

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

**Saturday – October 13**

3:30-4:00pm Confessions

4:30 pm Frank P. Angerer

**Sunday – October 14**

7:30 am Pamela Wiegand

10:30 am People of Corpus Christi

5:00 pm Pat Cuculi

**Monday – October 15**

\*5:05 pm Wayne Dantoin & Brittany

**Tuesday – October 16**

\*5:05 pm No Mass

**Wednesday – October 17**

\*8:20 am Dexter Cross

**Thursday – October 18**

\*5:05 pm No Mass

**Friday – October 19**

\*8:20 am Sr. M. Josefa

**Saturday – October 20**

3:30-4:00pm Confessions

4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

**Sunday – October 21**

7:30 am George & Maureen Sawyer

10:30 am Bernie Bykoski

5:00 pm Tyler Frea

\*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

**Scripture Readings: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday** Wisdom 7:7-11, Psalm 90:12-13,14-15,16-17, Hebrews 4:12-13, Mark 10:17-30

**Monday** Galatians 4:22-24,26-27,31;5:1, Psalm 113:18-2,3-4,5A & 6-7, Luke 11:29-32

**Tuesday** Galatians 5:1-6, Psalm 119:41,43,44,45,47,48, Luke 11:37-41

**Wednesday** Galatians 5:18-25, Psalm 1:1-2,3,4 & 6, Luke 11:42-46

**Thursday** 2Timothy 4:10-17B, Psalm 145:10-11,12-13,17-18, Luke 10:1-9

**Friday** Ephesians 1:11-14, Psalm 33:1-2,4-5,12-13, Luke 12:1-7

**Saturday** Ephesians 1:15-23, Psalm 8:2-3AB,4-5,6-7, Luke 12:8-12

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**PARISH NEWS**

**A Harvest of Thanks**

A big thank you to the Malvitz and Dart families for the more than generous Harvest donations to decorate the church for fall. Thanks so much to Matt and Judy Engebretson for donating their time and energy to set up the fall church decorations. Give Thanks to the Lord.

**40 Days for Life**

The Fall 40 days for Life (24/7) Campaign started Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> - Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>, on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida Street in Green Bay. Door County Catholic Parishes are set for Sunday afternoons Sun. 10/21, & 11/4 from 12-2pm to walk and pray. For carpooling or more information call Dianne 743-2260.

**WHAT'S HAPPENING**

**Sunday – October 14**

6-8pm Life Teen Night @ Corpus Christi

**Monday – October 15**

3-5pm SJB Girls Basketball Practice/CC Gym

**Wednesday – October 17**

12-1pm Meeting for Veteran's Dinner

3-4pm SJB Girls Basketball Practice/CC Gym

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

6-7:15pm Edge @ Corpus Christi

7:30-9pm Confirmation Class @ Corpus Christi

**Thursday – October 18**

3-5pm SJB Girls Basketball Practice/CC Gym

7pm Choir Rehearsal in Church

**Saturday – October 20**

9-10am Informational Meeting for Holy Land Pilgrimage/Social Hall

**Sunday – October 21**

6-8pm Life Teen Night @ Corpus Christi

**PARISH REPORT**

Deposited this week:	Oct. 1-7 (15)
Parish Support.....	\$7,772.00
Offertory Collection.....	\$899.25
Votive Candles.....	\$58.25
Technology & Capital .....	\$296.00
Donations .....	\$1,217.00
Perpet. Care/Garden.....	\$71.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT .....	\$10,313.50
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$10,419.96
<b>Weekly Shortage</b>	<b>(\$106.46)</b>

**\$CRIP REPORT**

10/01-10/07/18 Sales: \$8,667.99 Profit: \$373.90  
Scrip can be purchased before and after all weekend Masses and on Thurs. 11:30-1pm in the parish center.

**PARISH NEWS**

**World Mission Sunday Appeal Collection: Oct. 20 & 21**

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday, a day we recommit ourselves to our common vocation through Baptism, to be missionary disciples. It is one Sunday for the Whole World. Pope Francis calls all children of God to be "voices for mission". Places like Uganda where people face food uncertainty and violence...in the Philippines where local clergy face martyrdom...etc. We speak up through our prayers and personal sacrifices for our brothers and sisters. Please keep the Missions in your prayers and please be generous. In the pews are envelopes for this collection.

**Help Needed!**

We are currently looking to fill some cleaning/janitorial and maintenance positions here on our campus. Please look under careers on our website or contact the parish office for more information on these positions.

**PARISH NEWS**



**PARISH & OTHER NEWS**



**Welcome to our Parish Family!**  
 Welcome Braxton Anthony Kroening to our parish family, who was baptized last Sunday. Please pray for him and his parents Justin & Tiffany!

**Holy Land Pilgrimage: Information Meeting**

Are you being called to join us on the Holy Land Pilgrimage March 11-21<sup>st</sup>, but have questions? Join us for an informational meeting on Sat. Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> in the social hall 9-10am.

**Veteran's Dinner:**

**Sat. Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> @Corpus Christi 5pm**

The Greater Catholic Community of Sturgeon Bay extends an invitation to area veterans to stop by at any of the 4 parish offices (St. Joe's, SS Peter & Paul, Holy Name of Mary & Corpus Christi) to pick up 2 complimentary dinner tickets for the Salute to Veterans dinner by Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>. After that date, tickets will go on sale to parishioners and the general public. The Greater Catholic Community of Sturgeon Bay thanks each and every veteran for their service to our country and is looking forward to being our guests as we "**Salute the Veterans**"

**Diocesan-wide Diaper Drive:**

**Respect Life Month (October)**

Help us build a pyramid of diapers and diaper wipes under the priest pictures in the main church entrance! The drive will start Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> until Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>. All sizes, but particularly the larger ones, sizes 3-6 are needed to help stock the shelves.



**Date Change!**

**Movies with a Message @ St. Joe's Formation Center**  
**Sunday, October 28, 6:00 pm "I Can Only Imagine"**

The inspiring and unknown true story behind MercyMe's beloved, chart topping song "I Can Only Imagine" that brings ultimate hope to so many is a gripping reminder of the power of true forgiveness.



**Edge and Life Teen**

**Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry**

We have officially kicked off our 10<sup>th</sup> season of Life Teen! It's hard to believe we've had Life Teen in our community for so long. Sarah took some time and asked former Life Teen students the impact Life Teen had on them. Here are a few of their answers:

*"Life Teen gave me the tools and confidence to unlock my true potential in not only my faith, but every aspect of my life."*

*"Life Teen began my relationship with God. It is part of my story of how I ended up at this point in my life; looking forward to church Sunday's, looking forward to hearing God speak to me through His word, feeling peace in the worst of situations, knowing God has got me when I'm stressed and overwhelmed. "*

**Edge this week (October 17<sup>th</sup>)**

6-7:15pm at Corpus Christi

**Confirmation this week (October 17<sup>th</sup>)**

7:30-9pm at Corpus Christi

**Life Teen this Sunday (October 21<sup>th</sup>)**

5pm Mass (all are welcome!)

6pm Pizza

Life Night until 8pm

All at Corpus Christi

It isn't too late to register. In fact, it never is. All teens welcome (and invited) all of the time. Please contact Sarah for registration information or pick up the forms at Edge, Life Teen, or Confirmation. You can call Sarah at 743-4716 or e-mail her at [stgavin25@gmail.com](mailto:stgavin25@gmail.com)

**PARISH & OTHER NEWS**

**Genesis...the beginning**

**Elementary Religious Education**

Wednesday's Oct. 17 & 24

(No class 31<sup>st</sup>)

5:45-7pm @ St. Joe's Faith Formation Center

**Fatal Flaws**

A 2018 film documents the results of some of the laws on assisted death in 5 countries and in 6 U.S. states. This film will be shown on **Thursday, October 18th at 6:30pm** at the Door County Library in the upstairs meeting room. Open to the public. Sponsored by the D.C. Chapter of Wis. Right to Life.

**Help Christ Child Society Help Needy Children**

Needy infants and preschoolers will benefit from contributions of very gently used or new soft cover or cardboard books. Please bring your donation during the month of October to place in the plastic container labeled in the main church entrance. Thank you!

**>> CHECK IT OUT! <<  
INFORMATION MEETING**

**Please join us for an  
informational meeting  
on Sat. Oct. 20th from  
9-10am**

**Corpus Christi Social Hall  
25 N. Elgin Ave.  
Sturgeon Bay.**

**Afterwards, take a drive  
through historic scenic  
Sturgeon Bay and  
the Door County Peninsula.**

BOATING ON THE SEA OF GALILEE



BIRTHPLACE OF OUR LORD IN BETHLEHEM

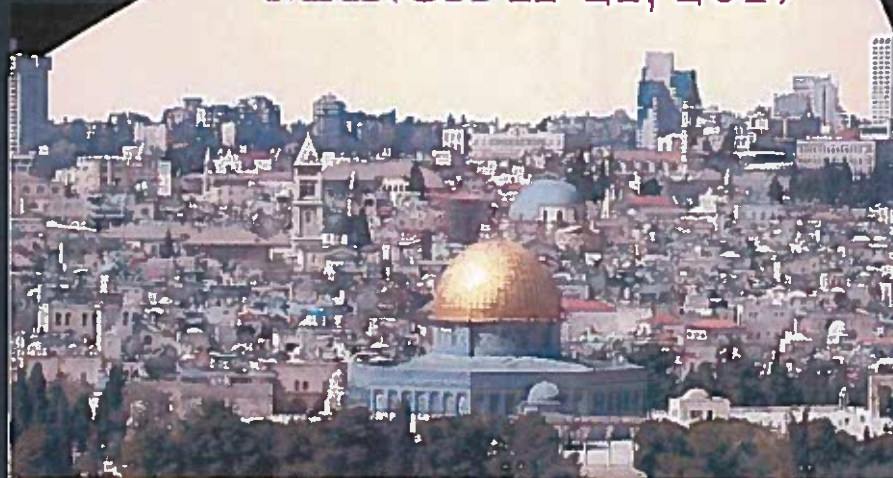


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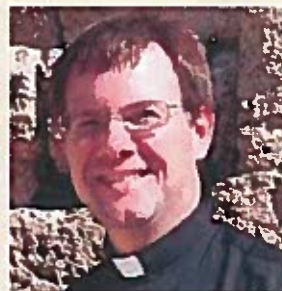


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**with**

**Fr. Carl Schmitt, Fr. Brian Belongia, and Deacon Mark Hibbs**



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if deposit is paid by 12-1-18**

**Base price \$3,299 + \$599\* per person after 12-1-18**

*\*Estimated Airline Taxes & Fuel Surcharges are subject to increase/  
decrease at ticketing (30 days prior)*

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**Genesis  
Elementary Faith Formation Program  
Christmas Wreath Fundraiser**



All profits from this wreath sale will go toward the  
Faith Formation Program.  
Your support is greatly appreciated.

Wreath orders, along with your payment, must be returned  
**no later than Friday, November 2nd.**

- Orders can be returned,  
\* to the Faith Formation teacher,  
\* in the collection baskets at all weekend masses,  
\* or to the parish office during normal working hours, 8:15 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Wreath pickup is scheduled for the following dates at the St. Joseph Garage:  
**Monday, November 12 from 1:00 to 5:00 PM**  
**Tuesday, November 13 from 1:00 to 5:00 PM**

All wreaths come decorated with (1) one velvet bow and (3) three pine cone clusters.  
All wreaths are made with **fresh** cut balsam bows.

Order Form

24 inch round wreath	\$17.00	Number _____	\$ _____
36 inch round wreath	\$23.25	Number _____	\$ _____
48 inch round wreath	\$29.50	Number _____	\$ _____
60 inch round wreath	\$41.50	Number _____	\$ _____
24 inch candy cane wreath	\$19.00	Number _____	\$ _____
24 inch heart wreath	\$22.75	Number _____	\$ _____
Mailbox sprays	\$16.75	Number _____	\$ _____
36 inch star (undecorated)	\$33.75	Number _____	\$ _____
30 inch cross	\$20.25	Number _____	\$ _____
Kissing Ball with Hanger	\$37.00	Number _____	\$ _____

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Customer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (required) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_


**Make checks payable to St. Joseph Parish. Payment must be included with all orders.**




## KILLING THE PAIN, NOT THE PATIENT: PALLIATIVE CARE VS. ASSISTED SUICIDE

*Assisted suicide is radically different from end-of-life care and the practice of palliative care.*

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*Assisted suicide is in the news and on lawmakers' agendas. Supporters call it "aid in dying" and claim it is just another option for ending intolerable pain as part of end-of-life care. But assisted suicide is radically different from end-of-life care and the practice of palliative care, the healing art of relieving pain and other distressing symptoms for patients who are seriously ill. In fact, these two agendas are at war with each other.*

### \* Different Drugs, Different Results

When properly prescribed for the pain of serious illness, powerful pain medications like morphine and other opioids are safe and effective. Patients can have their pain well-controlled without risk to life, and generally stay alert as well.

Assisted suicide is very different. Where it has been legalized, doctors can prescribe a lethal overdose of pills to patients whom they think will die within six months, so they can kill themselves. The patient then intentionally swallows a massive overdose of barbiturates to cause unconsciousness and death.

### \* The Importance of Intent

Besides having opposite results, these two approaches express different intentions.

While pain medication is generally safe under medical supervision, it may have side-effects. For example, barbiturates may be used in rare instances to sedate an agitated patient in the final stage of dying if other pain control methods are inadequate, though this poses some risk of shortening life.

In such cases, the doctor and patient must assess the good they intend and proceed only if this good outweighs the unintended adverse effects. As risk cannot always be eliminated, modern medicine would be impossible without this "principle of double effect." The key is that no one involved intends the bad effects, especially the bad effect of killing the patient.

Assisted suicide, by contrast, directly intends the patient's death, which is never morally permissible. The doctor prescribes an intentionally lethal overdose, with instructions on how to use the pills to cause death. (Interestingly, there is no record that any patient accidentally surviving the overdose has ever tried it again.)

Medical organizations like the American Medical Association and the American College of Physicians oppose doctor-assisted suicide, in part because it destroys this essential distinction between intended and unintended effects of treatment. Patients need to be able to trust their doctors to always care for their lives and never deliberately cause death.

## ✱ Eliminate the Problem, Not the Patient

Palliative care also addresses symptoms beyond physical pain, in ways that go beyond medication. Patients facing serious illness may feel hopeless and depressed, as though their lives have lost meaning. Addressing psychological, emotional, and spiritual problems is essential to palliative care. Assisted suicide alleviates none of these problems, but gives in to them. Consider that about half of patients who had requested assisted suicide under the Oregon law in its first three years changed their minds when the doctor provided palliative care.<sup>2</sup>

Yet in Oregon, almost none of the patients receiving lethal drugs are evaluated to assess whether their wish for death arises from treatable depression—and over half say they requested the drugs partly because they feel they are becoming a “burden” on others.<sup>3</sup> Offering assisted suicide can only confirm and strengthen that feeling. It ignores the underlying problems, instead abandoning and eliminating the patient who has the problems.

## ✱ Assisted Suicide Undermines Palliative Care

Assisted suicide is detrimental not only for individual patients, but also for patient care on a large scale. In countries like the Netherlands, where assisted suicide has been accepted for many years, progress in palliative care has stagnated.<sup>4</sup> In Oregon, legalization was followed by an increase in severe untreated pain among terminally ill patients. During a period when 1,832 hospices opened in other states, only five

opened in Oregon. In other states legalizing assisted suicide, use of hospice care has fallen below the national average.<sup>5</sup> By contrast, when states pass new laws forbidding assisted suicide, while affirming that doctors may use drugs like morphine for effective pain control, use of these medications has increased—indicating progress in pain management practices.<sup>6</sup>

The reason is obvious. Optimum palliative care requires years of training and experience, as well as a commitment to the patient as someone with inherent dignity who deserves excellent care. Assisted suicide avoids the need for this hard work and erodes this commitment. It provides a “quick and easy,” as well as cheap, answer to terminal illness. Once death is accepted as a solution, why bother to devote resources to more expensive medical progress?

Assisted suicide does not enhance medicine. As noted by a doctor specializing in palliative and hospice care in the Netherlands, killing “becomes a substitute for learning how to relieve the suffering of dying patients.”<sup>7</sup>

## ✱ True Love and Mercy

Do we see people as the problem, such that our responsibility begins and ends with helping patients kill themselves? Or, do we see seriously ill patients as fellow human beings who deserve our love and solutions for their problems? Will we succumb to the “false mercy” of assisted suicide, or will we endorse what Pope St. John Paul II called “the way of love and true mercy”?<sup>8</sup> Will we dedicate ourselves to providing genuinely compassionate care, as a society and for our own loved ones? Our answer today determines the care available now and for years to come.

<sup>1</sup> Doerflinger, Richard M., M.A. “Oregon’s Assisted Suicides: The Up-to-Date Reality in 2017.” *On Point*, no. 21 (March 2018): 5. <https://lozierinstitute.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Oregon-Assisted-Suicide-The-Up-To-Date-Reality-2017.pdf>.

<sup>2</sup> Ganzini, Linda, M.D., Heidi D. Nelson, M.D., M.P.H., Terri A. Schmidt, M.D., Dale F. Kraemer, Ph.D., Molly A. Delorit, B.A., and Melinda A. Lee, M.D. “Physicians’ Experiences with the Oregon Death with Dignity Act.” *The New England Journal of Medicine*, no. 342 (February 24, 2000): 557-63. doi:10.1056/NEJM200002243420806.

<sup>3</sup> *Assisted Suicide Laws in Oregon and Washington: What Safeguards?* PDF. Washington, D.C.: United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, February 22, 2018: 2.5. <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/assisted-suicide/to-live-each-day/upload/suicideoregonfeb2018.pdf>

<sup>4</sup> *Physician-Assisted Suicide: Threat to Improved Palliative Care*. PDF. Washington, D.C.: United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, March 4, 2017: 2-3. [http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/assisted-suicide/to-live-each-day/upload/suicide\\_palliative\\_care\\_2.pdf](http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/assisted-suicide/to-live-each-day/upload/suicide_palliative_care_2.pdf)

<sup>5</sup> Doerflinger, Richard M., M.A. “The Effect of Legalizing Assisted Suicide on Palliative Care and Suicide Rates: A Response to Compassion and Choices.” *On Point*, no. 13 (March 2017): 3. <https://lozierinstitute.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/The-Effect-of-Legalization-of-Assisted-Suicide.pdf>.

<sup>6</sup> Brief *Amici Curiae* for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, California Catholic Conference, Oregon Catholic Conference, Washington State Catholic Conference; Catholic Health Association of the United States, and Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod as Amici Curiae in Support of Petitioners, *Alberto R. Gonzales, U.S. Attorney General, et al. v. Oregon, et al.*, No 04-623, “18-22 (filed May 9, 2005). <http://www.usccb.org/about/general-counsel/amicus-briefs/upload/amicus-sct-gonzales-v-oregon-2005-05.pdf>

<sup>7</sup> Zyllicz, Zbigniew, M.D. “Palliative Care and Euthanasia in the Netherlands.” In *The Case Against Assisted Suicide*, 142. Baltimore and London: Johns Hopkins University Press.

<sup>8</sup> John Paul II. *Evangelium vitae (Gospel of Life)* (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 1995), no. 66-67.

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