

St. Lawrence Parish

ST. MATTHIAS CHAPEL

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of St. Lawrence Parish, believe that we truly become the disciples of the Lord when:
His words become our words,
His caring becomes our caring,
His healing touch becomes our touch
His life makes us alive.
We provide opportunities and education for lifelong spiritual growth for all our members.

MASS SCHEDULE

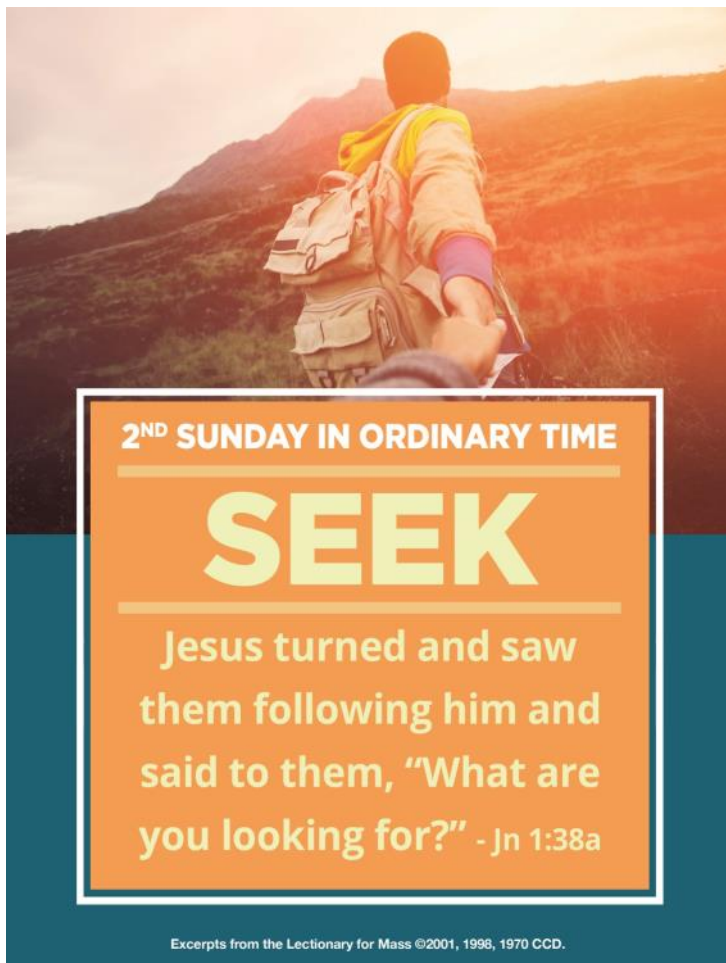
Weekends:

Saturday 04:00 PM
Sunday 09:45 AM

Weekdays:

Tuesday 08:00 AM followed by
Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion
Thursday 08:00 AM followed by
Divine Mercy Chaplet

Bulletin Deadline: Submit information to the Parish Office by noon on Monday



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Baptism: Arrangement to be done with Pastor and Office.

Reconciliation: Saturday before Mass or by appointment.

Marriage: Arrange with Pastor and Office, 9 months prior.
Coordinator: Joan Krebs 262-305-2774

Sick & Homebound: Contact Pastor for sacramental needs and visits.

Funeral: Contact Pastor before finalizing details.
Coordinator: Denise Klink 262-224-6059

Membership: We welcome new members! Adults desiring the benefits of membership should register with the Office. If changing address, please notify the Office.

Recommended Annual Donation:

Family: \$500 Single: \$250 Student/Nursing Home: \$25

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time • January 14, 2018

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MASS INTENTIONS

13 Saturday:

04:00 pm Mass †Florence Schellinger;
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Muesch

14 Sunday:

09:45 am Mass †Merle Hofmaier, Sylvester & Marie Breuer;
Roman & Audrey Wagner

15 Monday:

16 Tuesday:

08:00 am Mass †Pamela Olivo

17 Wednesday:

18 Thursday:

08:00 am Mass †Dorothy Ritger

19 Friday:

20 Saturday:

04:00 pm Mass †Victoria Theisen; Ann Hefter

21 Sunday:

09:45 am Mass †Doris, Anne & Dennis Hefter

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a,
9a]/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and
23 [23b]/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/
Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10
[1]/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-
11, 12-13 [5b]/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]/Mk
3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/
Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor
7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

MINISTRIES

20 Saturday

Lector: Nancy Pfeifer

Servers: Paige, Shane & Megan Pfeifer

Eucharistic Ministers:

Host: Al Simays, Chris Mueller, Gertie Krebs

Cup: Elaine Strupp, Mary Montag

Host to Choir: Peter Strupp

Ushers: Ron & Denise Olszewski, Elaine Morinelli,
Lois Olson

21 Sunday

Lector: Angie Cleary

Servers: Sami Gundrum, Ava Kirk

Eucharistic Ministers:

Host: Scott Schmidt, Jane Becker, Judy Beaudot

Cup: Donna Kauper, Ree Koth

Ushers: Friendship Mass

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Sometimes it is difficult to hear God's call. We are trained to listen attentively and to hear many things, but spiritual ones are often missed. God is calling us all of the time. He is calling us to drink deeply of the well of life and not get distracted by the superficial and short-lasting things we choose to cling to. Have we ever given a true spiritual life and relationship with God a chance? Jesus says to us today, "Come, and you will see." May we take Jesus up on his invitation and like Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, be able to exclaim: "We have found the Messiah."

FINANCIAL REPORT

Membership:	\$1,247.00
Offertory:	\$ 487.35
Improvement Fund:	\$ ——

PARISH WEBSITE

www.stlawrence-parish.com

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PARISH LEADERSHIP

Trustees: Dennis Regan Scott Kenitz

Pastoral Council:

Email: stlawpastoralcouncil@gmail.com

Chair - John Cleary 262-224-0715

Vice Chair - Bob Gehring

Secretary - Christopher Recker

At-Large - Al Simays, Joan Krebs, Kenny Baus

Finance Council:

Email: stlawfinance@gmail.com

Chair - Ed Aumann

Members - Dennis Regan, Scott Kenitz, Annette Mueller,
Joan Krebs, Kenny Baus

Neighboring Parishes Mass Schedule

Resurrection, Allenton: Saturday Vigil Mass 6:45 pm
Sunday 8:30 am

Weekday: Wednesday/Friday 8:00 am

St. Peter, Slinger: Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm & 8:00 pm

Sunday 7:30 am & 10:30 am

Weekday: Monday 8:00 am

Tuesday 6:30 pm

Wednesday 8:00 am

Thursday 8:00 am

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR



“Rejoice!” *Phil 4:4*

Classes:

K - 5 Grade: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. - January 15, 22

6 - 11 Grade: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. - January 14, 21

5th Grade Friendship Mass is Sunday, January 21 during the 9:45 a.m. Mass. We welcome all of you - our friends in faith - to join us for this youth-planned Mass.

Youth Council is Sunday, January 21 from 5 - 6 p.m. in the religious education school. We will be sending college students Valentine Care Packages, eat pizza and play bingo for prizes. All 6 - 11th grade students are welcome! Bring a treat to put in the care package.

Know a College Student who would like a Valentine Care Package? Let Jacquelyn know their name and address by the end of January, and our Youth Council will send them one!

WE INVITE YOU TO A SILENT, PREACHED WEEKEND RETREAT FOR WOMEN

Tri Parish Event for St. Lawrence Parish
March 16-18, 2018, Redemptorist Retreat Center
1800 N. Timber Trail Lane, Oconomowoc, WI 53066
(262) 567-6900
www.redemptoristretreat.org

This weekend retreat season's theme: "Blessed Are Those Who Live in the Light: Matthew 5:1-16"

The Beatitudes are at the heart of the teaching of Jesus. The Gospel explains that the Kingdom of Heaven begins on Earth. When we embrace the promises of God with hope, all areas of our lives are affected. Those who embrace the promises of God will show forth God's blessings in good works that give glory to God. In this way, we are called to be salt of the earth and light of the world. Retreat includes daily Mass, conferences, Reconciliation, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary (Way of the Cross during Lent), and meals. Silence is required. Come and enjoy some well-deserved rest and quiet during a "spiritual vacation"! Offering: \$205.00 covers room and board, materials. Arrival on Friday after 6:15 pm and departure on Sunday at 1:00 pm. No evening meal is served on Friday. Register soon. Space is limited!

CATHOLIC QUOTES - WORDS TO INSPIRE THE FAITHFUL

Holiness grows so fast where there is kindness.

-St. Teresa of Calcutta

PARISH CALENDAR

January: 16 Finance Council Meeting 06:00pm
Pastoral Council Meeting 07:15pm
August : 05 Feast Day—Bishop James Schuerman

SHEEPSHEAD CARD PARTY

The Knights of Columbus of St. Lawrence & Resurrection Parishes will be holding a Winter Sheepshead Card Party on Sunday, January 28 at 1:00 pm in Resurrection Parish Hall, Allenton. Entry is \$5.00 and includes play and lunch.

ST. PETER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

If you would also like to more information about our school, shadow a classroom for a morning or tour, please contact Cheryl Jaeger, Principal/Marketing Director (262-644-8083 x24 or cheryl.jaeger@stpeterslinger.org). For more information, check out our website: www.spcsslinger.org. May God bless you and your families as you consider this important decision for your child.

January 28, 2018 Catholic Schools Week – All current/new families and parishioners are welcome to visit us! Students will participate at 10:30 am Mass at St. Peter Catholic Church. Open House will begin after 10:30 am Mass until 1:30 pm.

WINTER WEEKEND RETREAT (FOR 20S & 30S)

February 9 at 6:00 PM – February 11 at 1:00 PM

Take some time to rest, relax, and enjoy being away from your daily routine. Take this opportunity to explore the deeper questions of life within a dynamic community of young adults who are going through the same things you are. If you have a hunger to experience Jesus' love for you, Winter Weekend is for you.

See www.brewcitycatholic.com "Getaways" for more details and to register.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN CORNER

Tuesday, January 16, weather permitting, we are planning to meet at church for 8:00 AM Mass and then go to Alma's Cafe (751 Church Street in Allenton) for breakfast, coffee and conversation. Any questions, contact Kim at 414-217-7699.

MJ Stevens

Please take our bulletin when you dine at MJ Stevens. They will reimburse our Parish 10% of your entire bill, beverages & food. (Friday Fish Fry excluded). One bulletin per table.

