, coffee and water are free. "First come, first served!"



Proceeds will fund local Knights of Columbus charities and programs.

Knights Recruitment Fair Weekend - May 20 and 21. If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, please talk with any of the Knights.

2017 Blessed Trinity Parish Festival - August 20, 2017

This year's **Raffle** will be held at our Blessed Trinity Parish Festival at Saint Patrick in Lodi on August 20, 2017. We are currently building the list of prizes for our raffle. If you would like to donate a prize, please call Barb Taylor at 608-592-3983 or send an e-mail to babs@frontier.com **by May 15, 2017**. If donating an item, please provide the value of that item. Your donations are very much appreciated and will help to create an attractive prize list. This is a great opportunity for the members of Blessed Trinity Parish to work together and to pray for God's continued blessings on our parish family and to thank Him for those he has already bestowed upon us.

Children's Game Prizes The Festival Prize Committee is looking for Children's prizes for this year's event. Are you a good shopper? Do you find great deals on kids' favorites? If you have the time and would like to donate prizes for this year's Festival, you can drop them off with Mary in the Parish Office. The Prize Committee is open to ideas as far as gifts for ages 2 - 12, both boys and girls.

We are already stocked up on bubbles, crayons, notebooks, bendable figures, wristbands, stickers, coloring books, stampers, gliders, beads, and matchbox cars. We would love some medium to large type items including nerf toys, frisbees, lunch boxes/bags, novelty glasses with straws and sidewalk chalk, edible chocolate treats, movie-like treats, nail polish, pool toys, squirt guns, princess items. Thanks so much for your consideration!



Thank you for your support of the **Priests for Our Future: The Church is Alive!** campaign. Please continue to fulfill your pledge to ensure enough funds to education our future priests.

As a reminder, mail all payments to: Priests for Our Future Campaign, P.O. Box 44983, Madison, WI 53744-4983.

Our Parish results are as follows:

Priests for Our Future: The Church is Alive! Overall Results to date Blessed Trinity Catholic Parish Results to date

Parish	Goal	Pledged	Paid
Totals	\$225,000.00	\$366,273.00	\$224,748.00
		163%	100%
Diocesan	Goal	Pledged	Paid
Totals	\$32,770,000.00	\$43,048,019.00	\$26,029,229.00
		131%	79%

2017 Annual Catholic Appeal

Parish	Total Pledge	% of Goal	Amount	% of Goal	
Goal	Amount	Pledged	Paid	Paid	
Blessed Trinity	\$30,815.00	\$48,455.00	157%	\$33,687.00	109%

"We will Serve the Lord"

Stewardship of Treasure

Other Collections

Capital Improvements.....	\$140.00
School Endowment	\$25.00
Holy Land	\$30.00
Rice Bowl	\$83.62
Votive Candles.....	\$21.00



Traveling Chalice Program

In May, the Traveling Chalice is at Saint Michael. As part of the Traveling

Chalice Program, each host family is asked to say a prayer each day as a family for increased vocations and for current seminarians in the diocese, and to display the chalice in an appropriate but visible place at home. In monthly rotation, the Traveling Chalice will return to Saint Thomas and Saint Patrick. Look for sign-up sheets for, May at Saint Michael, June at Saint Thomas and July at Saint Patrick near the church entrances.



SCRIP is available after masses at Saint Patrick this weekend

Please remember our parish in your will and estate plans! Contact the parish office for information on how.

Name _____

Phone _____

Please clip this and return via the offertory collection or call the Parish Office 592-5711

Blessed Trinity Parish - Stewardship of Treasure

May 3, 2017 - May 9, 2017

	Weekly Income	Weekly Needed Offertory	Weekly Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$10,809.10	\$8,250.00	\$2,559.10

July 1, 2016 - May 9, 2017

	YTD Income	YTD Needed Offertory	YTD Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$350,818.31	\$371,250.00	(\$20,431.69)

The Catholic Parish of Blessed Trinity relies on the support of parishioners who generously share their time, talent and treasure. We thank you for your generosity as we proclaim the gospel message in sacrament and word.

Community Outreach

*May Donations for Lodi Community Store:

Food: flour, white and brown sugar, baking soda, baking powder, salt, vegetable oil, jell-o, ramen noodle packs, assorted pasta, tomato and alfredo sauce.

Personal Essentials: deodorants and anti-perspirants, toddler diapers, baby products (shampoo, oil, diaper rash ointment, powder), sun-screen, hand and body lotions, dental products (toothpaste, tooth brushes, dental cleaner, dental floss).

Household Items: laundry detergent and softener, dryer sheets, all-purpose cleaners (Comet, Ajax, Mr. Clean, etc.) dish detergent, dish cloths and dish towels.

***Haven Hills Monthly Birthday Party:** We welcome parish volunteers to assist with refreshments, socializing and party games. Our next monthly party is Tuesday, May 16 at the residential care facility, 215 Dale Street, Lodi, 1:15-2:45 pm. The Parish Care Team sponsors this monthly event. Please join us! The residents so enjoy the conversation, laughter and good cheer this activity generates.



This week the *Catholic Herald* features the Retirement Living section with resources and articles of interest for those in retirement or nearing retirement age. Each week, the *Catholic Herald* includes TV programs of note and movie reviews from the Office for Film and Broadcasting of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops.

Learn more about your Catholic faith by reading the *Catholic Herald*. If you do not subscribe but wish to receive the *Catholic Herald* in your home, contact your parish office.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"...I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." Lead your married lives "more abundantly" by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on June 2-4 in Brookfield, WI; July 14-16 in Madison, WI or Sept. 8-10 in Geneva, IL. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at:

alifetimeoflove.org or call **(888) 574-5653**.



Saint Vincent De Paul

The Saint Vincent De Paul truck is in the parking lot at Saint Patrick in Lodi every Saturday morning from 10:00 am to noon. If you would like to donate good used household items, please bring them at this time.

Look at the advertisers supporting our church bulletin.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Trinity Dome Collection

This weekend, the Bishops of the United States have approved a special one-time collection for the Trinity Dome at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Your prayerful and financial support will not only adorn this "Crowning Jewel" and complete Mary's Shrine, but will also leave a lasting legacy for generations to come in this living monument to our Catholic faith and heritage that is America's Catholic Church. Please return your gift in the envelope provided at masses this weekend.

National Combined Collection

Next weekend, May 20-21st, the National Combined Collection will be conducted in our parish. This collection is combining the following individual collections:

- Black & Indian Missions
- Catholic Promotion of Authentic Human Development
- Catholic Communications Campaign
- Catholic Home Missions
- Catholic University of America
- Collection for the Archdiocese for Military Services
- Retirement Fund for Religious

Your help in supporting these collections is critical. Please take this week to pray about the support you can provide. A brochure and envelope will be inserted into the bulletin next weekend for your donation.

Catholic Charities Golf Tournament

Put your "Faith in Action" on the Golf Course!

The 21st Annual Catholic Charities Golf Tournament will be on Monday, June 12, 2017 at the Blackhawk Country Club - One of Madison's best private golf courses. Enjoy an 18 Hole Golf Scramble Tournament, Lunch, Dinner and the chance to win and bid on prizes. Registration & Lunch at 11:00 am - Shot gun start at 12:00 pm - Social at 5:00 pm - Dinner at 6:00 pm. All proceeds will go directly to programs, including our newest initiative, the Homeless Day Resource Center, run by Catholic Charities that strengthen families and nurture children.

\$250 per person includes 18 holes of golf, cart, lunch, dinner, program & prizes (\$125 is tax deductible). To register contact Liz Peltekian at 608-826-8094 or register online at: ccmadison.org and click on the orange golf ball at the top of the page that says, "Donate to our Golf event" and find the "Pay Online" option (right side, bottom of the screen). At the pay online page, choose if you are paying for individual, foursome or just donating (<https://catholiccharitiesofmadison.org/DonateVolunteer/DonateOnline/tabid/345/Default.aspx>).

Since 1946, Catholic Charities has provided help and created hope for children in need in the Diocese of Madison. Visit ccmadison.org to learn more.

Faith Formation Calendar

Thank you to all who have served as catechists and helpers throughout the 2016-2017 Religious Education year.

May God bless and reward each one of you for your Stewardship of time and Talent in sharing our Faith with the youth of Blessed Trinity Catholic Parish.

Catechist Thank You Dinner and Envisioning Meeting Wednesday, May 17, 6:30 pm at Saint Patrick, Lodi

RSVP to Any by May 16th -
aschindhelm@btcatholic.us, o 592-5711 ext. 4

Adoration & Benediction

Wednesday 5:45 pm - 7:15 pm - Lodi (Confessions)

Friday 8:30 am - 9:30 am - Dane (Confessions)
Devotion to Sacred Heart

Readings for the Week of May 14, 2017

Sun: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1
Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

Mon: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-4, 15-16/Jn
14:21-26

Tue: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

Wed: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thu: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Fri: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-10, 12/Jn 15:12-17

Sat: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20/1 Pt
3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 13

4:30 pm People of Blessed Trinity parish (SP)

Sunday, May 14

8:00 am † Living & Deceased of the DiPlotti
& Avizenis Family (SM)

10:00 am † William Sellner Sr. (SP)

Tuesday, May 16

8:00 am † George Fiedler (SP)

Wednesday, May 17

8:00 am † Ed Lord (SM)

Thursday, May 18

8:00 am † David Otto (SP)

Friday, May 19

8:00 am † Christopher Michael Lord (SM)

Saturday, May 20

4:30 pm † Joyce Skinner (SP)

Sunday, May 21

8:00 am People of Blessed Trinity Parish (SM)

10:00 am † Living & Deceased Members of
the McGrath & Kruse Families (SP)

(SM) Saint Michael • (SP) Saint Patrick

† Rosary prayed 30 minutes before all Masses †

Upcoming Meetings

Festival Meeting

Monday, May 15, 7:30 pm (SP)

Catechist Thank You Dinner and Meeting

Wednesday, May 17, 6:30 pm (SP)

Care Team Meeting

Thursday, May 25, 4:30 pm (SP)

(SM) Saint Michael • (SP) Saint Patrick



A Blessed Mother's Day

God's blessings and a Happy Mother's Day to all of the good mothers in our parish and families.

Honor our Most Holy Blessed Mother Mary with your prayers, and kindly remember your own mother in Prayer, thought, word or deed today!

Saint Patrick Church Liturgical Roles

Saturday, May 20 at 4:30 pm

Minister of the Word 1 - Sadie Hefty
2 - Linda Maier

Commentator Shirley Lawson

Comm. Min. Bruce & Chris Taylor

Servers Volunteers

Greeters Dawn Duchesneau

Sunday, May 21 at 10:00 am

Minister of the Word 1 - Kathy Sellner
2 - Julia Detert

Commentator Mary Gamer

Comm. Min. Steve & Mary Millmann

Servers Will Sellner, Ben Zieser

Greeters Karissa Wenger, Rachel Karls

Saint Michael Church Liturgical Roles

Sunday, May 21 at 8:00 am

Minister of the Word Elizabeth Keichinger
Patti Keichinger

Comm. Min. Herb Karls

Servers Leo Kopp, Lucas Ripp

Greeters Cindy Fischer