MISSION STATEMENT

St. Bruno Parish is a community of people sharing a common faith in the teachings of the Catholic tradition. We come together to worship God and to spread the Good News that Jesus gave us. Through celebrating Christian unity, we provide emotional support and practice the works of mercy.

Schedule of Liturgies

Weekday
Monday 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday 8:45 a.m.

Weekends
Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Reconciliation
1st & 3rd Saturday 3:00 p.m.

Parish Office
Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. M-F
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Address: 226 W. Ottawa Avenue
Dousman, WI 53118
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EASTER SUNDAY

When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. - Jn 20:6-7
**Weekly Message**

*Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen* (Lk 24:5).

These words of the two men dressed "in dazzling apparel" rekindle the hope of the women who had rushed to the tomb at the break of dawn. These women did not yet know that this was the dawn of the most important day of history. They could not have known that they, they themselves, would be the first witnesses of Jesus’ Resurrection.

Each of us must encounter the risen Christ in our own way if we are to go beyond simply a rational acceptance of church teaching to build a personal relationship with God. In some way we must go through our own passion, crucifixion and descent to the dead, to recognize the gaze of the risen Jesus. "I will be with you always, even to the end of the age," Jesus told his disciples in Matthew's Gospel. And, indeed, He is, in response to prayers, in the sacramental life of our church, and in even in our human relationships.

Then, in recognizing the risen Christ in our own lives, we begin to see him in others. And be Christ to others. This can, and should, be the gift of Christians to the world.

After the risen Lord encountered the apostles in Jerusalem and asked them why they were troubled, he showed them his hands and his feet. He affirmed to reality of his resurrection, and they became "incredulous for joy and were amazed" (Lk 24:41).

Joy is a hallmark of our encounter with the risen Christ, for we who were lost have been found.

Our age is not so different from every other age. The sins are not new. The shortcomings are not original. The suffering is no more painful than in other eras.

And our responsibility as Catholics is no different either. We are to care for the weak, bring aid to the sick, visit the prisoners, comfort the dying. We are to bring solace to the despairing, friendship to the lonely, hope to the hopeless. And we are to do all of this with joy.

This Easter, let us kneel before our risen Lord and ask him to transform our hearts, so that all who see us, see him in us. Let us joyfully celebrate Christ’s final victory over death, and let us share this joy with our world.

*I would like to wish you and your family a Blessed and Happy Easter!*

**Fr. Dan**

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**Catholic Quotes—Words to Inspire the Faithful**

*Christ is risen and life reigns!* - St. John Chrysostom

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**Circle of Life**

Please pray for our friends and fellow parishioners who have entered into **ETERNAL LIFE** during the month of April.

- Craig Matysiak
- John Beres, Sr.
- Wayne Holt
- Frank Huber
- Robert Ricciardi
- Kaitlin Condon
- Michael Jones
- Margaret Gramling
- Jeff Runingen
- Jimmy Jones
- Richard McDonald
- Leo Wondra
- Dan Reardon

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**Easter Memorial Flowers**

**have been donated in Loving Memory of:**

- Ted Bares
- Steven Daniels
- Patty Ann Drakos
- Ray & Mary Krumvieda
- Joseph & Lorraine Kusztal
- John Longley
- Carol Markhardt
- Marks Family
- Bill & Catherine Rebholz
- Grandma Lucille Romary
- Mike Sasso
- Schwister Family
- Dick Searing

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**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Parish Support:** March 17—March 23, 2018

Regular Parish Support (envelopes/electronic, etc.) .......... $11,034
Offertory ......................................................... $581
Children’s Offertory ........................................... $5
Total ........................................................................ $11,620

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*Excludes any form of extraordinary income for both years.

**Mortgage Balance as of 3/09/18** ............... $509,288

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**Spring Flower Sale**

**THINK SPRING! Our Annual Flower Sale**

If you didn’t get an order form, they are available in the Gathering Place, Parish Office or website, due by, April 15th.

Flower order pick-up is Sunday, May 20th.

Please contact: Sharon Burt (262) 965-3737 with questions.

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**PRAY for PEACE**

**NOTICE FOR TRUSTEE-SECRETARY NOMINATION**

Nominations are being accepted. This is a two-year term and nominations close **May 4, 2018**. Directives regarding election of Trustees are contained in the Parish Corporate By-Laws. Parishioners who are considering accepting a nomination for the position of Trustee must be educated about the position. The following is a summary of the corporate By-Laws regarding election of Parish Trustees:

- Candidates must be practicing members and at least 25 years old.
- The pastor may nominate one candidate for each position open. Additional candidates must be nominated in writing by ten or more parish members. (see insert)
- Nominations must be completed and announced at the weekend masses prior to the election. If there is only one nominee for the position, nominations are closed and the nominee is declared elected.
- Elections are held every two years by written ballot before and after designated weekend masses.
- The person who receives the highest number of votes will become the Trustee subject to the approval of the Archbishop.

If you have the basic qualifications to serve in the role as parish trustee-treasurer, please consider nominating yourself. All nominees must submit a form with 10 signatures, a biography and picture to be used in the bulletin to Fr. Dan, frdvolkert@wi.rr.com by May 4, 2018.

*May the Holy Spirit move you!* Fr. Dan

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**SCHOOL HAPPENINGS**

**Men Who Cook Dinner & Auction**

April 21, 2018 **LAST CHANCE**!

TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW! There is a limited amount of spots left! Check out the Chef Board in the Gathering Space and pick your table. Menus are listed by the Chef’s, so you can pick your favorite food OR your favorite chef! Cost for tickets is $50/person, includes your meal, and the opportunity to bid on Silent and Live auction items. All funds go to help the school grow and educate our future leaders. The students, staff, and families appreciate your support!

HELP NEEDED THE NIGHT OF THE EVENT! We are in need of high school and adult help to make this evening a success. Please go to the School Website and find the Men Who Cook information. There is a “click here” in the volunteer section to get to the Signup Genius. We appreciate your help!

For more information, please contact: Michelle Vandenhouten at (262) 968-1741 or stbrunomwc@gmail.com or Ben Holzem (262) 965-2291

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**SCRIP...** Pick-up each weekend after mass. Thanks for making your generosity part of our year-long fundraising efforts.

Each SCRIP purchase helps to keep school tuition affordable.

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**FAITH FORMATION**

**Holy Spirit**

We rejoice in the Resurrection of Jesus at Easter and celebrate the Easter season right up to Pentecost. What a glorious time to keep talking about the love of God we’ve witnessed during Lent and through Holy Week. Come learn more about the Holy Spirit. Small groups will meet for six weeks between Easter and Pentecost to share how we can work with the grace of the Holy Spirit to enflame our hearts with God’s love by learning more about the role of the Holy Spirit, living in the Holy Spirit, obstacles to living there, and gifts and fruits of the Spirit. Please sign up on line on the website (or call Mary Kral to sign up) so we know how many books to order ($10 cost). 

**Mondays, 9-10:30am, St Bruno Parish Room beginning April 9. Wednesdays, 7-8:30pm, St Paul Parish Office beginning April 11**

**Thank you so much for being here with all of us today.** We are honored you chose to worship with us today. And what a gift TODAY of all days is! Today we celebrate that Jesus—who is both fully God and fully human—rose from the dead! Yet, have you ever wondered what it means that Jesus rose from the dead? It means that we all can have a new beginning, redemption from our past, and a chance to KNOW that love truly does conquer all. And not only does this love conquer all, but this love that brought about Jesus’ resurrection wants to dwell in our hearts. This love that is so powerful that it cannot be defeated by death longs to fill our hearts and souls. This love, which comes from a relationship of love and friendship with Jesus, desires us. Jesus, who is God, yet needs nothing, longs to be in a relationship with us—putting His love into our hearts. Jesus loves us so much that He chose to die to show us His love than live without us.

We love you. Thank you for being with us. We are praying for you. Please pray for us as well!

*From all of us here at St. Bruno Parish*

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**Nominations for PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS**

**Will begin April 14/15 Weekend**

Some of the characteristics helpful to this ministry are listed here. (Realize that no one comes in the door fully able to see themselves as parish leaders.)

- **Ability to collaborate.** Members are seekers and lead with patience.
- **Deep love for the parish & its mission.** Believers who lead with joy.
- **Willingness to grow in holiness.** Model Christian living & lead with faith.
- **Desire to serve.** Servant leaders who lead with humility.
- **Broad vision.** Change agents who lead with courage.
- **Continuous learner.** Good listeners who lead with respect.
- **Sense of stewardship.** Members empower others, lead with wisdom.

So begin praying! Are you a leadership person for our Pastoral Council? Look for nominations slips in the Gathering Place starting next weekend.
WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?

What is the original meaning of the word Lent?

a) Prayer  b) Strength  c) Family  d) Spring

Why do we do that?

CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question: What is the most important holiday on the Catholic calendar?

Answer: In our daily life, we often refer to "holidays." The word "holiday" actually comes from the word "holy day." More than a simple celebration or family gathering, these days connect us to God in a unique way. We remember simple celebration or family gathering, these days connect us to God's plan of salvation. Some feasts may be celebrated with more traditions and secular celebration, like Christmas, but the most important holy day is Easter.

When Jesus died and rose again, he destroyed the ultimate weapon of sin and made it possible for us to have eternal life with him in Heaven. Without the resurrection, St. Paul tells us, our faith is in vain. This past Holy Week, we walked through the Paschal Mystery, the suffering, death, and resurrection of Christ. Easter is commemorated each time we celebrate the Mass. As St. John Paul II said, "we are an Easter people and alleluia is our song!" Jesus was born for Heaven. Without the resurrection, St. Paul tells us, our faith is in vain.

What is the most important holiday on the Catholic calendar?

Easter. Our joyful celebration of the resurrection is at the core of what it means to be a Christian!

Bereavement Support Group Sessions

St. Bruno's Circle of Life Bereavement Ministry will offer Bereavement Support Sessions on Tuesdays, June 5 through July 24, from 6:30 to 8:30 PM.

Anyone who has had a loved one die recently or some time ago is invited to join this eight week, spiritually-centered seminar. The presentations are taken from Alan Wolfelt's book, Understanding Your Grief: Ten Essential Touchstones for Finding Hope and Healing Your Heart. Dr. Wolfelt uses a "companionship" model of bereavement which emphasizes the spiritual, soul-based nature of the grief journey. For information or to register, please call Peggy Knepprath, 262-424-4567 or the St. Bruno Parish Office, 262-965-2332.

Pray for all military personnel and their families. May God keep them safe in his hands.

The Spring FREE CLOTHING SHARE at St. Paul

FRIDAY, April 6 from 8:00am to 4:00pm on SATURDAY, April 7 from 8:00am to 1:00pm.

Donation drop off on Thurs., April 5 from Noon-8pm OR anytime during the hours on Fri. Tax receipts are available. Items include, not limited to: clothing for men, women & children, baby items, coats, shoes, toys, books, small house hold items, holiday decorations, purses. Just about anything seen at a garage sale (NO large furniture), and all is FREE! There is no cost & items do not have to be brought in to take what is needed. Bring your own bags to use. Please contact Jerie 262-968-3474 / roderjerie55@gmail.com with any questions! Thank You!

UPCOMING ST. BRUNO EVENTS

Apr. 8—Annual Easter Egg Hunt, following 10:30 Mass
Apr. 21—Men Who Cook Dinner & Auction!
Apr 28-29—Bundled Weekend, SVDP collection
May 20—Annual Flower Sale
Jun 5-Jul 24—Bereavement Support Group Sessions
Jun 24—St. Bruno Outdoor Mass @ Old St. Bruno Church
Aug. 11—Annual Golf Outing

UPCOMING ST. PAUL EVENT

Apr 6 & 7—Free Clothing Share: 4/6 8am-4pm, 4/7 8am-1pm
Apr 22—Parish Breakfast, featuring Deacon Joe Senglaub

Parish Breakfast

After 9:00a.m. Mass on April 22 at St. Paul

conducted by Knights of Columbus

All St. Bruno & St. Paul are invited to attend a delicious breakfast and enjoy fellowship, and a presentation by Deacon Joe Senglaub giving you a glimpse of his family, his life experiences and his call to the Diaconate.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, April 2: NO SCHOOL
8:00 a.m. Mass/Church
7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous /Staff Work Room

Tuesday, April 3: NO SCHOOL
8:00 a.m. Mass (St. Paul Church)
8:45 a.m. Alpha @ St. Paul
1:00 p.m. Bible Study /Three Pillars Learning Center
2:00-9:00 p.m. Adoration/Chapel
5:30-7:00 p.m. Track Practice/outside
7:00-9:00 p.m. Adult Basketball/Gym

Wednesday, April 4: NO SCHOOL
8:00 a.m. Mass/Church
7:00-9:00 p.m. Youth Group @ St. Paul/off-site

Thursday, April 5: NOTE: Bulletin due April 15 NO SCHOOL
9:00-11:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry /Family room
5:30-7:30 p.m. Pickle Ball/Gym
5:30-7:00 p.m. Track practice/outside
5:45 p.m. Alpha/Gathering Place

Friday, April 6: NO SCHOOL
8:00 a.m. Mass (St. Paul Church)
10:30 a.m. Rosary & Devotions/ Three Pillars Chapel

Saturday, April 7: DEVINE MERCY WEEKEND
3:00 p.m. Reconciliation/Church
4:00 p.m. Mass/Church

Sunday, April 8: DEVINE MERCY WEEKEND
10:30 a.m. Mass/Church
11:30 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt/Outside
4:30 p.m. Hispanic Mass/Church
THE WORD OF THE LORD

Monday, April 2
Acts 2:14, 22-33, Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday, April 3
Acts 2:36-41, John 20:11-18

Wednesday, April 4

Thursday, April 5

Friday, April 6
Acts 4:1-12, John 21:1-14

Saturday, April 7
Acts 4:13-21, Mark 16:9-15

Sunday, April 8

John 20:19-31

www.usccb.org/nab/

WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?
The answer is: d
The word Lent comes from the Old English, “lencten,” which means spring.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
April 7 & 8, 2018
Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy after the 4 pm Mass on Sat & the 10:30am Mass on Sun.

ALL ARE WELCOME

Proclamation of Divine Mercy Sunday: In accordance with the Apostolic Penitentiary Decree on June 29, 2002 a plenary indulgence is granted on Divine Mercy Sunday to all those who receive Eucharistic communion, go to Reconciliation/Confession (within 8 days before or after the feast day), Say the Our Father, and recite a devout prayer such as; “Merciful Jesus, I trust in You.” it is requested that the faithful take part in prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy in a complete spirit of detachment from sin, even venial sin. The plenary indulgence grants complete forgiveness of sin and the punishment due to that sin.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Easter Sunday

Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection that comes through our own lives of self-sacrifice which brings new life to others.

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will show the love of the Risen Christ by bringing your love to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

Sharing the Gospel For the Kids
- Mary Magdalene was surprised when she found the empty tomb of Jesus. She ran and told Peter and John that his body was gone. Peter and John ran to the tomb. They found no body, just strips of cloth. One piece was the cloth that covered the face of Jesus. Peter and John knew that Jesus was not in the grave, even though they did not understand what it meant to rise from the dead.

Prayer
- Jesus, you died and rose from the dead so I can share your life on earth and in heaven.
- Thank you.
- Mission for the Week
- I will tell someone that Jesus is alive.

ST. PAUL MASS SCHEDULE:
Saturday: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.
Weekdays:
Tues. 8:00 a.m. & Fri. 8:45 a.m.
Reconciliation: 2nd & 4th Saturday 10:00 a.m. or by appointment

LITURGICAL PRAYER

Monday, April 2
8:00 a.m. † For Parishioners of St. Bruno & St. Paul

Tuesday, April 3
Mass at St. Paul 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday, April 4
8:00 a.m. Mass † Phil Warnes

Thursday, April 5
8:00 a.m. Prayer with Communion/Chapel

Friday, April 6
Mass at St. Paul 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 7
4:00 p.m. † Donald Dupies

Sunday, April 8
10:30 a.m. † Anita & Kira Iwinski

MASS/DEVOTION TIMES
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday 10:30 a.m.
We pray the Rosary at 7:40 a.m when there is 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.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Christ is risen indeed! We have arrived at the penultimate feast on the Church’s calendar, the cause of our joy and our hope. Life has defeated death. Sorrow and suffering do not have the last say. In the resurrection of Jesus we see many reasons to rejoice. Not only has Jesus conquered the specter of visible death, but he restores to us graced life. On Holy Saturday, Jesus descended to the dead and delivered the just souls into heavenly paradise. What are our own Saturday tombs? Jesus has the power to open them all. That is our invitation, this day most of all. May resurrection joy fill your heart, your family, your workplace, and your community.
Happy Easter!

Would you like to learn more about your Catholic faith?
Check out Relevant Radio, the Catholic talk radio station, at 100.1 FM or 1640 AM.

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www.gbrowksautorepair.com
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Greg Brock
Owner/Operator

Please support our Advertiser of the Week, G-Brock’s Auto Repair
See their full sized ad in this bulletin.
**CHURCH INFORMATION**

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Kurt Hendrick ........................................... 262-965-2332

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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**.

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**Sacramental Life & Assistance Information**

**Mass – The Eucharist**

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.  
**Hispanic Mass**—Sundays at 4:30 p.m.

**Reconciliation**

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd or by appointment

**Baptisms**

To arrange **Baptism**, please contact **Mary Kral** at least one month in advance, at 262-968-2276 x202, or 262-965-2332 or marykal4@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.

**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**

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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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