

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

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

August 17 & 18, 2019

"My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me." Learn how God is calling you to more in your marriage on the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** on September 6-8 in Geneva, IL; October 18-20 in Brookfield, WI or November 8-10 in Geneva, IL.

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

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Loaves & Fishes Community Meal

Join us for our next free community meal on Sunday, August 25
4:00 - 6:00pm at Grace Lutheran Church 1025 15th Ave, Monroe Sponsored by Monroe United Methodist Church



Discernment Conversation - Sept 6, 2019

Discovering God's Dream for Your Life! A Pop-Up Discernment

Conversation sponsored by the Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa. We invite women 19-35 years of age to join us for a Tailgate Party on Friday September 6 from 6:00pm - 8:00pm. This will be an opportunity for information and conversation on how to discern your vocation or life path. Wear your favorite team colors and join us at 2117 Monroe St. Madison. RSVP's are appreciated but not needed. Questions or to RSVP, please contact Michelle Horton ma.horton6@gmail.com or 608.695.6060. Don't forget to wear your favorite team colors!



St Joseph Argyle



Immaculate Conception
Blanchardville

St Patrick Hollandale

St. Michael Yellowstone

Rev. Paul Eruva

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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 18, 2019

Monday, Aug. 19 – St John Eudes, Priest

No Mass

Tuesday, Aug. 20 – St Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church

4:00 pm Argyle Terri Kinsman

Wednesday, Aug. 21 – St Pius X, Pope

8:00 am Blanchardville John & Rose Dahman

Thursday, Aug. 22 – The Queenship of Mary

8:00 am Hollandale Harold & Arline Murphy

Friday, Aug. 23 – St Rose of Lima, Virgin

8:00 am Hollandale George Frey

Saturday, Aug. 24 – St Bartholomew, Apostle

4:00 pm Blanchardville Special Intention

Sunday Aug. 25 – Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15 am Argyle Parishioners
10:30 am Hollandale Joe & Jane Leonard

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

Is 66:18-21
Heb 12:5-7, 11-13
Lk 13:22-30

Donations

4:00pm Sat. Mass		June 8th
Collection		
Envelopes...	370.00	
Loose.....	55.00	
Flowers/candles	2.00	
Misc	0.00	
TOTAL	427.00	
8:15am Sun. Mass		June 9th
Collection		
Envelopes.....	512.00	
Loose.....	62.00	
Flowers/candles	32.00	
Misc	0.00	
TOTAL	606.00	
10:30am Sun. Mass		June 9th
Collection		
Envelopes...	678.00	
Loose.....	61.00	
Flowers/Candles	0.00	
Misc	0.00	
TOTAL	739.00	
TOTAL	1772.00	



Food For Thought

Envy's Crushing Weight Lloyd J. Ogilive

There's an ancient Greek legend that tells of the plight of combative competition. In one important race, a certain athlete ran well, but he still placed second. The crowd applauded the winner noisily, and after a time a statue was erected in his honor. But the one who placed second came to think of himself as a loser. Corrosive envy ate away at him physically and emotionally, filling his body with the bile of bitterness. He could think of nothing else but his defeat and his obsession to be number one. He decided he had to destroy the statue that was a daily reminder of his lost glory.

A plan took shape in his mind, which he began to implement. Late each night, when everyone was asleep, he went to the statue and chiseled at the base hoping to so weaken the foundation that eventually it would topple over.

One night, as he was chiseling the statue with such intense anger and bitterness, he went too far. The heavy marble statue teetered on its weakened base and crashed on the disgruntled athlete. He died beneath the crushing weight of the marble likeness of the one he had grown to hate. But in reality he had been dying long before, inch by inch, chisel blow by chisel blow. He was the victim of his own envy and rage.

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.

Annual Fall Festival – Oct 6, 2019

A big thanks to all who donated to the St Patrick's Fall Festival Raffle. We are not accepting anymore donations, as the tickets are being printed. Look for your tickets soon. Thanks again to all who donated.

Saint Bernard

St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church St. Bernard was born of noble parentage in Burgundy, France, in the castle of Fontaines near Dijon. Under the care of his pious parents he was sent at an early age to a college at Chatillon, where he was conspicuous for his remarkable piety and spirit of recollection. At the same place he entered upon the studies of theology and Holy Scripture. After the death of his mother, fearing the snares and temptations of the world, he resolved to embrace the newly established and very austere institute of the Cistercian Order, of which he was destined to become the greatest ornament. He also persuaded his brothers and several of his friends to follow his example. In 1113, St. Bernard, with thirty young noblemen, presented himself to the holy Abbot, St. Stephen, at Citeaux. After a novitiate spent in great fervor, he made his profession in the following year. His superior soon after, seeing the great progress he had made in the spiritual life, sent him with twelve monks to found a new monastery, which afterward became known as the celebrated Abbey of Clairvaux. St. Bernard was at once appointed Abbot and began that active life which has rendered him the most conspicuous figure in the history of the 12th century. He founded numerous other monasteries, composed a number of works and undertook many journeys for the honor of God. Several Bishoprics were offered him, but he refused them all. The reputation of St. Bernard spread far and wide; even the Popes were governed by his advice. He was commissioned by Pope Eugene III to preach the second Crusade. In obedience to the Sovereign Pontiff he traveled through France and Germany, and aroused the greatest enthusiasm for the holy war among the masses of the population. The failure of the expedition raised a great storm against the saint, but he attributed it to the sins of the Crusaders. St. Bernard was eminently endowed with the gift of miracles. He died on August 20, 1153. His feast day is August 20.

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 at and https://youtu.be/Lb61_3-sneI and https://youtu.be/t_9VY0-g_Cw and <https://youtu.be/jqkyBo2b2xs> and <https://youtu.be/PKzIWUEqDTg> and <https://youtu.be/xITz-XWY7cw> and https://youtu.be/DK4L_2MfSnw and https://youtu.be/zTIKS_-qLo0 and <https://youtu.be/h9XQmT3qix0>. These video links will also be available on the St Isidore website.

Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities Grant

In a letter dated July 1, 2019, St. Isidore was notified and received a \$2,350 grant from the Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities - Diocese of Madison. These funds will enable us to put in a handicap accessible entryway into Dowling Hall at St. Joseph's and repair the roof over the handicap entrance to St. Patrick's. We are grateful to all the Apostolate related individuals who assisted us in the application process, including Msgr. James Bartylla, Msgr. Larry Bakke, and Deacon Jim Hoegemeier.

Workshop for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion The Diocese of Madison Office of Worship continues to host workshops for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion throughout the Diocese. Our next scheduled sessions are on **Wednesday, September 18** (7:30 p.m.) at Sacred Hearts in Sun Prairie. We are currently scheduling additional dates in Madison and throughout the Diocese. Please register online at www.madisondiocese.org/EMHC or call (608) 821-3081. There is no fee for the workshop. The workshop includes a session reflecting on the Eucharist as well as practical information for those who assist in the distribution of Communion in the parish. These workshops fulfill the requirements of our diocesan norms that each EMHC attend a diocesan workshop. There is no charge for participation.

Free Organ Concerts at Holy Name Heights

The Diocesan Office of Worship is hosting weekly organ concerts this summer on Thursday nights at 7 p.m. in the air-conditioned chapel at Holy Name Heights (702 S. High Point Road). There is no admission fee. Concerts continue through August. Holy Name Heights is wheelchair accessible. More information is available at www.madisondiocese.org/organ.

Lay Ministers Schedule

Aug. 24 & 25

Immaculate Conception

Gifts: Robert & Virginia McGowan
Reader: Pat Hardyman
Eucharistic: Lisa Sikora

St. Joseph

Servers: Michael
Gifts: Patty N. & Julie M.
Reader: Lydia
Eucharistic: Sue

St. Patrick

Servers: Volunteers
Gifts: Dave Nafzger family
Reader: Linda Hendrickson
Eucharistic: Jim Sigg

Pray For!

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

Sean Leary
Jerry Sigg
Julia Arneson
George Stettler
Duane Nelson
Kim Furner
Sonja Wire
Pat Flannery
Jeff Penniston
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

August Intention: Evangelization: That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth".