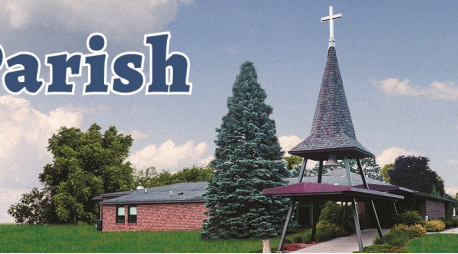


St. Joseph Parish

Galloway



182526 County Rd. C,
Wittenberg, WI 54499

Parish Office & Rectory: 715-454-6431
Office Hours: Monday-Wednesday 8:00 am - noon
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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. 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

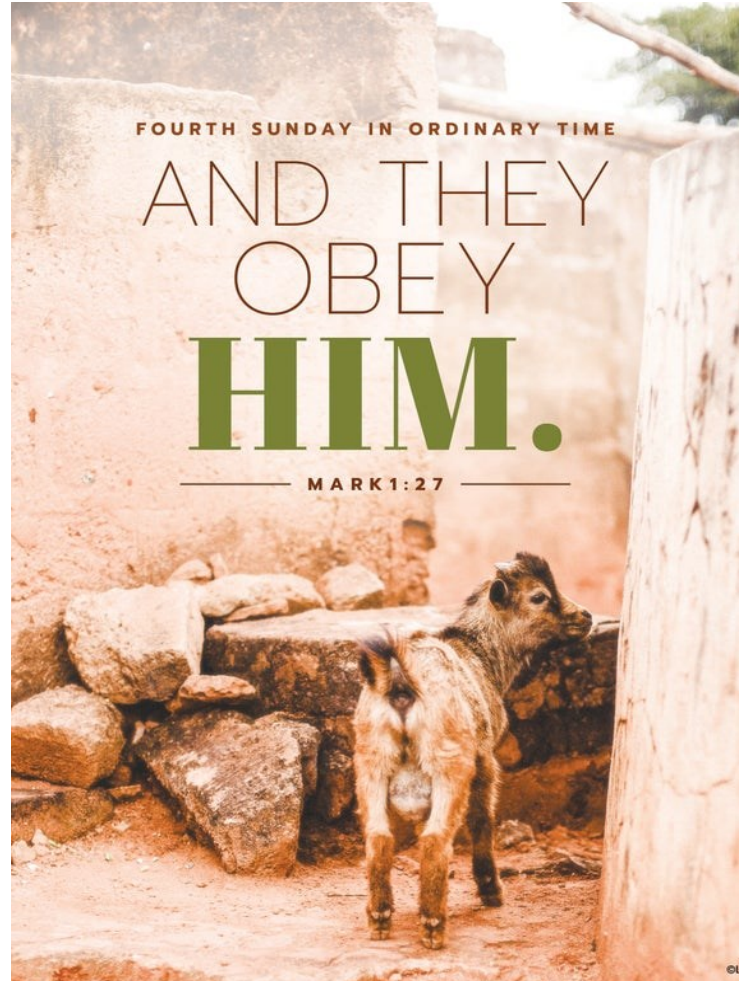
Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

JANUARY 28, 2024



Mark your Calendars!

January:

Tues. 30 - PCCW Meeting 6 pm
All women of the parish are invited!

Wed. 31 - CCD 6:15 pm

February:

Sun. 4 - Mass 8:30 am

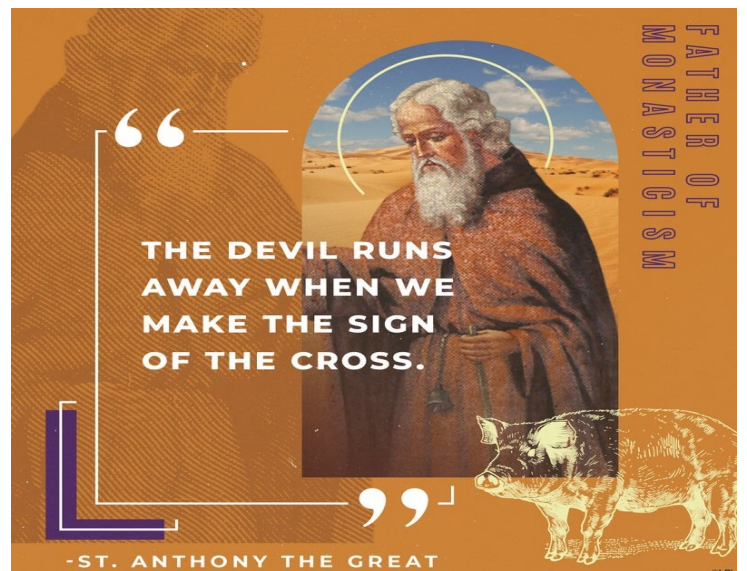
Wed. 7 - CCD 6:15 pm

Sun. 11 - Mass 8:30 am

Wed. 14 - Mass 8:30 am: Ash Wednesday
CCD 6:15 pm

Mass 7 pm : Ash Wednesday

Sat. 17 - PCCW Soup & Dessert Contest
4:30 pm - 6 pm



Liturgies of the Week

Sunday, Feb. 4 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am- Mary Firkus *by Agnes Filtz*

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

Liturgical Ministers

Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - February 4

- Lector: **Michelle O'Donnell**
- Eucharist: **Mike O'Donnell**
- Blood of Christ: **Renee Groshek**
Jeff Uttecht
- Altar Servers: **Henry Knitter**
Dominick Knitter
- Ushers: **Joe Jr Bushman**
Brennen Bushman
Jovani Torres
- TV Monitors: **Kiya Kersten**
- Rosary (Luminous) and Litany:
Dick & Donna Golomski

Gifts to Our Lord: - Jan 15- Jan 21, 2023

Adult Envelopes	\$1360.00
Youth Envelopes	\$4.00
Energy Needs	\$100.00
Building Improvement	\$30.00
<u>Offertory Gifts.....</u>	<u>\$169.00</u>
Total.....	\$1663.00

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.



Parish Office hours are usually Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 8 am to noon. If you call outside of these hours or if no one is available to answer, please leave a message if you have a non-urgent request. If your need is urgent while Father Gus is away, please contact Sister Mary Ellen at St. Ladislaus in Bevent at 715-446-3060.



Thank you to Fr. Don Przybylski for serving this weekend. We are so grateful to Fr. Don for his pastoral presence and for sharing his wisdom through his homily.



Join us following Sunday morning Mass today for doughnuts and coffee. Spend some quality time with fellow parishioners!

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!

PCCW

There will be a meeting on

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 at 6:00 pm

St. Joseph Parish Social Hall

All women of the parish are considered members of the PCCW.

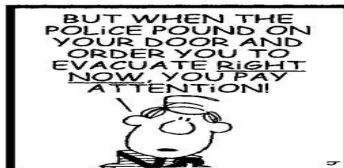
Please mark your calendar and attend!



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 stjosephchurchgalloway@gmail.com.

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Everyday Stewardship

When I reflect on the many years of my life, there are many people who were influential on my development as a person, a student, and a Christian. Through their graciousness and generosity, I was able to work through challenges and difficulties, becoming stronger in the end. They pushed me to become better than I was at the time and helped me to see what I could eventually become. Without them giving of themselves to me I am unsure where I would be today.

Because others were good stewards of the gifts and talents God gave them, I now strive to use wisely what I have been given as well. Yes, I spend much of my time on the road speaking in churches about stewardship and I write books and articles about this way of life, but my real desire is to impact the most those around me. I want my children to see how I am growing in this life and be an example to them. I want me and my wife to grow in generosity together. My hope is that my friends see a light in me and inquire about how and why it is there. Above all, I want to live with a graciousness and hospitality that others find welcoming.

I believe that through our kindness and grace-filled existence God can touch others, heal others, and embrace others. We are the hands and feet of Christ. May we, today and every day we hear his voice, harden not our hearts.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

There was a computer glitch when we ran the 2023 contribution statements. New ones were mailed. If you did not receive one and need a revised copy, please call the office at 715-454-6431.

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in parishes on the weekend of Feb. 3-4.

Please pray for all those who have answered the call to consecrated life, aspiring towards joy-filled holiness in the service of the Church and world.

Pray also for many more laborers to enter the vineyard so that Jesus Christ may be better known, experienced, and loved.



Area Events

- ◆ **St. Adalbert Catholic School Breakfast Event, Jan 28, 8:30-11:30** Adults \$12, Children 6-12 \$5, under 5 are free.
- ◆ **KOC of Polonia Prime Rib or Shrimp Dinner, Sacred Heart Parish, Polonia, Feb 3, 5 pm** \$22 per person
- ◆ **Winterfest Fish Fry & Raffle, St. Joseph Parish- Stevens Point, Feb 9, 4:30-7 pm**
- ◆ **Green & Gold Evening of Fun;** St. Ladislaus Parish, Bevent, Sat., **Feb 10** beginning at **5 pm**; food, drinks, door prizes, raffles.
- ◆ **Ponzka Sale, Sacred Heart Parish, Polonia, Feb 10 2 -6 pm and Feb 11 7:30 - 9:30 am.** \$13/ dozen filled; \$12/ dozen plain. 715-345-1257 for questions.
- ◆ **Lent Fish Fry, St. Adalbert Parish, Rosholt, every Friday from Feb 16 - Mar 15, 4 - 7:30 pm.** \$13- Fish or Shrimp or Combo, \$9; Children's Fish or Shrimp Take out: 715-677-4518
- ◆ **Lent Fish Fry, St. Florian Parish, Hatley, Feb 16, Mar 1, Mar 8, 4-7 pm** \$16-3 piece; \$14- 2 piece
- ◆ **Holy Temptations Feast Night, St. Florian Parish, Hatley, Mar 16, 5 pm** Tickets \$20 in advance/ \$25 at the door
- ◆ **Lenten Soup Suppers, St. Ladislaus Parish, Bevent, Feb 21, 28, Mar 6, 13, and 20 5:30-6:30 pm** Free will donation
- ◆ **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)



Back by popular demand - **PCCW Soup Cook-off** - Saturday, February 17, 4:30-6PM - Enter your soup to win cash prizes! New this year- **Dessert Cook-off!** Come and sample lots of soups for only \$5. Basket raffle - 50:50 - Fun! See you there!

The PCCW Soup & Dessert Contest is less than a month away. We are seeking donations of cash or baskets for the raffle. Please call the church or call/text Donna at 715-570-0076 if you can help. Thank you!

Join Holy Name of Jesus Parish for its classical school Mardi Gras fundraiser, February 10th, after the 4:00 p.m. Saturday Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. Raffle tickets featuring 2 round trip tickets to Italy on their next pilgrimage in August of 2025 are the top prize.