

*St Lawrence Parish W5125 State Hwy 156 Bonduel, WI 54107 715-758-8161*

Office hours are Wednesday & Thursday 7:30 am—5:30 pm.

If there is an Emergency you may call Corinne at 715-250-0567 or

Father David at 920-228-1814. Thank-you.

St Mary's Mass schedule in Black Creek: Saturdays @ 4 PM,

Sundays @ 8 AM, Tuesday—Friday @ 7:30 AM

**Father David Greskowiak Administrator**

**Sunday 10/08/2023 = \$1,285.00 Attendance = 75**

**Amount needed per week--\$ 1,662.69**

**Mass Intentions**

**10/15/2023—** Remembrance of Robert Letter by Lucille Letter

**10/22/2023—** Remembrance of Bill & Elaine Letter by Mike Douglas

**Mass Servers –**

**10/15/2023—** Alex & Reagan Krings, Isaac Seefeldt

**10/22/2023—** Jamesen Boerst, Landon Fischer

**Ministers of the Word –**

**10/15/2023—** Sam Krings

**10/22/2023—** Judy Berreitter

**Hospitality**

**10/15/2023—** Rene LaFond, Judy Berreitter, David Nowak

**10/22/2023—** Jack Banker, Rick Banker, Anita Wegner

**Trumpet October Sponsor —** Remembrance of Leroy & Lois Hartlaben by Karen VanLanen Family

**Bulletin October Sponsor —** Happy Anniversary Bernie & Pat Weier

**Corinne** will be out of the office **October 19—25**. Please contact Fr David if you need anything.

**All Souls Envelopes**

Envelopes for All Souls are available at the entrances of the church. Please feel free to take one if you like, write the names of people you would like remembered during the month of November, place whatever contribution you would like in the envelope and place it in the collection basket. The envelopes will be placed on the altar all during the month of November.

**RE NEWS SCHEULE**

**Sun. Oct. 15 @ 10 AM** Confirmation Student/ Sponsor Meeting after Mass.

**Wednesdays RE Classes @ 6:30 PM— 7:45 PM**

**November 01 All Saints Day—TBD**

**November 12—**Sacrament for Confirmation @ ABVM in Pulaski @ 1 PM

**Lick Out Family Violence—** Buy your suckers for Lick Out Family Violence at each entrance of church.

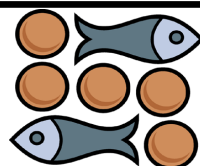
**Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry**

**Wednesday, October 18— 4-6 PM**

**Saturday, October 21— 9—11 AM**

October focus item is Canned Fruit (including shelf-stable juice) Thank you for your generosity!!

**September report—38 Families, 85 Individuals.**



**FORMED** is an awesome website for all of us, from little kids, to teens, to young adults and older adults, to discover so much about our Catholic Faith, anytime of the day—24/7, on our computers, Laptops, Tablets and Smartphones. It's a FREE gift to you from our parish. It is a joint subscription with St. Mary's Parish in Black Creek. There may be stuff on the internet that tells people that God or the Catholic Faith are not important or relevant to our lives, especially the lives of our young people, isn't it nice to know that there is something that says they are. So, give FORMED.ORG a try!

*Happy Birthday!*

**October 16** Cindy Diemel, Mike Mehler, Trevor Reif, **18** Taylor Peeters, Carol Weyenberg, **19** Sam Krings, **20** Bob Nett, **21** Carol Verhoven, **22** Colin Hanus, Shirley Johnson, **23** Janet Evenson, **26** Andre Guyette, **28** Tammy Lorenz, **29** Terri Peeters, **31** Stacie Guyette

**World Mission Sunday—Next Sunday**

World Mission Sunday is next Sunday, 22 October, with the theme of ***“Hearts on fire, feet on the move.”*** As Pope Francis said in his message for World Mission Sunday: “For this year’s World Mission Sunday, I have chosen a theme inspired by the story of the disciples on the way to Emmaus, in the Gospel of Luke (cf. 24:13-35): “Hearts on fire, feet on the move”... So let us set out once more, illumined by our encounter with the risen Lord and prompted by his Spirit. Let us set out again with burning hearts, with our eyes open and our feet in motion. Let us set out to make other hearts burn with the word of God, to open the eyes of others to Jesus in the Eucharist, and to invite everyone to walk together on the path of peace and salvation that God, in Christ, has bestowed upon all humanity.”

There will be a second collection next Sunday. Please feel free to use the special envelopes.

We have sponsorships for the Trumpet for the year 2024 available for. They are available quarterly (Jan—March, April— June, July—September, October—December), they are \$40 each quarter. If you are interested please contact the office. If you want the Trumpet mailed to you sign up on the form at the west entrance of the church.

**October Rosary Leaders (Readers)**

**Sunday 15—** David Nowak,

**Sunday 22—** Anita Wegner,

**Sunday 29—** Sam Krings

Please join us on these days.



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**Some Thoughts on the Miracle of the Sun**

This past Friday, 13 October, was the anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun, which happened in 1917 when the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to the three children in Fatima, Portugal. Here is an excerpt from an article titled, ***“Fatima: 4 great lessons from the ‘Miracle of the Sun,’”*** written by Tom Hoopes, published on 10/13/17, and found on the Aleteia website—[aleteia.org](http://aleteia.org):

The Blessed Mother appeared to three small-town children in Portugal in 1917, calling on the world to repent and say the Rosary. At first, the only person who believed them was Ti Marto, the father of two of the children. But then, on October 13, a promised miracle — the “Miracle of the Sun” — was witnessed by 70,000 people, including skeptics and scientists. After that, everyone believed. “The sun painted the world in different colors,” described Ti Marto, who must have been as happy as the children to see it. “It moved and danced in the sky!”...God shouted a message on October 13 that is impossible to ignore.

**First: The miracle told the world of God’s huge humility.**

...God is all-powerful, with all of reality in his grasp. He is the artist of every sunset, the inventor of every wonder of nature and the author of history. He doesn’t need to give a big display to prove himself: The cosmos is big enough, thank you. But sometimes he does anyway.

...The unmistakable meaning of this miracle is that God is greater than everything we know. He is not just greater than the sun, he is greater than the laws that govern the movement of the sun. But the miracle also makes clear that God is also the “hound of heaven,” the humble God who will stop at nothing to win our love...

**Second: He made it clear that we can trust Mary.**

Fatima is not the first time heaven and earth have been moved by Mary. In the Gospel of Luke, Chapter 1, the start of God’s redemption of man hangs on a word from Mary. In the Gospel of John, Chapter 2, it is Mary who prompts Jesus’s first public miracle— the start of his ministry. In John, chapter 19, that ministry ends with Mary, too. For the Church, it’s the same way. In Acts, Chapter 1, Mary is there when the Church is formed. In Revelation, Chapter 12, she is there at its peak.

It should be no surprise that Mary remains at the center of God’s plans today. Consecrations to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, from St. Louis de Montfort to Father Michael Gaitley, have blossomed since Mary told the world at Fatima that “in the end my Immaculate Heart will triumph.”

**Third: God showed the importance of the family.**

While onlookers saw the Miracle of the Sun, the three shepherd children saw something different: They saw the image of a father and son. St. Joseph and the Child Jesus appear in the sky, with Jesus blessing the whole world. It is as if Mary, after drawing the world’s attention to God’s call for repentance and to prayer, wanted to showcase what was most important. Not herself, not hell, and not the Holy Father or the hierarchy, all of which appeared in earlier visions — the most important thing was Jesus, the son God entrusted to the care of Joseph. The most important thing is the human family.

As Sister Lucia would later put it in a letter to a cardinal: “[T]he final battle between the Lord and the reign of Satan will be about marriage and the family. Don’t be afraid, she added, because anyone who works for the sanctity of marriage and the family will always be fought and opposed in every way, because this is the decisive issue.”

**Fourth: She showed that children — and each of us — can change the world.**

The Miracle to the Sun (marks106) years of the Fatima experience — (106) years of Catholics praying for the conversion of Russia and praying to be saved from “the fire of hell.” It all started because Our Lady of Fatima reached out to three children, and they told the world that the fate of mankind rests not on presidents and international councils, but on each of us, praying and sacrificing for sinners. Just as it has from the very beginning.

**SILENT AUCTION**

Don’t forget to bid on the Kalahari Package if you are interested in purchasing it from the parish (Picnic). We have one bidder for \$150. We will have it available for bidders until the end of the month.