

# ST. JOSEPH PARISH

*A Ministry of the Capuchin Franciscans since 1877*

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## Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 5:00 pm  
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St. Joseph Parish is a member of  
**ACES/Xavier Educational System** 735-9380

**Inter-Parish Religious Formation** 738-7413

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## Celebration of the Sacraments

### Eucharist

Please note the schedule in this bulletin.

### Marriage

Active parish membership of 6 months is  
required before a wedding date may be set.

### Reconciliation

Saturday at 9:30 am, or call for an appointment.

### Baptism

Please call the parish office 2 months in advance.

### Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office anytime.



June 27, 2010 • Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Working with the Scriptures** (Lk. 9:51-62)

There's a cute little story told about a time when the farm animals got together to plan breakfast. Each one was to bring something and there was much discussion about what each would contribute. The chicken quickly offered to bring the eggs. The pig, on the other hand, hesitated when he was asked to provide the ham. "What's wrong with you? Don't be so selfish," the chicken said. "Easy for you to say," replied the pig. "Providing the eggs only involves a few minutes of your time, but for me it's a total commitment!" A cute story, perhaps, but there's a lesson here. The pig has to decide just how committed he really is. And so do we.

At the beginning of today's Gospel we see Jesus "...resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem..." And we know what lies ahead of him in Jerusalem. Jesus is "...resolutely determined..." to give His life so that the people might live. Jesus is about "total commitment". But others along the way are not so sure.

It was the end of the day. Beverly had spent the day preparing for her meeting with her tax accountant the next morning. She got in her car and turned the dial to her favorite Christian radio station. As it happened, the program that evening was about this Gospel. "How could anyone refuse to follow Jesus?" she asked herself. "Why would anyone even hesitate?" The next morning Beverly met with her accountant. She assured him that her records were all in order. True, some of her deductions might not be quite as large as she had claimed, and she may have neglected to report some "cash" income, but everyone knew that you had to manipulate the truth a bit when you were dealing with the IRS, didn't they?

"I will follow you, Lord, but first let me [meet with my tax accountant]." The road to Jerusalem involves total commitment. Can we, like the pig, give our life to Jesus? Or are we more like the chicken, willing to give but only when there's no sacrifice involved on our part?

*Vinal Van Benthem*

### Congratulations to Our Weekly Calendar Raffle Winners

June 11—Colleen Kramer—\$25.00  
 June 12—Robert Hoersch—\$25.00  
 June 13—Donna Larsen—\$50.00  
 June 14—John T. Gosling—\$25.00  
 June 15—Fr. Larry Abler—\$25.00  
 June 16—Mrs. Jeffrey Filz—\$25.00  
 June 17—Paula Maurer—\$25.00



### Please Pray For...

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill:  
 Baby Claire Lanari.

Please also remember our nursing home residents and shut-ins.

### Rummage Sale Items

Don't forget to donate items no longer needed to St. Joe's for our annual Fall Festival Rummage Sale. They can be dropped off at the parish office during regular office hours or during the weekend before or after Mass. No large appliances, exercise equipment, microwaves, computers, TV's or dehumidifiers. We are also **not accepting children and adult clothing**. Please call the parish office if you need items picked up. **Thank you for remembering St. Joe's.**



### SCRIP Corner

Thank you to everyone who is using SCRIP. It's so easy to use the gift certificates for food and gas purchases—try it if you haven't. You can pick-up and order form in the back of church or on the SCRIP table and place in the collection on any Sunday or bring into the office and we will have it for you to pick-up the next time we sell SCRIP. SCRIP will be available weekends of July 3rd/4th and 17th /18th.

Scrip earnings for the period 4/1/2010 thru 5/31/2010 was \$592.18. Thank you to all who made this possible.

### Youth Ministry

Inter-Parish Picnic is July 10 - would you like to help? Please contact your parish office to see how you can assist at the event.

Great America trip is July 20. roller coasters, water rides, games...\$56. Friends are encouraged to come with you! Deadline is July 12.

Come and serve a meal at The Gathering in Milwaukee on July 24. Last year, we served over 350 people. Make a difference!

Contact Celia for more information at 738-7413 or [iprf@inter-parish.org](mailto:iprf@inter-parish.org).

### Musician Needed

St. Patrick's Parish, Menasha—10 hours a week. Pay based on experience. Sunday Services and Funerals.  
 Send resume to:

St. Patrick's Parish  
 324 Nicolet Blvd.  
 Menasha, WI 54952

### Adult Education

**Christ Renews His Parish - Save these Weekends! Mark your calendars!**

- **Women's Renewal Weekend: October 23/24, 2010** at St. Mary Parish Center
- **Men's Renewal Weekend: November 6/7, 2010** at St. Joseph Parish Center

Check out the bright pink registration forms at the back of Church that can be used for either Men's or Women's weekends in stand up containers at the back of church.

**Thank you to the generous men and women from our parishes who have formed the new teams preparing for these weekends.**

**Christ Renews His Parish: Growing Closer to Christ - Growing Closer to Each Other!**

### Going to College? Know Someone who is?

Do you know someone who is heading off to college this fall? Would you like to help them connect with people of faith when they get there? A new website of the Catholic Campus Ministers of Wisconsin can help. At

[www.goingtocollege.org](http://www.goingtocollege.org) students coming to campus can sign up to receive information about campus ministry at their prospective Wisconsin schools, as well as an invitation to get involved. The college years can be an important time for faith development. Don't miss out on the opportunities to meet great people and experience the prayer, service and social events that campus ministry offers. If you know someone going to college make sure they visit [www.goingtocollege.org](http://www.goingtocollege.org).

### Do you have a son or daughter serving in Afghanistan or Iraq?

As we approach July 4th, we'd like to pray for and honor our parish sons and daughters who are serving in harm's way by sending them special care packages. Please send addresses of those serving in dangerous areas to [cjensen@stmaryparish.org](mailto:cjensen@stmaryparish.org) so that we can support them with prayers and a sign of care. You can also call the parish office (St. Mary - 739-5119; St. Joseph - 734-7195) - with the address or drop it in the weekend collec-

### Volunteer Opportunities

**Heartland Home Healthcare and Hospice:** Help terminally ill individuals and their families. Many opportunities available in Appleton and throughout the Fox Valley. Flexible scheduling and training provided. Must be at least 18 years of age. Contact: Pam Sengstock at 920-336-6455 or 1-866-631-3149 or email: [4669officestaff3@her-manorcare.com](mailto:4669officestaff3@her-manorcare.com).

**Making the Ride Happen:** volunteer drivers are needed to provide transportation for seniors, Monday-Friday from 8AM-12 N or 12 N-4PM. Flexible time commitment. Contact Holly at Thompson Community Center at 882-6465 or 1-888-200-0576 or email [hkeenan@lsswis.org](mailto:hkeenan@lsswis.org).

### Xavier High School News

The best way to experience another culture is by making a young person from another country a part of your family and home. We are excited to share that 15 additional international students are interested in attending Xavier High School for the 2020-2011 school year. The impact of this experience can last a lifetime and benefit your family in ways you never imagined.

To find out how you can become a host family, please contact Lori England at Xavier High School, 733-6632 ext. 6252.

Thank you for considering this life-changing opportunity to help a student experience all that Xavier has to offer!

### Financial News

Tithing Needed ..... \$15,962.00  
 Last Week's Tithing ..... \$10,615.15  
 Children's Collection ..... \$44.65

#### Thank You!

Your special offering to help keep us on target would be appreciated.

### Readings for the Week of June 27, 2010

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62  
 Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/ Mt 8:18-22  
 Tuesday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/ Gal 1:11-20/ Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19  
 Wednesday: Am 5:14-15, 21-24/ Mt 8:28-34  
 Thursday: Am 7:10-17/ Mt 9:1-8  
 Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/ Mt 9:9-13  
 Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/ Jn 20:24-29  
 Next Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/ Gal 6:14-18/ Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

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*And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but*

*first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:61-62*

*Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass  
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## Weekly Liturgical Calendar

**Monday, June 28, St. Irenaeus, bishop**  
12:05 pm Dec. Patrick Milton

**Tuesday, June 29, Sts. Peter and Paul, apostles**  
12:05 pm Dec. Larry Gage  
12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions

**Wednesday, June 30**  
12:05 pm Mass at St. Mary's

**Thursday, July 1**  
12:05 pm Mass at St. Mary's

**Friday, July 2**  
12:05 pm Dec. Joanne Vanden Boomen

**Saturday, July 3**  
4:30 pm Dec. Norman & Louis Kohl

**Sunday, July 4**  
8:00 am Dec. Lisa Kampf  
10:00 am Dec. Thomas Siegrist  
6:30 pm Members of St. Joseph Parish

## This Week in Our Parish

### Saturday

Scrip sold after 4:30PM Mass

### Next Sunday

Masses, 8:00, 10:00AM and 6:30PM  
Scrip sold after 8:00 and 10:00AM Masses

## Thank You Prayer For Volunteers

Thank you, Lord, for all who give, for all who do.

Thank you, Lord for the difference they make and the time they take.

Thank you, Lord for volunteers big and small, some recognized, others not at all.

Thank you, Lord for the community of volunteers you have blessed us with.

## Fall Festival

Clean off those shelves, de-clutter your life and donate your used but good books to the St. Joseph Fall Festival Book Sale. Please drop off your paperbacks, hard covers, CDs and DVDs at the parish office. Please no encyclopedia sets, duplicated audio or video tapes, CDs and DVDs. **Thank you.**

## Feed My Starving Children

Join us on July 13-14 when 500 community volunteers will pack 100,000 meals at First English Lutheran Church-North Site.

Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) is a non-profit Christian organization committed to feeding God's starving children hungry in body and spirit.

Visit [www.felc.com](http://www.felc.com) to volunteer and make your online donations.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Fourth of July Masses will be the same as every weekend.
2. Inter-parish Picnic is July 10 at Pierce Park, 4:30PM Mass. **No** 4:30PM Mass in church.
3. We will have a mass on Monday, July 5th, 12:05PM. The parish office will be closed.



### Coldwell Bankers - John Coughlin

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Thank you!

## Catholic Cruise to the Exotic Western Caribbean

Come and sail away on a 7-Night Catholic Exotic Western Caribbean Cruise with Father Brendan Murphy December 12, 2010 on the Carnival Valor out of Miami, FL. Ports of Call:, Grand Cayman, Cayman Island, Isla Roatan, Belize, Cozumel (Mexico). Prices begin at \$965 for two passengers which includes all port fees and taxes. Daily Mass and Rosary offered. Deposits of only \$50 per person will reserve your cabin. Space is limited. For further info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 / [dpayttc@aol.com](mailto:dpayttc@aol.com).

## The Passion Play of Oberammergau

Hosted by Rev. Msgr. John B. Dewane  
September 9 to 19, 2010

Visit Heidelberg, the Rhine Valley, Munich, Lake Lucerne, Geneva and Paris

For a brochure & more information contact Deacon Rick Simon at (920)733-0575, Ext. 302(Day) or (920)739-0636(Eve) or Email: [jsimon3@new.rr.com](mailto:jsimon3@new.rr.com)

## Belanno Language Camps Set Aug 2-13th

We welcome children in grades K through 5 to explore the languages and cultures of Africa, the Middle East and India. Students may pick one language/culture to focus on for two weeks—Arabic, Hindi or Swahili. With qualified teachers who are native speakers, your children will experience firsthand the language and culture of a completely different country.

Cost \$100, plus a \$50 deposit that will be returned if the student attends all sessions.

Register at [www.belanno.com](http://www.belanno.com) or call (920)843-2214 for more information.