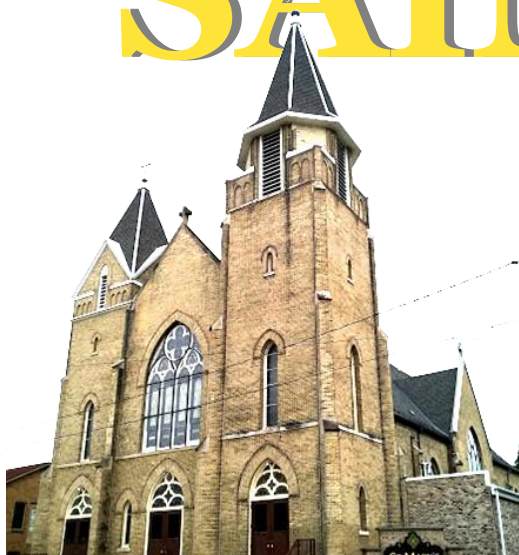


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April 14, 2024 - Third Sunday of Easter



“Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have.”

Luke 24:39

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Tue, 5:30 pm Wed, Thurs, & Fri, 8:30 am

Weekends

Saturday 7:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:00 - 8:25 am

Confessions

Tues 5:00 pm & Saturday 6:00 pm

And by appointment

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm Sunday 8:35 am & 12:35 pm

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 16 5:30 pm	† Fr. Andrew Karoblis By: Jim & Judy Hall
Wednesday, April 17 8:30 am	† John 'Jack' Smart By: Mark Walsh
Thursday, April 18 8:30 am	† Clarence & Gloria Kramer By: Pete & Linda Lochner
Friday, April 19 8:30 am	Chris Sauter By: Angela Dziewior
Saturday, April 20 7:00 pm	† Marion Walsh By: Jerry & Renee Sobojinski
Sunday, April 21 9:00 am	Parishioner Mass
1:00 pm	Marta Bessler

Upcoming Events

Jubilee Celebration Preparation Meeting

April 21st @ 6:30 pm

Ladies Sodality Blood Drive @ Lyndon Station Fire Station

May 3rd 12pm-4pm

May Crowning & First Communion

May 5th @ 9 am Mass

Memorial Mass @ Cemetery

May 26th

Ladies Banquet

June 18th 5:30pm

Parish Festival

September 1st

A Message from Fr. Cryton,

The Facts emphasized in Resurrection of Jesus

The common theme for third week of Ester year B, is a challenge to our Faith in the living presence of the risen Lord. That Faith should strengthen our Hope in His promises, call us to true repentance for our sins, and lead us to bearing witness to Christ by our works of Charity. Fr. Tony in his homily emphasized some facts on Jesus' resurrection.

1) The reality of Christ's Resurrection: By inviting his apostles to look closely at him and touch him, Jesus removed any fear that they were seeing a ghost. He instilled confidence in them that he loved them by greeting them: **"Peace be with you."** By eating a piece of broiled fish before their eyes, he convinced them that they were not dreaming or having a mere vision or hallucination. Jesus wanted them to be authentic witnesses to the reality of his life as their risen Lord with his glorified soul and body. *"The resurrection community that had experienced Jesus' dying now experienced his risen presence. And it was, quite insistently, an embodied one. This is a Jesus of sight and sound, of memories and relationships, of love and tenderness. He would take food and allow himself to be touched. Even his wounds could be examined. It was a recognizable and identifiable Jesus, a realization of his bodied existence."* (Fr. John Kavanaugh; Center for Liturgy).

2) The necessity of the cross: Jesus explained that his death on the cross had not been the result of a failed plan. Instead, it was part of God's eternal plan to show His love for His people by subjecting His Son to willing, sacrificial, suffering and death.

3) The Resurrection of Jesus gives meaning to the Old Testament prophecies: Bible scholars cite 324 Messianic prophecies scattered throughout the Old Testament, especially in the prophets and in Psalms. Jesus explained to his disciples how these prophecies had been fulfilled in him so that they might become witnesses to their risen Lord in Jerusalem and to all the nations.

4) The commissioning of the disciples with the missionary task: Jesus emphasized the importance of preaching the Good News of salvation through repentance and Faith in him. Jesus told the disciples what they were to preach,

a) The Son of God was crucified and died on the cross as expiation for our sins

b) Jesus rose from the dead and conquered death

c) All people must repent of their sins and obtain forgiveness in his name.

Jesus also commanded His disciples to remain in Jerusalem, waiting and praying for the coming of the Holy Spirit.

Pilgrimage to Poland - See the Catholic Treasure of Poland!

Consider going on a pilgrimage to Poland! Highlights include Jasna Gora Monastery, home of Our Lady of Czestochowa, the Sanctuary of Divine Mercy and the Divine Mercy Image, the Museum and Chapel of St. Maximilian Kolbe, the cell where he was martyred in Auschwitz, the birthplace and baptismal Church of St. John Paul, Wawel



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Tomah Deanery Spring Gathering

Saturday, May 4th, 2024

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

504 Enderby St, Wilton, WI

Program begins at 9:00 am (Registration from 8:45-9)

Come help us celebrate the Month of Mary at the Tomah Deanery Spring Gathering. Bring your rosary with you as we will be praying the rosary as part of our program. There will be a speaker from Family Promise of Monroe County.

Ladies Sodality Spring Blood Drive @ the Lyndon Station Fire Station

Friday, May 3rd 12pm-4pm

Call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/donation-time> and type in the zip code 53944 to find the blood drive to sign up

"Love overcomes,
love delights,
those who
love the Sacred
Heart rejoice."

— St. Bernadette Soubirous
Feast Day April 16

St. Mary's Prayer List

Vinnie Bellock, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Rick Bornemeier, Mary Jean Cauley, Chris DeLange, Fr. Clayton Elmhorst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Chuck Huber, Roseanne Kenneth, Noah, Lizzie Mitchell, Pat Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Karen Patton, Charlotte Rybicki, Marie Senzig, Preston Shields, MV, those who are sick, unemployed, in need, & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, & anxieties; Families & Friends, please... **PRAY THE ROSARY!!!**



Attention High School Seniors!!

St. Mary's Parish will again be offering **\$250** Scholarships this year to graduating seniors that have been an active part of St. Mary's Parish. Guidelines and applications can be requested from the parish office by phone, e-mail, or pick up at the rectory. Application deadline is: **April 30, 2024**

Welcome to the Catholic Church Leighton Sue Ann James!

Leighton was baptized at St. Mary's on March 10th.

Here she is pictured with Fr. Cryton and her parents Brian and Erin James.



Mary Claire Marshall passed away Saturday, April 6. Her funeral was here at St. Mary's on Thursday, April 11th.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her, may she rest in peace!

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12. We provide a safe and welcoming environment for all.

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Upcoming Ladies Sodality Officer Elections

We will be having an election for Vice President and Treasurer at our next Sodality meeting on Thursday, May 9th at 1pm. If you are interested in becoming an officer, please submit your name to Linda Lochner by Wednesday, May 8th so that you will be on the ballot. Election of President and Secretary will take place in 2025.

Ladies Banquet

The Ladies Banquet is Scheduled for Tuesday, June 18th at 5:30pm. More information will be available in future bulletins. We are in need of 'A Few Good Men' to help serve the food. If you are able to help out, please call Linda Lochner at 847-867-4941



Financial Stewardship

April 7, 2024

Adult Envelopes.....	\$2483.00
Student Envelopes.....	\$4.00
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Utility Envelopes.....	\$10.00
Easter.....	\$40.00
Votive candles.....	\$32.00
Total	\$3,149.00

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Fiscal year-to-date

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Total Pledged & Received: \$95,120.00

Percent of Goal Pledged: 59.45%

Number of Donors: 36

Diocesan Annual Appeal

Goal: \$20,100.00

Total Pledged & Received: \$10,770.00

Percent of Goal Pledged: 53.58%

Number of Donors: 49

There are envelopes in the back of church if you would like to contribute.

Every gift makes a difference and is truly appreciated!

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, April 20, 7:00 pm

Lector.....Karen Patton
EMC.....Karen Patton
Servers.....Katelyn Browne
Aaron Browne
Ushers.....Dan Patton
Gary Fuller, Jim Arens
Gift Bearers.....Jim Crowley Family
Musician.....Carol Costerisan

Sunday, April 21, 9:00 am

Lector.....Mick McCormick
EMC.....Fran Dethloff
Joan Holig-McCormick
Servers.....Karina Strzemecka
Amanda Strzemecka
Karol Strzemecka
Ushers.....Pat Cauley
Pete Cauley
Earl Verette & Mark Walsh
Gift Bearers.....John & Joan Burch
Musician.....Jade Pusel

Sunday, April 21, 1:00 pm

Lector.....Terri Donnelly
EMC.....Zach Housworth
Usher.....Rodney Senzig

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COMMENTARY ON THE INVOCATIONS OF THE LITANY OF LORETO (Part 8)

Health of the sick, pray for us! If the Savior Himself heard the plea of the centurion Jairus, how much more will he listen to His own Mother, as often as she pleads for the suffering children, for those whom He Himself entrusted to Her in His testament on the Cross: "Son, behold your Mother!" (J 19:26).

Star of the Sea, pray for us! St. Bernard writes: "It is right for Mary to be compared with a star; she is, after all, the shining star what came down from Jacob, whose rays enlighten the entire earth, and whose splendors shed their light on all the heavenly heights, penetrate every depth, dispel the darkness of the world, and give warmth more to souls than to bodies"

