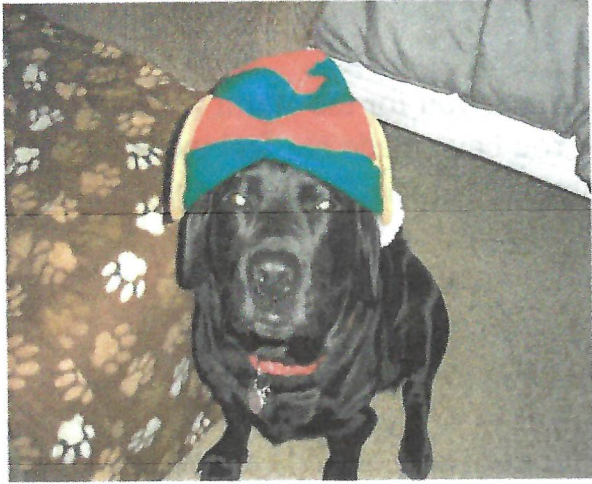


My fellow Disciples,

I want to take this opportunity to first thank you for the warm welcome you gave me on my first weekend at the parish. You have made me feel welcome in this land flowing not only with wine and cherries, but most importantly a people of great faith journeying together as Jesus' disciples on the way.

Secondly, I would like to share some information about me, which includes the following:

- I am originally from West Bend, Wisconsin where I grew up.
- I attended Holy Angels parish, where I went to grade school.
- I attended Saint Lawrence Seminary for high school. It is a private Catholic boarding school run by the Franciscan Capuchins.
- I attended St. Norbert College, where I experience the Nor Bertines.
- After graduating from St. Norberts, I entered the seminary and studied at Mundelein Seminary.
- I was ordained to the priesthood on May 23, 1998, by Bishop Robert Banks.
- My first assignment as an associate pastor was at St. Bernard parish in Green Bay with Fr. Dave Plier. I was there for 4 years.
- My second assignment was as pastor of St. Mary of the Lake parish in Lakewood, where I also had chapels in Silver Cliff and Crooked Lake. I was there for 3 years.
- My third assignment was at St. Aloysious parish in Kaukauna. After the first year I was asked by the Diocese to link the parishes of St. Aloysious and St. Mary in Kaukauna and St. Francis in Hollandtown. After the second year the parishes merged to become St. Katherine Drexel parish. I was in Kaukauna for a total of 12 years. I would have stayed there longer, but as they say, too much of a good thing.
- My next assignment was at Most Blessed Sacrament parish in Oshkosh. I was there for 9 years. If you add up the years, I have been ordained a priest for 28 years.
- I have 2 brothers, Louis and Francis, who are both married, and a sister Maureen, who died while I was in Oshkosh.
- Both my parents, James and Marion, are both deceased. My mom also died when I was in Oshkosh.
- As you already know, I have a black lab named Rose Bud Lite. She is 7 going on 8. She is an English lab with short legs and snout. The way to her



heart as you will find out is through her stomach. I got her while I was at Most Blessed Sacrament, and I shared her with Lyn Zahorik, her nanny, who would take care of her over the weekends, because I was always busy with Masses on the weekend. I will be sharing joint custody with her. She will have her for 2 weeks and then I will have her for 2 weeks. (Elf that ate Santas cookies)

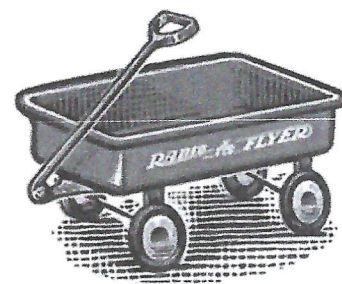
- I love to eat and how should I put this, dislike cooking. I find this an opportunity to support my local economy and to meet new people. BP across the street from the rectory in Bailey's Harbor has become my Hardee's. While I was in Oshkosh, there was a Hardee's across the street. I considered it my second kitchen.
- I love to follow sports professional and high school, such as the Packers, Badgers, Marquette, Bucks, Brewers, tennis, and golf.
- I love to support the parishes I have been at generously. How can I ask others to give if in fact I am not giving? It is said that God loves a generous giver.
- I love to help at various parish events. How can I ask people to serve in the parish if I am not willing to do so? You will probably see me walking around the parish cleaning up in some way. I am always inspired when people take the initiative and don't need to be asked.
- Most importantly I love Jesus and bringing Jesus to others through the celebration of the Sacraments, in which I get to witness the deep faith of others who are on the same journey.

Fr. Jerry Pastors



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Date: Wednesday, August 5, 2026

11:00 am Social Hour 12:30 pm Luncheon

Entertainment: George Sawyn – Ambient Music

Place: **Log Den**

6626 WI-42, Egg Harbor, WI 54209

Cost: \$60.00 includes luncheon choice, tax, tip, entertainment, door prizes and donation.

Please complete the Registration form below *choosing your lunch selection* and send with your check made out to **Christ Child Society of Door County** no later than **July 22, 2026**.

mail to: Donna Harvey 6018 Trillium Lane Sturgeon Bay, WI. 54235

Clip here and return the form below with your payment. Please complete a separate form for each attendee.

Name:	
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Please Indicate any food allergies:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Chicken Salad Croissant, served with kettle chips and fresh fruit cup. Dessert
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Thank You!