



# SACRED HEART

CATHOLIC CHURCH

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD • January 1, 2012

## Masses for the Lord's Day

Saturday Afternoon - 4:30 pm • Sunday Morning - 8:00 and 10:00 am

## The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday - 3:30 to 4:00 pm or By Appointment

### Pastoral Staff

Fr. Ronald O. Crewe, Pastor  
Mr. Mark Lyons, Director of Religious Education  
Mr. Mike Iggulden, Pastoral Associate  
Mrs. Marsha Iggulden, Pastoral Associate  
Mr. George Baumgardt, Director of Liturgical Music  
Mr. Al Pfeiffer, Business Manager  
Mrs. Chris Zurawski, Secretary  
Mrs. Sharon Stefka, Secretary  
Mrs. Shannon Kaplan, Director of BASC  
Mr. Pierre N. Antoine, Principal  
Mrs. Sara Fischer, School Secretary  
Mr. Keith Williams, Maintenance

### Parish Council

Ms. Mary Ann Konsin, Trustee	262-639-2677
Mr. Don Trottier, Trustee	262-886-6529
Mr. Larry Wilson, Chairperson	262-835-2012
Ms. Veronica Cabiro, Vice Chairperson	262-681-2869
Mr. Paul Noelke, Secretary	262-886-6408
Mr. Richard Blackwell	262-639-8339
Mrs. Michelle Hanson	847-406-7449
Mr. Pat McCray	262-634-5526
Mr. Paul Schumacher	262-884-4609
Mrs. Terry Smith	262-619-0070
Mr. Matt Winkler	262-681-1788
Mr. David Kleba, RIC Liaison	262-886-2945

### Parish Office

2201 Northwestern Avenue  
Phone: 634-5526 FAX: 634-5767  
Hours: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday through Friday  
[www.sacredheartracine.com](http://www.sacredheartracine.com)

### Pastoral Associates

2201 Northwestern Avenue Phone: 634-5526

### Christian Youth Formation

2201 Northwestern Avenue Phone: 634-3607

### Baptisms

Second Sunday of the month during the 10:00 am Mass or the Fourth Sunday at 11:30 am. Please make arrangements at the parish office.  
*(Guidelines available from the parish office)*

### Weddings

Please call the parish priest at least six months in advance to make arrangements.  
*(Guidelines available from the parish office)*

**Registration** Contact the parish office - 634-5526

**Office of Catholic Cemeteries** 639-1071

### John Paul II Academy

2023 Northwestern Avenue  
Phone: 637-2012 FAX: 637-5130  
[jpiiacademy.eduk12.net](http://jpiiacademy.eduk12.net)

### Before and After School Center

2201 Northwestern Avenue Phone: 634-4412

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## Sacred Heart Catholic Church — Racine

### MASSES

#### SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Saturday, December 31, 2011

4:30 PM † Howard Ruetz/Barbara Ruetz  
Family

#### MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

Sunday, January 1, 2012

8:00 AM For the living and deceased  
members of Sacred Heart Parish

10:00 AM For Peace in the World

Tuesday, January 3, 2012

7:00 PM Living and deceased members of  
the Sacred Heart Holy Name  
Society

Wednesday, January 4, 2012

7:00 AM † Patricia Kritzcki

Thursday, January 5, 2012

7:00 AM † Monica Beatty Darga

#### THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Saturday, January 7, 2012

4:30 PM † Mary Mich/Mich Family

Sunday, January 8, 2012

8:00 AM † Father Aloysius Klas

10:00 AM For the living and deceased  
members of Sacred Heart Parish

### INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER

#### January

#### *General Intention: Victims of Natural Disasters*

That the victims of natural disasters may receive the spiritual and material comfort they need to rebuild their lives.

#### *Mission Intention: Dedication to Peace*

That the dedication of Christians to peace may bear witness to the name of the Christ before all men and women of good will.

### ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, January 7, 2012

4:30 PM Erin McCauley, Norah McCauley

Sunday, January 8, 2012

8:00 AM Patrick Anderson, Ethan Hartung

10:00 AM Andrew Cypcar, Sarah Cypcar

### LECTORS

Saturday, January 7, 2012

4:30 PM David McCauley

Sunday, January 8, 2012

8:00 AM Nate Nolan

10:00 AM Gary Meier

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### PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The parish office will be closed on Monday, January 2nd.

### 2011 GIVING TREE RESULTS

200+ Gifts given to 100 children.  
\$1025.00 raised collectively for HALO, SOAR,  
SAFE Haven, and Women's Resource Center.

### CALENDAR

#### SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Saturday, December 31, 2011

3:30 PM - Reconciliation

#### MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

Sunday, January 1, 2012

Monday, January 2, 2012

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, January 3, 2012

JPH Academy classes resume

6:30 PM - Rosary for Peace

7:00 PM - Mass followed by Novena in honor of  
Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Wednesday, January 4, 2012

6:00 PM - CYF grades 1-12

Thursday, January 5, 2012

6:15 PM - Bell Choir

7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Friday, January 6, 2012

12:00 PM - Articles for the *January 15th* bulletin  
are due.

#### THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Saturday, January 7, 2012

3:30 PM - Reconciliation

Sunday, January 8, 2012

11:00 AM - Youth Choir

11:00 AM - St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

11:00 AM - Confirmation Class

### PRAYER FOR JANUARY 1ST SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

O, Alone of all women, Mother and Virgin, Mother most happy, Virgin most pure, now we sinful as we are, come to see thee who are all pure. We salute thee, we honor thee as how we may with our humble offering: May thy Son grant us, that imitating thy most holy manners, we also, by the grace of the Holy Ghost, may deserve spiritually to conceive the Lord Jesus in our inmost soul, and once conceived never to lose him. Amen.

Prayer to Our Lady of Walsingham  
Erasmus, pilgrim +1536

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### MASS CHANGE AT SACRED HEART

Starting Friday, January 6, 2012, we will not have a morning Mass on Fridays. For your convenience, we are including the Mass times for the other area parishes.

St. Ed's 8:00 a.m. St. Joe's 8:00 a.m.

St. John's 8:00 a.m. St. Lucy's 8:10 a.m.

St. Paul's 8:15 a.m. St. Richard's 8:00 a.m.

St. Rita's 8:00 a.m.

### THIS IS WHY I'M CATHOLIC

You are invited to our FREE tri-parish collaborative video series, Catholicism. Critically-acclaimed and groundbreaking, Fr. Robert Barron (a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago and head of "Word on Fire" Catholic Media) uses art, architecture, literature, music and all the treasures of the Church to examine major themes within Catholicism. Offered Mondays from 6-7:30 p.m. in Sacred Heart's Haban Hall (Jan. 16-Mar. 26), Tuesdays from 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in St. John Nepomuk's rectory (Jan. 17-Mar. 27), or Thursdays from 5:30-7 p.m. in St. Joseph's School cafeteria (Jan. 19-Mar. 29). If you wish to purchase a study guide, the cost is \$25. To register, please contact Mark Lyons at 634-3607 or [lyonsm@archmil.org](mailto:lyonsm@archmil.org). Visit [www.wordonfire.org/The-Catholicism-Project](http://www.wordonfire.org/The-Catholicism-Project).

Mark Lyons, Director of Religious Education  
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### CONGRATULATIONS

Thirty students from Sacred Heart and St. John Nepomuk received their first reconciliation on Saturday December 17th.

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### RITE OF ACCEPTANCE

On Sunday, December 18th, the following individuals wanting to be fully initiated into the Catholic Church were welcomed by Father Crewe at the 10:00 a.m. Mass: Mr. Larry Spaulding, Mrs. Dawn Gibson, 4th grader Lucas Woodward (Gibson), 7th grader Haley Stein (Gibson), and 7th grader Ariel Goodluck (Masik-Cannady).

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### WEEKLY BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

Our weekly parish bulletin depends on our advertisers. Please be sure to show your appreciation by patronizing them when you can by telling them where you saw their advertisement. We invite the business people in our parish to consider an ad in the Bulletin as a good number already do. If you would like to explore the possibility you can contact the Liturgical Publications representative, Jeff Dunham at (950)950-9952 ext 2572.

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### IN LOVING MEMORY

Our sympathy and the promise of our prayers to the family of Bernard Henkes. He will be remembered in prayer and Mass at Sacred Heart with all of our beloved dead. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

### JPII ACADEMY

#### *Dine Out for JPIIA 2012!*

Be sure to mark your calendars! We have two dine out nights to start off the 2012 calendar year. We have a new dine out night at the **Chancery on January 11th**. They will donate 10% of their total dining room sales from the evening (both food and beverage totals of anyone who is dining that night!) So if you purchase scrip for that evening that gives us 30%! Then on **January 17th we will be dining out at Noodles & Company**. They will donate 25% of all sales that mention JPIIA when ordering. Again if you purchase Noodles & Company gift cards through scrip that gives us 34%! So be sure to mark down the 11th and 17th and be sure to order your Chancery and Noodles and Company Scrip!

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### HUMAN CONCERNS

- **Food Donation Weekend**  
*Jan 14th and 15th*

You may drop off your non perishable food items in the ushers room after all Masses. Thank you for your donations to the Racine Catholic Food Pantry.

- **Community Meals - January 12th**  
*5:00 p.m. St. Patrick's McCarthy Hall*

Salad pans will be on a table in Haban Hall next weekend. If you are bringing desserts, please use disposable containers. You may deliver items to McCarthy Hall by 5:00 p.m. After January 8th, the pans will be in the entryway of the parish office. If you will to help with the meal, please contact Ellen at 633-5711. Thank you.

- **Mission Circle Needs**

We are in need of yarn to make lap robes and afghans. No wool please. There is a basket in the ushers room under the table marked "Yarn for Missions". We can also use batting for making small stuffed toys for children. We meet on Thursdays at 12:30 PM at St. John Nepomuk Family Center. No sewing skills are required and all ages are welcome. The Mission Circle also accepts religious articles which can be placed in the yarn basket. Thank you for your support and generosity. Marlene Nievin

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### TRAVELING TOGETHER IN HOPE

#### *From the Catholic Bishops of Wisconsin A Pastoral Letter on Immigration*

This letter is available in Haban Hall. Please take a copy and read. You may also go to the Justice for Immigrants website for more information ([www.justiceforimmigrants.org](http://www.justiceforimmigrants.org))

**Dear Parishioners**

Dorothy Klumyan is a member of our Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women from Fond du Lac and every year she composes a beautiful Christmas message for her family and friends. She concludes with an exhortation and again I want to borrow it and make it my own to you with my thanks for your kindness, thoughtfulness and generosity during this Holy Season: "Please remember as you kneel in your church Christmas Eve to wish HIM a Happy Birthday. Please join me in putting St. Vincent de Paul on top of your Christmas list this season. Never before have there been so many needy families in our Community. Walk in HIS shoes and make it a real Christmas. God is counting on you! Keep our Armed Forces in your prayers. Pray for peace."

*Faxler Crewe*

**How beautiful upon the mountains  
are the feet of him who brings glad tidings,**

Announcing peace, bearing good news,  
announcing salvation, and saying to Zion,  
"Your God is King!"

Hark! Your watchmen raise a cry,  
together they shout for joy,  
for they see directly, before their eyes,  
the Lord restoring Zion.

For the Lord comforts his people,  
he redeems Jerusalem.

The Lord has bared his holy arm  
in the sight of all the nations;

**All the ends of the earth will behold  
the salvation of our God.**

(Isaiah 52:7-10)

Liturgy of the Hours (The Divine Office)  
For December 24th

**Reflection of St. Augustine (354-430 A.D.) on  
Christmas from a Sermon (185: PL 38,997-999)**

Awake, mankind! For your sake God has become man. Awake, you who sleep, rise up from the dead, and Christ will enlighten you. You would have suffered eternal death, had he not been born in time. Never would you have been freed from sinful flesh, had he not taken on himself the likeness of sinful flesh. You would have suffered everlasting unhappiness, had it not been for this mercy. You would never have returned to life, had he not shared your death. You would have been lost if he had not hastened to your aid. You would have perished, had he not come. Let us then joyfully celebrate the coming of our salvation and redemption. Let us celebrate the festive day on which he who is the great and eternal day came from the great and endless day of eternity into our own short day of time. Christ who said, I am the Truth, was born of a virgin. And justice looked down from heaven: because believing in this new-born child, man is justified not by himself but by God.

**"LIVING OUR FAITH"  
WITH ARCHBISHOP LISTECKI**

*January 7th*

The January 7th episode of "Living Our Faith with Archbishop ListECKI" will look at trends in Catholic education in southeastern Wisconsin, including a focus on regionalization and collaboration to ensure sustainability and accessibility. Our feature showcases Catholic East Elementary, Milwaukee, which is the first archdiocesan school to receive an award from "Schools That Can," a non-profit organization committed to growing seats of quality education for low-income students around the United States. Also tune in to learn more about a pastoral letter on immigration issued by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, as well as Archbishop ListECKI's thoughts on the upcoming 39th anniversary of Roe V. Wade. Watch "Living Our Faith with Archbishop ListECKI," presented by Catholic Financial Life, on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at noon, on WISN TV 12. Can't watch it? DVR it, or view it the following week at [www.livingourfaith.net](http://www.livingourfaith.net).

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**BECOME A FRIAR**

*Who are the Capuchins?*

The Capuchin Franciscan friars will be holding a weekend in Milwaukee for men [ages 18-45] who are interested in learning about religious life and seeing how Capuchins live as Franciscans in our world and in the Church today. The weekend is **February 3-5, 2012**. If you would like to attend, have questions, or want to recommend someone for the weekend, call (313) 595-2182 or email the Vocation Office at: [vocation@capuchinfranciscans.org](mailto:vocation@capuchinfranciscans.org)

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**REMINDER:**

The deadline for filing Abuse Survivor Claims in the Milwaukee Archdiocese Bankruptcy is February 1, 2012. More information is available at [www.archmil.org/reorg/bardate.htm](http://www.archmil.org/reorg/bardate.htm).

## ***Sacred Heart Parish Mission Statement***

***Sacred Heart Congregation recognizes our engagement in the Mission of Jesus to build the Kingdom of God here and now. We affirm God's gifts to this diverse community and strive to live out the following beliefs:***

***WE BELIEVE that we are the living presence of Jesus. We gather to celebrate and proclaim the Good News by our active participation through our worship life.***

***WE BELIEVE that we are called to provide Christ-centered formation and education for all our members based on Scripture and Catholic Tradition. We recognize the need to nurture growth in faith in all ages.***

***WE BELIEVE in the dignity of all people. We dedicate our faith community as servants for others within our parish and in our community. Our efforts will reflect our dedication for social justice and concern for the poor.***

***WE BELIEVE in the just stewardship of time, talent and treasure through the cooperative efforts of the pastoral team and parish membership.***

***WE BELIEVE that we must strive to help all people share more fully in the love of Jesus Christ by being an inviting and welcoming community.***