

Blessed Sacrament Parish

130 Losey Blvd. S.
La Crosse, Wisconsin 54601

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am
Weekdays Tues-Fri 6:30 am; Mon-Sat 7:30 am
Thurs 8:15 (check school calendar)
Holy Days 5:15 pm day before
10:30 (if a school day); 5:15 pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Wednesday 4:00, 7:00, 8:00
Saturday 3:45 & 7:00
1/2 Hr before Sunday Masses

WEEKLY EXPOSITION AND ADORATION

Wednesdays 2:00 - 9:00 pm
Evening Prayer & Benediction 5:15

October 30, 2005

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Natural family planning information: 1-800-255-6226

Catholic Radio WKBH 1570 AM

Blessed Sacrament welcomes new parishioners at any time. Contact the rectory to make an appointment .

To arrange for a wedding, contact the rectory at least six months in advance.

To arrange for a baptism, contact the rectory for Baptismal class information.

Anointing of the Sick: Those who are seriously sick or have been ill for a long period of time should receive the Sacrament of the Sick and Holy Communion. Call the parish office to make arrangements.

If you are home-bound because of illness and would like to be visited, please call the parish office.

OFFERING FAMILIES

November 5/6, 2005

4:30 Barb Schmitz & Grandchild

7:30 Wayne & Teri Levi

9:00 The Scouts

10:30 Tom & Nancy Padesky

SALVATION ARMY FOOD PANTRY

November 1 Betsy Fowler & Ev Gallagher

BLESSED SACRAMENT WEEK FOR MOBILE MEALS

October 31 - Nov 6

October 30, 2005
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Pope Benedict canonized 5 new saints. God's harvest has been rich through the centuries. It is good to remember God makes saints; the Church recognized His handiwork in the lives of men and women and hold them up for our inspiration and imitation. This week we celebrate the Feast of All Saints. Tues, Nov 1, is the harvest time feast of the Church, and the Church celebrates God's special harvest in all the good and virtuous people who have heard the call to follow Christ and pursue holiness of life in whatever vocation they were called to live out their lives. There is a vast army of saints who will never be given any special day on which to remember them than November 1, the Feast of All Saints. This is a holy day of obligation for all Catholics, and what better way is there to commemorate and honor the saints than to do what they did. They knew the laws of the Church and kept them.

All Saints Day is followed by another harvest time commemoration in the Church year, All Souls Day, a special day to pray for all the departed. This year we will again remember in prayer in a special way those of our parish who have died since last November 2.

BAPTISM

Estella Evelyn Weisse
Daughter of Anthony and Diane

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays, 2:00 - 9:00
Evening Prayer & Benediction, 5:15
Confessions, 4:00, 7:00, 8:00

RCIA CORNER

This past week in RCIA the inquirers and team members learned how God reveals Himself to humanity. Through Sacred Tradition, from which we have Sacred Scripture, God reveals His love for us and His desire to share His divine life with each of us. Next week we will discuss how God's revelation is not enough; we have to respond. Our response to God is an act of faith and leads to conversion. All of us are called to a life of continuous conversion. Please pray that all of us experience conversion in our own lives.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Oct 31 - Nov 6, 2005

Mon, Oct 31, Feria

7:30 **+Margaret Ritter**

Servers: Patrick Campbell, Mike Guggenbuehl

5:15 **+Suffering Souls in Purgatory**

Tues, Nov 1 All Saints Day

6:30 **Special Intention**

Server: Bill Arnold

7:30 **+Dave, Mary & John Boland**

Servers: Josh Alexander, Patrick Campbell

10:30 **+Elaine Devine**

Servers: Jenny Gallagher, Stephanie Koehne

5:15 **+Don Hefti**

Wed, Nov 2 All Souls Day

6:30 **+Charles Morgan (Anniv.)**

Server: Jason Hutzler

7:30 **+David Stapleton**

Servers: Jerry Franke, Dan Bagniefski

2:00 EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

5:15 BENEDICTION AND EVENING PRAYER

Server: Mark Steingraeber

6:45 **+Dorothy Kelsey**

Thurs, Nov 3 Feria, Martin De Porres

6:30 **+Andrew Hoffman**

Server: Dan Skaff

7:30 **+Bob Fowler (Anniv.)**

Servers: Katie Kachel, Hannah Braun

Fri, Nov 4 Charles Borromeo

6:30 **Intention of Irene Pierce**

Server: Dick Meyer

7:30 **+Renata Hegenbarth (Anniv.)**

Servers: Irene Kelly, Hannah Johnson

Sat, Nov 5 Feria, BVM

7:30 **Stop Abortion & Support Family Life**

Servers: Michaela Gores, Erin Roop

4:30 **+Gregory Schmitz**

Servers: Mary Dolan, Helen Kirch, Jenny Gallagher

Sun, Nov 6 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 **+David Stapleton**

Servers: Jason & Zach Hutzler, Paul Escher

9:00 **+Lorraine Forer**

Servers: Eric Clements, Peter Coppola, Joey Francksen,

Fritz Wiggert, Gus Wiggert

10:30 **For the People of the Parish**

Servers: David Linhart, Michael Oney, Joel Reinhart,

Mark Vach, Alex Wettstein

LOOKING AHEAD Saturday, Nov 12

7:30 Matt Schlesinger, John Paul Soldner

4:30 Cassandra Steele, Emily Walker, Michaela Gores

Sunday, Nov 13

7:30 Joshua Alexander, Nathan Schneider, Kyle Sieck

9:00 Joshua Lenth, Riley Reinhart, Jamie Cooper,

Michael Hanson, Taylor Donskey

10:30 Nick Guggenbuehl, Matt Kachel, Peter Kieffer,

J.J. Pearse, Charlie Soldner

WEEKDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14

Tues Rev 7:2-4,9-14; 1 John 3:1-3; Matt 5:1-12a

Wed Wis 3:1-9 or Rom 6:3-9; Matt 25:31-46

Thurs Romans 14:7-12; Luke 15:1-10

Fri Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8

Sat Romans 16:3-9,16,22-27; Luke 16:9-15

+The last several weeks have been wildly busy around the parish. All I can say is **THANK YOU** to all involved. Keep it up!

+The priests of your parish visit many shut-ins each week with Holy Communion. Are there others we should know about?

+If you have not already done so, help make the Annual Appeal a great success, as your generosity in the past has done. Thank you.

+This week Fr. George will be taking up his new assignment at St. James the Less. Father has become a great friend and has been a joy to have in the house. Among others things, he has become a very sharp observer and commentator on the great game of baseball. He is, however, distressed that he couldn't convince the pastor that cricket is a better game.

FAMILY ROSARY

November 6, 6:00-7:30, school basement

CREATING FAMILIES THROUGH ADOPTION AND FOSTER CARE information session will be held Sat, Nov 5, D.B. Reinhart Center at Viterbo University. Registration 9:30-10:00; session 10:00-12:30. Information booths, adoption/foster care professionals, etc. Child care, snacks available for children. For more information call Kathy Claussen at 782-0710, ex. 201.

AN EVENING WITH THE BISHOP FOR YOUNG MEN

Bishop Listecky invites high school young men who are interested in learning more about the priesthood to an evening which includes social time, prayer, supper, and questions and answers on Mon, Nov 7, 5:30-8:00. You may register by calling Fr. Hirsch at 791-2667 or email jhirsch@dioceseoflacrosse.com.

CAN YOU PROVIDE TEMPORARY CARE TO A CHILD?

Catholic Charities of La Crosse is looking for pre-adoptive foster parents for infants. The goal of this foster care is through temporary placement, including frequent visits from birth parents as well as prospective adoptive parents and social work staff, that a permanent place can be implemented for infants. Compensation is offered. Contact Marie Hebel at 782-0710, ext. 210, for more information.

BLESSED HARVEST BAZAAR at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish will be held Nov. 5, 9-2:00.

ROAST BEEF DINNER at Crucifixion Parish, La Crescent, 4-7:00, Nov 5. Carry-outs available. \$8 at the door; \$7.50 presale. Bake sale, crafts, silent auction, too.

HOLLY BERRY FAIR at St. James Parish, 9:00-6:00, Nov 5. Luncheon 10-2:00. Door prizes.

A CAROL OF A CHRISTMAS musical at Fanny Hill Sat, Nov 12. St. James parish invites everyone to join them on a bus trip for this lovely event. Cost is \$50. Make your reservation by Nov 1 by mailing your payment to Jane Schwabenbauer, 2538 1st Ave West, La Crosse, 54603. Contact #: 783-1986.

COOKIE DOUGH SALE fundraiser for Cathedral School. Students are selling premium "ready to bake" 3 lb. tubs, 9 delicious varieties, \$12-\$15/tub. Sale runs Oct 26-Nov 7. Order from a Cathedral student or call Sue Groetsch at 787-0717 or Laura O'Neill at 788-9728.

CARD PARTY, sponsored by the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Nov. 6, 2-4:00, Cathedral Undercroft. \$2.00, lunch included. (No, they don't play Texas Hold-em.)

WISCONSIN RIGHT TO LIFE ALERT

Contact Governor James Doyle before Nov. 1 and urge him to sign AB 499, a ban on human cloning.

*email: www.wrtl.org, click Legislative Info Center

*phone 608-266-1212

*mail: Gov. James Doyle, P.O. Box 7863, Madison, WI 53707, In-depth info available at www.wrtl.org.