

Welcome To
GOOD SHEPHERD
Catholic Church
Menomonee Falls, WI



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time — July 18, 2010



*The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha,
Martha, you are anxious and worried about
many things. There is need of only one thing.
Mary has chosen the better part and it will
not be taken from her."*

Lk 10:41-42

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Parish Life This Week

Monday, July 19

Tuesday, July 20

9:00am **Liturgy—Alice Vink†**
1:00pm Faith Sharing Group
7:00pm Grief Support Group

Wednesday, July 21

St. Ben's Meal Program

Thursday, July 22

10:30am **Communion Service (at
MFCC)**
10:00am Centering Prayer
12:00pm Stewardship mail preparation
6:30pm RCIA

Friday, July 23

Workcampers return!
9:00am **Morning Prayer**

Saturday, July 24

4:30pm **Liturgy—Dianne Balsewicz†**
1:00pm Heart Screening

Sunday, July 25

8:30am **Liturgy—Gene Husslein†**
11:00am **Liturgy—For the Parish†**

Upcoming Events

Jul 26 Guest House Shelter
Jul 27 Reader's Preparation
Jul 28 Guest House Shelter
Aug 7/8 School Supply Drive
Aug 13 Confirmation retreat begins
Aug 21 Corn Roast!

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Good Shepherd is a Christian, caring community, nourished by a joyful spirit-filled liturgy that inspires our daily lives. We strive to welcome, accept and love all people as they are, and through our ministries reach out with active concern to those in need.



Some Great Adult Faith Formation Opportunities!



In *Our Hearts Were Burning Within Us* – a pastoral plan for adult faith formation – the US Bishops remind us that through adult formation events and opportunities we, followers of Christ in this day and age, consciously grow in the life of Christ through experience, reflection, prayer and study.

We are blessed indeed to have a number of such valuable opportunities in adult faith formation available for you - along with grants from the Eschweiler New Century Fund (ENCF) to support your participation:

Subsidies for Retreats

It's good, every now and then, to take some time **away** for some needed spiritual refreshment and growth by going on retreat. We would like to support you in this endeavor. There is money available from the ENCF to help those who choose to go on retreat in the coming year. For more details on this please contact Jane Clare in the parish office or at ishiguroj@archmil.org.

Spiritual Mentoring Program

This is a program in the art and practice of Christian companionship – offered once a month on Saturdays beginning in September. Its mission is “to form and equip persons to be faithful in their spiritual walk, to become true companions to others as they journey and live out their relationship with God, and to become adept in discerning the movements of the Spirit in themselves.” A great experience in formation! In the words of one Good Shepherd graduate, “[This program] was truly a marvelous experience. Each class was spirit-filled.” The Spiritual Mentoring Program is subsidized by the ENCF as well.

Certificate Program at Cardinal Stritch University

If you're ready for a more **challenging adventure** in adult faith formation, the certificate program offered by the St. Clare Center at Cardinal Stritch may be just what you're looking for! This program runs every other Saturday – 8 am to 5 pm (August through May). The program courses and formation experiences offer a multi-layered and in depth exploration into the basics of our faith and Catholic tradition. The ENCF covers the tuition for this program. For more information you can either contact the head of the program, Dr. Dan Scholz – 414 410 4162; djscholz@stritch.edu or Jane Clare.

There will, of course, again be a number of in-house opportunities to consciously grow in the life of Christ through experience, reflection, prayer and study. For example, the Sunday morning Spotlight series, Bible studies, mini-courses, etc.

More on these in future bulletins.

– Jane Clare Ishiguro



Food Pantry Needs: Peanut butter, canned meats, laundry detergent



Single Souls 35+

Let's meet at the Village Park Gazebo for the outdoor concert series 6:30-8:00 PM
 Thursday July 29th
 Call Linda at 262-345-5104 if you have any questions.

Meals for families

One of our pastoral care ministries is to provide meals for parish members when an emergency situation arises. If you are a caregiver that needs help with an occasional meal or find yourself in an overwhelming situation that could use a little support of this kind, please call Shari at Good Shepherd for more information.

School Supply Drive—Coming Soon!

On the weekends of August 7-8 and 14-15, we will be collecting school supplies for children in need. More to come!



Stewardship Contributions for June, 2010

483 of our 839 families contributed \$36,702 to the daily operating fund and 236 families contributed \$5730 to the building maintenance fund. \$5,764 was contributed to other causes.



HELP US PLAN THE CORN ROAST!!



New faces and ideas are needed for the Good Shepherd Family Corn Roast on August 21st. To take part in the planning and to help with some part of the event, please come to our Wednesday, July 21st meeting in Room 203 at 700 P.M. You can sign-up to buy supplies, set up the grounds, make signs, run the kitchen, manage the serving or oversee the tear down. For encouragement or info call Steve Gardipee at 262-628-2470 (email: sgardipee@charter.net) or Bob Wachowiak at 262-253-0700.

We are going to the Fireside Dinner Theater in Fort Atkinson, WI.

To see "Hairspray" We hope YOU can join us!

Saturday, September 25

Depart Good Shepherd at 9:00 AM on a coach bus

Dine at 11:15 AM

Hairspray at 1:30 PM

Return to Good Shepherd at 5:30 PM

Cost \$75.00 (A great deal for a meal, show, and transportation)

Registration Deadline: August 3

If we do not have 44 registrations, we will have to cancel the trip.

HELP WANTED For Hospitality Ministry

We have a need for Hospitality Ministry members to help out after the 8:30 AM liturgy on various Sundays of the year. For more information please contact Shari Rodriguez or Deacon Gene at the parish office.

Share Your Comments and Concerns

To better serve the needs of all parishioners of Good Shepherd, the Pastoral Council needs to hear how you would change the parish for the better.

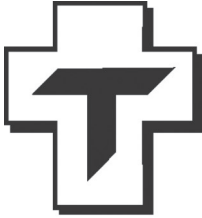
If you have a comment (positive or negative), question, concern, request, problem, or a solution to a problem that you would like the Pastoral Council to respond to, please stop at the booth in the narthex after **Mass the weekend of July 24 - 25**. We will make sure that your message is directed to the appropriate parish staff member or commission for prompt response and action.



Candlelight Vigil

A prayer vigil will be held on Sunday, August 22 at 7 pm at Three Holy Women Parish – St. Hedwig Church, 1702 N. Humboldt. Ave in Milwaukee - for survivors of abuse, their families, clergy, parishioners and all those who care to stand together as we mourn what has been lost and ask the Spirit to help guide us to the light of hope and the promise of resurrection in these times. For more information, please contact Amy Peterson at 414 758 2232 or peterzona@archmil.org.

Tau Volunteers



Are you looking for ways to serve the people of God? The Tau Volunteer Program offers a brief (4 – 12 weeks) transformative experience for women of faith who wish to be involved in the mission of the School Sisters of St. Francis (SSSF). Join us in serving the poor in the U.S., advancing the causes of justice and peace and encouraging respect for the integrity of creation. Tau volunteers have the opportunity to share the ministry of the SSSF with people in underserved communities, offer short-term, full-time volunteer service and immerse themselves in other cultures. For more information contact Sister Nan Pfefferle at 414-385-5269, npefferle@sssf.org, or visit us at usp.sssf.org.

Knights of Columbus - Council 4240, FISH BOIL

FISH, CORN, PEARL ONIONS, RED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, COFFEE, MILK & DESSERT
 July 21st - 5PM to 7PM
 Adults \$10 - Seniors \$9.50 - Children \$5
 W164 N9161 Water Street
 Menomonee Falls
 (262) 255-4240

Volunteer Coordinator Position Open at Interfaith Senior Programs

Interfaith Senior Programs, Inc. is accepting resumes for a part-time volunteer coordinator for the RSVP Seniors and Students Program at Riverside Elementary School in Menomonee Falls. The position requires experience with volunteers, seniors, and a high level of communication and professionalism in an independent work setting. Please visit www.interfaithwaukesha.org (under "News and Events") for more information and directions on applying. Resumes are due by July 30, 2010. No phone calls please.

Vocation Corner

Jesus desires that we, like his friend Mary, would spend time in his presence. Take time regularly to be with Jesus and listen to his living word.

(Luke 10:38-42)

Readings for the Week of July 18, 2010

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/
Lk 10:38-42
Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/
Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Friday: Jer 3:14-17/Mt 13:18-23
Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Mt 13:24-30
Next Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/
Lk 11:1-13

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For the Hard of Hearing

Hearing Assisted Devices available for celebrations and services, see usher for assistance.

Liturgy Schedule

Weekend: Saturday 4:30 pm; Sunday 8:30 am & 11:00 am
 • Childcare (4 & under) during Sunday liturgies in Rm. 219.
 • Sunday 11:00 am liturgy signed for the deaf.
Weekday: Tuesday & Friday 9:00 am; Thursday 10:30 am
 (at MFHCC, Tamarack, or Northfield Manor); 1st Tuesday 9:00 am (at Messner Manor)

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Communal services held in Advent & Lent. Individual confession by appointment with the pastor.
Marriage: Preparation begins by calling the pastor no later than 6 months prior to the planned date.
Children's Baptism: Call the parish to register. Next celebrations are: June 19/20

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is a time to consider full membership into the Catholic Faith. Call our office for more information.

Adult Confirmation

Call our office if you wish to be confirmed.

Membership

Families or individuals over 17 are invited to join our Faith Community! Call the Parish offices.

Blood Drive this week.

St. Mary's is hosting a Blood Drive sponsored by the Menomonee Falls BID on Wednesday, July 21st from 2:30 – 7:30 pm
Blood Collections for our local hospitals in the month of July are in deficit to patient need by over 400 units already.
All blood types are needed, especially if you know you are O – (O Negative) Blood Type....universal type any patient can use in trauma situation....Flight For Life carries 2 units of O- blood on every flight it makes in SE Wisconsin
Blood cannot be manufactured and must be donated by volunteer blood donors....1 in 5 people each of us knows will need a blood transfusion
You can make your own appt. at www.bcw.edu/FallsBID or call Barb Watters at the Village Centre at 262-251-8797.

News on Falls Food Pantry

The Falls Food Pantry has found a new location. However, the structure will need renovation and addition. The

Village of Menomonee Falls has given the old Water Works Building (N85 W15382 Menomonee River Parkway) to use as well as permission to build an addition to this existing building. Details are being worked out and preliminary architectural drawings of the building will be presented for approval at the Village Board meeting in July. After approval of the plan, Kathy Wodushek will be getting three bids for the construction cost. The fundraising committee is planning to have a kick off fund raising event and a groundbreaking ceremony after Labor Day. More news to come!



We are going to Great America!!!

Please check your emails for the flier and registration form or stop by the Christian Formation office.

When? Thursday, August 19

Sign in is at Good Shepherd at 8:30 a.m.

The Bus will depart at 9:00 a.m. and will return to Good Shepherd at 7:00 PM

Youth Grades 6-12 ! (Friends Welcome!) and families (all ages) are welcome, too!

Cost: \$50.00

Deadline for registration: Monday, August 2

(Please register early. If we do not have 47 people by August 2—we will have to cancel the trip.)

If you have any questions, please:

Send an Email to sfoster@archmil.org, Or call 262-255-2035 extension 26 .



LOCAL Theology-on-Tap Begins for Area Young Adults

The summer Theology-on-Tap series is here and Good Shepherd is proud to help sponsor the newest site on Monday nights at Krueger's Entertainment Center at N87 W16471 Appleton Avenue.

Theology-on-Tap is a speaker series for young adults, married and single, in their 20s and 30s. There is no cost to attend. Snacks and drinks are free. This round is on us! Sessions are from 7:00 PM—9:00 PM.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the site coordinator, Travis Dodge at 414-760-8153 or at tdodge@directs.com. See you there!

*This week, July 19: **Mr. David Archibald**
Addressing Historical Issues - The Crusades*

New priest ordained!

John Burns was ordained to the priesthood this weekend at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. The Most Reverend Jerome E. ListECKI presided at the July 17 Mass.

Burns is the fifth priest to be ordained this year for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Four others were ordained in May and are beginning their first parish assignments.

In addition to these five, 28 more are continuing in priestly formation – signs of the Seminary's momentum and growth! Share in the excitement by celebrating this blessed time. Visit us at www.sfs.edu to learn more about each of our seminarians and view ordination photos.



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