Seventh Sunday of Easter † May 8, 2016

ST. BRUNO PARISH

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

First Communion

April 16, 2016

April 17, 2016
This sentence from John 6 struck me -- “I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes me will never thirst.” That word “BELIEVES” hit me pretty hard. Who am I to say “I believe” if I don’t come to him in prayer, asking for his help with the hard stuff? It was as if He were shouting at me (in a nice way), “You need to come to me and ASK and I will be right there to help you! Believe really believe that I can help you and I will!” This one sentence rang in my head for the rest of the week reminding me to ask Him for his help, no matter how small or large the problem seemed.

This was part of an email that I received from a friend of mine. It not only struck her, but it struck me also. Funny how the living Word of God will do that at different times in your life. You hear the same thing over and over, but one day it is as if you’ve never heard it before and it sinks in.

This email, the movie War Room, the book “3 Moments in the Day”, things happening in life, and my ultimate desire to actually have a real prayer life has prompted me to do something quite drastic. I cleared out my second room and brought all the bins to the garage and place them on shelves, I set up a little quite space and am using it for my prayer room/my war room.

I am devoting my last moments of awake time in that room. I pray in whatever fashion I choose – novenas, journaling, listing my prayer intentions, writing or re-writing prayers/psalms/whatever, and/or just sitting in the quiet and listening as long as my brain will allow. I never actually thought I would do this. I had dreamt of it, but never really thought it would happen. Well, here it is.

This is a huge time in my life and in the life of these parishes and I am not going to be the one who drops the ball because I didn’t pray before going to bed. I can’t insist that everyone do that (Jesus has been suggesting this and modeled it for us for years and how many of us have done it so far). I do know now that, even after only a couple weeks, I find that place a bit of a sanctuary and when I leave it to go to bed, I fall to sleep easier knowing that I have spent time with God (and a few saints here and there).

If you want to help your parish, your family, your community, your very self – I would suggest you start doing something such as this to promote this relationship with God so that when you do go to him you might hear HIS voice and be less likely to only follow your desire alone.

God Bless you ALLways,

Fr. Chuck
SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

REGISTRATION UNDERWAY!

Registration for 3K through 8th grade has begun. We have openings in all grades, but space is limited in efforts to keep our class sizes small. You can find registration forms on the website. Contact us for a tour or for more information at 262-965-2291 or tammy.price@stbrunoparishschool.com. We inspire academic Excellence and instill Catholic values within a faith-filled community. Come join us!

Men Who Cook Dinner & Auction Thank You

I want to extend a sincere thank you to everyone that contributed in any way to this year’s Men Who Cook Dinner & Auction. This event is only successful due to the many hands and countless hours of time spent planning, preparing and executing an event of this magnitude. It is St. Bruno’s single largest fundraiser. Although the final numbers are not yet in, this year’s event was one of the most successful ever! I want to personally thank the many volunteers. Whether you hosted a table, attended the event, donated an item, purchased an item, washed dishes, provided software support, organized the donations or offered many needed prayers, your contribution is appreciated. Although there may be many ways to express my gratitude, the simple phrase “God Bless You” somehow seems to be the most appropriate.

With heartfelt thanks, Karen Hoffman

LADIES NIGHT OUT

The Paint Bar • 505A Wells Street, Delafield, WI 53018
Friday, May 20, 2016
6:00-8:30 p.m.

Free Style class which includes canvas or bottle & supplies: $10-$35. Menu items are available, such as flat bread pizza or a cheese sampler. Join this ANNUAL evening of Fun, Spirits, and a Night with the Girls!

Bring a friend and paint some memories...

RSVP by May 13 to Marni Marks at mcamarks@yahoo.com

Thank you!

What took 2 hours to accomplish at St. Bruno, Sunday April 24 1-3 as advertised?

Spring clean up of our Parish Campus. With 22 volunteers, all their favorite tools, tractors, trucks, trailers and smiles, we accomplished our goal. Thank you to everyone who helped. It has been many years since we have been able to go around the whole campus and get it all done in the same day. PS, it did not rain on us.

Building and Grounds

HELP NEEDED!

Please come & help on Saturday, May 14th at 10 a.m. to take down the Easter decor & put up Pentecost. We are in need of 2 ladder climbers. Thank you in advance.

Art & Environment Committee

JOB OPENING

St. Bruno’s is seeking an entry level part time Administrative Assistant to work two days per week covering the Parish Office. This position will produce and submit the weekly parish bulletin as well as cover other general office duties such as supply order, data entry for record keeping, answering phone calls, message delivery, and mail processing. The position requires strong communication and interpersonal skill and ability to multi-task and prioritize effectively. Candidates should have proficiency in Microsoft Word and Excel with strong desire and aptitude to learn additional systems. Publisher experience would be an asset. Please complete online general application at http://www.archmil.org/Jobs.htm or contact Rita Borowski with questions through the Parish Office at 262-965-2332 or email rborowr@gmail.com.

NOTICE FOR TRUSTEE NOMINATION

Fr. Chuck and I are legally bound to inform you at this time of the fact that the position of Parish Corporate Trustee is open for nominations. A parish trustee is an active, responsible lay parishioner who is called to serve the parish as a member of the Corporate Board of Directors and acts in a leadership role as a member of the Pastoral and Finance Councils.

This year we will have an election for the Parish Trustee. Candidates must be practicing Catholics who are parish members and who are at least 25 years of age. Each candidate must submit his/her name along with the signatures of 10 parish members who support that person’s nomination. The deadline for submission of your nomination to Fr. Chuck and myself is May 20, 2016.

The trustee-secretary is responsible for corporate recordkeeping, corporation minutes, notices and correspondence. That person is responsible for maintaining records of all real property, parish inventory and the parish census. The trustee is also involved with the signing of checks as needed. However, many of the above listed tasks are managed on a day-to-day basis by the parish business manager.

If you have the basic qualifications and interest to serve in the role as parish trustee-secretary, please consider nominating yourself. (See last week’s “Pastor’s Pen” for more background.)

Fr. Ralph

WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?

On May 13, the Church will celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima. Our Lady appeared to three young children at Cova da Irai, near Fatima, for the first time on May 13, 1917. She said “I am the Lady of the _________.”

a) Flowers; b) Heaven; c) Rosary; d) Clouds.

May 8, 2016
**FAITH FORMATION CORNER**

**TOTUS TUUS – Totally Yours**

*BRAND NEW THIS SUMMER!* A Catholic Vacation Bible Camp sponsored by St. Bruno and St. Paul Parishes for all students entering grades one through six for the 2016-17 school year. This camp will be held at St. Paul Parish in Genesee Depot July 25th – 29th from 9 am to 4:30 pm for the bargain fee of $75 per child! If your child is attending KM Summer Academy, you can pick the half day option, 12:30-4:30 for a fee of $50 per child.

Totus Tuus is put on by dynamic college aged missionaries who are passionate about sharing their faith, the Gospel, the Sacraments, and promoting active participation in our Church. Registration forms can be found on the Kiosk or at 262-965-9681.

**John 10 Youth Ministry**

*Teach them to love one another.*

**Share in our Mission!**

The weekend of May 21-22 is our Mission Shares weekend! Stop by our table after Mass to hear about our upcoming July mission trip, meet the students who will be serving, and support us as a prayer or financial partner. We will be selling “shares” of our trip at $10 a piece. The money raised will help off-set the cost of the summer mission trip and Steubenville trip. Contact Sarah in the parish office or at 262-965-2276 with questions.

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**“ALIVE IN YOU” MISSION TRIP**

**JULY 12-17, 2016 • MILWAUKEE, WI**

Are you ready to ignite your faith through service? Join us for a week in Milwaukee. We’ll spend the days working hard and spend the evenings in laughter and worship with inspiring talks, fun games, and great music. We will do fundraising to off-set and potentially cover the cost of this trip. Open to current 7-12th Graders. Call Sarah for more information! (262-968-2276 x208)

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**STEUBENVILLE MID-AMERICA CONFERENCE**

**JULY 8-10, 2016**

Steubenville is a high-energy Conference where 3,000+ teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, discussion, and fellowship with one another. This weekend is for any current 8-12th Grade students who are curious about God or want to grow in their faith. We’ll fundraise to off-set the cost. Call Sarah with any questions! (262-968-2276 x208)

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**THIS WEEK**

**MONDAY, MAY 9**
- 6:30 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting / Gathering Place
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Basketball / Gym
- 7:00 p.m. School Committee / Parish Room
- 7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous / Staff Work Room

**TUESDAY, MAY 10**
- 9:00 a.m. Book Club / Family Room
- 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. Budget Committee Meeting / Family Room
- 7:00 p.m. Buildings & Grounds Meeting / Gathering Place
- 7:15 p.m. Human Concerns Meeting / Parish Room

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 11**
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome Ministry Meeting / Family Room
- 5:30 p.m. Choir Dinner / Gathering Place
- 6:30 p.m. Home & School Meeting / Family Room
- 6:30-7:45 p.m. Yoga & Prayer / Gym
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal / Church

**THURSDAY, MAY 12**
- 9:00-11:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry / Family Room
- 5:30-7:00 p.m. Adult Pickleball / Gym
- 6:00 p.m. K of C Cards & Meeting / Parish Room
- 6:30 p.m. Green Team Meeting / Science Lab

**FRIDAY, MAY 13**
- Bulletin Announcements for May 15 are due today
- 7:00 p.m. Middle School Play / Gym

**SATURDAY, MAY 14 - PENTECOST/WELCOME WEEKEND**
- New Parishioner Registration
- Golf Outing Sign Up – Early Registration
- Blood Pressure Screening
- 4:00 p.m. Mass / Church

**SUNDAY, MAY 15 - PENTECOST/WELCOME WEEKEND**
- New Parishioner Registration
- Golf Outing Sign Up – Early Registration
- Blood Pressure Screening
- Flower Sale Pickup
- 10:30 a.m. Mass / Church
- 4:30 p.m. Hispanic Mass / Church

**UPCOMING ST. BRUNO EVENTS**

May 13 - School Play, “Kokonut High”, 7:00 p.m.
May 14/15 - New Mass Schedule! Sat. 4:00p.m. & Sun. 10:30a.m.

**ST. PAUL EVENTS**

May 14/15 - New Mass Schedule! Sat. 6:00 p.m. & Sun. 8:30 a.m.

**BEYOND OUR PARISH**

May 10 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. San Camillo, Wauwatosa
May 12 - Bingo; 7-9 p.m.; www.stjamesmukwonago.org; 262-363-7615
May 13 - K of C Fish Fry; 4:30-7 p.m.; St. Jerome, O’woc
May 13 - Fish Fry; 4:30-7:30 p.m.; St. Theresa, Eagle
May 20 - Feeding America Food Pantry; Roosevelt Pavilion, O’woc 3:00-6:00 p.m. or until supplies last; Bring bags; no questions asked
May 20-22 - Marriage Encounter Weekend; Crystal Lake, IL; www.1lifetimemeals.org or call 888-574-5653; www.wwme.org
May 21 - Magnificat Speaker Luncheon, Kitty Cleveland; Hilton Garden Inn; 9:00 a.m.-Noon; Resv. by 5/17; 262-853-3349
The Word of the Lord

May 9, 2016
Acts 19:1-8, John 16:29-33

May 10, 2016
Acts 20:17-27, John 17:1-11a

May 11, 2016

May 12, 2016
Acts 22:30; 23:6-11, John 17:20-26

May 13, 2016

May 14 & 15, 2016
Acts 2:1-11, Roman 8:8-17, John 14:15-16, 23b-26

www.usccb.org/nab/

Liturgical Prayer

Monday, May 9
8:00 a.m. † Dorothy White

Tuesday, May 10
8:00 a.m. † Steve Kuenzli
& Brian Zillmer

Wednesday, May 11
8:45 a.m. † Gloria Vogl

Thursday, May 12
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer with Communion/Chapel

Friday, May 13
8:00 a.m. † Susan Frank

Saturday, August
4:00 p.m. † Frank & Craig MatysiaK

Sunday, August
10:30 a.m. † Art Strand

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.

Bereavement Support Group Sessions

Are you experiencing feelings of sadness and sorrow due to the loss of a loved one?
Grieving is very hard work, and time alone will not heal your grief; it’s what you do
with your time that can make a big difference. St. Bruno’s Circle of Life
will host a series of grief support sessions on Tuesdays beginning June 7
through July 26, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. These sessions will help with understanding the rhythms of the
grieving process. Gathering with others who are dealing with the emotions of loss may be the first step needed to move toward healing. Anyone may attend, all ages, all faiths. Everyone is welcome. There is more information on the parish website.

What Is Your Catholic IQ?
The answer is c)
Mary said “I am the Lady of the Rosary” and told the children to pray the Rosary to obtain peace in the world and the end of war. Good reason for us to pray, too!

St. Vincent de Paul

Today as we celebrate the feast of the Ascension we are reminded that Christ’s saving work on earth continues through his disciples...and now through us.

When we give to the poor, God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our hearts, into our lives and into the hearts of those who are poor.

Happy Mother’s Day

Let us pray...
Good and gracious God, creator of all good things in the universe, your Son, Jesus Christ, loved his Mother and modeled for us how we should love our mothers.

Bless all the women in our lives who model for us the love of a mother. Protect them and encourage them to love as you have loved us.

Bless and protect those men in families who have no female partners and give them courage and strength to love their children in the absence of a mother.

We ask all this in your name.
Amen.

Liturgical Ministers

Hospital Communion Ministry
Thursday, May 12
D. & P. Bretl

4:00 p.m. Saturday, May 14
Greeters: I. Kronschnabel
Ushers: P. Kronschnabel
J. Siepmann
C. Neubert, P. Maloney
Servers: † D. Meyer
S. Meyer
Lectors: B. Frank
C. MatysiaK
Euch. Min: B. Schultz, S. Mayernick
S. Siepmann, J. Harnack
J. Lamparski, M. Harpster
C. Maloney

10:30 a.m. Sunday, May 15
Greeters: J. Finn, J. Mezydlo
Ushers: J. Finn, S. Kelchen
J. Riley
Servers: † C. Taggart
M. Taggart, N. Ramirez
Lectors: B. Igl, J. Kollmansberger
Euch. Min: J. Rood, L. Evans
B. Pautz, E. Stuart
J. Galando, H. Mezydlo
M. McGrath

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Welcome!
If you are a visitor to St. Bruno Parish, or are 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.

Sacramental Life & Assistance Information

Mass – The Eucharist
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (4:00 p.m. Effective: May 14, 2016) Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. (No 8:00 a.m. Eff: May 15) Hispanic Mass – First, Third, & Fifth Sundays at 4:30 p.m.

Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. or by appointment (3:00 p.m. Eff: May 14)

Baptisms
To arrange Baptism, please contact Mary Kral at least one month in advance, at 262-968-2276 x202, or 262-965-2332 or marykral4@gmail.com.

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@sbcglobal.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 algolden@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 (SVDP)
Contact the Parish Office for assistance from SVDP: 965-2332

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.

On The Cover
Pictures of our 2016 First Communicants.

Bulletin Articles
Please submit your stories, announcements, photographs and ideas for the bulletin via email to stbruno@wi.rr.com by Noon the Friday one week in advance of the weekend the bulletin is to be published.
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