

Around the Diocese

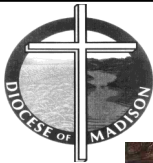
Apostolate to the Handicapped WISC-TV Channel 3, Sundays at 6:00am and Channel 3.2 7:00am.
MASS IN SPANISH
Mass in Spanish is now offered at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Darlington, Wisconsin every weekend on Sunday at 6:00 p.m. This replaces the Mass that was offered in Mineral Point.

KCs Now Have Tables/Chairs/Tents for Rent
For Rent: The KCs now have 8 tables and 72 chairs that are available for rent. These will go along with the 3 tents they already rent out. Any of these can be rented for birthday parties, graduations, First Communions, picnics, Confirmations, garage sales, a sales presentation, weddings, shade on a hot summer event, or any other thing you might need any of these items for. Contact Gary Gruenenfelder 214-6743

Argyle Food Pantry
The Argyle Food Pantry is always looking for donations. Non-perishable food that is **not expired** can be left in the basket in the foyer at St. Joe's. There is always a need for canned goods, dry goods, breads, and personal toiletries. St. Joe volunteers staff the food pantry in October and April. Thank you for your generosity.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter
October 19-21, 2019
Let us build faith through love in our marriages. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are on November 8-10 in Geneva, IL; December 6-8 in Madison, WI or January 24-26, 2020 in Brookfield, WI.
Visit our website at: alifetimeoflove.org or call **(888) 574-5653**.
Para un fin de semana en español por favor llamen a Candelario y Emilia al 815-375-4250. Las fechas son las siguientes: 1-3 de noviembre.

DEEPEN YOUR FAITH WITH THE CATHOLIC HERALD
Issue of October 31, 2019
This week the *Catholic Herald* includes the County Connection section, focusing this month on Columbia County. This week also includes a section highlighting vocations to the priesthood and Religious life.
Learn more about your Catholic faith by reading the *Catholic Herald*. If you do not subscribe but wish to receive the *Catholic Herald* in your home, contact your parish office.



St Joseph
Argyle



St. Isidore Parish

Immaculate Conception
Blanchardville

St Patrick
Hollandale

St. Michael
Yellowstone



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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 27, 2019

Monday, Oct. 28 – Sts Simon and Jude, Apostles		
	<i>No Mass</i>	
Tuesday, Oct. 29		
4:00 pm	Argyle	Hank Anderson
Wednesday, Oct. 30		
8:00 am	Blanchardville	John & Rose Dahman
Thursday, Oct. 31		
8:00 am	Hollandale	For the Youth of the Parish
5:00 pm	Blanchardville	Special Intention
Friday, Nov. 1 – All Saints – Holy Day of Obligation		
8:00 am	Hollandale	Louie Gort
Saturday, Nov. 2 – The Commemoration of all the Faithful– All Souls’ Day		
8:00 am	Hollandale	Tim Burns & Deceased Members of the family
4:00 pm	Blanchardville	Barney McGowan
Sunday	Nov. 3 – Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:15 am	Argyle	Wayne Collins
10:30 am	Hollandale	Parishioners

Welcome!

If you are new to our parish or just traveling through, welcome!

Reconciliation: is available:
Immaculate Conception, Blanchardville
Saturdays : 3:30-3:45
St. Joseph, Argyle
Tuesday : 3:30-3:45
(unless there is no 4pm Mass)
St. Patrick, Hollandale
Saturday after Mass
Also available anytime upon request
Just call 967-2344
Email: paul_eruva@yahoo.co.in

Getting married: Please contact Father 6 months before your date.

New baby: Please call to schedule the baptism

In case of serious illness or imminent death: Call Father Paul any time.

Parish Membership: To join St Isidore Parish please contact Father Paul

Bulletin Announcements: Due on Tuesday evening

Readings For Next Sunday

Wis 11:22--12:2
2 Thes 1:11--2:2
Lk 19:1-10

Donations	
4:00pm Sat. Mass	
<u>Collection</u>	<u>Aug. 18th</u>
Envelopes...	297.00
Loose.....	56.00
Flowers/candles	0.00
Misc	0.00
TOTAL	353.00
8:15am Sun. Mass	
<u>Collection</u>	<u>Aug. 19th</u>
Envelopes.....	465.00
Loose.....	52.00
Flowers/candles	32.00
Misc	41.00
TOTAL	590.00
10:30am Sun. Mass	
<u>Collection</u>	<u>Aug. 19th</u>
Envelopes...	950.00
Loose.....	109.00
Flowers/Candles	0.00
Misc	0.00
TOTAL	1059.00
TOTAL	2002.00

Food For Thought

Where Do We Start?" Pope Francis

Pope Francis in his homily for the Prayer Vigil with the Young People at XXVIII World Youth Day in Rio De Janeiro, (July 27, 2013) said:

"Some people once asked Mother Teresa of Calcutta what needed to change in the Church, and which wall should they start with? They asked her, where is the starting point? And she replied, you and I are the starting point! This woman showed determination! She knew where to start.

"And today," Pope Francis continued, "I make her words my own and I say to you: shall we begin? Where? With you and me! Each one of you, once again in silence, ask yourself: if I must begin with myself, where exactly do I start? Each one of you, open his or her heart, so that Jesus may tell you where to start."

November 1 is All Saints Day

November 1 is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be an eve mass October 31, Thursday night at 5:00pm in Blanchardville and the usual mass at 8:00am on November 1 in Hollandale. Please come since it is a Day of Obligation and invoke All Saints blessings and graces from God.

Mass Intentions

We are short of mass intentions. Intentions can be given for a stipend of \$10.00 per mass for deceased family members, Special Intentions for health, holidays, etc. Contact Fr Paul or the parish office if you would like to have a mass intention done.

All Souls Day- Nov-2nd

All Souls Day is a holy day set aside for honoring the dead. Most protestant denominations do not recognize the holiday and disagree with the theology behind it. According to Catholic belief, the soul of a person who dies can go to one of three places. The first is heaven, where a person who dies in a state of perfect grace and communion with God goes. The second is hell, where those who die in a state of mortal sin are naturally condemned by their choice. The intermediate option is purgatory, which is thought to be where most people, free of mortal sin, but still in a state of lesser (venial) sin, must go. Purgatory is necessary so that souls can be cleansed and perfected before they enter into heaven. There is scriptural basis for this belief. The primary reference is in 2 Maccabees, 12:26 and 12:32. "Turning to supplication, they prayed that the sinful deed might be fully blotted out... Thus made atonement for the dead that they might be free from sin." Additional references are found in Zechariah, Sirach, and the Gospel of Matthew. Jewish tradition also reinforces this belief as well as the tradition and teaching of the Church, which has been affirmed throughout history. Consistent with these teachings and traditions, Catholics believe that through the prayers of the faithful on Earth, the dead are cleansed of their sins so they may enter into heaven. The belief in purgatory has not been without controversy. Certainly, some flagrant abuses of the doctrine were used to raise money for the Church during the renaissance. Famously, Martin Luther argued with the monk, Johan Tetzel, over the sale of indulgences. Indulgences were sold as spiritual pardons to the poor and applied to the souls of the dead (or the living) to get people into heaven. The abuse of indulgences and the blatant, sometimes fraudulent practice of selling indulgences for money, led to Luther's protest. When Martin Luther translated the Bible into German, he omitted the seven books of the canon which refer to prayers for the dead. He then introduced the heretical belief that people are simply saved, or not, and argued that there is no need to pray for the dead to get them into heaven. The Church reeled from Luther's accusation, and reformed its practice of selling indulgences. However, it reemphasized the Biblical and traditional practice of praying for the departed and the importance of such prayers. All Souls Day is celebrated in much of the western world on November 2. Other rites have their own celebrations. The Eastern Orthodox Church has several such days throughout the year, mostly on Saturdays. All Souls Day is not a holy day of obligation. It should not be confused with All Saints' Day, which is a holy day of obligation. Many cultures also mark the day differently. In North America, Americans may say extra prayers or light candles for the departed. In parts of Latin America, families visit the graves of their ancestors and sometimes leave food offerings for the departed.

Announcements

A Moment with the Bishop

Bishop Hying will be putting our videos containing messages he would like to share. The videos can be viewed <https://youtu.be/C70X73djsuo> and <https://youtu.be/DQ5kHX8GgJg> and <https://youtu.be/ms2-9pLHesM> and <https://youtu.be/6o2-ihmsXpE> and <https://youtu.be/NdNEQxSFob0> and <https://youtu.be/f79TJx3Ji-c> and <https://youtu.be/BgFJ8ZKsctA> Only the recent videos are listed here. A full list is available on the St Isidore website.

November Anniversaries and Birthday

Next weekend we will celebrate November anniversaries and birthdays. Please join fellow parishioners and those celebrating after mass for refreshments and socializing

Diocese of Madison International Combined Collection

The Diocese of Madison International Combined Collection is weekend, **Oct 26-27**. This collection is to help several worthy and needy causes including Mission Sunday, Church in Latin America, Peter’s Pence, Church in Central and Eastern Europe, Catholic Relief Services and the Pastoral Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Please see the Combined Collection brochure for details on each of these important areas of need. Envelopes are located at the back of church. Thanks so much for your support and prayers.

At the Hour of Our Death: Information about Catholic Funerals

The Diocesan Office of Worship is hosting a workshop about Catholic Funerals on **Tuesday, November 12 from 1-3 p.m.** at Holy Name Heights (702 S. High Point Road in Madison). Patrick Gorman, director of the Office of Worship, will lead this session. November is the month in which we offer fervent prayers for the dead. It is also a time to consider our own mortality. This informational session is for those who wish to learn more about Catholic funerals and related rituals and who may even wish to consider a plan for their own funeral. Each participant will receive a copy of *Now and at the Hour of Our Death* which offers guidance in planning your own funeral. This seminar is free of charge. A donation of \$3 to offset the cost of the participant booklets will be appreciated if you are able. The workshop will not address other end-of-life issues, living wills or estate planning. Please register by November 11 by calling the Office of Worship (608.821.3080) or emailing worship@straphael.org. You also may register online at madisondiocese.org/funeral Registration helps us bring the proper amount of resources. Holy Name Heights is wheelchair accessible. If you have any special needs, please let us know when you register.

Fall Festival – Thank You

Thank you to Marilyn Fahrney for doing the expense/income report for the Fall Festival. GROSS - \$11,412.50, Starting Cash - \$460.00, Expenses - \$2483.33, St. Pat’s CCW for putting on the dinner \$400, NET - \$8069.17 The report will be posted on your bulletin board at all three of the churches.

Lay Ministers Schedule
Nov. 2 & 3

Immaculate Conception
Gifts: Ralph & Joyce Farrell
Reader: Virginia McGowan
Eucharistic: Patty Powers

St. Joseph
Servers: Max
Gifts: Faith Education class
Reader: Kelsey
Eucharistic: Lydia

St. Patrick
Servers: Volunteers
Gifts: Ann & Jeff Johnsrud
Reader: Barb Soltis
Eucharistic: Jim Sigg

Pray For!

<p>Our Church the Pope Diocese, Bishop, Priests Conversions Sick, Suffering & Dying Jobs for our area Rel. freedom Judges Healing of abortion Family & children Mary’s Intentions Valley of Our Lady</p> <p>Debbie Coffey Will Peterson Carrie Norder Lois Gifford Gloria Marhol Paul Davis Gerald Norton Dean Flannery Dennis Bartow Sue Beckman Dan Tracy Larry Murphy Russell Moen Rose Silver Trina Williams Jack Smith Scarlett Rae Wyss</p>	<p>Julia Arneson Duane Nelson Kim Furner Ritchie Snyder Hattie Clark Kane Burton Mary Jane Yedinak Ann Kelly Tim Sutter Kim Hartman Riley Sigg Walter “Doug” Chrism Maggie Hillson Caden Thiel Sophie Kollasch Teresa Swenson Maureen Burns Carol Tourdot Roger Tourdot Max Fox Bob Ihm</p>
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October Intention: That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary “spring” in the church