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CATHOLIC PARISH

AUGUST 27TH, 2023 | TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." - Mt 16:19

PRAYER | WORSHIP

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

8:30 AM | Yvonne Wierzba

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

8:30 AM | John O'Connor

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

8:30 AM | Genevieve Wagner

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

8:30 AM | James Kurowski

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

4:30 PM | Joseph Kurer

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

8:00 AM | People of the Parish

10:00 AM | Jerry LaFave



SCRIPTURE READINGS

SEPTEMBER 3RD, 2023

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading I: Jeremiah 20:7-9

Reading II: Romans 12:1-2

Gospel: Matthew 16:21-27

SCHEDULE OF WORSHIP

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday | 4:30 PM

Sunday | 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday - Friday | 8:30 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday - Friday | 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM

First Thursday (Monthly) | 9:00 AM to 7:30 PM

Holy Hour | 6:30 PM

PRIVATE PRAYER

Monday - Friday | 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

COMMUNITY ROSARY

Monday - Friday | 8:00 AM

Sunday | 7:30 AM



SACRAMENT INFORMATION

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays | 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM (or by appointment)

BAPTISM

Baptism Class is offered each month & is required prior to Baptism. Register by calling the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE

Call the Parish Office at least 9 months in advance.

2023 SUMMER CALENDAR RAFFLE: CONGRATS TO OUR RECENT WINNERS!

August 18th - Vickie Teal

August 21st - Jeanette Wells

August 23rd - Mark Ledet



OUR MISSION

As friends and followers of Jesus, we help ourselves and our communities to visibly live out discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.

SCRIP REPORT

8/14/23 - 8/20/23

SALES: \$8,605.00

PROFIT: \$454.80



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WEEKLY COLLECTION

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 9,921.50
Loose Collection	\$ 810.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,939.93
Children's Collection	\$ 133.74
TOTAL	\$ 12,805.17

Thank you for helping support our parish!



Parish News & Updates

The Feed My Starving Children 2023 Mobile Pack is just around the corner!! The Mobile Pack event will be held at the Green Bay Community Church Oct 2-5. Our goal this year is to Pack over 500,000 meals. We will have space for up to 3,000 volunteers. Last year 350 students and parish members from St. John the Baptist helped fight world hunger! **If you would like to help pack, registration will begin at 7:00 AM on August 27th. Use the following link to register:** <http://give.fmssc.org/greenbay>

If you would like to join a pack group or start a pack group, please contact Terry Raupp at tjraupp52@gmail.com or call/text to 920-621-2075. If you would like to be more involved, we have needs for volunteer Greeters, Rovers, Registration and Security. Thanks for your help!



REMEMBER - If you still have your M&M tube at home please bring it back to church filled with quarters and place it in the End World Hunger Globe in the Narthex by OCTOBER 1st.

From time to time, our SVDP conference receives donations of used furniture. Most of it comes to us in good shape; however, occasionally we have items that need a little TLC. For example: tightening rungs, legs, knobs. Maybe sanding, adding a coat of paint etc. This can be done in your home during your free time. It's not a rush. We can drop off and pick up the items if need be. Our members used to take care of this, but our workload has increased along with the needs of the community. This is a great opportunity to be God's hands and feet in working for the poor. **Reach out to Kathy Schmocker @ 920-562-5802** kschmocker@new.rr.com



Below is the beautiful view of our brand new completed school roof! We want to thank everyone that made this project possible! No more leaks and a much brighter view!

~ Sarah Wulf



The Holy Sepulchre Cemetery of St. John the Baptist is changing to meet your needs! Over 50% of all internments are cremations, and this trend will continue to increase. **Because of this upward trend, we will be adding a Cremation Garden to our cemetery!**

This new area (behind the chapel) will include a columbarium, urn garden and memorial benches. Look forward to a short presentation and committee members in the Narthex to provide further information **after each mass on September 9th/10th.**

40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood starting September 27th

Where: 2605 Oneida St. in Ashwaubenon

When: St. John the Baptist hours are Thursdays from Noon - 2 PM

Who: Anyone who supports the right to life! If you'd like more info. or to volunteer, please contact Diane at (920) 609-7519.



O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

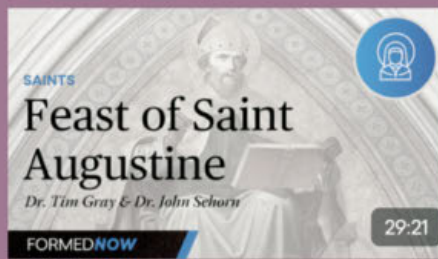
Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. Amen!



This week at our Parish

FORMED

Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the great Doctor of the Church, St. Augustine. We celebrate the Feast of St. Augustine on Monday, August 28th. See all the St. Augustine content on FORMED by going to: <https://watch.formed.org/august-28-st-augustine>.



BLESSFEST APPAREL STORE: NOW OPEN!!!



Scan the QR code below or go to the "Blessfest" tab on www.sjbh.org to place an order! Do so by Sept. 6th.



Hello September

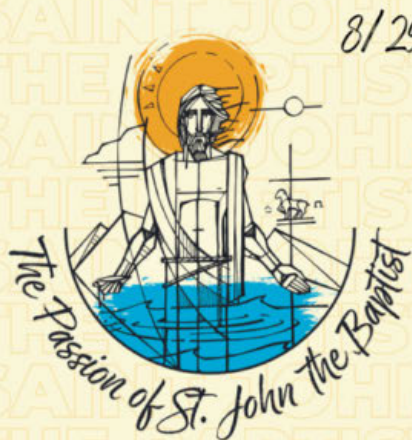
INSPIRATION OF THE WEEK:

Who do you say that I am?" Let our whole lives be the answer, given not in words, but in action. If the world looked at your life, your decisions, your words, and your deeds, would they conclude that you are a person who believes Christ is the son of the living God?

2023-2024 Faith Formation Registration

CLASSES BEGIN IN SEPTEMBER!

Get your kids registered for Faith Formation **THIS WEEK**. Visit www.sjbh.org/ff-registration to fill out the forms and submit payment. Email tmcallister@sjbh.org if you have questions or need help.



WISHING ALL STUDENTS A SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL YEAR!

Lord our God, in your wisdom and love you surround us with the mysteries of the universe. Send your Spirit upon these students and fill them with your wisdom and blessings. Grant that they may devote themselves to their studies and draw ever closer to you, the source of all knowledge. We ask this through Christ our Lord, **Amen**.

College Students: Stay connected with your faith while away at college! Most universities have a Newman Center on or close to campus. And still visit us at SJB while you are home!

AND... good luck to all the amazing, hard-working teachers out there! Together, let's make it a great school year :)





We need YOU! The Faith Formation Department is still looking for volunteers. Please consider becoming a catechist, mentor or aide for the 2023-2024 school year. We supply all the lesson plans, materials, activities, and supplies. If you are interested in any of the volunteer positions below, scan the QR code or email tmcallisteresjbh.org.

- Primary catechists and aides for grades 1, 2, 4, 5 (11 openings)
- 1 mentor for grade 7
- 2 male mentors, 2 female mentors for high school



Upcoming Events & Opportunities



Come let us adore!

SEPTEMBER HOLY HOUR

Thursday, Sept. 7th at 6:30 p.m.

Gather with us for September Holy Hour! Open to all ages & families. Experience beautiful music, readings, reconciliation and most importantly...quiet time with our Lord and Savior!

Feed My Starving Children is hosting their annual Cookie Sale at St. John's **after all Masses** the weekend of September 9th/10th.

\$0.25 per cookie equals a meal for a child.

Together we can end world hunger!



Middle School Activity Night:

Back to School Bonfire + Scavenger Hunt! All middle school students are invited to join us on Monday, Sept. 11th from 6-7:30 PM!



Coming this fall: That Man is You!

Starting again at St. John's on Thursday, September 7th @ 6-7:30 AM in the Narthex!

Come be a part of "That Man is You!" Fellowship, conversations, and refreshments for the soul. Deepen and share your relationship with God and other men in the parish.

For more information and to register, please contact Bill Dyer at: 920-471-3692 | bdyer@twc.com



ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS IN THEIR 20'S:

Join us for another get together - this time after 4:30 PM Mass on Saturday, September 16th at Narrow Bridge (in Howard). Gather with other young adults of SJB for some dinner & fellowship! **Please email Ashley** if you are interested in joining us: ashprokash123@gmail.com.

22 Week Bible Study!
Come as you are.

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Make authentic connections with other women | Learn more about God

Join us for **Opening Your Heart: The Starting Point** as we explore the fundamental questions of our Catholic faith and our relationship with Jesus Christ.

Online registration is open at sjbh.org/www (paper copies available in the Narthex, too!)

Please register by Sept. 17th.

Visit www.sjbh.org/www to learn more about this new opportunity!

Community

If marathons aren't your thing, please consider joining us for the annual 5K Run/Walk to support Feed My Starving Children at Green Bay Community Church on **September 23, 2023 at 8:00 AM**. Each year, there are great raffle prizes, giveaways, entertainment, chair massages, and other components that make this event unique. Sign up is already open and is \$30 for adults, \$20 for children, and there is no cost for children age 5 and under.



Scan the QR code to register now!



AMERICAN COURAGE COOKOUT

Saturday, September 16
11:00 AM – 2:00 PM at Prince of Peace
Church, 3425 Willow Rd.

Join us to honor active and retired veterans; the people who keep us safe! Recognition ceremony begins at 12:30 PM. Music by Jerry Voelker Polka Band.

This is a free community event, we just ask for anyone wishing to attend to **RSVP by September 1st by calling 920-468-4111 or visit prokowall.com**



50th Wedding Anniversary Mass



October 1, 2023 | 12:30 p.m.

St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, Green Bay
Bishop David L. Ricken, Celebrant

Are you celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary in 2023? You're invited to a special Mass at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 1. Each anniversary couple is welcome to invite family and friends. We look forward to celebrating this milestone anniversary with you!

For more information and to register:

Please call the Office of Family & Pro-Life at (920) 272-8309 by September 15. You can also register online: www.gbdioc.org/anniversary



SJB School Corner



SAVE THE DATE!

GRACE WELCOME BACK MASS 2023



All GRACE families, staff, and parishes welcome as we join in prayer together at the start of a new academic year

SUNDAY | SEPTEMBER | 17TH | 2023

PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY AT 6 PM

**First day of school:
Tuesday, August 29th**



**WELCOME
Back to
SCHOOL!**

- Four-Year-Old Pre-K follows a delayed start schedule!
- No School on Labor Day (9/4)

PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH OFFICE STAFF | (920) 434-2145

Pastor

Rev. James W. Lucas | Ext. 211

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Ruth Holloway | Ext. 209

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Katie Westhoven | Ext. 204

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Melissa Wagnitz | Ext. 207

Faith Formation Grades 6-8 & Youth

Evangelization

Rob Sobieck | Ext. 203

Faith Formation Administrative Assistant

Tracy McAllister | Ext. 206

Parish Trustees

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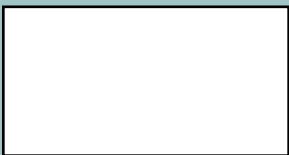
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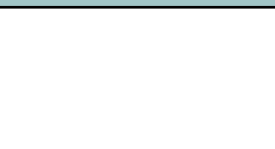
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