EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Mass on Tuesday through Friday at 8:30 am
Saturday - 4:30 pm, Sunday - 8:30 am, 11:00 am, 6:00 pm

Parish Office Hours - 8:00 am-4:30 pm, Monday-Thursday, 8:00 am-3:00 pm Friday
Sacrament of Reconciliation - Thursdays from 4:00-5:00 pm and Saturdays from 9:00-10:00 am or by appointment.
Ministry to the Sick and Homebound - Holy Communion is brought to homebound parishioners on Friday mornings after Mass. Please call the Parish Office at 242-7967 to coordinate arrangements. Anointing of the Sick is offered Friday mornings after the 8:30 am Mass.
Baptism - Preparation is required. Arrangements can be made through the Baptism Coordinator, Kathy Shields at 512-8981.
Matrimony - By appointment only. Please make arrangements at least six months to one year in advance by calling the Parish Office at 242-7967.
CAPUCHIN COMMUNITY SERVICE HYGIENE BAGS

The Capuchin Community Services yearly assists tens of thousands of those who are poor, hungry, and homeless.

Our Lumen Christi Lenten Project will assist the efforts of the Capuchin Community by collecting hygiene products for those who are in need.

Beginning the weekend of March 2 & 3, empty hygiene bags will be available at all Masses. Bags will also be distributed to our Catholic Formation and Lumen Christi School students. Each bag has a check list of: soap, shampoo, toothpaste, lip balm, razors, hand sanitizer, facial tissues, toilet paper, washcloths, and lotion.

Families and individuals wishing to participate are asked to return the bags to any weekend Mass during Lent. There will be an invitation to bring the bags forward during the liturgy at the Presentation of the Gifts. There will also be a designated place in the parish foyer for those who are not able to bring up their bags during Mass.

These hygiene bags will be distributed through the Capuchin House of Peace and the St Ben’s Community Meal program in Milwaukee.

**URBANINITIATIVEMKE**

UrbanInitiativeMKE, an Archdiocesan effort, provides emergency funds to families and individuals who are in dire need of temporary assistance and who have no other options available to them.

Lumen Christi parishioners are invited to financially support the UrbanInitiativeMKE. Envelopes for your contribution will be available at church throughout the Lenten season. Please write your check to Lumen Christi Parish and note UrbanInitiativeMKE in the memo line.

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**“OUR NEW SPIRITUAL HOME”**

Check the Lumen Christi Parish website for information on the Building Project Phase Two. You will find all past articles that were previously published in the weekly bulletin along with conceptual drawings of our remodeled church.
MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY  February 25
Weekday
7:15 am Communion Service

TUESDAY  February 26
Weekday
7:15 am Communion Service
8:30 am Mass for deceased members of the Mrozinski & Balistreri Families

WEDNESDAY  February 27
Weekday
7:15 am Communion Service
8:30 am Mass † Robert Howard
School Mass

THURSDAY  February 28
Weekday
7:15 am Communion Service
8:30 am Mass † Patricia Brown

FRIDAY  March 1
Weekday
7:15 am Communion Service
8:30 am Mass † Ray Mager
(Sacrament of the Sick-administered after Mass)

SATURDAY  March 2
Weekday
8:30 am Communion Service
Vigil: Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time
4:30 pm † Kelly Cooney

SUNDAY  March 3
Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time
8:30 am † Antonia Velk
11:00 am † Bob Anderle
6:00 pm For the parishioners of Lumen Christi

Please Pray For...
Charlotte Lombness  Francis Dantzman
Linda Moser  Emma Paulson
Tyler  Mary Anne Milazzo
Beata Kim  Pat Binder
Judy Fuchs  Matthew Ceelen
Georgia Franzen  Jeremy Janssen
Elizabeth Voss  Robert Downey
Jeanne Schmitz  Patricia Locke
Gertrude Lorenz  Jerry Straus

In Loving Memory

Born to eternal rest on
February 11, 2019
Darian Griffin
February 12, 2019
William Roche
February 13, 2019
James “Pinky” Luedtke

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and may perpetual light shine upon them.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 24, 2019
Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 [8a]/1 Cor 15:45-49/
Lk 6:27-38
Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 [cf. 5]/
Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday: Sir 4:11-19/
Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175 [165a]/Mk 9:38-40
Thursday: Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/
Mk 9:41-50
Friday: Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35 [35a]/
Mk 10:1-12
Saturday: Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 17]/
Mk 10:13-16
Next Sunday: Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/
1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45

Masses will be offered at the Missionary Fraternity of Mary in Guatemala for:
† Joyce Benson

THE HOLY FATHER’S PRAYER INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY
For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.
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### Sacrament of Baptism

The following individuals recently received the Sacrament of Baptism.

- **Kash Axl Holley**, son of Kristopher and Tiffany
- **Cyril Allen Jackson**, son of Bradley and Rachael

### Age of Wisdom Meeting

**Tuesday, March 5, 2019**

1:30 pm in St James Hall

Celebrate St Patrick's day with our friends Larry Theiss and the O'Connors. They will entertain us with Irish tunes, stories and jokes. We will join them in a Irish sing along. Bring your baubles, bangles and beads for the wearing of the green. All are welcome.

### That Man Is You!

That Man is You! seeks to form men seeking to transform their homes and society. All men are invited.

Friday mornings from 6:00-7:15 am in the St Elizabeth room.

### Knights of Columbus Charity Raffle

This weekend, February 23 and 24, the Knights of Columbus will be selling Charity Raffle tickets after all Masses.

- **1st Prize** - $50,000 or 2019 Ford F150 XLT Supercab
- **2nd Prize** - $25,000 or Haley Davidson Low Rider
- 80 - $500 Cash prizes

100% of profits go to Wisconsin Charities

### Diaconate Formation

ARE YOU CONSIDERING SERVING THE CHURCH AS AN ORDAINED DEACON?

The Church calls men to be deacons “in-service” to the People of God. If you are a man (married or single), that feels this call and wants to know more, please contact the Office for Diaconate Formation at 414-758-2207 or maldonadom@archmil.org. You can also go to the INQUIRY FOR DISCERNMENT PROGRAM. The schedule of these sessions can be found at [http://www.archmil.org/offices/Diaconate.htm](http://www.archmil.org/offices/Diaconate.htm)

Our own Lumen Christi deacons are also very willing to answer any questions you may have and can be contacted as follows:

- **Deacon Dave Grambow** at dwgrambow@gmail.com
- **Deacon Joe Wenzler** at jpwenzler@gmail.com
- **Deacon Tony Monfre** at tmonfre@wi.rr.com, 414-659-4120
- **John Shaughnessy**, a Lumen Christi parishioner who is currently in the diaconate formation program at gardetto07@gmail.com
February 24, 2019 - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

“But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back.” (Luke 6:35)

Easier said than done, right? But, if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Mercy and compassion will put us on the path to holiness.
GROWING IN FAITH

MOM’S GROUP – ALPHA

Moms, you are all invited to dive deeper into our faith as we start our mom’s group session with the Alpha program.

What is Alpha? Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, typically run over fifteen weeks. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Alpha is run all around the globe, and everyone is welcome.

Video/Talks: The talks are designed to engage and inspire conversation. Generally thirty minutes long. These videos explore the big issues around faith and unpack the basics of Christianity, addressing questions such as Who is Jesus? and How can we have faith?

Discussion: Probably the most important part of any Alpha: the chance to share thoughts and ideas on the topic, and simply discuss it in a small group. There’s no obligation to say anything. And there’s nothing you can’t say. It’s an opportunity to hear from others and contribute your own perspective in an honest, friendly and open environment.

Come join other mothers as we break down how we see Christ in our everyday lives. Join us every Wednesday Morning February 27 – June 12 from 10:00-11:30 am in the Sts Matthew/Mark room (lower level of the church). Let’s take some time to relax and connect with other mom’s in our community over a cup of coffee and great conversation. Please contact Tina Rindt at Rindtt@lumenchristiparish.org if you are interested or have any questions.

CONSIDER ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

Lumen Christi is very grateful for the many ways our Parishioners donate to our “Envelope & Offertory”. Gifts come in the form of cash, checks written, bank checks mailed, stocks, IRA withdrawals etc… and it is especially efficient for our office to receive contributions electronically.

Please consider electronic giving. It is easy and safe to switch from weekly/monthly paper envelopes and checks to an electronic form of payment, and Lumen Christi saves the increasing costs of gathering, counting and depositing hundreds of checks each week. The Automated Clearing House (ACH) direct debit giving has been used for many years and provides a FREE, SAFE and time saving method of donating.

From a Parishioner: “We have been ACH donors for the past 12-15 years… we’ve enjoyed the experience and it’s one less thing to do, one less check to write, especially when you’re on vacation or up north on a summer weekend”.

If you like to place something in the collection baskets each week at Mass, we have provided “Electronic Giving Cards” in the foyer of each entrance. This can be a great way to still include youngsters who like putting something in the basket and continues to show them the practice of giving something back to the Church.

See the Parish website www.lumenchristiparish.org under the “Giving” tab to access the ACH form and forms are also available at the Information Desk in the church foyer.

WATCH FOR UNSAFE EMAIL

Be alert for suspicious email and text messages! Have you received an unusual email that appears to come from Fr Dan? Please be cautious as there are phishing scams using factious email addresses with his name attached.

This particular phishing scam first appeared about one year ago and was sent to parishes across the country. The body of the message usually indicates that the pastor “needs your help” and directs the reader to contact him right away. The next message then asks you to purchase iTunes cards for someone he is trying to help.

Some common red flags are:
• You do not recognize the sender of the message.
• The email address does not match the person’s name at all.
• Subject lines that do not match the content of the message.
• Bad grammar or illogical text.

AWAKEN YOUR HEART’S TRUE DESIRES

Explore the God designed passions and desires of the soul of a man and the soul of a woman during the six-week Awaken Your Heart’s True Desires series. This series will be held on Thursdays, March 7-April 11 from 6:30-8:15 pm at Firstfruits in Elm Grove. The cost is $30 per person along with the purchase of the book. A non-mandatory introduction session will be offered on February 21 from 6:30-8:30 pm. For more information, visit firstfruits.info/events.
TIME TO REGISTER FOR 2019-20
Current Lumen Christi Catholic School Families – it’s time to re-register for the 2019-20 school year. If you have a younger child that is not yet at Lumen Christi but will be ready to enroll for the Fall of 2019, you will need to complete the NEW STUDENT registration process to secure priority as a current family.

New Families – it’s time to secure your spot in our classes. Space is limited and classes are filling up. If you would like to schedule a tour, please contact Megan DeGuire at deguirem@lumenchristiparish.org or 262-512-8996.

To register, please see our website www.lcsaints.org.

STAY CONNECTED TO OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY
Follow us on Facebook on Instagram to stay in touch with the exciting and inspirational activities of Lumen Christi Catholic School! We post something new nearly every day, and would love to see you there.

SHAMROCK 2019!
Lumen Christi Catholic School’s annual fundraiser will be held on March 16. Raffle tickets for Finnegan’s Fortune and the Treasure raffles will be sold at all Masses on March 2 and 3. Prizes include:

- A Trek bike
- A Samsung TV and Soundbar
- A Night out to the Theater
- Front row seats at the school Christmas concert
- An iPad

The Treasure raffle is a cash prize worth $3000! Finnegan’s Fortune tickets are $5.00 and the Treasure Raffle tickets are $25.00 each. Don’t miss this opportunity to win great prizes and support our school.

Online Registration is now open for Shamrock 2019!! Lumen Christi Catholic School’s annual fundraiser will be held on Saturday, March 16 at The Wisconsin Club. Please visit lumen2019.givesmart.com to purchase tickets, to register for the chance to bid from home, or to support the school. Seating is limited, please register today.
**Tuesday Evening Book Circle:** We meet at 7:00 pm in the St Luke Room on the first Tuesday of every month and all are welcome to join us. On March 5 we will be discussing *The Library Book,* by Susan Orlean. Our April 2 book is *Nomadland: Surviving America in the Twenty First Century,* by Jessica Bruder. Please contact Judy Gilroy at 262-242-4278 or rgilroy@wi.rr.com for more information.

**Thursday Morning Book Circle:** All are welcome to join the Lumen Christi Book Circle on the third Thursday of the month at 9:30 am in the St Elizabeth Room. On February 21 we will discuss *As Bright As Heaven,* by Susan Meissner and on March 21 we will review our classic book, *Brideshead Revisited,* by Evelyn Waugh. Please contact Linda Bergemann at k.bergemann@sbcglobal.net, if you have any questions.

**Prayer Shawls:** Bring comfort to others by providing a tangible reminder of God’s Caring. Knitted or crocheted shawls as well as pocket prayer shawls are given to people who are homebound or ill, to bring them physical and emotional warmth. These can be made alone or with a group and are available through the parish office. Please contact Gina Spahn at 262-241-3565 or ginavaspahn@live.com for details. IMPORTANT! PLEASE call or email her when dropping off the shawls in the ushers’ room in the back of church. She takes them to Father to be blessed.

**St Hyacinth Food Pantry:** Help is needed every Wednesday from 3:30-6:00 pm and on Tuesdays from 12:00-3:00 pm at 1414 W Becher St. Call Kathy Saiita at 262-242-1644. The greatest needs are toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste, feminine hygiene products, deodorant, size 4 diapers, juices. Only plastic grocery bags with handles are needed. NO PAPER BAGS OR EGG CARTONS NEEDED. Healthy food items are accepted. We kindly ask that you please check expiration dates before donating food.

**Bridge Marathon:** We play on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month and are always looking for subs — both men and women. Please contact Holly Palmisano at 262-643-4343 for more information.

**Moms in Prayer International:** The Moms In Prayer international group for college and adult children continue to meet every Monday from 7:00-8:00 pm at Debbie Vredenbregt’s house, 2826 W Grace Ave, Mequon. Please contact Debbie Vredenbregt at 262-389-5301 or jvredenbregt@wi.rr.com for more details.

**Children’s Clothing Center:** Please consider donating your gently used clothing to the Children’s Clothing Center located at 4th (now Vel Phillips Drive) and Brown. The Ladies of Charity outfit Milwaukee school age children from 4K through high school once each year. (Usually about 1000 kids use our Outreach) Items include 7 pair each new socks and underwear, coat, hat, mittens, uniforms, PJ’s, three pair of pants, five tops, hoodies, sweater...so we are delighted to receive outgrown items, etc.. For more info or to donate/ volunteer, or a pick up, please contact Cathy Liska at 414-688-4455.

**WCOF Information and Staff Support:** If you need information about a particular circle and there is no contact name, please contact Kathy Shields at 262-512-8981, shieldsklumenchristiparish.org or the Parish Office at 262-242-7967.

To get listed in the WCOF bulletin, contact Marianne Nass at marianne@valhol.com or 262-243-9424. Please submit items 10 days in advance. Include your email address if you want confirmation. If you would like to be on the WCOF email list, contact Cindy Bock at cinbo108@ameritech.net.

**GENTLE EXERCISE**

**Thursdays (after morning Mass)**

in St Cecilia Hall

A gentle and low impact form of exercise. Each class is $5.

Call the parish office with any questions.

**CENTERING PRAYER**

Encounter the silence. Join us for Centering Prayer each Tuesday in the Chapel at 1:00 pm. “Prayer is not asking. Prayer is putting oneself in the hands of God, at His disposition, and listening to His voice in the depth of our hearts.” -Mother Teresa
Help Wanted in Kids Playroom

What: Supervisor for new playroom*
When: Sunday 8:00am - 9:45am
       Wednesday 9:30am - 11:30am
How: Email Tina Rindt at
      rindtt@lumenchristiparish.org

*Please note: Different individuals can supervise each week, sign up when your schedule allows! Your kids are welcome to attend with you.

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