St. Joseph Parish Galloway

182526 County Rd. C, Wittenberg, WI 54499

Parish Office & Rectory: 715-454-6431 Office Hours: Monday-Wednesday 8:00 am - noon Church Address: 182526 County Rd. C, Wittenberg, WI Mailing Address: St. Joseph Parish 182590 County Rd. C, Wittenberg, WI 54499 Parish Social Hall & CCD & Fax: 715-454-6432 E-mail: stjosephchurchgalloway@gmail.com Website: www.stjosephgalloway.com Download Parish app at myparishapp.com Like us on Facebook: St Joseph Catholic Church Galloway

Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Bentil

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier Mary Uttecht, DRE Valerie Wierzba, Parish Administrator

Mass Times

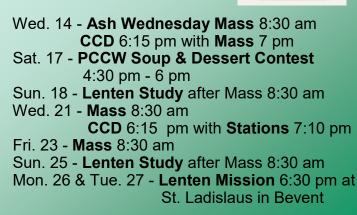
St. Joseph, Galloway Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

Mark your Calendars!

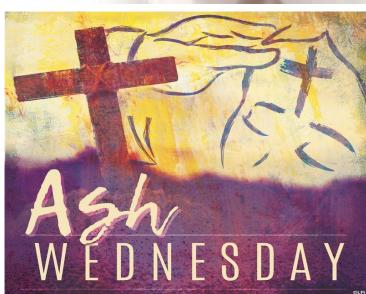




FEBRUARY 11, 2024

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Liturgies of the Week

Wednesday, Feb. 14 - Ash Wednesday

8:30 am- Thomas Link by Scott & Tracy Kulas
7:00 pm- Ann & Amy Britz by Kenny & Julie Wierzba

Sunday, Feb. 18 - First Sunday of Lent 8:30 am- Bill Yenter by David & Brenda Flees

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

Liturgical Ministers Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - February 18

Lector:	Renee Groshek
Eucharist: J	loe Bushman
Blood of Christ:	Pat Kulas
	Donna Kezeske
Altar Servers: J	axton Bushman
٨	Aichael Wierzba
Ushers: S	cott Kezeske
C	aleb Zick
A	ndrew Wierzba
TV Monitors: Is	abella Stegall
Rosary (Sorrow	ful): Joe Bushman

Gifts to Our Lord: - Jan 29- Feb 4, 2023

Adult Envelopes	\$2238.00
Youth Envelopes	
Energy Needs	
Catholic Life	
Easter	
Building & Grounds	
Offertory Gifts	<u>\$183.76</u>
Total	\$2894.76

Lenten Series – One of the Best!

Lent is a time to grow in your understanding of the Eucharist. The

Eucharist *is* Jesus! You are invited to join a small group during Lent for the *Jesus*

and the Eucharist Series. The seven sessions are outstanding in beauty and presentation with inspiring testimonies that draw participants to a deeper faith in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Join us Sundays after Mass Feb 11- Mar 24.



Lenten Disciplines of Fasting & Abstinence

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.

Almsgiving opportunity -

CRS Rice Bowl attached to this bulletin and on table in foyer. For more information go to <u>crsricebowl.org/give</u> This is sponsored by Catholic Relief Services which is part of the universal mission of the Catholic Church, they work with local, national and international Catholic institutions and structures, as well as other organizations to assist people on the bases of need, not creed, race or nationality.

Mite Boxes will be sent home with the school children during CCD. These are to be used by each student. A good way to use them is if someone gives up candy or soda (or insert any other thing) for Lent. Then each day they could put the amount they would have spent on the treat into the box. The Mite box donations go to the Missionary Childhood Association which helps finance about 3,000 projects per year worldwide.

2024 Lenten Mission for St. Joseph, Galloway & St. Ladislaus, Bevent

When: Monday, Feb 26 & Tuesday, Feb 27 Time: 6:30-7:30 pm each night Theme: On the Eucharist Preacher: Rev. Samuel Martin (Pastor, Holy Name Parish, Wausau) Venue: St. Ladislaus, Bevent (Both nights) Please plan to attend!

Baptism dates: Feb 24 & 25, Mar 9, 10, 16, & 17, Apr 13 & 14, and Apr 27 & 28. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.

*Class will be Sat. Feb 24 at 1:00 pm in the St. Ladislaus rectory. Please call Sr. Mary Ellen to register. The next class will be in March.





Feast of St Joseph Tuesday, March 19 Mass @ 5 pm

Parish fellowship with a catered dinner following Mass. All are welcome.

Please sign-up in the foyer if attending by March 10. Thank you.

A Minute with Jesus:

Jesus is truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

When we look at the consecrated Host at Mass, our eyes see only bread, but the reality is we are looking at Jesus truly present. Jesus, grant me the grace to believe this truth, that though "hidden", You are truly present in Holy Communion. It is important to remember that what we are <u>not</u> able to see with our eyes, we grasp by choosing to believe – with faith's consent. Let's pray this right now and every day this week: Lord, I want to believe. Please help me to believe that what You say is true, especially helping the part of me that sometimes questions. This week, read about the father of a sick boy who asked Jesus to help him believe what seemed impossible in Mark 9:20-27.

Prayer for Married Couples

Almighty and eternal God, You blessed the union of married couples so that they might reflect the union of Christ with his Church: look with kindness on them. Renew their marriage covenant, increase your love in them, and strengthen their bond of peace so that, with their children, they may always rejoice in the gift of your blessing. We ask this through Christ our Lord



We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Area Events

- Feast of Bl. Brother James Miller, Sacred Heart Parish, Polonia, Feb 13 Adoration 3pm Mass 6 pm 1st class relic will be displayed
- Old Fashioned Sunday Dinner, Faith Lutheran Church, Rosholt, Feb 18 11-1 pm Baked Chicken Dinner
- Lenten Soup Suppers, St. Ladislaus Parish, Bevent, Feb 21, 28, Mar 6, 13, and 20 5:30-6:30 pm Free will donation
- Soup & Pie Brunch, St. Philomena's Church, Birnamwood, Feb 25 11am-1pm Cash raffle
- Holy Temptations Feast Night, St. Florian Parish, Hatley, Mar 16, 5 pm Tickets \$20 in advance/ \$25 at the door
- Grilled Pork Chop Dinner, St. Michael's Church, Junction City, Mar 17, 10:30 am - 1 pm. \$13/ double chop meal (see flyers on bulletin board for all events)

Looking for a close by Fish Fry?

Go to: http://diolc.org/fishfrynder/ to find where and when in our diocese.

St Adalbert, Rosholt
 Every Friday Feb 16 through
 March 15
 Serving 4 -7:30 pm.

Fish Fr

Serving 4 -7:30 pm. Adults \$13 and children \$9 Take-out orders call 715-677-4518

St Florian, Hatley
 Feb 16, Mar 1, and Mar 8
 Serving 4 -7 pm.
 \$16- 3 piece, \$14- 2 piece



See you at the PCCW Soup & Dessert Contest on Saturday, Feb 17 4:30-6PM. Sign up in the foyer to bring your best crock pot of soup and/or your tastiest dessert. (No entry fee) CASH prizes! Come and enjoy the variety for only \$5.00/ person! Basket raffle and 50/50 fun too! See you there! Please text/ call Donna with questions 715-570-0076.



St. Joseph Parish continues to seek a person to fill the very important role of **Director of Religious Education**. If you are interested or know someone who might be interested and would like to

know more , please contact Fr Gus: 715-454-6431 or <u>stjosephchurchgalloway@gmail.com</u>. Thank you and may God bless you for your prayerful consideration!