

The Good News

October 7-8, 2023

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Holy Family Catholic Community

271 Fourth Street Way

Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

Holy Family: 4:00 pm

St. Peter: 4:00 pm

Sacred Heart: 4:00 pm

Sunday

St. Mary: 7:15 am

Holy Family: 8:00 am | 10:00 am

12:00 pm (Spanish)

St Peter: 8:30 am

Sacred Heart: 7:00 am (Spanish)

9:00 am | 11:00 am

Our Risen Savior: 10:00 am

Presentation: 10:00 am

Weekday

Monday, Wednesday | St. Mary: 12:10 pm

Tuesday, Thurs., Friday |

Holy Family: 7:00 am

Thursday | Presentation 7:30 pm

Saturday | Presentation: 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Following 7:00 am Mass at Holy Family

Monday, Wednesday

11:30 am to 12:00 pm at St. Mary

Thursday

Presentation - 6:30 - 7:15 pm

with Adoration

Friday

St. Mary - 7:00-8:00 pm primarily
in Spanish with Adoration

Saturday

After 8:00 am Mass at Presentation

3:00 to 3:45 pm at Sacred Heart

3:00 to 3:45 pm at Holy Family

3:00 to 3:45 pm at St. Peter

Sunday

9:00 to 9:45 am at Our Risen Savior

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Thank you for your support at Oktoberfest!

We would like to thank everyone who supported this year's Oktoberfest and made it a success, particularly our parishioners who volunteered and donated baskets, food, and desserts! A special thanks goes out to our sponsors: National Exchange Bank & Trust - Tent Sponsor; Zacherl Funeral Home & Holiday Automotive - Music Sponsors; Edward Jones: Patrick Ellestad, Financial Advisor - Beer Sponsor; Muthig Industries - Brats Sponsor; Uecker-Witt Funeral Home - Petting Zoo Sponsor; Meixensperger Painting - Children's Activity Sponsor (Inflatable Obstacle Course and Connect Four); Wrightway Home Improvements - Soda Sponsor; The Kant Family - Balloon Twister & Axe Throwing Sponsor; and Betty Trent - Face Painting Sponsor. We would also like to thank Argentum et Aurum Jewelry, Boy Scouts Troop 777, City of FDL Police, the Endejan Family, Festival Foods, FDL County Sheriff's Office, Grande Cheese Company, Knights of Columbus Council 664, Marian University, Mr. & Mrs. Catering, Simple Scents, St. Mary's Springs Academy, Stephanie Martin, and the Zielinski Family for their support. Please support those who support the parish.

Let us send your student a College Care Package!

Holy Family would like to send a care package to your college student! We want them to know their Catholic family is supporting and praying for them while they are at college, participating in a year of service, or other immersive learning experience. Please fill out the form at hffdl.org/college by October 21, 2023 and we will send out packages for them to enjoy!

Knights of Columbus Religious Appreciation Night, reservations due Tuesday

All are welcome to attend the Knights of Columbus Council 664 of Fond du Lac's 46th annual Religious Appreciation Night at Avenue 795 (K of C Hall), 795 Fond du Lac Ave., Fond du Lac on Oct. 15. To show their appreciation for all the work our religious do for community, the Knights invited all religious throughout Fond du Lac County to attend. A social will be held at 3:30 pm with a buffet dinner (baked chicken and tenderloin tips) at 4:30 pm followed by an entertaining program. Cost is nineteen dollars per person. Call Avenue 795 at (920) 921-1290 for reservations by October 10.

What it is like be homeless in America? Attend documentary screening Monday

All are encouraged to learn about what it is like to be homeless by attending a screening of the documentary *The Invisible Class*, presented by Holy Family, Fond du Lac County Area United Way, and Marian University, at 5:30 pm on Monday, October 9 at the Marian University Stayer Center. The documentary will show the experience of the homeless in America and examine its causes.

Widows Welcoming Widows to host game day Tuesday

Widows Welcoming Widows will meet at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, October 10 in Holy Family Hall. This is a game day, so please bring your favorite game/cards and "dress to clash/not to match" (in the spirit of Halloween). Any questions, please call Kathy at (920) 904-1065 or Joanne at (920) 904-5521.

Building the Domestic Church series to begin October 11

Learn how to take the Catholic faith out of the doors of the church and into your home at Holy Family's Building the Domestic Church sessions, beginning on Wednesday, October 11 at Sacred Heart Church, 200 S. Peters Ave.! Running from 6:20 to 7:20 pm, the topic of this session is "Getting Your Kids to Heaven - Fostering their Vocation" and will feature Fr. Matthew Kirk.

Altar Server Training set for Saturday, October 14

Any children who are new to Altar Serving or in need of a refresher can attend our Altar Server training from 8:00 to 10:00 am Saturday, October 14 at Holy Family. Boys and girls in the 3rd grade or older who are interested in serving for Saturday/Sunday Masses throughout our parish are welcome to attend.

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Consider Holy Family's RCIA program

Are you wondering what path God has in mind for you? See what awaits you in the Catholic Church by joining our RCIA program. RCIA is a process through which non-baptized men and women enter the Catholic Church. Adults from other faith traditions and those baptized Catholic but not raised Catholic are also welcome. The program will begin at the end of this month. To learn more and to sign up, please visit hffdl.org/rcia.

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 9

St. Mary (SM) 12:10 pm: The Intention of Fr. Pedro Ruiz and the Elsie Kiefer Family

Tuesday, October 10

HF 7:00 am: Bonney Zimmer (Anniversary)

Wednesday, October 11

SM 12:10 pm: Terry Neumann & John Jackl

Thursday, October 12

HF 7:00 am: Nicholas Jaber

Presentation (P) 7:30 pm: Fr. Vic Capriolo

Friday, October 13

HF 7:00 am: Gabriel Buncsack

Saturday, October 14

P 8:00 am: John & Clare Fontecchio and Clement & Marie Benzie

Saint Peter (SP) 4:00 pm: Esther Freund

HF 4:00 pm: William & Mary Beam

- Krystyna Beer
- Stan Birschbach
- The Living & Deceased of the Pete & Vi Casper Family
- Andrew Glaeser
- Donald Kline, David Sr. & Genevieve Boulay, and David Boulay Jr.
- Sarah C. Gannon

Saturday, October 14 continued

Sacred Heart (SH) 4:00 pm: Jerry Van Deraa (Anniversary)

Sunday, October 15

SH (Spanish) 7:00 am: For the Parishioners

SM 7:15 am: Elmer & Norma Stahl

HF 8:00 am: Pat & Fran Brux

SP 8:30 am: B.W., E.W., A.K. D.K. & John Halcovich

SH 9:00 am: Donald Kohlman (Anniversary)

P 10:00 am: Doloris Jasman

ORS 10:00 am: Beverly Chrisman

HF 10:00 am: Donald, Rosemary & David Schmitz

SH 11:00 am: Schob Family

- Elly Becker (Birthday & Anniversary)
- The Living and Deceased of the Dale & Joanne
- Marilyn Haessly
- Jeff Faris
- Hildegarde Schmechel
- Paul & Karen Faris and their Family
- Sister Jean Steffes & John Louis Steffes

HF(Spanish) 12:00 pm: For the Parishioners

Dear Friends,

Praised be Jesus Christ!

On the heels of Saturday's great Oktoberfest celebration, as we gather to worship the Lord this weekend, we hear often of the vineyard in our readings, one of the images privileged most by all of Sacred Scripture, to speak of the Father's love, and to call us back to lives of fidelity.

Recently, our parish community gathered to mourn, remember, and offer the Mass of Christian Burial for Father Ed Sippel, who died on Wednesday, September 27, 2023, at the age of 101.

As many of us already know, Father Sippel faithfully served as a priest for so many years in the vineyard of the Lord, 76 to be exact, and spent most of them right here in Fond du Lac.

During his comments at the end of Mass, Archbishop ListECKI surmised that throughout his priestly ministry, Father Sippel would have offered and prayed the Mass some 25,000 times.

As I knelt before Father's casket during the visitation, I couldn't help but be drawn not only to his outer vestment, which was adorned with the image of a chalice and host, but also to his hands, consecrated on the day of his ordination, June 7, 1947 at our Cathedral in Milwaukee.



From that day forth, the hands of Father Sippel so often were stretched forth in the vineyard, be they to absolve a fellow disciple of their sins in the name of Jesus, to celebrate a child's baptism, to elevate the Holy Eucharist at Mass, to offer that last anointing ... not to mention to garden, to play his favorite instrument, or even, as his obituary reminded us, to mix a Manhattan (or two)!

The Lord calls us back to His appointed vineyard this weekend. Inspired by the faithful witness of Father Sippel, so we also go, with hands outstretched, in prayer and in thanksgiving.

Eternal rest grant unto Father Sippel, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen. And may his soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Very truly yours,

Fr. Michael J. Malucha

<p>HOLY FAMILY WARMING SHELTER: WE NEED YOUR HELP! Would you like to help us care for the homeless in our community at our new Holy Family Warming Shelter? We have many ways for you to support this effort, such as volunteering at the shelter, donating meals, or purchasing items for the shelter on our Amazon Wish List. To learn more, please visit hffdl.org/warming-shelter.</p>	<p>OUR DEARLY DEPARTED May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: Geraldine Anderson & Eleanor Dillenburg</p>
<p>BLOOD DRIVE OCTOBER 11 Help to save lives by donating blood at our Holy Family Blood Drive on Wednesday, October 11 from noon to 5:00 pm in Holy Family Hall, 271 Fourth Street Way. Sign up today at bit.ly/holyfamilycatholicoct11 or by calling 877-232-4376.</p>	<p> WEDDING BANS  October 7, 2023 Ryan Theisen & Lindsay Jo Vander Grinten at Holy Family October 7, 2023 Paul Steininger & Rosalba Steininger at Sacred Heart</p>

MILWAUKEE ARCHDIOCESE COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN FALL MEETING

The Milwaukee Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women Fall Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 12 in Holy Family Parish Hall. 271 Fourth St. Way, Fond du Lac. Registration and continental breakfast will begin at 8:30 am, followed by the business meeting. The day will include a talk from Patty King on the subject of Eucharist Miracles, Mass at 11:00 am, and a luncheon to follow. Reservations are due by October 9 to Charmaine Jenkins by calling (920) 251-1440. Cost is \$10 per person.

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