

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday – March 9
 3:30-4:00pm Confessions
 4:30 pm People of Corpus Christi

Sunday – March 10
 7:30 am Leonard & Joanne Schartner
 10:30 am James Jilot

Monday – March 11
 *5:05 pm Alvin L. Smith

Tuesday – March 12
 *5:05 pm No Mass

Wednesday – March 13
 *8:20 am Fr. Roger Strebel

Thursday – March 14
 *5:05 pm No Mass

Friday – March 15
 *8:20 am No Mass

Saturday – March 16 2nd Collection for Nicaragua
 3:30-4:00pm Confessions
 4:30 pm Froelich Family

Sunday – March 17 2nd Collection for Nicaragua
 7:30 am Fr. Jeremiah Worman
 10:30 am People of Corpus Christi
 *The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before Mass.

Scripture Readings: The 1st Sunday of Lent

Sunday Deuteronomy 26:4-10, Psalm 91:1-2,10-11,12-13,14-15, Romans 10:8-13, Luke 4:1-13
Monday Leviticus 19:1-2,11-18, Ps. 19:8,9,10,15, Matthew 25:31-46
Tuesday Isaiah 55:10-11, Ps. 34:4-5,6-7,16-17,18-19, Matthew 6:7-15
Wednesday Jonah 3:1-10, Psalm 51:3-4,12-13,18-19, Luke 11:29-32
Thursday Esther C:12,14-16,23-25, Psalm 138:1-2AB,2CDE-3,7C-8, Matthew 7:7-12
Friday Ezekiel 18:21-28, Ps. 130:1-2,3-4,5-7A,7BC-8, Matthew 5:20-26
Saturday Deuteronomy 26:16-19, Psalm 119:1-2,4-5,7-8, Matthew 5:43-48

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PARISH NEWS

Mission Work

Please help us as we work on blanket assembly and quilting in the parish center during Lent. What a great Lenten project! We will start Tues. March 12th and meet every Tuesday morning through Lent.



Get Your Tickets Now!

Join us now for our Annual Corn Beef & Cabbage: St. Patrick's Dinner on **Saturday March 16th**. Serving delicious corn beef & cabbage **4:30-7pm** in our social hall! Advance adult ticket \$15.00 and children 6-12 \$8.00. Tickets can be purchased after Mass or in the parish office. Great food and company!



WHAT'S HAPPENING

Sunday – March 10
 5pm Mass @ St. Joe's
 6-8pm Life Night @ St. Joe's

Monday – March 11
 6pm Walk for a Cause Meeting

Tuesday – March 12
 8:30-noon Quilting/Blankets/Parish Center

Wednesday – March 13
 5:45-7pm Genesis @ St. Joe's
 6-7:15pm Edge @ St. Joe's

Saturday – March 16
 4:30-7pm Corn Beef & Cabbage Dinner

Sunday – March 17
 5pm Mass @ St. Joe's
 6-8pm Life Night @ St. Joe's


PARISH REPORT

Deposited this week:	Feb .25-Mar. 03(36)
Parish Support.....	\$7,036.00
Offertory Collection.....	\$509.00
Votive Candles.....	\$77.55
Technology & Capital	\$175.00
Donations	\$845.00
Perpet. Care/Garden.....	\$60.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$8,702.55
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$10,419.96
Weekly Shortage	(\$1717.41)

\$CRIP REPORT

02/25-03/03/2019 Sales:\$2,250.00 Profit:\$97.75
 Scrip can be purchased before and after all weekend Masses and on Thurs. 11:30-1pm in the parish center.

PARISH NEWS



PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY TO THE BISHOP'S APPEAL



Journey with Fr. Carl & Fr. Brian & Deacon Mark

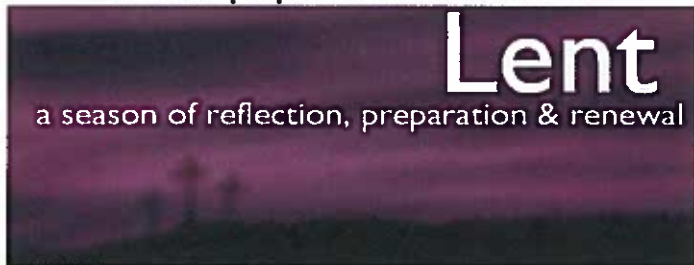
Follow us through the blogging of Monica Spen as we journey on pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Go to our website and click on the link (<https://monicaspn.wordpress.com/2019/02/22/come-travel-with-me>). The group of 32 will be leaving Mon. March 11th and return Thurs. March 21st. Journey with us during this Lenten Season.

PARISH NEWS



PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Lent is a time of repentance, reconciliation and renewal. It is a time for us to think about our friendship with Christ, our Savior, and our relationships with our spouse, brothers, sisters, parents, children, friends and all of the people whose lives we touch.



Lenten Opportunities

40 Days of Life

The Lenten 40 Days for Life (24/7) Campaign starts March 6th-Apr.7th, on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida St. in Green Bay. The D.C. Catholic Parishes are set for Sunday afternoons on Mar. 10th, Mar. 24th, & April 7th, from 12-2pm to walk & pray. Even if you can only be there for ½ hour, I encourage you to be that quiet voice for the unborn-or-at least pray & fast at home. For carpooling or more information call Dianne at 743-2260 or log onto jimball@square1jb.com.

No Greater Love

Join us for a Biblical Walk through Christ's Passion, DVD series authored and presented by Edward Sri, who will guide you through the last hours of Christ's life. Sundays, March 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 14, 6:15 pm in the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. Discussion will be led by Bob Saidler. Questions call Penny 743-2062.

Strategies for Living a Spiritual Life

Join us for 7 evening sessions of spiritual, engaging, and interactive conversation as an opportunity to learn and explore your spirituality. Mondays, 6-8 pm, March 25, April 1, 8, 29, May 6, 13, and 20 in the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. Presenters: Monica Hilbert, Laura Johnsrud, Penny Biver. Cost is \$20.00. Register by calling 743-2062 by March 18.

Edge and Life Teen

Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry

Life Teen this weekend (Sunday, March 10th at St. Joseph)

Mass at 5pm (for all ages)

Food at 6pm

Life Night until 8pm

Edge this week (March 13th)

6-7:15pm at St. Joseph (please enter the door on the bottom of the ramp)

Besides Life Teen and Edge, what are our students up to you may ask? Well, it's fundraising season for the mission trips. We are also helping with 3 dinners this March: Loaves and Fishes, the St. Joseph Fish fry, and the Corpus Christi Corn Beef and Cabbage dinner. Our youth are doing great things in our parishes!

PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Genesis...the beginning

Elementary Religious Education

St. Joseph Campus

5:45-7pm Class Mar. 13 & 20

No Class on March 27th-Spring Break



Book Discussion

The next book discussion, "*Shirt of Flame*", written by Heather King will meet on Friday, March 15 in the St. Joseph Faith Formation Center. Reading assignment, July, August, and September.

St. Joe's Annual Fish Fry

Lent is coming and so is St. Joe's Annual Fish Fry! Join us on Friday March 22nd 4:30-7pm for their annual fish fry. Adult ticket \$14.00; children 7-10 \$6.00. Delicious all you can eat alaskan snow cod fillets and macaroni & cheese for non-fish lovers. Raffle ticket also available \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. All proceeds to benefit St. Joe's Parish Programs.



Scripture Discussion

Tuesdays, 10:00 am at St. Joseph Faith Formation Center and/or Thursdays, 9:15 am at SS. Peter & Paul in the Parish Center. Everyone is invited to join us as we explore the upcoming Sunday readings.





ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

**Corpus Christi Parish
St. Patrick Day- March 16, 2019**

**ALL YOU CAN EAT
CORN BEEF & CABBAGE
AND PORK ROAST DINNER**

Serving from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Corpus Christi Social Hall

**Adults \$15.00 in advance
\$16.00 at the Door
Children \$8.00 (ages 6-12)**

**TICKETS AVAILABLE:
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Parish Office
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Spiritual Art Journals

with Nicole Herbst

Come join us to continue your faith journey!

Sun., March 17th, 2-4pm

St. Joseph's Adult Faith Formation Center

\$5 material fee; \$10 includes journal

Register by March. Wed., 13th

Contact Penny Biver @ 920-743-2062



Appleton youth collects hundreds of Valentine cards for seniors

BY PATRICIA KASTEN | THE COMPASS

APPLETON — Most of us remember taking Valentine cards to our classrooms in school.

However, Logan Caron, age 8, has taken Valentines to a new level. He plans to deliver Valentines to all the nursing homes in Appleton.

"There's 566 cards that we have already," he told The Compass on Feb. 7.

Logan had 200 more by Feb. 11, and hopes to get 900 by Valentine's Day.

His mother, Bev Caron, said that the project started out like any other Valentine's project for school. Logan attends St. Francis Xavier Elementary School — McDonald Street campus.

"We were driving home one night and just talking about what kind of Valentines we were going to hand out in the classroom," said Bev. "And Logan started talking about putting a mailbox together where people would be able to bring cards and those cards would be given to those people who normally wouldn't get cards. As we talked



BRAD BIRKHOFF | FOR THE COMPASS

Logan Caron and his second grade classmates at St. Francis Xavier Elementary School — McDonald Street campus — in Appleton display Valentine cards they made on Feb. 11. More than 700 cards will be distributed to local nursing homes by Caron and his family on Feb. 14.

through it a little bit more, we decided that those people would be people in nursing homes — that they might not get them. It's kind of taken off from there."

Logan hasn't been to very many nursing homes before — though he has been at Peabody Manor in Appleton because his mother works there. Bev works with Thedacare Home Hospice. Logan

has also been to Cherry Meadows Hospice at Peabody Manor, which is on his list, because his grandmother, Paula Powell, was there before she died.

The first plan was to deliver cards to Peabody Manor, which has 76 residents.

Our full story appears in the Feb. 15 issue.

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In our continuing catechesis on the "Our Father," we now consider the first step of Christian prayer, which is to enter into the mystery of God's paternity. To understand how God is Father we naturally think of our own parents; yet this image needs to be purified, for none of our parents is perfect, and neither are we! When we speak of God as "Father," then, we must go beyond a merely earthly image, for God's love is that of our Father who is in heaven. Yet we only experience this total divine love — in this life — in an imperfect way, for our human love is wounded. Indeed the fragility of human love is captured well by the words of the Prophet Hosea: "Your love is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes early away" (Hos 6:4). God's love, on the other hand, is a perfect kind of love; he loves us in a way that none on earth ever can.

+ Pope Francis,
Feb. 20, 2019

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Follow Him On



UW-Oshkosh campus ministry focuses on forming missionary disciples

BY JAYE ALDERSON | FOR THE COMPASS

OSHKOSH — The Gospel of Matthew relates the Great Commission from Jesus: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them

to obey everything I have commanded you" (28:19-20).

The Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS) strives to live out this mission on college and university campuses. It does so by helping students to lead lives of purpose.

At the University of Wisconsin-

Oshkosh Newman Center, four full-time FOCUS missionaries are inspiring students to become missionary disciples who will, in turn, encourage more missionary disciples. Their work is supported in part by the Bishop's Appeal.

"We're striving to be saints," said Kyle Hanson of Green Bay,

one of the FOCUS missionaries. "Prayer is the foundation of what we do. Working through students' hearts, we seek to build up missionary disciples. We want to follow the Lord's example."

Our full story appears in the Feb. 22 issue.

5 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

St. Joseph

PATRICIA KASTEN | THE COMPASS

- 1** March 19 is the primary church feast of St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus and the husband of the Blessed Virgin. The Eastern-rite churches honor him on the Sunday after Christmas.
- 2** March 19 is traditionally the date when Joseph died. Pope Gregory XV extended his feast celebration to the universal church in 1621.
- 3** The Latin-rite church dedicates the whole month of March, as well as the first Wednesday of each month, to Joseph.
- 4** In 1870, Joseph was declared patron of the universal church. He is also patron of a happy death, since it is believed he died in the presence of Mary and Jesus.
- 5** While Joseph is often portrayed holding the Child Jesus, he is also shown with carpenter tools, turtledoves or a flowering staff.

Introducing Alpha in our parishes

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Last month, as part of my series on discipleship, I wrote about how we have introduced Alpha in our diocese as a spark that we hope will help people grow in their relationship with Christ. In this column, I want to share how Alpha is beginning to transform our parishes into communities of discipleship.



BISHOP'S CORNER

Bishop David Ricken

To ensure that Alpha produces the greatest effect in our diocese, we decided to roll it out in phases. The first wave involved our priests, pastoral leaders and diocesan staff followed by a second wave that involved Catholic school principals, deacons and key parish leaders. With this, we directed parish leadership teams to do faith and life together with Alpha during the spring and summer of 2018. Today, Alpha is being offered to parishioners, catechists and Catholic school teachers.

Helping people to discover Jesus in their everyday lives is the first step of the discipleship process. A key factor in this step is for people to develop trusting relationships with other disciples, and this is what Alpha is built to do. Accompanying people on their journey

and answering their questions about faith and life often inspires people to seek Jesus more. Alpha leaders are trained to be attentive to how the Holy Spirit is moving in the lives of the participants. Through this listening, they can help lead the participants to the promise that Jesus offers to every person: life in abundance. And who wouldn't want that!

The discipleship process is a marathon, not a sprint. As one priest said, "People overestimate what they can do in one year but underestimate what they can do in three years." Even Jesus took three years to form his disciples in relationships and spiritual disciplines. This shouldn't surprise us because discipleship moves at the speed of relationships. Quite often, the speed of relationships is determined by the time it takes for people to develop trust. Yet, relationships don't always fit neatly into time tables. Here, there are no quick fixes or shortcuts. This is why patient discernment and accompaniment are necessary when helping people take their next step in their discipleship journey.

But the good news is that what often follows trust and a sense of belonging is a curiosity about new beliefs and even openness to new behaviors. As parishes have begun to implement Alpha, we are starting to see this fruit. As one parish leader said, "The Holy Spirit has truly transformed many hearts."

The entire column appears in our Feb. 8 issue.



Parish SNAPSHOT

Emma Follett, art teacher at Sacred Heart Catholic School in Shawano, helped students create a mosaic of Jesus carrying his cross. Materials for the project were made from Follett's classroom scrap paper drawer. Pictured are Dacy Webster, left, Lilly Gee and Cora Pieper.

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