

OUR LADY OF THE FALLS

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

ST. BRIDGET

HOLY GHOST

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JANUARY 28, 2024

Regular **Weekday Mass** Schedule

Mon	8:00 am	Notre Dame
Tue	5:30 pm	Holy Ghost
Wed	8:00 am	Notre Dame
Wed	8:30 am	Holy Ghost
Thur	8:00 am	Notre Dame
Thur	5:30 pm	Holy Ghost
Fri	8:00 am	Notre Dame
Fri	8:30 am	Holy Ghost
Sat	8:00 am	Notre Dame

Confession Schedule

Confessions also available by appointment.

Notre Dame: Weekdays beginning 5 minutes after daily Mass.

Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm

Sunday: 7:15-7:45 am; 9:15-9:45 am;
6:15-6:45 pm

Holy Ghost: Weekdays 15 minutes before daily Mass (except on Wednesday during the school year).

Thursday: 3-4:50 pm; Saturday: 4-4:45 pm

Regular **Sunday Mass** Schedule

Sat	4:30 pm	Notre Dame
Sat	5:00 pm	Holy Ghost
Sun	8:00 am	Notre Dame
Sun	8:00 am	Holy Ghost
Sun	9:30 am	St. Bridget
Sun	10:00 am	Notre Dame
Sun	11:00 am	Holy Ghost
Sun	7:00 pm	Notre Dame



St. Brigid of Kildare (451-525)

Feast Day: February 1

St. Brigid became a nun in her youth. She founded a monastery and became abbess of the convent, the first in Ireland. It later developed into a center of learning and around it grew the Cathedral of Kildare. Brigid's gifts to the Christian world include helping lay the foundation of education for the laity through monastery schools which developed into the universities of the Middle Ages. Numerous miracles have been attributed to her, many of them having to do with the sick and the poor, which she helped.

More about the patron saint of St. Bridget Parish on page 4.



A COMMUNITY OF THREE PARISHES

MISSION:

To invite all people to encounter Christ, and to inspire them to become saints.

DAILY READINGS

Sunday, Jan. 28

Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28 (71) Pss IV

Monday, Jan. 29

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mk 5:1-20 (323)

Tuesday, Jan. 30

2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 | 19:3/Mk 5:21-43 (324)

Wednesday, Jan. 31

St. John Bosco, Priest

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6 (325)

Thursday, Feb. 1

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/Mk 6:7-13 (326)

Friday, Feb. 2

The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32 (524)

Pss Prop

Saturday, Feb. 3

St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop; BVM

1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34 (328)

Sunday, Feb. 4

Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39 (74)

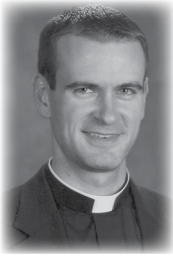
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PRAY FOR THE UNBORN.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Jan. 27	4:30 pm	✠ Judy Vaudreuil	ND
	5:00 pm	✠ Jim Lockbaum	HG
Sunday, Jan. 28	8:00 am	✠ Gary and Barbara Tozer	ND
	8:00 am	✠ Ken Briggs.	HG
	9:30 am	✠ Clarence and Bernice Kranig.	SB
	10:00 am	✠ Margarite Joseph Dachel	ND
	11:00 am	For the parishes	HG
Monday, Jan. 29	7:00 pm	✠ Lyle Rykal	ND
	8:00 am	✠ Joseph Morris Anderson	ND
Tuesday, Jan. 30	5:30 pm	Chippewa Catholic Young Adult Leaders	HG
Wednesday, Jan. 31	8:00 am	St. Francesca volunteers	ND
	8:30 am	Mary Petefish	HG
Thursday, Feb. 1	8:00 am	✠ Judy Vaudreuil	ND
	5:30 pm	✠ Donna Snyder.	HG
Friday, Feb. 2	8:00 am	✠ Dave Turany.	ND
	8:30 am	Theresa Klinkhammer.	HG
Saturday, Feb. 3	8:00 am	✠ Kirby Ballard	ND
	4:30 pm	✠ Joanne Van den Heuvel	ND
	5:00 pm	✠ Keith Schindler	HG
Sunday, Feb. 4	8:00 am	For the parishes	ND
	8:00 am	St. Francesca volunteers.	HG
	9:30 am	✠ Deceased members of the White/Marko Families.	SB
	10:00 am	✠ Darrel Hermans	ND
	11:00 am	✠ Jerry Prince	HG
	7:00 pm	✠ William Moe	ND



From Fr. Jesse Burish

Praised be Jesus Christ!

Because our second reading this Sunday from St. Paul's first letter to the Corinthians alludes to it, I'd like to devote special attention to what the Church today refers to as "consecrated" religious life—sisters, brothers, and priests that are consecrated to God and either belong to religious communities and institutes or are single persons/consecrated virgins living in the world. These are men and women who have taken vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience. We are blessed to have one such person (a consecrated religious sister) at St. Bridget, Sister Yvonne Hiess, SSND. Certainly, Notre Dame and Holy Ghost parishes have had their share of religious sisters teaching and serving in their parishes throughout their histories. But even more recently, we have the religious vocation of Sister Veronica of the Sacred Heart, a cloistered Poor Clare sister at a monastery just outside of Chicago. Sister Veronica grew up as Laura Kopp at Notre Dame Parish and graduated from McDonell in 2012. I visit Sister Veronica annually and I know that she prays frequently for our Catholic community.

To put it simply, what consecrated religious sisters, brothers, and priests demonstrate and remind the world of, particularly through the vows they take and the lives of prayer and service they live, is that life is NOT all about this world. In our second reading this Sunday, St. Paul says that while an unmarried man or woman can be more concerned about the things of God, a married man or woman's attention is divided. St. Paul is preaching a certain "preference" to be unmarried than to be married. He is not saying, however, that marriage is for less holy people.

St. Paul, in writing here, is trying to address some questions that the Corinthians sent him in an earlier letter, questions pertaining to marriage, and celibacy and virginity, among other things. It appears that in Corinth, there was a group within the Christian fold that began to assert that to be faithful and live a godly life, one should not marry and just remain celibate. Paul is actually trying to address this faulty belief and correct it. If one were to read the whole of chapter 7 in this letter, they would find that Paul begins speaking about marriage as something good and indissoluble.

But it's also clear that Paul does indeed give a certain preference to the vocation of celibacy and virginity. This does *not* mean that it would be better for everyone to forego marriage, or that priests and religious are inherently or automatically holier than everyone else. The preference or excellence of celibacy and virginity lies in the value of the sign or witness they bring to the rest of the world. This is a *special* vocation that certain people are *called to*.

While we know that someone who is unmarried may choose to live a self-centered life. But without the obligations of marriage and family, one can instead more fully dedicate themselves to serving the Lord and his Church, striving to give oneself away in love more inclusively rather than exclusively as in a marriage. It is supposed to be a sign and reminder of what *all* of our lives are directed to. All of us are called to holiness and to one day share eternal life with God in heaven. The world needs regular, radical reminders of that fact through the witness of those whose lives have such a singular focus.

Pope Francis has said that consecrated men and women are to "wake up the world" through their radical evangelical life, through following the Lord in a special way. May we continue to pray for a renewed openness on the part of our young people to such consecrated vocations and consider for ourselves how we may support them and promote them. One way is thanking and praying for those religious and consecrated persons we know.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Adorers Needed at the Goldsmith Chapel

By leaving us the Blessed Sacrament, Jesus gives us the chance to be with Him every day. Stop by anytime—open Sunday 8 am - Friday 10 am.

Adorers Needed for the following hours:

Sunday 11 am

Sunday 3 pm

Tuesday 9 am

Tuesday 3 pm

Wednesday Midnight

Wednesday 1 am

Friday 1 am

Please call Andy at 715-568-5243 if you can help with any of these hours.



Adoration, Confession, Evening Prayer and Mass at Holy Ghost

Thursdays from 3-5 pm Adoration with confession followed by 5 pm evening prayer, Benediction, and 5:30 pm Mass.



Baptism

Please welcome recently baptized at St. Bridget
Isaiah Lawrence Wehling, son
of Eric Wehling & Andrea
(Bourget) Wehling



PARISH SUPPORT

Our Lady of the Falls Catholic Community is not an entity that can receive donations. Please make donation checks out to the individual parish.

St. Bridget Support

Collection Received Jan. 14: \$626.00

Holy Ghost Parish Support

Collection Received Jan. 14: \$6,767.00

How to give to either St. Bridget or Holy Ghost: Donations from visitors or non-parishioners are welcome. You can place your contribution in the collection basket at Mass or:

- Mail your envelope to Holy Ghost, 412 S. Main St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729.
- Contact the parish office to set up ACH automatic withdrawal, or visit the parish website for online giving via credit card.

Notre Dame Parish Support

Collection Received Jan. 21: \$5,930.32

We need your financial support! There are several ways you can make a contribution. You can place it in the collection basket at Mass or:

- Mail your envelope to us at Notre Dame, 117 Allen St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729.
- Contact the parish office to set up ACH automatic withdrawal, or visit the parish website for online giving via credit card.
- Remember to drop off or mail in your Capital Improvement donations

Do you want to receive informational emails from the parish? Email *communicate@ourladyofthefalls.org* to sign up.



St. Francesca Resource Center

*Located on the west side of the GREC.
Enter the single green door by the flag pole.*

Open Tuesdays: 9 am-1 pm & 4-7 pm

715-215-2638 | st.francesca.rc@gmail.com
www.stfrancesca.org

Catholic Charities offers FREE financial management sessions. Call Catholic Charities at 715-832-6644 to confirm availability.

LOCAL & DIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Knights of Columbus Friday Night Jackpot BINGO: Fridays at 7pm. Doors open at 4pm, food available for purchase starting at 5 pm. See KC974BINGO.com for all the details.

Jan. 28: Pancake Breakfast and Bake Sale at St. Joseph Church, Boyd Jan. 28 from 9:30am-1pm. Pancakes, strawberries, eggs, and sausage links Adults: \$10 | Children 4-12: \$8 | Children under 3 are free. Matching funds provided by: Catholic Order of Foresters CT 1536. All funds will benefit the school.

Jan. 30: Chippewa Falls Community Blood Drive Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Goldsmith Council #974 from 2pm-6pm. Held at the Columbus Hall, 236 Pumphouse Road, Chippewa Falls. All donors will receive a voucher for \$10 worth of 50/50 raffle tickets at any KofC Friday Night Bingo Event and can enjoy a free snack and drink after their donation! Appointments are appreciated, by calling 800-280-4102. Walk-ins are also welcome. Questions and appointments may also go to Robert Parkhurst at 715-225-0549. Thank you for helping us SAVE LIVES!

Feb. 2: Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish in Jim Falls will be serving their Friday Night Fish Fry. The meal will include potato soup, 3 pieces of deep-fried fish, potato, beans, coleslaw, homemade roll, beverage, & dessert. Cost of the meal is \$14/plate for adults | \$6/plate for children 4-12 | children 3 & under are free. Dine in or carryout. Serving from 4:30pm-6:30pm. Everyone Welcome!

Feb. 4: Boy Scout Troop 13 Pancake Breakfast| Begin your week with Mass and a delicious breakfast! BSA Troop 13 will hold their annual pancake breakfast on Sunday, Feb. 4 in the Holy Ghost Church basement. The "All-you-can-eat" menu includes pancakes, scrambled eggs, French toast, sausage, coffee, milk and juice. The Scouts will be serving from 8am-12:30pm. This free will offering breakfast supports Troop 13 scouting activities. Troop leaders will also be available to answer questions about Scouting. Feel free to bring non-perishable food items to be donated to the local food pantry. Boy Scouts will be handing out bags for food collection after masses Jan. 27 & 28. Come join Troop 13 as we celebrate the 114th anniversary of Boy Scouting in America.

Feb. 10: Reserve your spot! There will be an elegant Valentine Dinner on Feb. 10, at Lilydale in Chippewa Falls. Celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage and reconnect with your spouse at this special event. The evening will include a cocktail hour with hors d'oeuvres and two complimentary drinks per couple, dinner, dessert, piano music, and inspirational presentation by **Patrick Conley**, host of Relevant Radio's: The Inner Life. Early bird tickets are \$85/couple (\$100 after Feb 3). Registration is limited to the first 50 couples. Reserve your tickets at lilydalewi.com under Public Events. We hope to see you there!

Feb. 10: The 13th Annual Our Lady of Fatima Dinner will be held, Saturday, Feb. 10 at the Moose Lodge in Eau Claire. **If you are interested in attending, you must prepay to reserve your spot/table for this event.** Tickets are \$50/Person | Tables of 8/\$400 | Event Sponsorships are at the \$500, \$1,000, and greater levels. To learn more about attending, sponsoring the event, or providing an auction item, contact Linda Dekan at (715) 875-4837 or email: ldekan03@gmail.com ASAP.

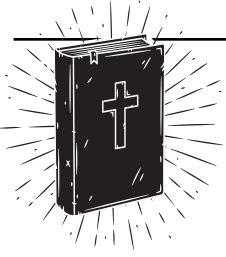
Seeking those with Organ or Piano Skills for Holy Ghost & St. Bridget Parishes

Holy Ghost and St. Bridget Parishes are looking for individuals (parishioners or non-parishioners) who have organ and or piano skills. Megan Hanson, one of our main organists, will be leaving for school in the fall. Concerned that we will not have sufficient musicians for our weekend Mass schedule, we're putting out a call for help. Please spread the word! If you are interested in serving our parishes in this capacity, please contact the parish office.

Diocesan Annual Appeal

There is a poster in the back of church showing our progress. Please make a donation to this if you haven't already. Thank you for helping us to reach our goal this year.

FAITH FORMATION



Bible Study: The Tuesday morning Bible study group will begin a study of the Gospel of John commencing Jan. 9, 2024. We will be using the Ignatius Catholic Study Bible to guide us.

All are welcome to join us in the GREC at 9:30am Tuesdays. For more information, contact Deanna at: jdsuilmann@gmail.com

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) Do you know anyone interested in becoming Catholic, or Catholic and wishing to be confirmed?

Contact John at jskakal@ourladyofthefalls.org for more information.

Christ With Us Adult Study Join us for faith and fellowship once a month on Thursday mornings from 9-10:30am in the GREC, St. Joseph room at the Notre Dame campus. Refreshments available.

■ Feb. 15 | The Three Cloths of Christ

■ Mar. 14 | St. Faustina & Divine Mercy

■ Apr. 18 | Eucharistic Miracles

People of all faiths and ages are welcome to attend *Catholicism on Tap*, occurring on the first Monday of every Month at 6pm that offers local food, beverages, and a presentation about various Christian faith topics. All On Tap events are hosted in the Notre Dame GREC. To learn more (and register your kids for child care) go to <https://www.ourladyofthefalls.org/catholicism-on-tap>.

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in parishes on the weekend of Feb. 3-4. Please pray for all those who have answered the call to consecrated life, aspiring towards joy-filled holiness in the service of the Church and world. Pray also for many more laborers to enter the vineyard so that Jesus Christ may be better known, experienced, and loved.

Retreat Day! Real Presence: Living Eucharistic Joy — Our Lady of the Falls will be hosting a day-long retreat focused on living the joy of Eucharistic Revival. The event is open to all Catholics in the area, and anyone desiring to grow Eucharist understanding.

- \$5 at the door, hosted at the GREC Dining Hall 22 S. Prairie St. Chippewa Falls
- Feb. 10, 2024, starting with 8am Mass and concludes with 3pm Adoration/Confession
- Includes Breakfast and Lunch
- Register at tinyurl.com/realpresencechipp or more info at <https://www.ourladyofthefalls.org/calendars>

"the ANSWER" Eucharistic Rally | Purchase tickets at a reduced rate!

Please consider organizing a bus for catechists, interested adults and 7th-12th grade students to attend this incredible Eucharistic Rally on Friday, June 7, 2024, at the La Crosse Center. Join us for a Eucharistic Procession with Bishop Barron and Bishop Callahan, excellent speakers, music, vendors, and, of course, Mass, adoration and confession. Discounted tickets are now available for purchase. The official website provides detailed information, including the link to purchase online tickets. Visit the website by clicking on this link: <https://diolc.org/the-answer/> or by using your smartphone's camera to scan the QR code to the right. Note: "the Answer" Eucharistic Rally will be such an amazing event; this will serve as the Catechetical Leaders Conference for 2024.

The Truth, Beauty and Goodness of our Faith on Flickr

Our Faith is beautiful and one of the many ways we witness this is through photographs. The Diocese of La Crosse shares photos from across the diocese on its Flickr page. You can locate the page by clicking on the following link or by scanning the QR code to the right. <https://www.flickr.com/photos/diolc/albums/>



THIS & THAT FROM SR. YVONNE

"Walk The Walk And Talk The Talk"

The people who heard Jesus teach and saw him heal in today's Gospel (Mark 1: 21-28) were said to have been astonished and amazed by the authority of his teaching. Jesus' words and actions were so compelling that the news about him spread quickly throughout all of Galilee. The news about Jesus continues to spread. We spread the good news of Jesus with others in our words and in our deeds.

From the very beginning of his ministry Jesus seems to have dealt with a tough crowd. Whether in the streets or in the synagogue, he faced a conflicted crowd. Many were divided for all kinds of political and religious reasons (just as today).

In their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit was crying out. Evil was crying out and Jesus handled it. Jesus' first public act in the Gospel of Mark that is written down, is to free a human being from an evil spirit that has brought him chaos and destruction. This event reveals Jesus as the one who came to free us from all evil. Today, this is the work of all who follow Jesus.

When we experience disappointing behavior amongst others in our community or are even faced with larger scandals involving those in leadership, we need not lose our faith in Jesus. Instead, we can turn to Jesus and ask him to silence the voice of evil. We don't hear much about evil spirits these days, but we certainly know of their presence when we consider wars, murders, rapes and tortures that take place all around the world.

We pray the Lord's Prayer at Mass, which concludes: "and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil" The power of evil has been overcome by Jesus' saving death, but we continue to pray that it does not find a home in us, in our Church and in our society. People were drawn to Jesus because He spoke with authority. We pray for our public officials that they might have insight and work for our good and protect us from all that is not right and just.

Whoever truly listened to Jesus, could see that his actions mirrored his words and gave him authority. In Jesus the people heard and saw the power and authority of God at work. Let's pray that people will see in us and in our church the power and authority of God at work, too.

May it be so. Let us pray for each other. Have a blessed week!



Share the Joy! — We are asking YOU to find a couple of things each month to increase your own Joy in the Faith and to share that Joy with others! **Share the Joy January Suggestions:**

Find opportunities to introduce yourself or your family to other parishioners, help someone find the correct page in their hymnal, or invite someone to a daily Mass or parish activity.

GENERAL PARISH INFO

St. Bridget715-723-4890
412 S. Main St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Holy Ghost Office715-723-4890
412 S. Main St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Notre Dame Office715-723-7108
117 Allen St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Bulletin Announcements:

Due on Mondays by noon. Submit to
bulletin@ourladyofthefalls.org.

If you are interested in becoming a new member of Notre Dame, St. Bridget, or Holy Ghost and have not yet registered, we would love to have you! Contact Kate Zweber via a text message or phone call at 715-705-2240 or email kzweber@ourladyofthefalls.org.

Marriage Preparation: Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance. Contact Dan at the administration office 715-705-2241.

Baptism: To arrange for baptism contact Dan at the administration office 715-705-2241.

Homebound: Please give us a call if you or someone you know is homebound and would like a parish contact. Contact Notre Dame or St. Bridget/Holy Ghost parish office.

Anointing of the Sick Available any time.
Contact the administration office at 715-723-7108.

Goldsmith Adoration Chapel Contact:
Andy Shakal | 715-568-5243

***GREC**=Goldsmith Religious Education Center

SB=St. Bridget/**HG**=Holy Ghost/**ND**=Notre Dame



Prayer Requests / Ministry of Prayer If you have prayer intentions that you would like to submit, please contact:

ND: Janet Michaud at jmmichaud@charter.net

SB: Marilyn – 715-723-0514

HG: Letty – 715-861-3998

COVER ART:

"Jesus Chases a Possessed Man from the Synagogue" by James Tissot

OUR LADY OF THE FALLS ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Bridget

Jan.28-Feb.4 – Birthdays: Maxine Ische, Ted Amelse, Ben Bruhling, Eric Reetz, Jackie Roberts, Brian Schulner.

February 1st—Feast of St. Bridget of Ireland-our feast day. O God, we praise and thank you for the life of St. Brigid (Irish spelling) She gave to the Christian world the foundations of education for the laity and the opportunity for women of Ireland to use their energies and intellect in a way previously not known to them. She helped lay the foundation of a golden age of learning and missionary endeavor. May she continue to be a beacon of light and courage to all women who labor to lead others to the freedom of the gospel. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

A special "Thank you" to those who continue to love and support St. Bridget's over these many years. **Thank you:** to those who prepared and served a meal at Sojourner House this past week

- To those who stayed to take down Christmas decor.
- To those who brought warm coats and clothes for those released from prison

Congratulations to Andrea and Eric Wehling on the Baptism of their son Isaiah at Mass last Sunday!

We are in need of extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion to visit the homebound of St. Bridget's Parish on the First Fridays of each month or on another monthly schedule. Please contact the parish office if you would like to serve in this ministry. Training will be provided.

Holy Ghost

Share the Joy cards. There are a few more Share the Joy cards in a basket in the back of church that were inadvertently mislaid. Please take a few and write a message to your fellow parishioners.

Faith in Action January Please help "Stock the Shelves" at St. Francesca Resource Center with purchasing soup. Some ideas are cream of chicken, chunky soups, soup mixes, vegetable beef, and cheesy broccoli. Any kind will do. As usual, all non perishable goods are welcome. Thank you for your continued generosity to the food insecure. Please put in our basket in the back of church. May the New Year bring you many blessings.- HG Social Concerns

Diocesan Annual Appeal Update Holy Ghost has currently raised \$31,736 of the \$59,370 goal set by the Diocese. Deadline to reach this goal is June 30. If you have misplaced your pledge card, please contact Karin at the parish office.

Notre Dame

Diocesan Annual Appeal Update Notre Dame has currently raised \$76,870 of the \$92,845 goal set by the Diocese. Deadline to reach this goal is June 30. If you have misplaced your pledge card, please contact Karin at the parish office.

Share the Joy cards. Take a look at the new Share the Joy poster board in the back of church and learn more about your fellow Notre Dammers! Notre Dame parishioners are Sharing the Joy by giving fun facts about them or their family and sharing a picture. See what other parishioners have said, what Mass you could find them at, and learn more about the people in the pews with you! Share details about you/ your family by grabbing one of the forms or by filling out a form online (preferred).



Hospitality Sunday is next weekend in the GREC Dining Hall! Come after the morning Masses on tasty treats, donuts (GF and regular), hardboiled eggs, coffee, tea, and the best company around! No need to attend a morning Mass in order to come, everyone is welcome!

The use of SCRIP for your regular everyday purchases helps support our local Catholic school community! This is one more way for you to help spread the joy!



News from . . .

McDONELL AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Submitted by MACS. For more information call 715-723-0538. www.macs.k12.wi.us

Jan. 28, 2024

***New* Parishioner Priority Enrollment Period, Jan. 22 - 28**

Enrollment season has begun at MACS! New this year: Chippewa Deanery Parishioners have priority enrollment for grades 3K-12 starting Jan. 22-Jan. 28. We invite you to schedule a school tour to meet our caring faculty, and learn how we make Catholic Liberal Arts education affordable for all families, regardless of income. Parishioners have until Jan. 28 to submit an application in order to be considered for priority enrollment. Of course, you may also submit an application at any time after today. Go to the Admissions tab on our website or call Admissions Coordinator Kathleen Adams at 715.723.0538 today!

Kids Winter Carnival, Jan. 28

The Kids Winter Carnival is today starting at 11:30am! Bring the whole family to St. Charles Preschool and Primary School's gym and enjoy food, fun games, and a bouncy house! Tickets are \$3/person or \$10/family.

St. Charles Open House, Jan. 31

St. Charles Preschool and Primary School is hosting an open house Wednesday, Jan. 31 starting at 5pm for current and potential families interested in learning about Catholic liberal arts education at MACS. Take tours of classrooms and come meet our caring teachers and administration! For more information call 715.723.5827.

Fiddler on the Roof Musical, Feb. 1 - 4

Tickets are now on sale for the Fiddler on the Roof musical! McDonell Central Catholic High School Theatre Production team will perform Feb. 1-4 during Catholic Schools Week. Feb. 1-3 performances will begin at 7pm and Sunday's will begin at 2pm. Purchase your tickets today at mcdonellareacatholicschools.org/arts

Mid-Winter Mardi Gras, Feb. 10

We invite you to attend MACS Mid-Winter Mardi Gras 2024! Take a stroll through the streets of New Orleans on Saturday, Feb. 10 from 5pm-10pm at McDonell High School. Games of skill beckon guests into the booths that line the Quarter. Don't forget to attend the parade and meet the Royal Court. Sample different cuisine all night with a New Orleans Themed small plate buffet including dessert, live music by our own McDonell High School Jazz Band and renowned local Troppo Big Band. The night is not complete without raffles, live auctions, MACS Show Choir performance, and much more. Reserve your cash raffle tickets online or purchase them in person at the Central Office. 1 for \$25 or 5 for \$100. Need not be present to win. Purchase your Event Tickets on the MACS Website under "Support MACS" for the night. \$75/single and \$145/couple. For more information contact Amber Leibrandt at 715.723.0538.

McDonell Central Catholic Diaper Drive, Jan. 3 - Feb. 1

McDonell Student Ambassadors is hosting their annual diaper drive from Jan. 3-Feb. 1 at McDonell Central Catholic High School. Students and families of McDonell are asked to bring packaged diapers (sizes 1-4) that will be distributed to community centers at the end of the drive. With the increase in the cost of consumer products, the need for these donations is more important than ever. Community members of local churches are encouraged to participate as well. Please drop off any diaper donations to the office at McDonell High School.

Employment Opportunities

We are seeking great candidates for Director of Advancement. For more details, such as job descriptions and requirements, please search mcdonellareacatholicschools.org/about/opportunity.cfm or email hr@macs.k12.wi.us.

Scrip

MACS is seeking a volunteer who would be available to organize the Scrip week with volunteers and tasks. We currently have about five consistent volunteers to sell Scrip and would like to increase this amount so we can expand our selling times. If you have great customer service skills, enjoy scheduling and have about two hours a week you would like to volunteer please contact Kathleen Adams at k.adams@macs.k12.wi.us or 715.723.0538. Thank you for your consideration!

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Notre Dame Campus

Administration Office | 715-723-7108

Monday: 9am-3pm Thursday: 9am-3pm
Tuesday: Closed Friday: 9am-Noon
Wednesday: 9am-3pm Or by appointment

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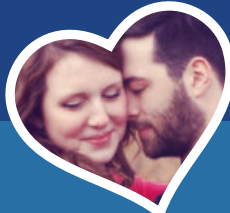
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