

ST. JOSEPH SAINTS PETER & PAUL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 20, 2026

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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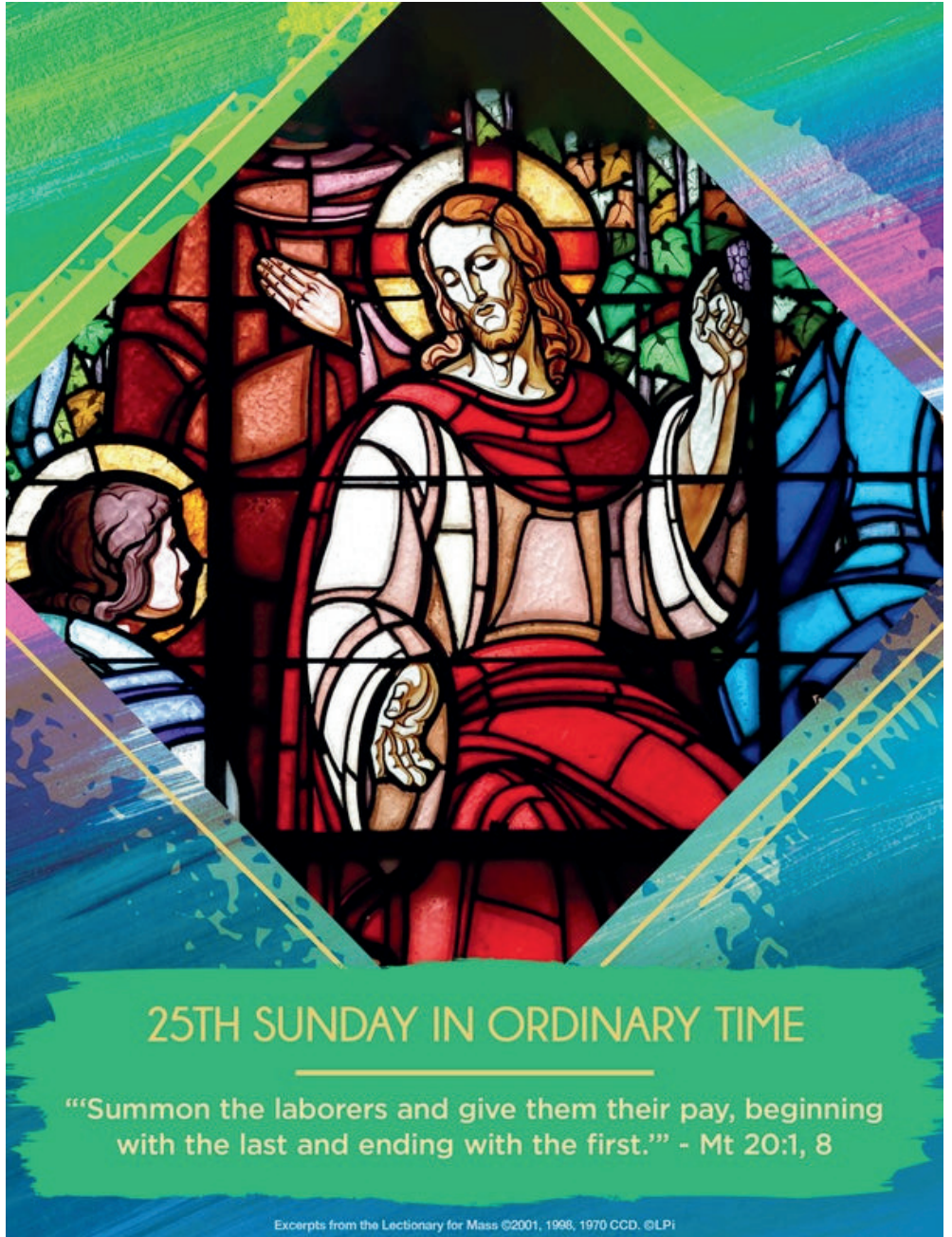
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ED WINTER

DEACON
MARK BORTLE



OUR MISSION

“Love God, Love Neighbor as Self, Go Make Disciples”

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday -4:00 pm
Sunday - 10:00 am

Reconciliation

Tuesday:
5:00-5:50pm
Saturdays:
3:00-3:45pm

Church Ramp Doors and Office Open

Monday- Thursday
8:00am - 4:00pm

Office

will be closed
Sept. 28-Oct. 1st.

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MASS INTENTIONS**Saturday, September 19th**

4:00PM Doug Jorns †: Requested by family

Sunday, September 20th

10:00AM Chad Hoelzel †: Requested by Theresa and Ken Hoelzel

Tuesday, September 22nd

6:00PM Fr. Allen Geiser †

Wednesday, September 23rd

8:30AM Mary Tanck †: Requested by Lawrence Tanck

Thursday, September 24th

8:30AM Mass at Saints Peter & Paul

Friday, September 25th

8:30AM

Saturday, September 26th

4:00PM Living and Deceased of St. Joseph and Ss. Peter and Paul Parishes

Sunday, September 27th

10:00AM Barb Spude †: Requested by family

SAVE THE DATE**St. Joseph Parish Fish Fry and Raffle**

November 6th 4:30-7pm
Food, Fun and Fellowship!

Summary of Contributions Recieved**Week Ended**

9/11/2026

Adult Envelopes	\$ 8,997
Online Giving	3,383
Visitor Envelopes	756
Loose Collection	1,792
Unrestricted Contributions	<u>6,300</u>
Total Received for week	\$ 21,228
Total Budget for week	<u>8,180</u>
Total Surplus/(Deficit) for week	13,048
Year to date Received	\$ 86,498
Year to date Budget	<u>85,483</u>
Year to date Surplus/Deficit	\$ 1,015

Wedding Congratulations to**Hanna Pierre and Patrick Ourada**

united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony this weekend at St. Joseph Parish. May God bless their marriage with love and joy always.

The September Tabernacle Candle

is lit in loving memory of Wayne Stenzel

Holy Family Flowers in memory of Wayne Stenzel

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MASS TIMES

Thursday	Rosary	8:00 am
	Mass	8:30 am
Sunday	Mass	8:00 am
Spanish	Mass	1:00 pm

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Grounds

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Mark Schartner

Parish Trustees

Nancy Anderson
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Hispanic Ministry

Sister Justina
Sister Letty

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 20th Sunday Social
8:00 AM Living & deceased members of St.
Joseph & Saints Peter & Paul
1:00 PM Spanish Mass

Thursday, September 24th

8:00 AM Rosary
8:30 AM Kathy Boex †

Sunday, September 27th

8:00 AM Roger Schopf †
1:00 PM Spanish Mass

September

**We will have an Election for Secretary
Trustee, Today Sunday, September 20th.**

Today we will have a **Sunday Social** after
Mass. Please join us downstairs for donuts
and refreshments

NO Mass October 1, 2026

October 4th 2nd Collection for Building and
Maintenance.

Father Matthew on vacation Monday,
September 28th - Friday, October 2nd

Clergy Congress October 5-7th

Next Finance and Parish council meetings
Thursday, October 15, 2026

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday	8:00 - 2:00 pm
Tuesday	St. Joseph
Wednesday	9:00 - 1:00 pm
Thursday	9:00 - 1:00 pm

The **September** Tabernacle Candle
is lit in loving memory of
Daniel & Betty Brauer

Summary of Contributions Received

Week ending 9/13/2026

Adult Envelopes	\$ 1600
Online Giving	562
Visitor Envelopes	270
Loose Collection	608
Unrestricted Contributions	-0-
Total Received for week	\$ 3,040
Total Budgeted for week	<u>3,194</u>
Total (Deficit)/Surplus for week	\$ (154)

Year-to-date Received	\$ 35,134
Year-to-date Budgeted	<u>35,743</u>
Year-to-date (Deficit)/Surplus	\$ (609)

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SERVING IN CHRIST ST. JOSEPH

September 26th

LECTOR Sandy White
DEACON Mark Bortle
EM Alex Valdiva
Colleen Gozdecki

USHERS John Teichtler
Jeff Hoffman
Ray Gosdecki
Tom McCaulley

SACRISTAN Tom McCaulley
SERVERS Chuck Heindel
GREETERS Sarah Spude & Catherine
Kilcoyne

September 27th

LECTOR Lawrence Tanck
DEACON Ed Winter
EM Kim Rubens
Randy Rubens

USHERS Bob Spude
Lawrence Tanck
Paul Penovich
Randy Rubens

SACRISTAN Lawrence Tanck
SERVERS Kellyn & Sam Jacquet
GREETERS Denise Haen & Lucy Kile

Assisted living Wayne Humbles &
Catherine Kilcoyne
Sunday Social Catholic Daughters

SERVING IN CHRIST SAINTS PETER & PAUL

SEPTEMBER 27th

LECTOR Julianne Spude
DEACON Ed Winter
EM Julianne Spude
USHER Mike Kostreva & Gordy Haen
SACRISTAN Carrie Kostreva

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

MONDAY: Eph 4:1-7,11-13 / Mt 9:9-13
TUESDAY: Prv 21:1-6,10-13 / Lk 8:19-21
WEDNESDAY: Prv 30:5-9 / Lk 9:1-6
THURSDAY: Eccl 1:2-11 / Lk 9:7-9
FRIDAY: Eccl 3:1-11 / Lk 9:18-22
SATURDAY: Eccl 11:9 12:8 / Lk 9:43b-45
SUNDAY: Ez 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-11 / Mt 21:28-32

SEPTEMBER INTENTIONS

Holy Father's Intention

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it, We pray to the Lord.

Bishop Ricken's Intention

May the journey of those which has led them away from Mass now lead them once again to discover God's love for them, celebrated in the Eucharist, We pray to the Lord

ST. VINCENT de PAUL WEEKLY NEEDS

Needs for our home visit bags:

Toiletries: deodorants, toothbrushes, & toothpaste for kids and adults, shampoo & bar soap

Needs for the Blessing Box:

Peanut butter & jelly and crackers

ST VINCENT de PAUL 920- 388-9644

Supporting people's housing needs is our nemesis. If it's not the most frequent request that we receive, it is definitely where we spend the largest portion of our finances. When we meet with unhoused individuals the first questions we usually ask surround their relations with family; hoping that maybe a family member could help them through their difficulty. It never ceases to amaze me how frequently the answer is, "No one in my family would help me!" The reason this surprises me is not that our "Friends in Need" are such highly responsible, deserving contributors to the local community that they should expect their families to be delighted to help them out. Most often that is not the case. Most often there is a difficult back story. Most of our "Friends" come with baggage. Many burned their bridges with their families years ago.

What surprises me most is that their families are purportedly Christian people. Sometimes they're even regular supporters of the Society. In last week's gospel from Matthew, Jesus tells Peter that the expectation of forgiveness is essentially infinite. We must forgive our brother not seven times but seventy times seven. I come from a large Irish/Catholic family. I have 50 first cousins. We squabble a lot. I recognize the value of "tough love." But in the end, we're all sinners and if we expect to be forgiven, it is essential that we too forgive those who trespass against us. Please consider this. It could be the most valuable support that you could provide to St. Vincent de Paul.

MASS MINUTES By Deacon Ed Winter

The outer vestment worn by the priest celebrant is the chasuble. Many Lutheran and Anglican churches use the chasuble as well.

The name comes from the Latin word "Casula," meaning "Little House." Its origin was the Roman "paenula," an everyday travel garment. It was a cone or bell-shaped poncho, an oval piece of cloth with a hole in the middle for one's head and no sleeves. It fell to below the knees on both sides. The chasuble was made of heavy, embroidered material that had to be gathered up in order to use the arms. You may have noticed that on special occasions, when the celebrant incenses the altar, the deacon follows him. In the past, it was the deacon's role to hold the gathered material of the chasuble up so the priest could use his arms.

Beginning in the 13th century, there was a tendency to shorten the sides of the chasuble and through the centuries this continued to the point at which the arms were free. After Vatican II, and in the General Instructions of the Roman Missal, we read, "It is fitting that the beauty should come...not from an abundance of overly lavish ornamentation but from the material and the design."

Next: Stoles and the Dalmatic

What's Happening in Children's Ministry!**GENESIS PROGRAM**

Facebook page:

GENESIS/TriParishElementaryReligiousEducationProgram

Parking lot procedure: This year, parents will drop off children at **DOOR #2**. At pickup, parents should enter the school (Door #2) and go to the classroom to pick up their children.

Room assignments at St. John Bosco School for Genesis students are as follows:

1st grade

Room 1st Grade Room

2nd grade

Kindergarten Room

3rd grade

3rd Grade Room

4th grade

2nd Grade Room

5th grade

Art Room

We look forward to welcoming everyone and beginning another year of faith formation together!

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me...to bring good news to the poor" (Lk 4:18;cf)

Theme for **Catechetical Sunday 2026** is drawn from Luke 4:18 and Isaiah 61:1, highlighting Jesus' mission to bring hope, healing, and freedom, especially to the poor, brokenhearted, and marginalized. This theme emphasizes that catechists, and all baptized Catholics are called to continue Christ's work by sharing the Gospel and serving those in need, reflecting compassion, mercy, and dignity in their ministry and daily lives.

Genesis Catechists are:

Allison Lautenbach, Sara Doering, Marianne Newton, Judy Weber, Kristen Tooner, Flora Fuller, Tina Bouche, Rosemary Hurley, Nicole Herbst, Cora Herbst, and Mary Hurley.

NEW GENESIS OFFICE LOCATION AND PHONE NUMBER

Starting September 21st Laura Hoffman's office will be located at Corpus Christi Parish Office Building. Corpus Christi phone number is 920-743-4716.

LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

All children ages 4 through 3rd grade are invited to participate in the Liturgy of the Word for Children. This will be held at St. Joseph parish at the 10:00am Mass the second Sunday of every month.

EDGE & LIFE TEEN

Middle & High School Religious Education & Youth Ministry

For registration, please watch the bulletin for more information in the near future.

Welcome Jeff Liethen, The new Youth Ministry Coordinator for Edge, Life Teen and Confirmation.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Facebook Page: St Joseph Catholic Parish-Faith Formation Center

JAVA WITH JESUS

"Taste and See the goodness of the Lord!" You are invited to join a circle of seekers who break open His Word and discern how to weave His truths into everyday life. Only requirement: come as you are with an open heart and mind and desire for Jesus! Tuesdays at 10:00am. In the Faith Formation Center.

THAT MAN IS YOU

That Man Is You will be starting back up this Fall, Sunday, September 20th at 6pm in the St. Joseph Parish Social Hall.

40 Days for Life

The **Fall 40 Days for Life Campaign** starts September 23rd- November 1st on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida St. Our presence is so very important. Let's join together in prayer and fasting in order to build a culture of life. **Door County Catholic Parishes** are set for Sunday afternoons September 2th, October 11th and October 25th from 12:00-2:00pm to walk and pray in Green Bay. I encourage you to be that quiet voice for the unborn-or at least please pray & fast at home to end abortion. For car pooling Call Dianne 320-743-2260 or more information email jimball@square1jb.com.

Note: October 18th there is a Prayer line in Sturgeon Bay 1:30-2:45 with guest speaker to follow.

Please consider helping us reach our goal of 25 Bibles!

Sharing the words of our Lord is one of the greatest gifts given to us! Bishop Ricken of the Green Bay Diocese has challenged all of us to get the words of our Lord into the hands of every child. We are inviting you to help make Bishop Ricken's dream a reality by sponsoring the Elementary Faith Formation Bible Buddy Program. Each Bible will have the name of the sponsor, and each sponsor will receive the name of the child who received their bible as each will be encouraged to pray for the other. Please, see flyer for more information.