

# 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

**\*\*Office will be closed Wed, Nov 26\*\***

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### 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. Benti

### Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier

Deacon Timothy Betker

Crystal Bushman, DRE

Valerie Wierzbza, Parish Administrator

### Mass Times

#### St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am

#### St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Sunday 10:10 am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

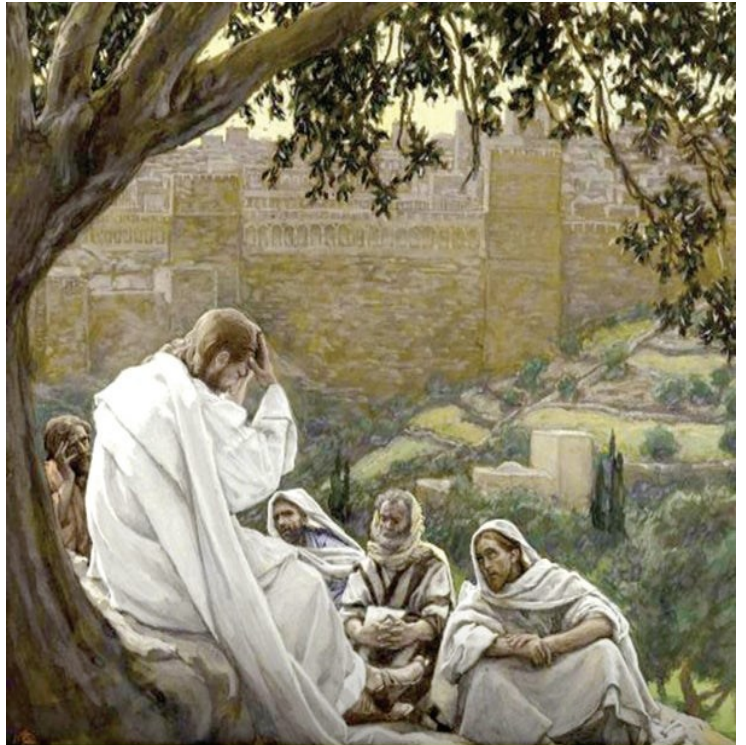
Saturday 3:30-3:50 pm

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

### Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the Rectory to schedule a date and time. 9 months preparation is required. One or both persons should be registered with the parish for at least 1 full year.

## NOVEMBER 16, 2025



### 33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:13-15

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**PRESENTATION**  
**OF THE BLESSED**  
*Virgin Mary*

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### Mark your Calendars!



#### November:

Wed. 19 - **Mass 8:30 am**

**CCD 6:15 pm w/ Student Confessions**

Fri. 21 - **Mass 8:30 am**

Sat. 22 - **Hunters' Mass 7:30 pm**

**PCCW Bake Sale after Mass**

Sun. 23 - **Mass 8:30 am**

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Wed. 26 - **Thanksgiving Mass 6:30 pm**

Sat. 29 - **Mass 4:00 pm**

Sun. 30 - **Mass 8:30 am**

## Liturgies of the Week

### Wed. Nov 19 - Weekday

**8:30 am-** Dale Ostrowski *by Carol Kluck*

### Sat. Nov 22- Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Vigil

**7:30 pm-** Martin, Margaret, Marie, and Marvin  
*Wierzbka by Family*

### Sun. Nov 23 - Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

**8:30 am-** Mavis Bushman *by August & Caroline  
Trzebiatowski*

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

#### Saturday, Mass 7:30 pm - Nov 22

Lector: **Kelsie Davis**  
Eucharist: **Dick Golomski**  
Blood of Christ: **Donna Golomski**  
**Pat Kulas**  
Ushers: **Fred Groshek**  
**Volunteer**

TV Monitors:  
Rosary (Glorious): **Dick & Donna Golomski**

#### Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - Nov 23

Lector: **Jim Martin**  
Eucharist: **Joe Bushman**  
Blood of Christ: **Renee Groshek**  
**Pam Kohl**  
Altar Servers: **Jaxton Bushman**  
**Kiya Kersten**  
Ushers: **Drayden Kersten**  
**Aiden Bushman**  
**Brennen Bushman**  
TV Monitors: **Natalie Besette**  
Rosary (Glorious): **Barb Martin**



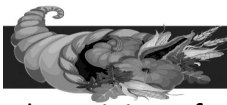
**Baptism dates:** Nov 22 & 23, Dec 6, 7, 13, 20 & 21. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.

#### Gifts to Our Lord: Nov 3 - Nov 9, 2025

Adult Envelopes .....	\$1315.00
Youth Envelopes .....	\$8.00
Building Improvements .....	\$30.00
Offertory .....	\$385.00
Total .....	\$1738.00

## HUNTERS' MASS: SPECIAL TIME

Please note: Saturday, Nov 22, evening's Mass will be at 7:30 pm rather than 4 pm. There will also be Mass at St Ladislaus at 6pm.



*Thanks be to God!*

Please join us for a special evening Mass, Wednesday, November 26 as we prepare our hearts to celebrate Thanksgiving and all our many blessings. Mass will be at 6:30 pm here at St Joseph and at 5 pm at St Ladislaus.



## PCCW Bake Sale

*Calling all bakers to put your love of baking to good use!*

Following next weekend Masses on Sat, Nov 22(7:30 pm) and Sun, Nov 23 (8:30 am), St Joseph Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW) will be holding a bake sale. If you are able, we are looking for donations of breads, pies, cookies, bars, cakes, muffins, cupcakes, etc. We are also in need of individuals willing to sell the items after the Masses. If you would like to help to sell on Sunday or have questions, please call or text Donna 715-570-0076. Thank you for your support!

## IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE *Blessed Virgin Mary*

Because Monday, December 8 is a Holy Day of Obligation, the faithful are obliged to attend Mass for the Second Sunday of Advent and for Immaculate Conception: one Mass does not fulfill two obligations.

**There will be Mass at 10 am at St Ladislaus in Bevent and at 5 pm here at St Joseph's on Monday Dec. 8.**



Please submit announcements for the Nov 30 bulletin by noon on Nov 18. Thank you.



The Men's Society Raffle- held during our Harvest Breakfast event- had an income of \$9507.



## Eyes On Your Own Paper

“Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be powerful earthquakes, famines, and plagues from place to place.”

Looking at these words, I have to wonder. Am I reading the Bible or today's newspaper headline?

It's never easier to despair than when you glance up and take a good look at what's going on in the world: disasters, natural and contrived, wars, resentments, rivalries, and divisions. It is almost too much sometimes, isn't it? The twenty-four-hour news cycle doesn't help. Add social media and it's enough to push anyone into a nervous breakdown.

When you find yourself in this place of despair, remember Paul's admonishment in his letter to the Thessalonians. Work quietly and eat your own food.

It's not so different from the old “keep-your-eyes-on-your-own-paper” rule of the classroom. Poking our noses into other people's business, we may think we are getting a shortcut to the right answer, but we're really just getting distracted. When we become too preoccupied with events that we cannot control — whether they are happening in our neighborhood or half-a-world away — we are tempted to leave off the very specific work God has given us in our own lives. We are easily lured into anger, bitterness, and anxiety.

What is the work that God has called you to? Is it your career? Your family? Your community? What is your food — what nourishes you, sustains you, connects you to something real, powerful, and life-giving? This is what you should be concerned with. This is where your thoughts and your efforts should be.

Work quietly and eat your own food.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter | Feb 13-15, 2026 | Sparrow's Nest in Sparta, WI

Looking for a way to rekindle the love and romance in your marriage? Your marriage is your most important human relationship. This powerful experience of discovery helps you renew your commitment, deepen your intimacy and reignite the passion that brought you together. Space is limited....save your spot today! To learn more, [please visit https://wwme.org/](https://wwme.org/)



**2026 Calendars** are available in the foyer. Feel free to take one home.

## Area Events

- ◆ **Harvest Dinner**, St Adalbert Parish, Rosholt, **Nov 22, 4-7:30 pm**, Chicken Soup, Baked Chicken, Ham, Kielbasa & Kraut, \$18/ person, Raffle, Bake Sale, Pull Tabs
- ◆ **Holiday Showcase**, St Therese, Schofield, **Nov 22, 9am-3pm**, 60 Craft Vendors, Lunch, Raffle, Bake Sale
- ◆ **Deer Hunters' Dinner**, Holy Family- St William Church, Wittenberg, **Nov 22, 4-7pm**, Chicken, Ham, Potatoes, Stuffing, Rolls, Pie, Adults \$12 Mass 7:30pm
- ◆ **St Agnes Sweet Shoppe**, Weston, **Dec 13, 10am-2pm**, Fancy Cookies & Candy by the Pound, Lunch Available, Raffles
- ◆ **Pilgrimage to Mexico, Feb 8-13**, With Fr. Tim, Walk the steps of St Juan Diego

*(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)*

**Flame of Love Holy Hour.** We meet to pray a special Rosary and prayers **every** Monday at 6:30 pm, in the church at Sacred Heart. **We are pleased to announce that we will also have Eucharistic adoration during our Holy Hour every first Monday of the Month, starting November 3rd!** The **Flame of Love** is a powerful Movement of Grace that Our Lord requested to be spread throughout the world. Please join us and discover the powerful promises of the **Flame of Love!** Everyone is welcome. Please use the handicap entrance.

**BREAKFAST**  
*St. Nick*

Bring your family for a delightful morning filled with joy and wonder.  
Join us for Breakfast with St. Nick

December 7, 2025  
9:30am - 11:30am

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All funds raised will support St. Joseph Parish youth.  
Thank you for your support!

Serving pancakes, hashbrowns, eggs,  
breakfast meats, fruit, desserts,  
coffee, juice, milk and more!

Adult (13+)	\$8.00
Children (6-12)	\$6.00
Under 5	Free



If you or a loved one is hospitalized, please contact the parish office so we can offer our support through prayer and visitation.