

Resurrection Catholic Parish - Allenton, WI



Saturday, January 13, 2018

6:45 p.m. - †Margaret & Allen Konrath

Sunday, January 14, 2018

8:30 a.m. - †Lawrence, Helen & Julie Becker
Ray Hefter

Monday, January 15, 2018

Tuesday, January 16, 2018

Wednesday, January 17, 2018

8:00 a.m. - †Dorothy Ritger

Thursday, January 18, 2018

Friday, January 19, 2018

8:00 a.m. - †LeRoy Ritger

Saturday, January 20, 2018

6:45 p.m. - †Bill Hart

Sunday, January 21, 2018

8:30 a.m. - †Joseph Schweitzer

Today's Focus: Anointed Then, Anointed New

We are anointed with holy oil both at our Baptism and our Confirmation. This makes us "anointed ones" for God. But the sheen of that oil disappears soon—what must remain is our living witness.

Living & Praying with the Word

Inviting God, you have called us to follow your Son, Jesus Christ, and to live as temples of your Holy Spirit. Help me to hear the voice of Jesus today, reflect upon it, and then give me the courage to act upon what I hear.

In the Midst of Winter Prayer

Lord,

In the midst of Winter, when the days are cold and wind can pierce, remind us of the warmth of Your Love.

In the midst of Winter, when days are short, dawn comes late, and dusk arrives early remind us that in the darkness Your Light still shines.

In the midst of Winter, when the flowers of spring still lie hidden in the earth, when leaves are off the trees, and the world can seem bleak,

remind us that Easter is but a short time away.

And when in our lives we feel as if we are experiencing a season of Winter, reach out to us with the power of Your Resurrection so that we may feel the warmth of Your Love and see Your Light that alone can take away the darkness of our soul.

Amen.

Ministerial Roles

6:45 p.m. Saturday, January 20, 2018

LECTOR: Donna Kanas
MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST: Donna Kanas (H)
(2) Eucharistic Ministers Needed (C)
SERVERS: (2) Servers Needed
GREETERS: Wayne & Mary Lou Sovinski
(1) Greeter Needed, Lindsey Rozek

8:30 a.m. Sunday, January 21, 2018

LECTOR: Mary Mayer
MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST: Mary Mayer (H)
(1) Eucharistic Minister Needed, Anne Wolf (C)
SERVERS: Owen, Noah & Adam Rettler
GREETERS: Larry & Joanne Greuel
Steve & Carlene Konrath

Financial Report

Membership.....	\$1,801.00
Offerings	\$294.00
Vigil Lights	\$28.00
Building Improvements	\$97.00

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The Human Concerns Committee will be meeting Wednesday, January 17th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Church Hall. We invite you to consider joining us, to bring new life and ideas to the important projects supported by the committee. If you are interested, please mark your calendar and plan to attend the meeting on Wednesday.



Knights of Columbus of Resurrection & St. Lawrence
Unity Council 12743

ANNUAL WINTER CARD PARTY

ACE SHEEPSHEAD & HEARTS SHEEPSHEAD

Sunday, January 28 / 1:00 p.m.

Resurrection Church Hall

\$5 Entry Fee—includes Lunch

Drinks available for purchase!

Raffle Items, Door Prizes, Prizes for High Score

Join us for an afternoon of Cards and Fun!

Knights of Columbus, West Bend #1964

SHEEPSHEAD & SPAGHETTI

Saturday, January 20 / 1:00 p.m.

The Columbian, West Bend

Cards—1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Spaghetti Dinner—5:00 p.m.

\$9 Entry Fee—includes Cards & Spaghetti

From the Team Moderator's Desk (Father Rick):

We Return to Ordinary Time – Until Wednesday, February 13 (Ash Wednesday), the beginning of the holy season of Lent. Sometimes we mistake the meaning of the word “ordinary” as applied to the church’s liturgical time, meaning without any exceptional or special festivity, hence, not special. Nothing could be further from the truth! Apart from seasons that have their own distinctive character, 33 or 34 weeks remain each year that, while they do not celebrate a specific aspect of the mystery of Christ, are devoted to the mystery in Christ **in all its aspects**. This period of time is called “ordinary” as we walk, in imitation of His first followers, through the many experiences they first had that drew them and led them into ever-deeper faith in Him. Traditionally this period of time was referred to as the Lord’s public life and ministry and is said to have been about 3 years until His death and resurrection. These experiences are made available in our three-year cycle of readings on Sundays; attending Mass on Sundays and holydays of obligation allows and enables us mystically to walk in the footsteps of the first apostles and disciples as they learned to live and to love as He did. Becoming more and more like Christ is never an ordinary thing!

Did You Know – That the familiar “Hail Mary” we recite wasn’t always as long or inclusive as it is today? It became a popular devotional prayer first in the 11th century, then consisting only of the scriptural salutations to Mary, Gabriel’s and Elizabeth’s – “Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women.”; by the 13th century the Holy Name “Jesus” was added to the final salutation, and, in the 15th century, an element of petition was added from the words of a homily by St. Bernardino of Siena, “Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us,” with the final words being added by sometime in the 16th century, “... now and at the hour of our death.” Things familiar that we assume have “always been that way” have a funny way of reminding us that life’s one constant is change!

Grateful words of heartfelt thanks from our 2017 Mission Appeal: “I am happy to wish you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year! I thank you very much for your many blessings, timely guidance, help, missionary support and fabulous hospitality during my visit to your parish for mission appeal. The mission appeal was a success because of your great support and generosity. On behalf of my Bishop, the priests, the religious, and the Catholics of my diocese of Kumbakonam, I convey our deep and prayerful gratitude. Requesting your invaluable prayer and blessings, yours sincerely in Our Lord, Fr. M. S. Selva Raj.

Blessed Candles for Home Use – Will be available after Masses February 3-4 in honor of Candlemas observed Friday, February 2, for a free-will offering of \$3 (or more) per candle; they are especially large, nicely embossed with a cross & enclosed in their own fire-resistant container (no need of glass sleeve). A very attractive and helpful reminder for our at-home, in-family prayer lives, warming more deeply our relationship with Jesus Christ, the Light of the World!!

Annual Christian Unity Prayer Service – Will be held @ St. Peter’s on Wednesday, January 24, 2018 @ 7PM, with the clergy and pastoral ministries of our community leading worship together, choirs combining to help us raise all voices in prayerful praise, and a social following in our church hall so that we can rub elbows as good neighbors who do so much good together in and for our communities.

Religious Education

1st—4th Grade Classes @ 6:30 p.m.

Monday, January 15
Monday, January 22 (Snow Day if needed)
Monday, January 29
Monday, February 5
Monday, February 12
Monday, February 19 (Snow Day if needed)
Monday, February 26

5th—8th Grade Classes @ 6:30 p.m.

Monday, January 15
Monday, January 22 (Snow Day if needed)
Monday, January 29
Monday, February 5
Monday, February 12
Monday, February 19 (Snow Day if needed)
Monday, February 26

9th & 10th Grade Classes @ 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 14
Sunday, January 21
Sunday, January 28
Sunday, February 11
Sunday, February 18 (Snow Day if needed)
Sunday, February 25

11th Grade Classes @ 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 14
Sunday, January 21
Sunday, January 28
Sunday, February 11
Sunday, February 18 (Snow Day if needed)
Sunday, February 25

Parent Supervision Schedule

Monday, January 15, 2018—6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Scott or Amy Rettler



Happenings at St. Peter, Slinger

January 28, 2018

Catholic Schools Week

All current/new families and parishioners are welcome to visit us! Students will participate at the 10:30 am Mass at St. Peter Catholic Church. Open House begins after Mass until 1:30 pm.

Save the Dates:

February 16 – St. Peter Fish Fry
November 10 – St. Peter Dinner Auction