

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CATHEDRAL


SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST, 2026

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Liturgical Schedule

Tuesday (2/3): 8:30AM at St. John
Wednesday (2/4): 8:30AM at Cathedral
Thursday (2/5): 8:30AM at St. John
Friday (2/6): ****No 8:30AM Mass****
-Bishop Banks funeral at 11:00AM
Saturday (2/7): 4:00PM at Cathedral
Sunday (2/8): 9:00AM at Cathedral
10:30AM at St. John 

Confession

Wednesday (2/4): 6:00-7:30PM at Cathedral
Saturday (2/7): 8:00-9:00AM at Cathedral

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday (2/4): 3:00-8:00PM at Cathedral
Solemn Benediction to follow at 8:00PM

The 9:00AM Sunday Mass at the Cathedral is broadcasted on Relevant Radio 1050AM.

Mass with Bishop Ricken airs on WFRV-TV-Channel 5 Sunday at 7:30AM

Please Note: If the Green Bay Public Schools are closed due to the weather,
No daily Mass, Adoration, or Confession will be held at Cathedral or St. John the Evangelist.
If school is delayed, no morning Mass. If the schools have an early release, no Adoration or Confession.



4th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

"Blessed are the poor in spirit."
Mt 5:3

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Monday: By Appointment Only

Tuesday: 12:30PM - 4:00PM

Wednesday & Thursday: 9:30AM - 4:00PM

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MASS INTENTIONS | Saint Francis Xavier Cathedral

Saturday	January 31st	4:00 PM	David & Mary Patterson
Sunday	February 1st	9:00 AM	† Ed Schuch
Wednesday	February 4th	8:30 AM	John DeLeers
Friday	February 6th	8:30 AM	*No Mass*
Saturday	February 7th	4:00 PM	† Sally Cywinski and † Helen Chekouras
Sunday	February 8th	9:00 AM	Doctors, Nurses, Patients, and all Healthcare Workers

Mass Intentions

We have several available Mass offerings
for 2026.

Some dates available are:

Friday— February 27th

Saturday — February 28th

Saturday — March 7th

Wednesday — March 11th

Friday— March 13th

Sunday — March 15th

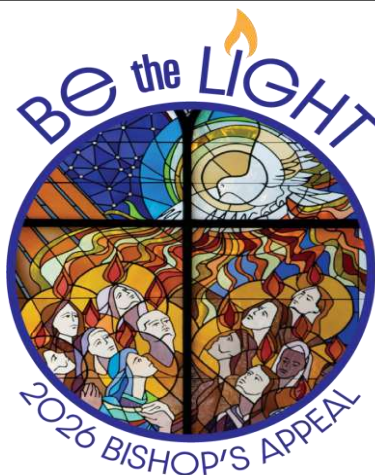
There is a \$20 stipend per Mass.

Please call Jolene in the office to schedule,
920-432-4348 Thank you!

Offerings

1/18/2026

Envelopes	6,974.57
Loose	766.16
Other	58.00
Total	7,798.73
YTD Income	318,966.34
YTD Expense	456,682.14
	(137,715.80)



What is the Bishop's Appeal?

The Bishop's Appeal is a stewardship opportunity for each of us to reach out to thousands of people in search of Jesus' love. Each gift given supports the ministries of the Diocese of Green Bay which serve our parishes, Catholic schools, and communities. Your gift truly helps bring the heart and hands of Christ to our children, young adults, families, and neighbors here in northeastern Wisconsin. To make a gift today, contact your parish, make a gift online at www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give or call Tammy at 920-272-8123

Have you considered singing in the Cathedral Choir?

This ministry is vital to our mission as the Cathedral, leading vibrant sacred music at our Sunday Mass and supporting additional liturgies throughout the year. Now is an excellent time to join, as we are beginning our preparations for Lent, Holy Week, and Easter. To learn more, contact our Director of Music, Michael Miller, at sfxmusic1851@gmail.com

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

But I will leave as a remnant in your midst a people humble and lowly. (Zep 3:12)

Psalms:

Blessed are the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! (Ps 146)

Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

Rather, God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise, and God chose the weak of the world to shame the strong. (1 Cor 1:27)

Gospel:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." (Mt 5:3)

Readings for the week of February 1, 2026

Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a

Monday: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

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Pope Leo's

February

Intention:

For Children with incurable

diseases: Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

St. John the Evangelist invites you to join our 2026 Lenten small group, faith formation series. We will be reading and discussing Matthew Kelly's book *Rediscover Jesus*. Matthew boldly challenges us to pray to God to be so deeply transformed, that we might be mistaken for Jesus!

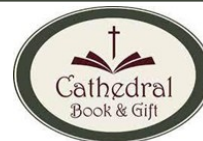
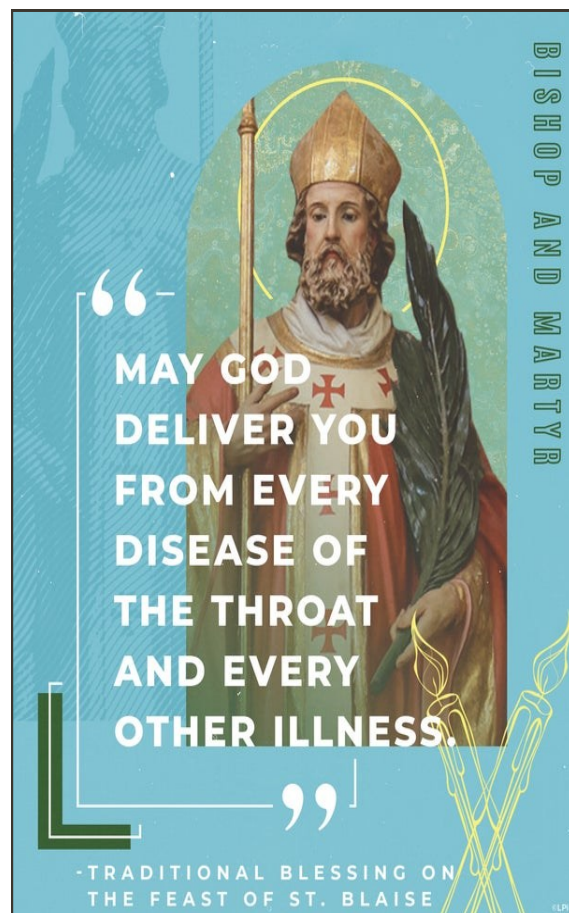
As we embark on the "Share Jesus" years of being Disciples on the Way, we acknowledge we cannot share what we ourselves do not have. Together, let us Rediscover Jesus this Lent so we can share His Good News this Easter Season and beyond.

Sessions will take place in the Ricklen Room on the following Tuesday evenings from

5:30-6:45pm:

**February 24th, March 3rd
March 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st**

Registration is required, as you will need materials to complete the pre-assignment, before attending the first meeting. To register, or if you have any questions, please contact Deacon Art. Cell #: 920-655-2481 or email: deaconartg@gmail.com



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FREE EVENT!!!

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Saturday February 14th

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MASS INTENTIONS | Saint John the Evangelist

Sunday	February 1st	10:30 AM	Fr. Ryan Krueger
Tuesday	February 3rd	8:30 AM	† Judy L'Empereur
Thursday	February 5th	8:30 AM	† Patti & Gordy Dellise
Sunday	February 8th	10:30 AM	Living and Deceased Members of St. John the Evangelist Parish

PANCAKE & SAUSAGE SOCIAL

February 1st following mass

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST
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Upcoming Lector Role

Sunday, February 8th
10:30 AM
Sharon J.

Happy Birthday

Joyce Drewiecki, Patricia Molik, Michael J,
O'Keefe, Bonnie Weydt, Olivia Laplante
& Lochlan Cullen

SJE Parish Finance Meeting
Tuesday, February 3rd, 2026
3:30-4:30 p.m.
@ Parish Office

SJE Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday, February 3rd, 2026
4:30-6:00 p.m.
@ Parish Office

Weekly Collection 1/25/26

	Actual	Budgeted	Over/(Short)
Parish Envelopes	\$ 2,937.00	\$1,827.00	\$ 1,110.00
Loose	\$ 251.50	\$ 317.30	\$ (65.80)
Total	\$ 3,188.50	\$2,144.30	\$ 1,044.20

Our prayers are with the family of long-time parishioner

Ruth Adriansen who passed away January 22, 2026.

May Ruth and all the Souls of the Faithful Departed Rest in Peace.

Mass Intentions

There are many weekday and Sunday Masses available at SJE

Please call (920)436-6380.

Suggested Donation is \$20 per Mass



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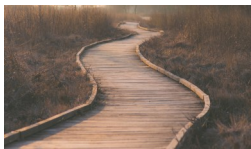
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On Our Journey...

Take up your Cross. This will be my last bulletin article before the season of Lent begins, so I want to touch on a Lenten subject. I recently heard Fr. Mike Schmitz define active and passive taking up of our crosses. I would like to briefly summarize and add to what he said because I think we can all gain something from it.

First off, let's put this saying in its proper perspective. In Jesus' days, taking up your cross meant one thing and only one thing: death. If you were carrying a cross, you were on your way to a Roman crucifixion. Today, we approach it with less vigor. Today, the cross is a difficulty in our lives, but it is still a call to die to oneself for the sake of the Kingdom.

To actively take up our crosses is something we will do for Lent. We call it fasting and almsgiving; I would not count prayer as a cross to bear, although I understand it can be difficult at certain times in our lives. These crosses are active because we are choosing the cross and how and when it will be carried.

To passively take up our cross is to be given a cross we didn't choose, and one we don't want. These can range widely from your child struggling in one of their classes to losing a loved one. The fact that we didn't choose and don't want it doesn't allow us to simply drop it.

When God is calling us to purification and to grow closer to him, he is making a greater good out of our situation, even if we can't see it. At these times, listening to his Son is extremely beneficial. "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." (Matthew 11: 28-30).

Godspeed,
Deacon Bob

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