

2nd Sunday of Lent

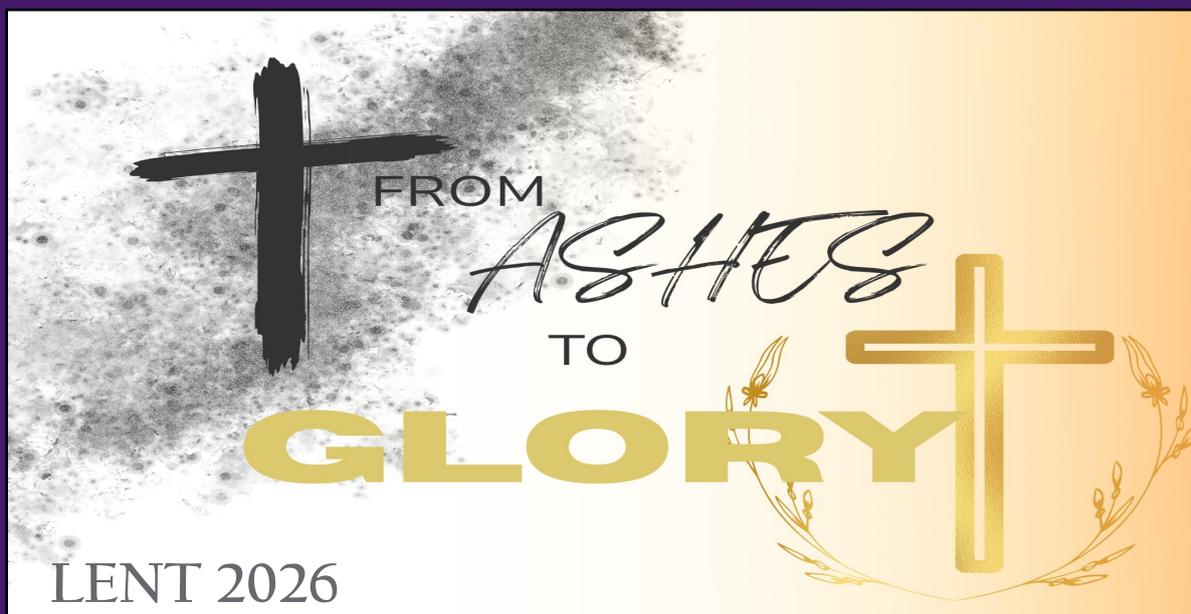
“This is my beloved Son,  
with whom I am well  
pleased; listen to him.”



March 1, 2026

## St. Joseph Congregation

*A family devoted to experience Jesus through prayer, formation and service.*



Mass Schedule:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 8:15am | Saturday (Vigil) 4:00pm |  
Sunday 8:00am, 10:30am

12130 W. Center Street, Wauwatosa, WI 53222  
Parish Office: 414-771-4626 | Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00am-3:30pm

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Parish Information

**Parish Registration:** Registration for the parish can be done at the Parish Office during normal business hours or after Mass on Sunday in the Welcome Center at the Center St. entrance of church. Young people out of college school are requested to register as adult members.

**Hearing Impaired:** St. Joseph's Church has an "Audio Loop" for use by people who have a hearing aid equipped with a "T switch".

**St. Joseph Chapel Hours:** Monday-Friday 7:00am to 8:00pm.

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Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:



Adoration will take place every Monday immediately following the 8:15am Mass until 9:30am. Confession offered as well.

Holy Hour/Adoration will take place on Thursday, March 5th from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Chapel.

Anointing of the Sick:

Anointing will take place on Friday, March 6th and Saturday, March 7th at the 8:15am Mass.

*Anointing may also be done by appointment. Please call the Parish Office.*

Mass Intentions	Be a Blessing
<b>Monday, March 2nd</b> 7:35am Rosary 8:15am Repairers of the Breach	Our readings for this second Sunday of Lent offer us, as Christian stewards, the motivation to continue our 40-day journey toward deeper holiness.
<b>Tuesday, March 3rd</b> 7:30am The Patriotic Rosary 8:00am Perpetual Help 8:15am † Myra Nowinski	The first reading from the book of Genesis describes God's call to Abram (who would later be called Abraham). God instructs Abram to leave his home and set out to a land that God had chosen for him. Abram's response is an ancient example of good stewardship. Instead of clinging to his comfortable home and way of life, he recognizes that all he has is a gift from God, puts his trust in God, and obeys. And God rewards him, saying, "I will make your name great, so that you will be a blessing."
<b>Wednesday, March 4th</b> 7:35am Rosary 8:15am † Don Tollefson	To "be a blessing" is the true aim of a stewardship way of life. It is also an excellent way to live out the season of Lent. The sacrifices we take on, the spiritual disciplines we practice, and the extra acts of service we perform during this season — all give glory to God and transform our lives into a blessing for others.
<b>Thursday, March 5th</b> No Mass	Lest we grow weary on this path, our Gospel passage today, from Matthew, offers us a powerful image of the great God we serve. It is the story of the Transfiguration of Jesus, when our Lord reveals Himself in His true glory and the Father says, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." The apostles who witnessed this were awestruck. But our loving Savior reassured them saying, "Rise, and do not be afraid."
<b>Friday, March 6th</b> 7:35am Rosary 8:15am Capuchin Community Services	As we continue our Lenten journey, let us take these two verses, "Listen to him," "Rise, and do not be afraid" to heart. Let us rely on God's strength to aid us in our spiritual disciplines as we move through Lent. We will arrive at Easter with deeper holiness, as a blessing to God and others — and as better stewards of all God's gifts to us.
<b>Saturday, March 7th</b> 8:15am Holy Family Children's Home in Kenya 3:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm Our Parish Family	<small>-copyright: Catholic Stewardship Consultants, <a href="http://www.CatholicSteward.com">www.CatholicSteward.com</a></small>
<b>Sunday, March 8th</b> 7:00am Reconciliation 8:00am † Bob Kult Mike Nunemaker 10:30am † Tom & Julie Novotny	<div data-bbox="874 1413 1329 1682" data-label="Image"> </div> <p data-bbox="932 1749 1273 1787">Mike &amp; Margaret Radske</p> <p data-bbox="979 1809 1225 1848">Mary Lee McGinn</p> <p data-bbox="892 1870 1315 1908">Stephen Lovinus &amp; Lisa Vallone</p> <p data-bbox="991 1930 1212 1968">Anna Trentadue</p> <p data-bbox="987 1991 1217 2029">Michael Linscott</p> <p data-bbox="954 2051 1252 2089">Brian &amp; Susan Bowser</p>
<div data-bbox="156 1541 199 1906" data-label="Section-Header"> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Readings of the Week</p> </div> <p data-bbox="213 1402 703 1473"><b>Monday:</b> Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38</p> <p data-bbox="213 1496 679 1568"><b>Tuesday:</b> Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12</p> <p data-bbox="213 1590 743 1662"><b>Wednesday:</b> Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28</p> <p data-bbox="213 1684 639 1756"><b>Thursday:</b> Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31</p> <p data-bbox="213 1778 660 1850"><b>Friday:</b> Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46</p> <p data-bbox="213 1872 616 1944"><b>Saturday:</b> Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32</p> <p data-bbox="213 1966 639 2038"><b>Sunday:</b> Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42</p>	



### Sacraments

**Baptism:** Parents who wish to have their child baptized must be registered members of St. Joseph Parish and practicing their Catholic Faith. A pre-baptism class must be attended prior to the date of the baptism. Baptisms are celebrated at one of the weekend Masses or at another arranged time. For more information contact the Parish Office.

**Funerals:** Please call the Parish Office in the event of the death of a loved one. Arrangements will be made for planning of the service including the musicians. Advanced planning may be done by making an appointment with Father.

**Reconciliation:** Monday 9:00am-9:30am, during adoration, Saturday 3:00 pm-3:50 pm, Sunday 7:00am-7:50am, or by appointment. Please call the Parish Office.

**Weddings:** Couples must contact the pastor to make arrangements for marriage. No date should be set until this is done as the church may not be available. The Catholic party must be a registered and practicing member of the parish for at least six months prior to setting a date. In addition, a six month period of preparation is required for marriage.

### Ministry of the Sick *Please take a moment to pray...*

*Heavenly Father, Lay Your healing hands on those who are sick...*

AnneLiese Bitzl, Connie Borden, Christine Brady, Chris Burk, Phil Cashill, Margaret Christman, Dennis Cimpl, Marian Cochrane, Katy Connors, Mary Diotte, JoAnn Doyle, Donna Drake, Marge Fandre, Jane Foxgrover, Jeanne Fuchs, Josefina Gallegos, Christine Gilpatrick, Cameron Gonring, Amy Grahovac, Betty Groshek, Jenny Grosschadl, Diane Haase, Bruce Henning, Barb Hesselbein, Alex Holmes, Charles Jacoby, Jim Janette, Joy Kasun, Joyce Keller, Janet Klein, Don Kresse, Richard Kroscher, Doug Kruse, Julian Lombard, Mark Mayer, Sue McCauley, Tom McElwee, Margaret Mehigan, Theresa Motto, Shawn Munch, Lee Neustedter, Loren Norstrem, Dale Peterson, Luis Rodriguez, Dan Rooney, Carol & Lee Smaglick, Tim Taff, Betty Weinzierl, & Ann Marie Wick



*We also include any of our loved ones who are dealing with cancer or mental illness.*

If you know anyone who is sick or in the hospital, please let us know. The hospitals do not always contact us.

If you or someone you know is homebound or ill and would like to receive communion, please call the Parish Office.

### Financial Update

July to January 2026; 7 months fiscal year to date

July to June

Month of January 2026

Regular	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	vs YTD Budget	Annual Budget	Actual	Budget	vs Budget
Total Revenue	\$ 1,570,401	\$ 1,519,565	\$ 50,836	\$ 2,619,345	\$ 167,666	\$ 160,547	\$ 7,119
Total Expenses	\$ 1,643,478	\$ 1,594,480	\$ 48,998	\$ 2,804,418	\$ 164,045	\$ 206,161	\$ (42,116)
Operating Profit	\$ (73,077)	\$ (74,915)	\$ 1,838	\$ (185,073)	\$ 3,621	\$ (45,614)	\$ 49,235
<b>1 times</b>	<b>\$ 305,847</b>				<b>\$ 100,000</b>		

**Fiscal Year to Date (YTD)** - For the period July to January 2026, 7 months fiscal year to date, the parish had revenues of \$1,570,401, ahead of budget by \$50,836, primarily a result of the offertory revival program's favorable collections of \$72,263 offset by less tuition revenue of \$52,571, mostly Private. Over the same time frame, actuals expenses were \$1,643,478, which were more than budget by \$48,998, primarily Building & Grounds expense. At the bottom line, operating profit was a \$73,077 deficit, about what was expected.

**January** - For the month, our actual revenues of \$167,666 were better than expected by \$7,119 as a result of the combination of 1. the annual \$57,545 distribution from Endowment which was budgeted earlier in the year (pacing), offset by 2. lower than budgeted contributions of \$33,443 and 3. lower than budgeted tuition of \$6,260. Monthly expenses were \$164,045, better than expected by \$42,116, mostly from insurance proceeds offsetting previously recognized repairs expense. Overall, operating profit was \$3,621, or \$49,235 better than expected.

**1 times** - there were \$305,847 of 1 time favorable items during the first seven months of the fiscal year, including five bequests totalling \$143,587, fundraising of \$37,260 from the Summerfest work and \$125,000 of capital contributions. We received a \$100,000 capital contribution in the month of December.



## From the Desk of Father Justin

Wow, what a wonderful time we had last weekend! 8:00 Mass was light due to hockey and cold weather (I presume), but we had an immensely powerful 10:30 Mass to make up for it. For those of you who didn't make that particular Mass, we had the Rite of Sending for those preparing for baptism or confirmation at the Easter Vigil. It really is a great joy to bear witness to those people who are actively growing in their faith in an objective and measurable way\*. I am deeply proud of all of them, and I ask that you keep them all in your prayers. This isn't the place to name names, so prayers for "the catechumens and candidates of Saint Joseph's" is just fine in this context.

A good chunk of our guys went to a men's retreat over the weekend, and I know for a fact that it was a holy time. I know that because my dad made the time for it and texted me with some frequency about how it was going. Credit to all our Saint Joe's guys who made that fine Lenten effort.

On a more personal level, my mother, sister, brother-in-law, and I went to Food and Froth at the Milwaukee Public Museum after the 4:00 Mass. Basically, you walk around the museum and a variety of local brewers and restaurants have tables set up with sample-sized items. You only pay for your entry ticket, so once you're in you can enjoy the night walking around, refilling your glass whenever you're ready for a new drink, and munch whenever a particular food strikes your fancy. This has been a thing that's been going on for a while, but I never knew it existed until now. My brother-in-law has gone to it three or four times before, but this was my first and last, given that the Milwaukee Public Museum will be changing locations in the near future.

This gave me an opportunity to reflect on the nature of fine endings. You see, the Milwaukee Public Museum and I go way back. My grandma took there pretty often, so I'm going to assume that I've been going there for about 38 years. During my short stint as a caterer (between college and Peace Corps), I worked as a bartender there a couple of times. I will always fondly remember that place, as dated as some people might label it. Yes, the Native American exhibit seemed suspiciously stereotypical, even to me when I was a boy. The dinosaur exhibit is a fine thing overall, but it's literally the same as it was in the late 1980's. In fact, when we were at that part of the museum, a group of people took a picture in front of a T-Rex devouring a triceratops. "Everyone say 'historically accurate!'" That got a laugh out of me.

My point here is that a real portion of my childhood is paired with that museum and I went to Food and Froth on Saturday with full knowledge that it was going to be my very last time setting foot inside there. And I was blessed to have the chance to say farewell - not just to the building and the exhibits, but a place that has become nothing less than a living memory. I'll admit that limitless beer and high-quality food wasn't the most thematic way to spend an evening during Lent of all times, but Sunday made up for it.

As we carry on with our journey from ashes to glory, let's be sure to not get too focused on the ashes. Yes, Lent is a time for mortification and prayer, a time to do a better job at caring for others rather than ourselves. Still, don't lose sight of the glory. There is no Lent without Easter waiting for us at the finish line, and we have much to be grateful for in this life. Be open to the Holy Spirit's gift of Wonder and Awe, even as you're covered in the ashes of repentance.

Peace,  
Father Justin

Join us for Holy Hour/  
Adoration on  
Thursday, March 5th  
beginning at 6:30pm in  
the Chapel or Mondays  
after 8:15am Mass.

### ADORATION 101

WHAT IS ADORATION? An opportunity to encounter Christ through Adoration, Praise and Worship.

WHY SHOULD WE GO TO ADORATION? In our busy lives it is very hard to hear the "quiet voice of God". In Adoration, we can pour out our joys, trials, confusion and sorrows to Christ. In return, we can receive hope, faith and peace. We are not alone. Christ is with us!

WHAT SHOULD WE DO AT ADORATION? A good place to begin is to acknowledge God's loving gaze upon us. Like a parent looking with love at their child...God does the same thing! Many people start by thanking God specifically for all the blessings in their lives. We can acknowledge sin in our lives....those times we have turned away from God and hurt others. We might then place any struggles, worries or fears that we have before Jesus. Some people like to say a rosary or bring a book of prayers.

*MOST PEOPLE LIKE TO JUST SIT QUIETLY WITH GOD. ...JUST LISTENING TO HIM.*

HOW LONG SHOULD I STAY? Any amount of time spent with our Lord is time well spent!



- † **March 4<sup>th</sup>**  
 Additional Reconciliation  
 6:00pm in Church  
 (4 priests will be available)
- † **March 5<sup>th</sup>**  
 Adoration of the Most  
 Blessed Sacrament  
 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Chapel
- † **March 6<sup>th</sup>**  
 Stations of the Cross  
 6:30pm in Church
- † **March 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**  
 Holy Spirit Litany to be prayed  
 5 minutes before all Masses
- † **March 16<sup>th</sup>**  
 Mary's Way of the Cross  
 9:45am or 6:30pm in Church
- † **March 25<sup>th</sup>**  
 12-hours of Reconciliation  
 at St. Dominic Church

Each week for Lent we are encouraging you to bring items or money for a certain charity. Here are some special items asked for during the weekend of March 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> to be donated to

**Capuchin Community Services:**

Items for hygiene bags:

Travel sized: shampoo/conditioner, toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, hand sanitizer, facial tissues, baby wipes.

Regular sized: lotion, body wash, deodorant, feminine products, razors.

**Capuchin Community Services**



**Who they are:** The Capuchin Franciscans - a Catholic religious order following the rule of St.

Francis of Assisi. St. Francis gave up his wealth and prestige to embrace a life of poverty and simplicity to serve those on the margins, especially the poor and the sick.

**History:** The Capuchin presence in Milwaukee dates to 1869 with the establishment of St. Francis of Assisi Monastery and Church. Capuchin Community Services began as a standalone ministry in 1968 in response to the call to address social injustice in Milwaukee at that time.

**Who they serve:** Those who are homeless or in need of support. Capuchin Community Services operates the largest food pantry in Milwaukee at the House of Peace, and serves a freshly-prepared community potluck every night at St. Ben's Community Meal.

**What they provide:** Meal program; food pantry; **hygiene kits**; holiday food boxes; clothes closet; winter warming center; social workers; legal clinic; spiritual care; and health care. Additional services via the Open Door Ministry include a gathering space; children's play area with books, toys and activities; showers, laundry, haircuts, help getting a birth certificate or ID, eyeglasses, and help with restoration of a driver's license.

**Leadership:** Br. Henryk Cisowski, OFM Cap., Ministry Director in coordination with Assistant Directors and Coordinators. Capuchin Community Services is advised by a volunteer Ministry Council consisting of leaders in our community.

**Their mission:** Transforming the World through Reverence: we attend simply and directly to spiritual and other basic human needs, especially those of people experiencing poverty and disenfranchisement, promoting justice for all.

If you would like to learn more about Capuchin Community Services, please visit:

<https://www.capuchincommunityservices.org/about-us/>

**God bless you for your generosity!**

Congrats to 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys' Basketball Team!

St. Joseph 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys put on an amazing performance as they played their hearts out in the championship game of the St. Joe's Tosa Holy Hoops Winter Classic—taking First Place!

Congrats, Team!



Home and School Presents

# MOTHER/SON BOWLING

Sunday, March 15th

2-4pm

New Berlin Ale House

**\$5/ PERSON**  
**\$20 FAMILY MAX**

**Appetizers  
Included**

**RSVP by  
3/8/26**

E-mail Annie  
(Olivaresfamof5@gmail.com)  
if you would like to attend.  
Please include who you would  
like to bowl with.



**BUILDING MEN  
OF VIRTUE**

**20<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
SATURDAY 14 MARCH 2026  
MILLER HIGH LIFE THEATRE | MILWAUKEE**

**MEN OF  
CHRIST**  
LIVE YOUR FAITH BOLDLY

REGISTER @  
**menofchrist.net**

For St. Joseph-based registration financial help (by men's group), and  
for local carpool info, call Duane Filtz, 262-993-4858. Goal, 35 men.



## Go Getters Senior Club

Our March St. Patrick's Day meeting has a date change due to the St. Joseph's Day dinner. Our next meeting will take place:

**Thursday, March 12th, 2026 at 3:45pm**



Our speaker is Sara Smith, a master gardener, who will talk about prepping gardens in the spring.

- The meal includes beef tenderloin, potatoes, salad, rolls and green beans.
- Non-members, please indicate how many people are coming and mail a check for \$28 per person. Checks can be made payable to St. Joseph's Senior Club and mailed to the following address:

Attn. Margie Puls  
11210 W. Wisconsin Ave.  
Wauwatosa, WI 53226

Checks must be received by March 5th. To just hear the speaker, pay \$8 at the door.

- Desserts welcome!
- Please notify us if you need the elevator.

## ST. BEN'S MEAL PROGRAM

Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> is our day to provide food for the St. Ben's Meal Program. Your contribution to this wonderful mission is most appreciated.

We are in need of 8 casseroles, large enough to feed 20 people and 8 desserts. To help Child and Youth Ministry, please call 414-771-4626 or email at [marynikl@stjoetosa.com](mailto:marynikl@stjoetosa.com) by end of day on Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> to volunteer to provide a dish. If you work and find it hard to get a hot casserole delivered on time, consider dropping off your cold casserole the night before or in the morning on your way to work.

*"Small acts of love can make a big difference."*

– Anonymous

St. Ben's Upcoming Dates (Please mark your calendar)

Mar 10	Child Ministry	414-771-4626	<a href="mailto:marynikl@stjoetosa.com">marynikl@stjoetosa.com</a>
Apr 14	St. Joe's Day School	414-771-5577	<a href="mailto:matuszakj@stjosephschooltosa.com">matuszakj@stjosephschooltosa.com</a>
May 12	Bern & Mary Enright		<a href="mailto:bernright@gmail.com">bernright@gmail.com</a>

Fourth of six weekly installments leading to our **St. Joseph Day Mass and Dinner on March 19<sup>th</sup>** with Auxiliary Bishop James T. Schuerman. RSVP Information is included below.

### The Continued Story of Our Parish Patron Saint:

- Joseph saved Mary from being stoned to death.
- Joseph and Mary spent three days trying to find Jesus.
- Joseph received four divinely inspired dreams.
- Joseph is considered the model husband and father.



## Saint Joseph, Pray for Us

St. Joseph Day Mass and Dinner—Thursday March 19<sup>th</sup>

On the feast of St. Joseph we will rejoice in the gifts of St. Joseph Parish with Mass at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.



The whole family is invited!

*Planning to attend the dinner? Let us know!*

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number attending: Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_

*Please return to the collection basket during Mass or the parish office or use the QR Code.  
RSVPS due by March 10<sup>th</sup>!*

# SHEEPS HEAD

## Sheepshead Night at St. Joe's!

Friday, March 13th 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm in the Parish Hall  
\$10.00 per person (includes one raffle ticket)

Bring your friends, snacks, favorite beverages and  
join us for a fun friendly night. All experience levels welcome.

*Please return to the parish office by March 11th*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be interested in participating monthly in a Sheepshead league @ St Joe's? \_\_\_\_



**Coming Soon!**

St. Joseph School presents  
Rodgers & Hammerstein's  
**Cinderella Jr.**



 **March 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>**  
 **6 PM Each Night**

 **Tickets Coming Soon!**

## Upcoming Activities at St. Joseph's:

### Monday, March 2

4:00pm-8:00pm: St. Vincent de Paul—Off-Site

### Tuesday, March 3

8:00am-Noon: Mailing in Parish Center Conference Room

9:00am-10:30am: St. Joseph Bible Study in St. Joseph Rm

4:00pm-9:00pm: BARCEL Violin in Music Rm, Library,  
& Art Room

7:00pm-8:00pm: Pilgrims on the Road to Emmaus in St. John Rm

7:00pm-8:00pm: Tosa West Basketball Training in Gym

### Wednesday, March 4

9:00am-11:00am: St. Faustina Small Group in St. Matthew Rm

6:30pm-8:30pm: Buildings & Grounds Committee  
in St. Joseph Rm

7:00pm-8:00pm: Tosa West Basketball Training in Gym

### Thursday, March 5

Auction Set-Up (Gym, Kitchen, Hall)

6:00pm-7:00pm: Home & School Committee in Teacher's Lounge

6:30pm-8:00pm: School Committee in Library

6:30pm-8:00pm: Adult Choir Rehearsal in Church

7:00pm-8:00pm: St. Joseph Bible Study—Online

### Friday, March 6

Auction Set-Up (Gym, Kitchen, Hall)

### Saturday, March 7

6:00am-8:00am: Men's Group in St. Joseph Rm

8:00am-Noon: BARCEL Violin in Music Rm

9:00am-10:00am: Fr. Justin Table Talk  
in St. Joseph Rm

5:00pm: Parish Auction in Gym & Hall



### Sunday, March 8—Daylight Savings—Spring Forward!

Auction Clean-Up (Gym, Kitchen, Hall)

9:00am-10:15am: Religious Education Classes

10:30am-11:30am: Youth Mass

4:00pm-5:30pm: Religious Education Confirmation in St. Mary Rm

4:00pm-5:30pm: Adult OCIA Confirmation in St. Joseph Rm

6:00pm-9:30pm: Spike Volleyball in Gym

## Around the Archdiocese:

### PARISH MISSION

#### JONAH: THE DEPTHS OF GRACE

The story of Jonah has plenty to say about what a disciple is (and is not). We can learn from this reluctant prophet the Lenten themes of repentance and prayer—and come to a greater appreciation of God's limitless love and mercy.

Presented by Al McCauley

Wed., March 11 & Thur., March 12  
@ 6:30-7:45 p.m.

St. Barnabas Parish (St. Augustine Site)  
2025 So. 67th Pl. (Gym)



## SCRIP GIFT CARD ORDERS ARE DUE

### THURSDAY, MARCH 5th!

(Delivered by March 12th)

Order forms are available in the  
Parish Office.

You can also order online—  
[www.raiseright.com](http://www.raiseright.com)

Click SIGN UP and enter the enrollment  
code:

ELC36A946559

Support St. Joe's Parish & School  
and order gift cards today!

## ST. JOSEPH STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE WELCOME MINISTRY NEW MEMBER DONUT SUNDAY

MARCH 15, 2026 AFTER the 8:00 or 10:30am MASS  
IN PARISH HALL

COME WELCOME OUR NEW PARISH FAMILY  
MEMBERS AND THE NEWLY BAPTIZED!



### ANNOUNCING 2026 RUMMAGE SALE DATES!

Move In and Set Up of Departments  
May 30 to June 5

Donations received  
June 6 to June 15 - watch for specific  
dates and times.

Last day of donations - June 15

Sale Dates - June 18, 19, 20

The Rummage Sale is expanding its "aluminum can" collection to include BRASS and COPPER. **Aluminum cans cannot have contained food or been used for cooking.**

We are also collecting burned out Christmas lights. Please leave outside the garage doors.

#### THE GREAT JEWELRY COLLECTION...

Thousands of pieces of jewelry are sold each year. Collect jewelry from family and friends and leave it in the Welcome Center or the Parish Office.

Currently collecting FUR OR LEATHER COATS and  
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Wauwatosa, Wisconsin

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Items are collected for the Rummage Sale year-round, please see below for  
where items can be left:

- ◆ Please leave children's clothing, toys, adults & children's books in the Welcome Center.
- ◆ Bikes can be left between the west parking lot garages with a note attached: "Rummage".
- ◆ To donate furniture contact Fran, [dntolly@aol.com](mailto:dntolly@aol.com) Subject: Rummage
- ◆ Help us recycle & make money for St. Joe's—Currently collecting crushed aluminum cans and Christmas Lights. Leave outside the 2 single car garages in west parking lot.
- ◆ Join the great jewelry collection! Thousands of pieces of jewelry are needed! Ask every one you know if they can donate! Please leave the jewelry in the Welcome Center or Parish Office.

Collecting items  
now for the 2026  
sale!



*Thank you for your continued support of our annual Rummage Sale!!*

*2026 Dates: June 18th, 19th & 20th*

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