

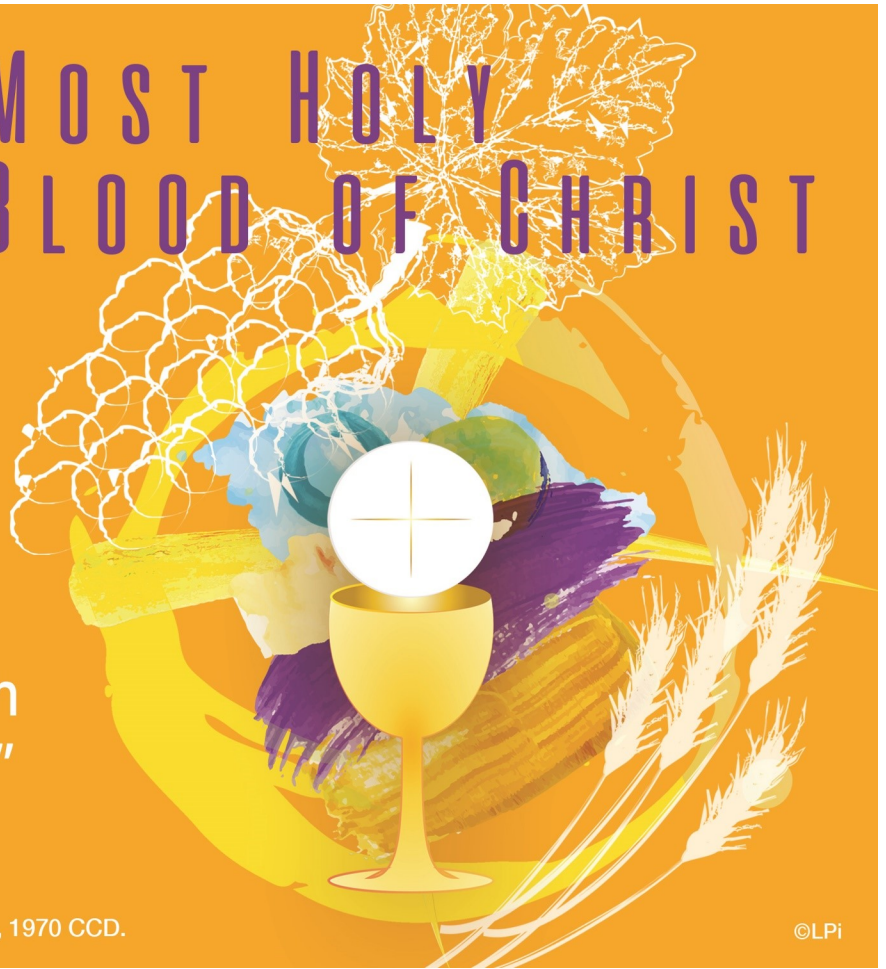


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June 11, 2023

# THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

"I am the living bread  
that came down from  
heaven; whoever eats  
this bread will live  
forever; and the bread  
that I will give is my flesh  
for the life of the world."  
- Jn 6:51



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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday - 4:00 pm**

**Sunday - 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 6:30 pm**

*Weekend Mass may be viewed online: [www.saintjosephparish.org](http://www.saintjosephparish.org)*

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 12:05 pm**

**OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm,**

**Friday: 9:00 am-2:00 pm**

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## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

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

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 9 until approximately 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.

## REACHING IN, REACHING OUT, REACHING GOD

### Br. Ray's Reflections

I am writing this on Monday and am rushing to leave for the Capuchin Chapter in Chicago. I will be back before you even read this but, I am bringing in one of my favorite poets to grace us with his words about this feast, Corpus Christi.

#### **Love's Choice** **By Malcom Guite**

This bread is light, dissolving, almost air,  
A little vibration on my tongue,  
A wafer-thin sensation, hardly there.  
This taste of wine is brief in flavor, flung  
A moment to the palate's roof and fled,  
Even its aftertaste a memory.

Yet this is how he comes. Through wine and bread  
Love chooses to be emptied into me.  
He does not come in unimagined light  
Too bright to be denied, too absolute  
For consciousness, too strong for sight,  
Leaving the seer blind, the poet mute;  
Chooses instead to seep into each sense,  
And dye Himself into experience.

Jesus chooses to come to us in the simple gifts of bread and wine but in this simplicity is the deepest **love we will ever taste.**

### Welcome...



We welcome into the St. Joseph Community through Baptism...

**Philip James Glisczinski**

### Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration is held on the **3rd Thursday of the month at 5:30 pm. On June 15th**, Altar Servers and Media Ministry will be gathering. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

### Taizé Service at St. Joe's!



Led by members of our music ministry on **Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 pm**. Candlelight service with meditative music.

### Bishop's Annual Appeal

Thank you to those that have already contributed to our 2023 Bishop's Appeal. Our target for this year is **\$89,899**. So far, 366 parishioners have contributed \$68,712.12, which is 76% of our target. If you have not offered a gift, please help us. There are additional donation cards and envelopes in the back of church if you need one. Thank you for your support!

### **SCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS**



**Blessed Solanus Casey**  
**Pray for Us**

#### **Tuesday, June 13**

12:05 pm Dec. Mary Nelson  
12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions

#### **Wednesday, June 14**

12:05 pm Dec. Robert Feavel

#### **Friday, June 16**

12:05 pm Dec. John Nelson

#### **Saturday, June 17**

4:00 pm Dec. Members of the Barth & Kramer Families

#### **Sunday, June 18—Father's Day**

8:00 am Members of St. Joseph Parish  
10:00 am Dec. Jannette Mignon  
6:30 pm Dec. Phat Filz

### **THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

#### **Monday, June 12**

10:00 am GriefShare, Rooms 209-211

#### **Tuesday, June 13**

1:00 pm OFS Council, LL11

#### **Wednesday, June 14**

9:30 am Service Project Clean-up Day

#### **Thursday, June 15**

5:30 pm Eucharist Adoration in Church

#### **Saturday, June 17**

9:00 am Private Reconciliation

**\*Blood Pressure Screening after 4pm Mass & 8 & 10 am Masses on Sunday, June 18**

### **Congratulations Calendar Raffle Winners**

May 28—Alex Hrubecy—\$25  
May 29—Cora McCabe-McGovern—\$25  
May 30—David Savides—\$25  
May 31—Hunter Grundman—\$25  
June 1—Kimberly Koerth—\$25  
June 2—Eli Young—\$25  
June 3—David Callan—\$25

### **Please Pray For...**

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill:  
**Hunter Prill, Mary Ann Strobl**

Remember also our nursing home residents and shut-ins, and pray for the intentions recorded in our Prayer Book of Intentions.

Please pray for our parishioners or family members of parishioners who have died.

**Blood Drive Coordinator**



Most of us know someone who has benefited from a blood product... whole blood, red cells, platelets or plasma. Our Parish has been hosting blood drives twice a year for approximately 15 years and Kathy Helf has been the coordinator. Kathy would like to step aside and have someone else take over this life-saving effort. Kathy will mentor the new coordinator so that they know all her tips and tricks. Please contact the Parish Office at: 920-734-7195 if you are interested.

**Book Club**

The next St. Mary/St. Joseph book club discussion will take place on **Tuesday, June 13 at 6 pm** in Room L4 at St. Mary. The book selected for discussion is **Finding Chika** by *Mitch Albom*. The author has done it again with this moving memoir of love and loss. You can't help but fall for Chika. A page-turner that will no doubt become a classic.

For July 11, our book selection is: **The Butterfly's Daughter** by Mary Alice Monroe. Four very different women embark on a transformational journey that follows the migrating monarchs across the United States to Mexico. Looking further ahead to August 8, our book selection is: **The Stationery Shop** by Marjan Kamali.

For more information, please contact Mary Schulz at: 920-809-4474. New members are welcome to attend anytime.

**Marriage Anniversary Mass - June 25**



We will be celebrating the special marriage anniversaries of our parishioners **on June 25 at our 10:00 am Mass.**

This year if you're celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 or more years of marriage, would you let us know? If you will be attending this Mass, please contact the Parish Office at: 920-734-7195.

Also, we would like to put an insert in our bulletin that weekend with your wedding picture in it. We did this successfully for the past few years and hope to do the same this year. Please drop off your photo at the Parish Office, send in the mail or email: dschmidt@stjoesparish.org by **June 20**. Non-emailed photos will be returned to you.

**Used Medical Equipment Needed**

The Lions Clubs of the Fox Valley have joined together to open a place that will loan out medical equipment. Late July is our target date to open in Appleton. We are gathering the following gently used and clean medical equipment: Wheelchairs, Rollators, Gait Belts, Walkers, Ice Machines, Grabbers, Canes, Travel Chairs, Crutches, Toilet Risers/Commodes, Bed Rails, Knee Scooters, Transfer Benches, Shoe Horns, Incontinence Supplies.

**Please bring to 312 W. Northland Avenue in Appleton BETWEEN 8 am and 2 pm on Saturday, June 17.**

**Organ Recital Series**

The lunchtime Organ Recital Series returns to the Fox Valley this summer for its 26th season! These concerts are free and open to the public. Sponsored by the local chapter of the American Guild of Organists. On **Wednesday, June 14th** from 12:15-12:45 pm, Jared Stellmacher will be at St. Thomas Church, 226 Washington Street in Menasha. For more information, visit: [lunchtimeorganrecital.org](http://lunchtimeorganrecital.org).

**Financial News**

Tithing Needed.....	\$17,670.00
Last Week's Tithing .....	\$7,183.50
Auto Withdrawal .....	\$645.00
Children's Collection .....	\$13.00
IRA/Donations .....	\$2,000.00

\*Thank you to those who give through a Qualified Charitable Distribution (IRA) or other donations. We will be including this information going forward in this column.

**Thank you for your financial support!**

**Readings for the Week of June 11**

**Sunday:** Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a  
Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 (12)  
1 Cor 10:16-17  
Jn 6:51-58  
**Monday:** 2 Cor 1:1-7  
Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
Mt 5:1-12  
**Tuesday:** 2 Cor 1:18-22  
Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135  
Mt 5:13-16  
**Wednesday:** 2 Cor 3:4-11  
Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9  
Mt 5:17-19  
**Thursday:** 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6  
Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14  
Mt 5:20-26  
**Friday:** Dt 7:6-11  
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10 (see 17)  
1 Jn 4:7-16  
Mt 11:25-30  
**Saturday:** 2 Cor 5:14-21  
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12  
Lk 2:41-51  
**Next Sunday:** Ex 19:2-6a  
Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)  
Rom 5:6-11  
Mt 9:36—10:8  
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