

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday – January 2
 3:30-4:00 pm Confessions
 4:30 pm Harriet Henkel

Sunday – January 3 (The Epiphany of the Lord)
 7:30 am Marge Ramuta
 10:30 am People of Corpus Christi
5:00 pm Dave & Ann Neuville

Monday – January 4
 *5:05 pm Odelia Schneider

Tuesday – January 5
 *5:05 pm Baudhuin Family

Wednesday – January 6
***8:20 am** Bernard Bykoski

Thursday – January 7
 *5:05 pm Dora Schmidt

Friday – January 8
 *8:00 am **NO MASS**

Saturday – January 9
 3:30-4:00 pm Confessions
 4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

Sunday – January 10 (The Baptism of the Lord)
 7:30 am Judy Riederer
 10:30 am Baudhuin & Collins Families & Regina
5:00 pm Bill & Cody Buschmann

*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

Scripture Readings: The Epiphany of the Lord

Sunday Isaiah 60:1-6, Psalm 72:1-2,7-8,10-11,12-13, Ephesians 3:2-3A,5-6, Matthew 2:1-12
Monday 1John 3:22;4:6, Ps.2:7BC-8,10-12A, Matthew 4:12-17,23-25
Tuesday 1John 4:7-10, Psalm 72:1-2,3-4,7-8, Matthew 6:34-44
Wednesday 1John 4:11-18, Psalm 72:1-2,10,12-13, Mark 6:45-52
Thursday 1John 4:19;5:4, Psalm 72:1-2,14&15BC,17, Luke 4:14-22
Friday 1John 5:5-13, Psalm 147:12-13,14-15,19-20, Luke 5:12-16
Saturday 1John 5:14-21, Psalm 149:1-2,3-4,5-6A&9B, John 3:22-30

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PARISH NEWS

Project Andrew Dinner

There is a great need for more priests! Calling all high school or older men who have ever considered (even once) a calling to the priesthood. If this describes you, then consider attending a Project Andrew Dinner with Bishop Ricken. This is a good way to pray about your vocation and learn more about hearing the voice of Jesus Christ in prayer. Join Fr. Schuster and Bishop Ricken on Tues., Jan. 12 at 5:30 pm at St. Matthew's in Green Bay. The evening begins with Mass and then continues with a dinner and discussion. Invite other men who are good disciples who may also make good priests. RSVP at vocations@gbdioc.org.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Sunday – January 3 (The Epiphany of the Lord)
 5:00 pm Mass
 6:00-8:00 pm Life Night
 7:00 pm Men's Group

Monday – January 4
 3:00-4:30 pm Boys Basketball Practice

Tuesday – January 5
 6:30 pm Boys Home Basketball Game

Wednesday – January 6
 5:45-7:00 pm Genesis @ St. Joe's
 6:00-7:15 pm Edge @ Corpus
 7:30-8:45 pm Confirmation Class @ Corpus

Thursday – January 7
 4:30 pm Boys Basketball Home Game

Friday – January 8
8:00 am NO MASS
 3:00-4:30 pm Boys Basketball Practice

Saturday – January 9
 9:30-noon KC Free Throw Contest

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 5:00 pm Mass
 6:00-8:00 pm Life Night

PARISH REPORT

Deposited this week, Dec.21-Dec. 27, 2015 Week (26)

Parish Support.....	\$3,301.00
Christmas Eve & Christmas Day.....	\$9,747.11
Offertory Collection	\$847.59
Votive Candles	\$14.50
Technology & Capital Improvements	\$375.00
Donations.....	\$205.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$14,490.20
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$9,181.37
Weekly Surplus... ..	\$5,308.83

\$SCRIP REPORT

Sales for Week of: Dec. 21- Dec. 27, 2015	\$4,950.00
Profit for the Week:	\$228.93

MAINTENANCE FUND

Cash on hand (12/28/2015).....	\$28,562.68
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PARISH NEWS

Thank You!

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped decorate the Church for Christmas! You did an awesome job! Thanks also to the Marchant family for the donation of fresh boughs for the crib and Lynn Zawojski for doing the lamp post swags!

**Christmas Flowers
 In Honor or Memory Of**

Some additions to our list are:
 Loney Teich Bill Goetsch Kitty & Pookie Tess



NOTES FROM FR. CARL.....

Wishing you all a very Happy New Year!! This weekend we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord. The three Wiseman visited Jesus and brought Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. The gift we can give to Jesus

is our very self. May this year be a year where we grow in our relationship and love of Jesus.

Blessings to you and yours for a very safe and Happy New Year!
Fr. Carl

PARISH NEWS**Operation Christmas Shoebox News**

We are so excited to be able to tell you that because of your generosity children are receiving our shoeboxes that we collected back in October. So far, we know that boxes will be going to Malawi as well as Kenya! My heart is so full of joy and love knowing that children will receive their shoebox thanks to your donations. What a joyful blessed Christmas season knowing that these children will know that we love them-they are treasured gifts of God! Thank you again for being disciples of action and sharing God's love!

**Christmas Books**

Did you take your Christmas book yet? Please make sure to take one! The book this year is by Matthew Kelly, "Rediscover Jesus". At a time when so many people are spiritually disillusioned and searching for ways to live, love, work and play that nurture the soul rather than destroy it, Matthew Kelly, once again, delivers a powerful book that encourages us in our weariness, challenges us in our comfort, and invites us to rediscover the beautiful possibilities God places before us daily.

Bulletin Ad Sponsors

Stoneman-Schopf Agency, Inc.: Looking for insurance? Please call them at 743-6565.

Baylake Bank: Contact them for your financial needs at 746-3980.

Flanigan Distributing: Proudly serving Door and Kewaunee counties.

Quietwoods RV: Sales, service and rentals. Located on Hwy 42-57. 743-7121

OTHER PARISH NEWS**Breaking Open the Word**

Bible study at St. Joseph & Sts. Peter and Paul will resume on Jan.5 & Jan.7. This doesn't leave you off the hook! I'll be testing you when we get back together! Just kidding!

Matinee Monday

You are invited to "The Fourth Wiseman" starring Martin Sheen at Anna's Healthcare, **Monday, January 11, 1:15 pm.** Come join the fun! Free popcorn!!

Edge and Life Teen**Middle & High School Religious Education**

We are back to our regular Life Teen schedule this weekend (Sun. Jan.3rd)

Mass: 5pm

Food: 6pm

Life Night until 8pm

We are still at Corpus Christi for Life Teen until January 17th! January 17th is our Confirmation Mass! PLEASE ATTEND! 5pm at St. Joseph. Let's show the young Church how much we support them!

Confirmation class this week:

Wed, January 6th: 7:30-8:45pm

Edge this week: Wed, Jan 6th: 6-7:15pm (Corpus Christi)

***Calendar changes for Edge:**

1. We are NOT switching over to St. Joseph until Wed. February 10th! So all January Edge Nights will be held at Corpus Christi.
2. NO Edge on February 3rd.

Please see the insert regarding our March for Life trip!
We appreciate any support you can offer! Even a \$10 donation makes a huge difference!

GENESIS NEWS

Wed. Night Genesis Classes: 5:45-7pm @ St. Joe's

Class resumes Jan. 6th

OTHER PARISH NEWS**Mark your Calendars**

Adult Catechism Class will start again on **Monday, January 18, 6:30 pm at the Faith Formation Center at St. Joseph.** We will begin studying **Christian Morality: The Faith Lived.** Do you have a desire to learn more about the Catholic faith? This class is for you.

Health and Wellness News

The Health and Wellness Ministry has added The Daniel Plan, a ground breaking healthy lifestyle program founded on biblical principles and focused on The Essentials: Faith, Food, Fitness, Focus and Friends. Low Impact classes begin Wed. Jan. 6th 9:30-10:30am. Higher Level Low Impact classes begin Thurs. Jan. 7th 6:30-7:30pm. All classes will be held at the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. What a great way to start a healthier new year!

OTHER NEWS

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest: Sat. Jan.9th

All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate. No entry fee. Registration at 9:30 am and practice. Start time 10am at Corpus Christi Social Hall/Gym. For additional information or questions, please contact Stephen Johnson at 743-2129.

**Corpus Christi, Holy Name of Mary, St. Joseph, Ss. Peter and Paul
Life Teen Pilgrimage to Washington, DC
March for Life Jan 19-23nd 2016**

We are fortunate to have an incredible group of teens in our Catholic quad-parish community of Corpus Christi, Holy Name of Mary, St. Joseph, and Ss. Peter and Paul. The youth are becoming more active in their faith through the Life Teen ministry. Over the past 5 years, we have seen a large increase in local service among our youth. Life Teen now provides one to two local service projects each month for teens to participate in. One of the reasons for this growth is the opportunity to travel and experience Church outside of their comfort zone in Sturgeon Bay. These trips provide the youth an opportunity to unplug from their cell phones, computers and television. They are able to get away from the busyness of pressures of everyday life. They focus on service and their relationship with Christ. As a group, we reflect and discuss on service and how they can take back what they learned.

This year we are taking a group of students to Washington, DC for the annual NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE! The event is an annual pro-life rally with hundreds of thousands of youth from around the country. This opportunity is one that will leave a lasting impact on the students. The youth will stand and pray for life, learn about the Theology of the Body, defend life and serve for those in need in Washington, DC.

We are inviting YOU to MARCH WITH US BY BUYING STOCK!

Stock shares are \$10 each. Financial supporters will receive a stock certificate, a thank you card from the trip, an invite to a stockholder's meeting so you can hear about the trip! Also, every person who donates will be prayed for BY NAME while we are on the trip. If interested in purchasing one ore more shares, kindly detach the lower portion of this letter and mail it/drop it off along with your payment to Corpus Christi. Thank you for your consideration and participation!

Yes! I would like to become a Life Teen March for Life stockholder. Enclosed please find my tax-deductible payment for:

_____ **1 share @ \$10**

_____ **2 or more shares**

_____ **Full Sponsorship \$500**

_____ **Total** (please make check payable to Corpus Christi. Mail to Corpus Christi, 25 N. Elgin Ave, Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235)

Stockholders Name: _____

Address: _____



The Parish Connection

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Catholic School

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From the Principal

What is Catholic Schools Week?

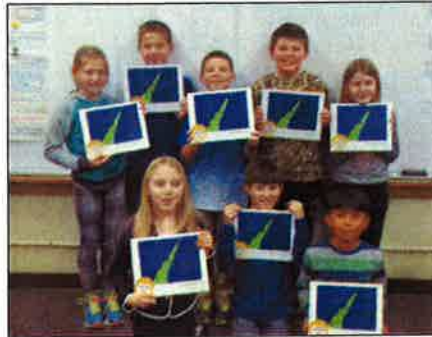
National Catholic Schools Week, January 30 thru February 6, is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. Through various events, St. John Bosco will focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its contributions to our church, our communities and our nation. The national theme encompasses several concepts that are at the heart of a Catholic education. First, schools are communities – small families in their own right, but also members of the larger community of home, church, city and nation. Faith, knowledge and service are three measures by which any Catholic school can and should be judged. The Catholic Schools Week logo features a swirl of colors interacting around a cross, which is at the center of all Catholic education.

The vibrancy of the colors and the movement and shadows in the logo portray the inner-connectivity and community life that are present in Catholic schools.

We are very excited to have entertainer and educator Randy Peterson as artist in residence during this special time. Please join us during our week long celebration. The schedule of special events is listed on the back of this newsletter.

Mrs. Dasser

Published Authors



Miss Prue's third grade class has published their very own book, *Our Community*. The book, which the students wrote and illustrated, tells about local businesses and jobs, why they are important to our community and how/why they grow and develop around the natural resources in the area. Miss Prue integrated the academic subjects of Social Studies, Reading, Language Arts, and Art with the development of interpersonal skills and work/study skills to complete this literary creation. The project had a few setbacks, but the students learned for themselves that authors have to go through many rough drafts and revisions to produce a quality product. Congratulations 3rd Grade for becoming published authors!

Baskets to Spare?

Do you have a couple of baskets around your house that you don't know what to do with, but are too nice to throw out? We will take them! We use those baskets to create wonderful gift baskets from the items that are donated for the Gala. We accept all kinds. Thank you!



Gala of Giving

The Gala of Giving is set for Saturday, March 5 in the St. John Bosco Gym. This wonderful event contributes over \$30,000 to our operating budget each year. You can be a special part of it by donating items for the event and/or by coming to the event. Some ideas for donations could be a themed basket, gift certificates, a craft or woodworking project, a service you provide, a piece of art, or cash to offset event costs.



Your imagination is the only limit. Bring your donation to the St. John Bosco school office during regular office hours by February 17, 2016 or call us and we will have someone pick them up.

Boys' Basketball



Our 6th/7th Grade basketball team just wrapped up a hard fought season. Although a win eluded the team, the boys' skills and technique improved with each game, and they had a good time. Thanks to Coach Kerwin and Coach Tomaszewski for sharing their time.

The 4th/5th grade boys' basketball season begins Tuesday, January 5 in the SJB gym at 6:30 against Southern Door. Come cheer on the Bobcats!

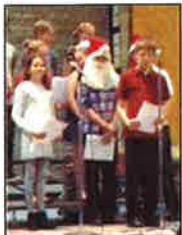
Catholic Schools Week Spaghetti Dinner
January 30, 5:00-7:00, St. Joseph Social Hall
Take Out Available!



Christmas Concert



On December 17, the students joined together in "One Voice" (the finale song) to celebrate Christmas with our families and friends. Our 5th and 6th-8th grade bands performed patriotic, classical, and Christmas selections. All students from 4K thru 8th grade sang and celebrated the season of Christ's birth.



Thank you to Mr. Newbern, our music/band teacher, for planning this wonderful event, and thank you to all who shared it with us!

Scientific Visitor



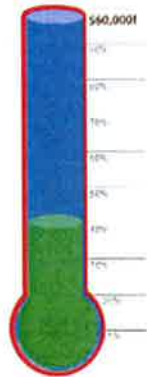
Mr. Kevin Swagel from the Field Museum in Chicago visited the 4 year old kindergarten class in December. Mr. Swagel showed the students preserved specimens of a sea horse, a box fish, a puffer fish and a sawfish and discussed each item. The students were then able to hold and examine each sample. Mr. Swagel, Mrs. Shaw's (4K teacher) twin brother, is a Catholic School alumni and loves coming back to visit his sister and the students.



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Annual School Fund Drive

We are almost half way to our goal! Thank you to all who have made Catholic education a priority with a donation to the Annual Fund Drive. Fr. Birdsall kicked off the event in November, but we will be celebrating Catholic Schools week with a call to support our school! If you haven't made your donation yet, look for the St. John Bosco Annual Fund Drive Packet in the bulletin the last weekend of January – the Feast of St. John Bosco! Our drive runs until the end of March so there is still plenty of time to grow our faith with a gift to Catholic Education. As Fr. Tony says, "This is an investment that will reap dividends for life!"



Catholic Schools Week Schedule

<p>Saturday, January 30 Pray for our Parishes</p>	 <p>Spaghetti Dinner St. Joseph Church, 5:00-7:00</p>	<p>Come and join us for a delicious spaghetti dinner and wonderful fellowship celebrating Catholic Schools!</p>
<p>Sunday, January 31 Pray for our Parishes</p>	<p>The Feast of St. John Bosco</p> 	<p>Celebrate Catholic Schools Week with a gift to the SJB Annual School Fund Drive!</p>
<p>Monday, February 1 Pray for our Nation Dress Up: Red, White & Blue</p>	 <p>Randy Peterson – <i>Celebrating St. John Bosco in Song</i></p>	<p>Entertainer, educator and storyteller, Randy Peterson will be sharing his skills and talents as an Artist in Residence for the week.</p>
<p>Tuesday, February 2 Pray for our Communities Dress Up: Go Team!</p>	<p>Community Support and Service Projects</p>	<p>We will be sending notes of appreciation to Police, Fire, and Mayor's Office and working on our Senior Friend Service Projects</p>
<p>Wednesday, February 3 Pray for our Friends and Families Dress Up: Dress for your Guests!</p>	<p>Special Person's Day Mass at 10:00 Lunch to follow!</p> 	<p>The students will be inviting the special people in their lives to join us for Mass and one of Mrs. Dart's famous lunches.</p>
<p>Thursday, February 4 Pray for our Faculty, Staff, Priests & Volunteers Dress Up: Spirit Wear or Bosco Blue & Green</p>	 <p>St. John Bosco In Song! 6:00, SJB Gym</p>	<p>Randy Peterson will lead the school in presenting class and school songs written and performed by the students!</p>
<p>Friday, February 5 Pray for our Students Dress Up: Mix It Up/Clash Day!</p>	<p>Mix It Up Day</p> 	<p>One of our favorite days! The grades will "mix up" to share the day together with activities, lunch, and an afternoon game of Bunco!</p>
<p>Saturday, February 6 Pray for Catholic Schools</p>	 <p>Family Movie Event! Kung Fu Panda 3</p>	<p>Join us for a special viewing of <i>Kung Fu Panda 3</i> at 10:00 a.m. at Sturgeon Bay Cinema. \$6.00 admission covers the cost of the movie and a popcorn/drink snack box.</p>