

# BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC PARISH



Saint Patrick, Lodi

Saint Michael, Dane

Rev. Fr. Scott Jablonski

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## Parish Offices & Pastoral Staff

**Lodi**.....(608) 592-5711

Hours.....Monday - Thursday 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Pastor.....Rev. Fr. Scott Jablonski x.1

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## Blessed Trinity School & Staff

**Dane**.....(608) 592-5711

School Office.....Rachel Kallenbach x.6

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Principal.....Mr. Jeffrey Karls x.7

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Pastoral Council.....Jerry Mabis

Finance Council.....Corey Detert

Trustees.....Ben Mendez

.....Judy Pulvermacher

## 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 No Holy Mass today

Wednesday 8:00 am (Dane)

Thursday 8:00 am (Lodi)

Friday 8:00 am (Dane)

December 24, 2017  
The Fourth Sunday Of Advent

*The angel answered, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you,  
and the power of the Most High will overshadow you.  
So the holy one to be born will be called the Son of God."*

*Luke 1:35*

**Christmas Holy Mass Schedule**  
**Christmas Eve - Sunday, December 24**  
4:30 pm Lodi 7:30 pm Dane 11:00 pm Lodi

**Christmas Day - Monday, December 25**  
8:00 am Dane 10:00 am Lodi

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**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

**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 baptized. 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.





## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, December 23

4:30 pm † Zeke, Bernie & Scott Zeman (SP)

### Sunday, December 24

8:00 am † Roseanne Mills (SM)

10:00 am People of Blessed Trinity Parish (SP)

### Christmas Eve - Sunday, December 24

4:30 pm † Living & Deceased Members of the Ballweg & Acker Family (SP)

7:30 pm People of Blessed Trinity Parish (SM)

11:00 pm † Terry Eagan (SP)

### Christmas Day - Monday, December 25

8:00 am † Joseph & Florence Miller (SM)

10:00 am † Donald & Helen Buchanan (SP)

### Tuesday, December 26 - NO MASS TODAY

### Wednesday, December 27

8:00 am † Roland "Punk" Karls (SM)

### Thursday, December 28

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

### Friday, December 29

8:00 am † Patricia Mack (SM)

### Saturday, December 30

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

### Sunday, December 31

8:00 am † Roland Karls (SM)

10:00 am † Living & Deceased of the John & Margaret Griffin Family (SP)

### Monday, January 1

10:00 am † Arielle Zamora (SP)

(SM) Saint Michael • (SP) Saint Patrick

† Rosary prayed 30 minutes before weekday Masses †

## Saint Patrick Church Liturgical Roles

### Saturday, December 30 at 4:30 pm

Minister of the Word 1 - Linda Maier 2 - Sharon Schmidt  
Commentator Anna Zimmerman  
Comm. Min. Bruce & Chris Taylor  
Servers Corbin Schilling, Drew Lochner  
Greeters Cindy Fischer

### Sunday, December 31 at 10:00 am

Minister of the Word 1 - Bob Koresh 2 - Kathy Sellner  
Commentator Julia Detert  
Comm. Min. Janet Lonergan, Sharon Sellner  
Servers Joseph Kallenbachs, Substitute  
Greeters Lori Blankenburg

## Saint Michael Church Liturgical Roles

### Sunday, December 31 at 8:00 am

Minister of the Word Elizabeth Keichinger  
Cathy Clemens Meinholz  
Comm. Min. Colleen Brisky  
Servers Ben Meinholz, Leo Kopp  
Greeters Judy Pulvermacher

## Adoration & Benediction

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

## Religious Education Calendar

All RE events are at Saint Patrick Church, Lodi unless otherwise specified..

**PS3-KND:** Sunday, 9:45-11:00 am  
January 7, 14, 21

**GR. 1-5:** Wednesday, 3:15-4:30 pm  
January 10, 17, 24, 31

**GR. 6-8:** Wednesday, 6:15-7:15 pm  
January 10, 17, 24, 31

**GR. 9:** Wednesday, 7:30-8:45 pm  
January 10, 17, 24, 31

### NO CLASSES December 24-January 3.

Sunday PS-K classes resume January 7.

Wednesday 1-9 classes resume January 10.

## Family Faith And Life Note:

When Jesus, the promised Savior, was born, He didn't come into the world as a rich king. He was born in poverty, to poor parents. Poor shepherds were the first to learn about His birth. In this, God helps us understand the virtue of humility. In this spirit of humility, come with your family to the Nativity Scene at church. Kneel before the Christ Child laying in the manger and offer your prayer of gratitude. You may wish to have your children write a brief note on a small gift card, identifying a gift each will give to Jesus during the Christmas Season (to eat his vegetables without complaining, to do her homework or home chores promptly, to take 5 minutes to pray each morning or evening. You can tuck the gift cards under the manger as a token of love. A Blessed and Merry Christmas!



Dear Friends,

Jesus came into this world to die so that we might live. As you celebrate His birth, do your best to imitate His life—to bring His work of redemption to fulfillment.

Live every day as if Christ lives in you. For He does. Live as His representative in this world. For you are. Live as if your life must say to others—"Jesus Christ is Lord." For it must.

May Christ, through Mary, give you and your loved ones a full share of joy and peace during the Christmas season and in the coming New Year.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Father Scott

## Community Outreach Opportunities

For details, please contact Cindy Fischer in the parish office.

### \*GIVING TREE THANK YOU!

Thank you for your generous support of our Advent activity to make Christmas bright for local families. Your generosity touched many lives and offered concrete help and hope to those in need.

### \*Haven Hills Residential Care Facility

**Rosary** - Thursday, December 28, 10:30 am

### \*Our House Assisted Living Facility

**Social Hour** - Friday, December 29, 10:00-11:00 am

### \*Support for Habitat for Humanity

The Wisconsin River Area Chapter of Habitat for Humanity is hosting a Chili Cook Off February 1 at Reach Out Lodi Community Center from 5:30-7:00 pm. All proceeds will go towards Habitat builds and repairs. Volunteer Chefs to bring a pot of chili (enough to serve 30 small portions) are needed.

To register for the cook-off competition contact Lisa at vista@hfhwisconsinriver.org. And, be sure to mark your calendar for this fun event.



### Prayer Chain - Prayer Requests

If you have a special Prayer Request please call Anna Zimmerman at 608-592-2728 or Sally Kjorlie at 608- 592-4741 who are the contacts for our Blessed Trinity Catholic Parish Prayer Chain.

## Knights of Columbus

**Holiday Candy and Nut Sales** after all weekend masses. Stop by and give them your support.

## Great Gifts Anytime!

**Blessed Trinity Parish Fish Fry Gift Certificates** would make great gifts anytime for just \$11.00. Contact Kay Kalscheur at 849-5303 to order yours.

**SCRIP** cards are a great gift idea and are available after weekend masses at Saint Patrick in Lodi.

### Parish Offices are Closed December 25 & 26

### 2017 END OF YEAR DONATIONS

All Donations for 2017 should be postmarked by December 31st, or placed in the collection basket at our masses on or before Sunday, December 31st.

## Project Rachel and Rachel's Vineyard

### Hope After Abortion

No matter how much time has passed, recent or long ago. Project Rachel and Rachel's Vineyard retreats offer compassionate and individual care for anyone hurting from abortion. To talk with someone, contact Mary 608-221-9593 or Rachel@straphael.org Confidentiality assured. [www.madisondiocese.org/projectrachel](http://www.madisondiocese.org/projectrachel)

Upcoming Rachel's Vineyard Retreats:

March 9-11, 2018 and November 9-11, 2018

## Deepen Your Faith with the Catholic Herald

This week's Catholic Herald includes a Christmas section, featuring articles on the meaning of the Christmas season. The Catholic Herald also keeps readers up to date locally with coverage of events happening around the Diocese of Madison.

Learn more about your Catholic faith by reading the Catholic Herald. If you do not subscribe but wish to receive the Catholic Herald print or new e-Edition in your home, contact your parish office.

Subscription envelopes are in our bi-monthly envelope packets. Renewal is \$22.00.

Complimentary issues are available on the media racks in Lodi and Dane.

## New Year's Eve Bingo!

Saint Joseph Catholic Parish, 310 2nd Street, Baraboo is holding Bingo, Sunday, December 31st.

Two sessions of 10 games each starting at 6:00 pm. Progressive Jackpot Bingo at 8:00 pm. Come for any or all! Family fun! Cash prizes! Raffle! Door Prizes! Concession Stand!

## Upcoming Meetings

### Knights of Columbus

Tuesday, January 9, 7:30 pm (SP)

### Finance Council

Wednesday, January 10, 6:15 pm (SP)

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

Thursday, January 11, 9:00 am (SP)

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## Blessed Trinity Parish - Stewardship of Treasure

December 13, 2017 - December 18, 2017

	Weekly Income	Weekly Needed Offertory	Weekly Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$11,980.40	\$8,250.00	\$3,730.40
July 1, 2017 - December 18, 2017			
	YTD Income	YTD Needed Offertory	YTD Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$179,118.22	\$206,250.00	(\$27,131.78)

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.