

ST. PATRICK'S ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH AND ORATORY



SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

6:30 a.m. | 8:00 a.m. | 10:00 a.m. High Mass

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday 6:30 a.m.

Tuesday 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday 8:00 a.m. | 6:00 p.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Friday Noon | 6:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. High Mass

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Sunday - 9:30 a.m.- 9:55 a.m.

Daily - See Page 2 - Confession Schedule

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Friday 5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

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The Reverend Canon Antoine Boucheron
Rector

INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

Rejoice!

The world will never understand what Christmas is about.

The world will always find it a let-down, because the world cannot see the link between the gospel for Gaudete Sunday and joy. We all want to hear the angels sing, "Gloria in excelsis Deo". But do we ask why the angels are singing? Obviously, we say, because Christ is born, the babe is born in Bethlehem.

That is true, but the angels are not singing merely to mark the birth of this child.

They sing, because they see in the wood of the manger the wood of the cross, they sing because this birth begins the definitive triumph over sin and death, the joy of the angels on that Christmas night is the same joy of the angels who collect the Precious Blood of Jesus as He hung on the cross. They sing the same song of salvation.

Rejoice in the Lord always! Gaudete Sunday! Christian joy!



Canon Antoine Boucheron

Sunday, December 17, 2023 - Gaudete Sunday of Advent

LITURGICAL CALENDAR: DECEMBER 17 - DECEMBER 24, 2023

Sun., Dec., 17 6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. High Mass	<h2>GAUDETE SUNDAY</h2> <h2>OF ADVENT</h2> <p>(1st Cl., Rose)</p>	†Zach Horn <i>by Adam Horn</i>	Scott LaLonde OPEN
		Dan & Debbie O'Laughlin <i>by Ann Hegerman</i>	Eric Lexow David Lexow
		Canon Boucheron <i>by Kathy Kane</i>	MC: Nicholas Furtak Thurifer: Michael Kanzenbach Acolytes: David Stillwell & Anthony Kanzenbach Candle: Gabe Smith, Isaac Kanzenbach, Dominic Bariger, Patrick Thorsen Crucifer: Lukas Barriger
Mon., Dec., 18 6:30 a.m.	Feria of Advent (2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope	For those who work with the disabled <i>by Cheryl Danz</i>	Scott LaLonde Joachim Helfenberger
Tues., Dec., 19 6:00 p.m.	HOLY HOUR 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.		
Wed., Dec., 20 8:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Ember Wednesday of Advent (2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope	†Cal, †MaryAnn & †Mark DeBaker <i>by Jim DeBaker</i>	Roman Chabot Gus Smith
Thur., Dec., 21 8:00 a.m.	St. Thomas the Apostle , (2nd Cl., R) Commemoration for the Pope & Feria of Advent	†Thomas & Joyce Kinjerski <i>by Dennis & Debra Bouchonville</i>	Dominik Bartolazzi Elijah Lasee
Fri., Dec., 22 Noon 6:00 p.m.	Ember Friday of Advent (2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope	†Barry Fiala <i>by Daniel Fiala family</i>	Liam Merriman Logan Holzer
Sat., Dec., 23 9:00 a.m.	Ember Saturday of Advent (2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	
Sun., Dec., 24 6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. High Mass	<h2>Vigil of the Nativity of Our Lord</h2> <p>(1st Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope</p>	Dominik Bartolazzi <i>by Dirk & Danielle Bartolazzi</i>	Logan Holzer Thomas Simia
		†Grace Skaletski <i>by Cathy Bonno† & Gina Blahnik</i>	David Stillwell Liam Merriman
		Souls in Purgatory <i>by anonymous</i>	Dominik Bartolazzi <i>by Ben & Jenny Bartolazzi</i>
		†John Zignego <i>by Holly Zweifel</i>	Scott LaLonde William Schweitzer
		†Sandy Simia <i>by Greg Simia</i>	Thomas Simia Isaiah Patterson
			MC: Paul Mihalski Thurifer: Elijah Guevara Acolytes: Joachim Guevara & Richard Zehms Candle: John Mihalski, Simon Guevara, Santiago Trejos, Patrick Thorsen Crucifer: Joshua Mihalski

CONFESSION SCHEDULE: DEC 17 – DEC 24

Sunday, Dec 17.....	9:30 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.
Monday.....	7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Tuesday.....	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.
Wednesday.....	7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. - 5:55 p.m.
Thursday.....	7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Friday.....	11:30 a.m. - 11:55 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. - 5:55 p.m.
Saturday.....	8:30 a.m. - 8:55 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. - Noon
Sunday, Dec 24.....	9:30 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.
Upon appointment.....	Call the rectory

Adoration Schedule

Tuesday - Holy Hour.....	5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Friday- Adoration.....	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

PUBLIC DEVOTION SCHEDULE

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Friday.....	3:00 p.m.
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CHURCH OPEN FOR PRAYER - SCHEDULE: DEC 18 – DEC 23

Monday.....	6:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday.....	5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday.....	7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Thursday.....	7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Friday.....	11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. & 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday.....	8:00 a.m. - Noon

ENGLISH MASS - LITURGICAL CALENDAR: DEC., 19, & DEC., 23, 2023

Tues., Dec., 19 8:00 a.m.	English Mass offered by: Father Philip Dinh-Van-Thiep	St. Patrick Parishioners	
Sat., Dec., 23 4:00 p.m.	Fourth Sunday of Advent English Mass offered by: Father Philip Dinh-Van-Thiep	For an end to abortion	Readings: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29/ Rom 16:25-27/Lk 1:26-38
Sun., Dec., 24 4:00 p.m.	Christmas Vigil English Mass offered by: Father Philip Dinh-Van-Thiep	†Gene Sengstock & †Brenda Wood <i>by Dorothy Sengstock</i> †Dorothy & Gerald Leisgang <i>by Barb LaPlante</i> †John Ahern, Bob Bergelin, Brian Lochman & Evelyn Aguirre <i>by Sharon Ahern</i>	Readings: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14

Sanctuary Candle Offering: For † John Ahern, †Bob Bergelin, †Brian Lochman & †Evelyn Aguirre December 17th - December 30th
by Sharon Ahern

SPECIAL REQUEST FOR CHRISTMAS MASS!

I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A SPECIAL REQUEST TO ALL ORATORY MEMBERS AND VISITORS TO INVITE THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO ATTEND THE CELEBRATION OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR SAVIOUR AT MIDNIGHT MASS, OR ON CHRISTMAS DAY!

IT IS THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO INTRODUCE OTHERS TO THE BEAUTY OF THE CLASSICAL ROMAN CATHOLIC LITURGY AND TO ST. PATRICK'S ORATORY ESPECIALLY DURING THIS HOLIEST OF SEASONS. — CANON BOUCHERON

To help make Mass more comfortable for visitors, please inform our guests that according to our liturgical tradition, and the norms in effect:

- Holy Communion is received on the tongue and kneeling if possible -

- Non-Catholics or non-practicing Catholics not in full communion with the Church are asked to abstain from receiving Holy Communion -

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve

Sunday, December 24

6:30 am | 8:00 am | 10:00 am High Mass

11:00 pm - Christmas Carols

11:50 pm - Procession

12:00 am - Midnight Mass

Christmas Day

Monday, December 25

8:00 am Low Mass | 10:00 am High Mass

Christmas Decorating

Monday, December 18 & Thursday, December 21 following Mass

We are in need of many volunteers and a few good men.

Christmas Flower Collection

TODAY - Sunday, December 17

Please help us decorate the Oratory for the Feast of the Nativity of Our Savior. A Second Collection will be taken up today at each Mass. Please place the special Christmas Flower Collection envelope or mark a plain envelope with "Christmas Flowers" in the collection basket. If you forgot your envelope you may bring it next Sunday. Thank You!



Your Intention marked on the Special Christmas Flower envelope will be commemorated during the entire Octave of Christmas.

Institute Christmas Cards

Now Available at the Scrip Table-\$10 per pack

Each pack of Institute Christmas Cards includes 10 greeting cards depicting Adoration of the Magi printed on high quality card-stock along with 10 matching envelopes.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered on Christmas Day for all those who receive one of these beautiful cards.

We are also pleased to offer a second Christmas card option created by our very own Oratory photographer, Beth Relyea. **8 cards for \$10.**

ST. PATRICK'S GALA-SPONSORSHIPS NOW OPEN!

Attention Business Owners: Please consider sponsoring our annual gala event, corporate sponsorships are now available." For more info contact Jenny Bartolazzi at 920-265-1953 or at jennybarto@hotmail.com or register at visit <https://stpatricksgala.com>. Please consider sponsoring an item, raffle or extra event, please contact Maggie Smith for more info at 920-265-1953 or at Margaret.anne.smith@protonmail.com

EXTRA CONFESSION OPPORTUNITIES

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

8:30 a.m. - 8:55 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. - NOON

Now Available!

The Institute's annual liturgical calendars have arrived.
Available at the Scrip table - Free will donation.

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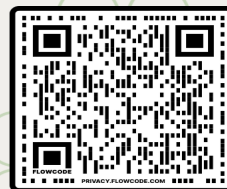
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COIN-BAG COLLECTION FOR AFRICA | FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT- JANUARY 1, 2024

Once again, the girls and boys of St. Patrick's Oratory will be sponsoring the children's Coin-Bag collection for the St. Francis de Sales School in Gabon, Africa. This Advent's semi-annual collection helps the school to build a new classroom for the children. Coin Bags are now available at church's side entrance and can be filled throughout Advent. The filled bags will be collected on Monday, January 1. Let us continue to help those less fortunate. May God reward your generosity!



December 17, 2023 - Gaudete Sunday of Advent

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Wednesday, December 20 - CCM Meeting
6:00 p.m. Mass followed by the meeting in the Rectory

Sunday, January 7 - Christmas Pot-Luck & Nativity Play
Following the 10:00 a.m. Mass in O'Brien Hall

Monday, January 8 - St. Theresa's Women's Group
6:00 p.m. in the Rectory. Talk: Resolutions

Wednesday, January 17 - CCM Meeting
6:00 p.m. Mass followed by the meeting in the Rectory

Monday, January 22 - St. Joseph Men's Group Event
6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Talk by Canon and target practice at Family Shooting Academy, GB

Saturday, March 16, 2024 - St. Patrick's Gala
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Swan Club | 875 Heritage Rd. | De Pere, WI.

Saturday, May 18, 2024 - Save the date: Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse, WI.



COOKIE WALK

9th ANNUAL

Christmas Cookie Walk & Craft Fundraiser - Update
A heartfelt thank you to all who participated in this year's annual fundraiser by baking cookies and candies, creating crafts and purchasing the goods, making it a great, fun and successful event. Through your support we were able to raise \$6,025.23 to help fund the St. Patrick's Oratory socials and events. Also thank you to all of the dedicated volunteers who made this event possible!

Calling all young actors and actresses!

Any children who would like to participate in the annual Nativity play should contact Mrs. Rose Qamar (920)544-6325. Practices are on Sundays after the 10:00am Mass in O'Brien hall until the performance at the Christmas pot-luck on Sunday, January 7.

2024 CALENDAR RAFFLE - LAST CHANCE

Sunday 12/17 is the final day to get in on the 2024 Calendar Raffle fundraiser. Calendars will be sold after all masses on Sunday at the back and side of church. Looking for a holiday or thank you gift, stocking stuffer, or a fun chance to win while supporting a good cause? There are approximately 80 calendars left to sell with proceeds going towards the beautiful renovations of our church.

The cost per calendar is \$20, with 62 chances to win including bonus holiday drawings for Thanksgiving and Christmas! Thanks to all of the volunteers and the parishioners that purchased calendars thus far.

IMPORTANT: If you have calendar stubs or money to return, please get them to Mary Vann by 12/17.

SACRED HEART RETREAT CENTER

Capital Campaign

Help Restore Sacred Heart Retreat Center!

A new chapter in the Institute's life in the United States has begun. Divine Providence has given us the future Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Burlington, Wisconsin. Please consider joining us in this great new mission for the good of souls in honor of the Most Sacred Heart of Our Savior!



Learn more about the future retreat center and how you can help at institute-christ-king.org/retreatcenter or by scanning the QR code above.

DONATION ENVELOPES AVAILABLE 12/24

Your 2024 Donation envelopes will be ready to be picked up at the side entrance next Sunday. If you do not see your name listed and would like to use weekly donation envelopes, please send an email with your name and address to: spatrickgb@institute-christ-king.org. Please put in the email subject line **2024 donation envelopes**.

For Registered Members Stay Informed with Oratory News

If you are a registered member and would you like to stay informed and receive alerts, news, Mass time changes, bulletins and info. regarding the Oratory, via email, please send an email to spatrickgb@institute-christ-king.org and type "ORATORY NEWS" in the subject line and your name. That's it...you're included!

Saint Theresa Women's Group

The next Saint Therese women's group meeting will be held on Monday, January 8 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the rectory. We will talk about resolutions, followed by an open question and answer session with Canon Boucheron.

ShopWithScrip® Scrip For Christmas!
Today is the last day to place orders for special gift cards that we do not carry in our inventory for your Christmas gift giving. Thank you for your continued support of Scrip!

Collections

Immaculate Conception
December 8, 2023 Collection \$2,324.00
December 10, 2023 Collection \$5,679.00



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Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest
St. Patrick's Church - Green Bay, WI

St. Patrick's Gala

March 16, 2024
Swan Club - De Pere, WI

Dear Friends,

Built in 1866, St. Patrick's Church is the oldest Irish church in Green Bay. An invaluable source of beauty, goodness, and truth, this church continues to be an essential asset to the community and surrounding areas. In an effort to preserve this historical gem and edify generations to come, restoration efforts will continue.

In order to maintain the safety of the church, new doors will be installed on the north side. Critical to the beautification of the church, several stained glass windows will be added, each honoring and depicting different apparitions of Our Blessed Mother. In order to offset the costs involved with this undertaking, St. Patrick's Church will be hosting its annual Gala.



There are three ways to support the restoration:

Monetary Gift

A tax-deductible gift, in any amount, will greatly assist the mission to restore the church. To donate:

- Visit donate.stpatricksgala.com
- Mail a check (payable to Friends of St. Patrick, Memo Line: Restoration)

Attn: St. Patrick's Gala
211 N Maple Ave.
Green Bay, WI 54303

Event Sponsorship

Consider sponsoring an item, raffle or event extra (i.e. whiskey table, photo booth, etc) and promote your business at the same time. A donation will make the Gala - auction, raffle, and festival - a success.

- Contact Maggie Smith at
 - 920-461-2592
 - Margaret.anne.smith@protonmail.com

Corporate Sponsorship

Consider sponsoring this event and promoting your business at the same time. For details on the various sponsorships, see the inverse side of this letter.

- Register at stpatricksgala.com
- Contact Jenny Bartolazzi at
 - 920-265-1953
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Deadline for all donations is Feb 16th

CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP DETAILS:



Shamrock: \$10,000

- Table and dinner for eight in premiere location
- Two slide ads in our PowerPoint video
- Logo and/or name on all table centerpieces
- Prominent, full page ad in event program
- Complimentary bar tab
- \$500 voucher to spend on raffle tickets

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- Table and dinner for eight in premium location
- Full slide ad in our PowerPoint video
- Logo and/ or name on all table centerpieces
- Prominent, full page ad in event program
- Eight complimentary drinks

Emerald: \$1,000

- Table and dinner for eight in preferred location
- Full slide ad on PowerPoint video
- Logo and/or name on all table centerpieces
- Half page ad in event program

Harp: \$500

- Table and dinner for eight
- Full slide ad on PowerPoint video

With the help of generous benefactors like you, we have restored and beautified both the interior and exterior of St.

Patrick's Church. Help us continue this great work by participating in the St. Patrick's Gala. Thank you for your consideration, kindness, and generosity.

May God reward you abundantly.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Boucheron'.

Canon Antoine Boucheron

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