

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 27 (St. Monica)

6:45am - ☩ Carol Kobussen

Tuesday, August 28 (St. Augustine)

6:45am - Communion Service (No Mass)

8:45am - ☩ Veronica Verhamme

7:00pm - ☩ Family Prayer Night Mass

Wednesday, August 29 (Martyrdom of John the Baptist)

6:45am - ☩ For the People of St. Agnes Parish

Thursday, August 30

8:45am - ☩ James Quigley and Adeline Aschenbrenner

Friday, August 31

6:45am - ☩ Richard and Patricia Bruehl

Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Saturday, September 1

4:15pm - ☩ Amy Jacobs

Sunday, September 2 - Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

* 8:00am - ☩ John McNamara

9:30am - ☩ John Gillis

11:00am - ☩ Ken Linders

* Communion is both the Body and Blood of Christ

Fr. Richard Getchel – 4:15 & 8:00 Masses

Fr. Mark Falcone, O.Praem. - 9:30 & 11:00 Masses

Deacon Dan Schuster will assist at all the Masses

The rosary is prayed every Monday, Wednesday & Friday after the 6:45am Mass and before the 8:45am Mass on Tuesday & Thursday.

Family Prayer Night on Tuesday begins with the rosary at 6:30pm. Confession is available beginning at 6:30pm until 6:50pm. Mass begins at 7:00pm.



Everyday Evangelizing

All of us are called to evangelize and this can be done in simple ways in our everyday lives. A suggestion this week:

On Monday we remember St. Monica and on Tuesday, her son, St. Augustine. Their lives teach us about the power of prayer and perseverance. Monica relied completely on God to change Augustine's pagan way of life. Augustine struggled spiritually for 28 years, then was baptized and became a bishop. He preached every day for 35 years. When we face struggles in our lives, we can follow the saints' examples. Place everything in God's hands and pray every day, listening for God's response.

Your Support of St. Agnes Parish Through Sacrificial Giving

Weekly Envelopes (August 18/19)	\$9,394.50
Offertory Collection (August 18/19)	1,271.57
Children's Envelopes	2.75
Repair & Replacement Envelopes	66.00
All Assistance Funds (this week)	10.00

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Our Own Parish News

TO THE VISITORS WITHIN OUR DOORS!

St. Agnes Parish welcomes you into our parish community this weekend. We sincerely hope you feel at home and among friends. If you are a visitor just for today, we bid you Godspeed on your journey. If you are seeking a Church home, we will welcome you into our parish family here at St. Agnes. Call our parish office at 494-2534.

Seminarian Collection 2007

Next weekend our parish is taking a special collection for the training of seminarians in the Diocese of Green Bay. As a Diocese, it is anticipated that there will be costs of about \$600,000 this year for tuition, room & board, health insurance, and other expenses for our seminarians. These young men are hope for the future. Thank you for your generosity as you help them today!

Deacon Dan Schuster, who has been our 'adopted seminarian' will assist at all the Masses next weekend and speak about the importance of this collection. Thanks for your generosity!

FOCCUS

FOCCUS is an internationally used Inventory to Marriage Preparation. There are 156 statements which enable engaged couples to explore their relationship. St. Agnes Parish is looking for married couples who are interested in working with engaged couples preparing to marry here in our parish. As a facilitator couple you will introduce and administer FOCCUS. After processing and studying the couple's answer sheets, you meet and discuss the results with the engaged couple. A training session is being offered September 7-8 by the Diocese of Green Bay. The cost will be covered by the parish. Please contact Fr. Getchel or Deacon Jim Gauthier if you are interested in joining the four other couples we presently have.

CAN YOU SING?

The St. Agnes Adult Choir will be starting to practice on Thursday, September 6 at 6:30pm in the Church. Any new members are most welcome! Questions can be directed to our choir director, Kelly, at 606-0934.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS - RCIA

If you or someone you know is considering joining (converting) to the Catholic Faith and you would like to know how, where and when you might be able to do this, please call Deacon Jim Gauthier at our Parish Office at 494-2534. Thanks!

SOAP - SHAMPOO - CONDITIONER - LOTION - RAZORS TOOTHPASTE - TOOTHBRUSHES - SHAVING CREAM

Are you a frequent traveler? DO you spend way too many nights away from home and in a motel room? Well, as long as you are there, here is something you can do to help out some folks less fortunate than you. If you would bring back those toiletries, we can put packets together for those at the NEW Community Shelter and other community shelters. There is a drop-off box in Lobas Lounge or you can also bring them to the Parish Office. Thanks in advance!

NEW TITLES AVAILABLE!

In the Reading Room, across from the restrooms in Church are many new titles of Care Notes. Please help yourself to any that you might find helpful for yourself or someone you know. There is no charge for these booklets, they continue to be an ongoing Memorial given in the name of *Rosetta Francois* by her husband Larry.

GRANT RECEIVED

Thanks to the Board of Directors of the John & Janet VandenWymelenberg Foundation, St. Agnes Parish received a check in the amount of \$2,000 to aid our Neighborhood Outreach and Assistance programs. Thank you!

All of our Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Commentators are asked to stop in the sacristy after Mass for their new schedules.

Religious Education & Youth Ministry Center

Avoid the Rush! Kick-off for the 2007/08 Religious Education classes is September 19. Don't forget to register -or- re-register your children before that date, in order to save you some time during the hustle and bustle of that evening. For more information call the Center at 494-6450.

St. John Bosco Youth Day 2007: This event will be held at Holy Hill on Saturday, September 29. The Theme is "*We Want to See Jesus!*" Last year over 1800 young people attended this event. A day of music, games, food, talks and prayer. Contact Ellen if you would like more information. Use your artistic abilities to design a T-shirt for our group. If your design is selected, the parish pays for your trip!

Viri Ecclesiae: Are you a young Catholic man who is looking for food, fellowship, and faith on Sunday nights? Then you should come to the Xavier House at 220 S. Michigan St. in De Pere at 6pm. This will be happening throughout the summer, so come by & meet other faith filled men. Dads are welcome too! Contact Fr. Tom Long at 450-8259 or vocations@gbdioc.org for more information.

Holy Family School News

Orientation Schedule: The 2007-2008 school year is just around the corner. On Wednesday, August 29, **New Family Orientation** will be held 5:30-6pm in the Social Hall and **Orientation for all families** begins at 6:00pm. Please bring school supplies with you this evening.

School Begins: Classes for grades K-8 begin on Tuesday, September 4. We ask your prayers for all teachers/staff and students as we begin a new school year.

Earn Cash for the Kids! Here are two easy opportunities for Holy Family parents and their friends and family to register for free, and earn cash for our school. Log on to www.boxtops4education and register for free. Any internet shopping you do through this website qualifies our school for 1-5% cash back. Stores include: Land's End, Old Navy, Gap, JC Penny's, Kohl's and many more. Think Back to School shopping! Or, log on to www.target.com/tcoe to register your Visa card by selecting Holy Family School. 1% of all your Target Visa purchases will be cash back for our school. **Office Depot** gives 5% of your purchases back to our school. Use the school's ID #7010828 every time you shop Office Depot.

School Lunch Program: With this announcement HFS makes known its policy for children unable to pay the full price for meals served under the National School Lunch Program. A copy of the policy is available in the School Office or in the Parish Office for your review. Children from families whose annual income is at or between \$17, 160 and \$62,160, depending on family size (actual *Family Size Income Scale* is posted outside the school office), may be eligible for free or reduced meal prices.

Entertainment Book 2008: Holy Family School's *In Touch With the Arts* program is once again selling the **Entertainment Book**. These books could help save your family money on car rentals, dining, entertainment, shopping, etc. The books are now available at St. Agnes Parish office and at the Holy Family School office for \$30 each. We greatly appreciate all your support for this fantastic program for our children. Thank you!

Things We Collect! Boxes are placed in the Lobas Lounge of the Church for you to deposit CUB Food receipts; "*Box Tops for Education*" from General Mills boxtops; UPC's from Campbell's Soup; and "*Give 'Em Five*" from Kemps and "*Kids, Caps & Cash*" from Morning Glory specially marked caps & proof of purchase symbols; used inkjet cartridges.

Also located in Lobas Lounge are containers placed there by the Lion's Club for you to deposit your old prescription eye glasses and hearing aids; the Knights of Columbus are collecting old cell phones for Special Olympics; and the Mission Office of the diocese is asking for rosaries to be sent to the missions or donations for shipping.

Area News Of Interest

FALL MINISTRY TRAINING: THE GIFT OF PRAYER

Training will be offered on Saturday, September 8, 9am - Noon, at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. The morning will be facilitated by Dr. Karin Posdal. All lay ministers and anyone interested in ministry are invited to attend. The fee is \$20 prepaid or \$25 at the door. For more information call 272-8310.

YOU CAN HELP YOUR MARRIAGE

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue, or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make things worse? *Retrouvaille* helps couples through difficult times in their marriages and has helped 10's of 1000's of couples. For confidential information on the September 14 -16 weekend at St. Norbert Abbey, please call 490-6518.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Married Couples, would you like to "*Discover Each Other Again?*" A Marriage Encounter Weekend offers you this experience. It's a time to renew your relationship, away from the everyday distractions of life. It's an opportunity to strengthen your communication and promote greater intimacy in your life together. You don't need a Marriage Encounter Weekend, but you deserve one! "Discover Each Other Again", more deeply, honestly and warmly. Green Bay will be hosting a weekend at Camp Tekawitha on September 14-16 and at St. Norbert Abbey on November 9-11. For more information and to obtain a brochure, contact Sue & Dennis Amtmann at 544-5166.

CASA

CASA of Brown county is looking for volunteers. CASA stands for Court Appointed Special Advocates. We are a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing volunteer advocates for children placed under court supervision because of abuse or neglect. Volunteers provide close, consistent contact with children, seeking to assure them a safe, permanent home. If you are 21 years of age and willing to commit your time to these children, please contact our office at 437-2272.

ROSARIES NEEDED

The office of World Mission Services of the Green Bay Diocese is in need of new or used rosaries (in good condition - no broken rosaries please) for distribution to missionaries in the field. Please bring your donations to the container located in Lobas Lounge. Small donations to help defray the shipping costs for these rosaries are always appreciated too.

*Please remember in prayer all those
men and women who serve in
the Armed Forces of our country.*