ST. BRUNO PARISH

“While the world changes, the cross stands firm.”

2015 Pastoral Council Installation
SEPTEMBER 13, 2015

Provide wise, discerning, and reputable persons... that I may appoint them as your leaders.

—Deuteronomy 1:13
**Pastoral Council 2015**

The 2015 Pastoral Council Installation took place on Sept. 13. Members are pictured left to right in the upper image on the cover (Liaison positions are in italics):

**Top Row:** Scott Vandenhouten (APC Rep), Joe Kuenzli (Finance Council), Amanda Borth (Finance Council), Louise Diodato (Christian Formation), Jerry Dorff (Stewardship), Jenny Harnack (Human Concerns). **Bottom Row:** Mary Pfaff (Prayer & Worship), John R. Mezydlo (School), Pat Seegers (Trustee and Building & Grounds), Steve Paquin (Trustee), and Fr. Chuck Wrobel (in front). Not Pictured: Fr. Ralph Gross and Bob Leonard (Communications).

**Bundle Sunday Weekend is Here!**

**THIS weekend,** Sept. 26/27, there is a *St. Vincent de Paul* truck parked in front of the church for donations of used clothing, shoes and small household items, rags and worn-out shoes to be recycled. Please drop off your items before and after all Masses. *Thank You for your support!*

**Circle of Life**

Please pray for our friends and fellow parishioners who have died during the month of October . . .

Charlie Bass  
Thomas Bickler  
Robert Bischel  
Juanita Garza  
Peter Guida  
Michelle Infanger  
Michael John Jones  
Joseph McCarthy  
Leo Schwab  
Ruth Tessler  
Eva Trefny  
Greg Vock  
Cecelia Voegeli  
Rosemary Weber  
Mary Zortz

**Pastor’s Pen**

**Excuses, Excuses!**

Over the years I have heard almost every excuse you can imagine from Catholics who have chosen to walk away from participation in the Mass. Recently someone handed me an article creatively written by a pastor about why he doesn’t think he should attend sporting events. He titled it: “These are the twelve reasons why I have decided to quit attending sporting events.” See if you can find the non-practicing Catholic’s excuses in this article.

1. The coach never came to visit me.
2. Every time I went, they asked for money.
3. The people sitting in my row didn’t seem very friendly.
4. The seats were very hard.
5. The referees made a decision I didn’t agree with.
6. I was sitting with hypocrites — they only came to see what others were wearing!
7. Some games went into overtime and I was late getting home.

8. The band played some songs I had never heard before.
9. The games are scheduled on my only day to sleep in and run errands.
10. My parents took me to too many games when I was growing up.
11. Since I read a book on sports, I feel that I know more than the coaches, anyway.
12. I don’t want to take my children because I want them to choose for themselves what sport they like best.

We really don’t use these excuses at all when it comes to sporting events and yet for something like the Mass, which is the most important event we can participate in, we have all sorts of excuses why we can’t be there. How sad! Maybe, I should say, “How stupid!” “Would I offend someone if I shared this with him or her?”

~Fr. Ralph

**2015 Pot O’ Gold Raffle • Nov. 8**

Your Pot O’ Gold Raffle tickets are available for pick-up in the Gathering Place after all Masses this weekend. Please remember to take your envelope and sell those tickets! Ticket Prices: 1 for $10; 3 for $25; 7 for $50; 16 for $100; 24 for $140; and our BEST DEAL – 40 tickets for $200! The big winner in all of this is our own St. Bruno Parish, but you too can be a winner! The drawing is Nov. 8 at 11:55 a.m.

- **First Prize (1)**........ $5,000
- **Second Prize (2)**......... $500
- **Runner Up (10)**.........$100

You can’t win if you don’t participate! Good Luck to Everyone, & Thanks for all your support!

~The Stewardship Committee

**Take-Out Turkey Dinner**

This weekend is the last time to sign-up to volunteer for the Turkey Dinner. Everyone’s help is appreciated. This is also the last weekend for the pre-sale. If you don’t get a chance to buy tickets after Mass or forgot your money, don’t worry – you can still buy the day of!

**Finance Corner**

**Parish Support:** September 5–11, 2015

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**Budget Updates for Fiscal Year:** July 1, 2015–June 30, 2016

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**Mortgage Countdown**

$976,484.71
**School Happenings**

**Substitute Teachers Wanted!**
St. Bruno Parish School is in need of Substitute Teachers for the 2015-2016 School Year. Applicants (with a four-year degree) must either be Certified Teachers or have a Sub License (attended the Substitute Teacher Course). Safeguard Training is required for these positions.

**Chili’s Fundraiser**
Just a few days left to eat at Chili’s during the month of September and earn money for St. Bruno Parish School! Vouchers are available at the SCRIP table after Mass. Reminder: To help even more, use your SCRIP to pay for your meal!

**Save the Date!**
The St. Bruno Artisan Vendor Fair will be Sunday, Nov. 1, from 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Stock up on Christmas goodies from vendors like: Wildtree, Norwex, It Works, Origami Owl, PartyLite and much more! We still have space available if you would be interested in joining this great community event! We will not have duplicate vendors, so “first-come, first-served”. A donation of $50 will secure your spot along with an 8-foot table and two chairs. Contact the School Office at 262-965-2291 if you are interested.

**Ready, Set, Walk for Catholic Schools!**
Saturday, October 17, is the “Soles for Catholic Education” Walk at Mount Mary University. Visit www.catholic-schools-walk.org to register, pledge and support St. Bruno Parish School. Free registration ends on Monday, September 21.

**RCIA**
In the spirit of collaboration and a larger faith sharing group, St. Paul and St. Bruno plan to combine the faith journeys of anyone interested in becoming Catholic or receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Might this be the season for you to participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults? Contact Mary Kral in the Parish Office to find out more.

**Thank You!**
Thank you for your donations to support the SVDP Summer Lunch Program! Many hungry children and their parents were fed and enjoyed some games, courtesy of Ernie and Karen Meyer. They especially enjoyed the donations of your home-grown apples, cucumbers and tomatoes! God bless you and all those who don’t have enough to eat.

**Born To Eternal Life**
Nathalie Rowe

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**Music Ministry**

**School Cantors of the Week**
Last week, on Sept. 23, Kayla Price and Sophie McCormack were our School Mass Cantors. Many thanks to them for their Service in Song.

**Sunday Readings Study for Men**
Join Joe Senglaub, Candidate for the Diaconate, on Monday nights at 7:00 p.m. to explore how to get more out of the Sunday Readings. Joe will explain how the Scriptures can come alive for those who wish to learn and grow with the Bible. Each week we will begin anew with the Readings for the next Sunday and we’ll also discuss past Sundays when time permits. This Men’s Scripture Study will be held at St. Paul Parish in the Youth Room (off the cafeteria). You are welcome every week — if you cannot join us each Monday, please come as often as you can. For more information contact Joe at joe.senglaub@sionline.com or Mary Kral in the Parish Office.

**Golf Outing Results**
“Three Cheers to All!” $17,950.55 was raised for the Parish, School, and Tuition Assistance Program. Many thanks to our golfers, sponsors, donors and wonderful volunteers. “God Bless Everyone” and we hope to see you next year!
~The Stewardship Committee

**Calling All Cradle Catholics!**
Have you ever wondered “Why do we do that?” when it comes to our Catholic faith? Do you feel unprepared to defend the faith with others? Do you just want to know more about the Catholic Church in all her rich tradition? We are offering an awesome opportunity to grow in your faith as you support others coming into the church. St. Bruno and St. Paul parishioners are invited to explore the faith together in the discovery phase of RCIA. We like to call it “Catholic 101”. We will begin mid-October and meet until Lent. You are not required to attend all meetings. The door is always open. These sessions will take place at St. Paul. If you would like more information about the syllabus and dates/times, please contact Mary Kral (marykral4@gmail.com, 262-968-2276).

**Advertisers of the Week**

**Dousman L.P. Gas, Inc.**
- 24 Hour Emergency Service
- Complete Burner Service
- Propane for heat, hot water & cooking
1-800-310-3427 or 262-965-2679

**Bark River Animal Hospital**
Andy Runte, DVM
401 N., Main St.
Dousman, WI 53118
262-965-4888

Please support our Advertisers of the Week:
Dousman L.P. Gas, Inc. & Bark River Animal Hospital
See their full-sized ads on the inside back cover of this bulletin.
FAITH FORMATION CORNER

K-11 FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE
K-8: 9:00-10:15 A.M.
Upcoming Classroom Sessions: Oct. 11, 25; Nov. 8, 22
Upcoming Family Sessions: Oct. 18; Nov. 15
November 14: Gr. 2 Reconciliation Retreat
HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-11): 6:30-8:00 P.M.
Upcoming Sessions: Oct. 18, 25; Nov. 8, 22
October 10: Gr. 11 Retreat at St. Paul’s

John 10 Youth Ministry
An ministry of St. Bruno’s & St. Paul Catholic Church.

St. Bruno Youth Ministry is now John 10 Youth Ministry!

What’s Next?
Have you ever wondered what’s next? What do you do after class, how can you live out our faith, and how to take that next step? Well, we have an answer.

Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
The Youth Room at St. Paul’s

What’s Next this week? Pizza Wednesday! We’ll read the Gospel for this coming Sunday, eat pizza, and play ghost in the graveyard. You won’t want to miss it!

HIGH SCHOOL LOCK-IN

GERONIMO
Oct. 17, 5:00 p.m.- Oct. 18, 7:00 a.m.
St. Paul Catholic Church

Lock-in Oct. 17
Activities include a cookout, bon-fire, midnight Adoration, movies, open gym, and more! Open to all high school students, regardless of home parish or denomination.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!
Recently, a few of our Parish Members have celebrated some very special Wedding Anniversaries:

Bill & Sue James – 50 Years
Tom & Mary Schmieder – 50 Years

Congratulations to all! You are a living testament to the faithfulness of our loving and Mighty God, and His SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE.

But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.
—Joshua 24:15

WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?
Last week, the word Shofar was mentioned in the IQ section. What is a Shofar?
a) Jewish service; b) Ram’s horn; c) Bread crumbs; d) Fasting day.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THIS WEEK
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
6:30 p.m. St. Paul’s Prayer & Worship / Family Room
7:00 p.m. St. Bruno’s Prayer & Worship / Parish Room
7:00 p.m. Adult Basketball / Gym
7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous / Staff Work Room

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
1:00 p.m. Bible Study / Three Pillars Village on the Square
2:00-9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration / Chapel
6:30 p.m. Bereavement Session / Parish Room
7:00 p.m. Yoga & Prayer / Gym

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal / Church

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1
5:30-7:00 a.m. Men’s Group / Gathering Place
9:00-11:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry / Family Room

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2
8:30-10:45 a.m. Take-Out Turkey Dinner
4:30 p.m. Hispanic Mass / Church

UPCOMING ST. BRUNO EVENTS
Oct. 6 - Feast of St. Bruno
Oct. 17-23 - Scholastic Book Fair

UPCOMING ST. PAUL EVENTS
Oct. 2-3 - Free Clothing Share; 8-4 Friday; 8-11 Saturday
Oct. 10 - Public Rosary Rally; Noon; Corner of Hwy 83 & D
Oct. 16 - St. Bruno/St. Paul Women’s Bible Study, 9:00 a.m.

BEYOND OUR PARISH
Sep. 27 - Live Broadcast of Pope Francis’ Mass in Philadelphia; 3:00 p.m. (CDST); on EWTN & www.catholictv.com/
Sep. 30-Oct. 2 - Midweek Women’s Retreat; $245; www.redemptoristretreat.org
Oct. 1 - Grief Support Group, St. Mary’s, Waukesha; 6:30-8:00 p.m.; 262-547-6555 ext. 300
Oct. 1-3 - St. William Parish Fall Rummage Sale, Waukesha; Thurs: 8-6, Fri: 8-5, Sat: 8-Noon, Fri: ½ price; Sat: Fill-a-Bag $5
Oct. 2 - K of C Fish Fry; 4:30-7:30 p.m.; St. Jerome, O’woc
Oct. 3 - Jubilee Celebration for Married Couples; St. Monica; 10:00 a.m.; http://tinyurl.com/2015jubilee or 414-758-2241
Oct. 6 - Common Ground of Grief: Haiku: Grief Expression in Seventeen Syllables; San Camillo, 10200 W. Bluemound; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. & 5:30-7:00 p.m.; 414-438-4420 x 302
Oct. 7 - Alzheimer’s Support Group, St. Jerome; 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9 - Fish Fry; 4:30-7:30 p.m.; St. Theresa, Eagle
Oct. 9-11 - Silent Preached Retreat for Women; $200
Register at www.redemptoristretreat.org or 262-567-6900
Oct. 11 - Turkey Dinner; St. Mary, Sullivan; 10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Oct. 12 - Natural Family Planning (NFP) Course; St. Jerome; 6:00-8:30 p.m.; Register at 262-707-3018 or www.nfp.org

PLEASE RETURN CROSSES
Our supply of Eucharistic Minister crosses for the Sunday Masses is running low. Please return any “strays” you may find to the Ministry Room. Thank you.
September 28, 2015
Zechariah 8:1-8; Luke 9:46-50

September 29, 2015
Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 or
Revelation 12:7-12ab
John 1:47-51

September 30, 2015

October 1, 2015
Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12
Luke 10:1-12

October 2, 2015
Baruch 1:15-22
Matthew 18:1-5, 10

October 3 & 4, 2015
Genesis 2:18-24
Hebrews 2:9-11
Mark 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

www.usccb.org/nab/

St. Vincent De Paul

On Sept. 27, the Church celebrates the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul. St. Vincent said that “Love is inventive to infinity.” The members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVPD) are on the front line in laboring for the poor – they are among the first to know their real needs.

As you put your gift in the SVPD basket, know that you are serving Christ’s poor ones.

Reminder

The 7th Annual WOMEN OF CHRIST® CONFERENCE will be held Nov. 7, 2015, at Washington County Fair Park, West Bend. Register at www.womenofchrist.net, Email womenofchrist@gmail.com or call 262-384-8414.

This Sunday!!!

Marriage On Tap

Sept. 27 • Delafield Brewhaus
Banquet Room, Lower Level
5:00 p.m. Social Hour; 6:00 p.m.
Featured Speaker, Bro. Steve Kropp.
Register at www.marriageontap.org or call St. Bruno parishioners, Jean & Bill Bosenbecker, at 262-965-4785.

What Is Your Catholic IQ?
The answer is b)
A Shofar is a hollowed-out ram’s horn, and is sounded for many Jewish feasts.

Monday, September 28
8:00 a.m. † Mary Ann Stumpf
Tuesday, September 29
8:00 a.m. † Ann Tabat
Wednesday, September 30
8:45 a.m. † Paul & Tina Bianchi
Student Mass
Thursday, October 1
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer with Communion/Chapel

Friday, October 2
8:00 a.m. † Bill & Catherine Rebholz
Saturday, October 3
5:00 p.m. † Charles Chilson
Sunday, October 4
8:00 a.m. For The Living & Deceased of Our Parish
10:30 a.m. † Gregory Vock

Mass/Devotion Times
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 5:00 p.m. • Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
We pray the Rosary daily at 7:40 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass.
The Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel is open 24/7 for private prayer.
Eucharistic Adoration is every Tuesday from 2:00-9:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

Free Clothing Share

The FREE CLOTHING SHARE sponsored by St. Paul Catholic Parish, Hwy 83 & D, Genesee Depot, will be held in the Parish Life Center/Lower Level, on FRIDAY, Oct. 2, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and on SATURDAY, Oct. 3, from 8:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m. Volunteers are needed on Saturday, Oct. 3, to help pack up the remaining items. Also, vehicles are needed to transport items to St. Vincent DePaul, Waukesha. Anyone able to help, please call Jerie at 262-968-3474 or email roderjerie55@gmail.com.

St. Mary’s Turkey Dinner

TURKEY DINNER, St. Mary Help of Christians Catholic Church, Corner of Hwy’s 18 & F, Sullivan. Sunday, Oct. 11.
Serving Family Style 10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Dinner Prices: Adults $11.00, Children (5-8) $5.00, Under 5 Free. Carry Outs $12.00 (served until 2:00 p.m.). Something for Everyone! Family Style Dinner, Hot Turkey Sandwiches, Country Store, Bake Sale, Garden Produce, Fresh Cranberries, Homemade Cranberry Relish, Homemade Pies, Football Game on TV!

St. Theresa Turkey Dinner

St. Theresa Parish in Eagle will be serving their 77th Annual Turkey Dinner on Sunday, Oct. 18, from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Home cooked, family style! Turkey, dressing, real mashed potatoes, carrots, gravy, our famous pickled beets and homemade desserts. Adults and Carry-outs $11, Children under 12, $6.

Liturgy Of The Lord

Liturgical Prayer

Liturgical Ministers

Hospital Communion Ministry
Thursday, October 1
M. Dupies

5:00 p.m. Saturday, October 3
Greeters: J. LaPorte, C. Malaney
Ushers: K. Lawniczak, C. Neubert
A. & M. Brelt
E. Phillips, T. Szelmeczki
Serves: † E. Phillips
J. DuBois, B. Hendrick
Lectors: M. Lawniczak, K. Warnes
Euch. Min. J. Lamparski, S. Mayernick
J. Harnack, M.A. Harperst
B. Schultz, D. Hendrickv
J. Bosenbecker

8:00 a.m. Sunday, October 4
Greeters: K. & E. Meyer
Ushers: M. Herbert, P. Tabat
R. Humpal, A. Uglum
P. Lagalbo
Serves: † C. Kinnard
N. Ibach
Lectors: M. Karczewski, P. Hoffman
Euch. Min: C. & T. Pinter
J. Kershek, E. Rudnick
A.M. Filipiak, M. Pfaff
K. Kershek

10:30 a.m. Sunday, October 4
Greeters: J.A. Finn, J.R. Mezylko
Ushers: J. Finn, S. Kelchen
S. & E. Marcus
M. Lloyd
Serves: † E. Stuart
J. Young, J. Stuart
Lectors: J. Utzerath, J. Kollmansberger
Euch. Min: L. McComis, L. Haugner
S. Burt, A. Borth
B. Pautz, M. McComis
L. Evans
**Welcome!**
If you are a visitor to St. Bruno Parish, or new to our area, we welcome and thank you for praying with us. We are a church family and care about each other, our church, our community and our world. You are invited to become a member of the St. Bruno Parish Family. **New Parishioners** can register on the **weekend of the third Sunday of the month**, or call the Parish Office at 262-965-2332.

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**On the Cover**
Pastoral Council 2015
–Photos Courtesy of John Kimpel

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**Sacramental Life and Assistance Information**

**Mass – The Eucharist**
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
**Hispanic Mass**—First, Third, & Fifth Sundays at 4:30 p.m.

**Reconciliation**
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

**Baptisms**
To arrange **Baptism**, please contact Deacon Tom at least one month in advance, at 262-392-2516 or 262-366-1505.

**Marriage**
Please contact the Pastor at least six months before the anticipated wedding date. At least one of the parties must be a registered, practicing Catholic member of our parish community.

**Anointing of the Sick**
We encourage parish members to celebrate the **Anointing of the Sick** for healing and strength at the time of serious illness or before surgery.

**Communion to the Sick**
Parish members bring **Holy Communion** to the homebound. **If you are unable to attend Mass for a few weeks because of health or weather**, please call the Parish Office.

**Danny’s Helping Hands**
If you need occasional help with errands, companionship, transportation or meals, contact **Rita Mezydlo** at 602-885-0299 or rmezydlo@sbeglobal.net.

**Meals For Families With Newborns**
Expectant and new mothers can receive meals made by fellow parishioners for them and their families. Contact **Amy Golden** at 262-402-8229 or aldgolden@gmail.com.

**Prayer Network**
If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, we have a group of parishioners at St. Bruno’s who would like to pray for your special needs. **Call Donna at 262-965-3224**, or **Ruth at 262-965-2329**.

**St. Vincent de Paul (SVPD)**
Contact the Parish Office for assistance from SVPD: 965-2332

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**The Endowment For St. Bruno**
We have established a permanent endowment fund for the future of our church and school. We invite a contribution in honor of family members, friends, or in memory of a loved one. Information and contribution envelopes are in the Gathering Place.

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**Parish Office Hours**
Every Weekday From 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

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**Bulletin Articles**
Submit your stories, announcements, photographs and ideas for the bulletin via email to stbruno@wi.rr.com by **10:00 a.m. Monday morning.**