



# Holy Assumption Catholic Church

7109 WEST ORCHARD STREET WEST ALLIS, WI 53214-4893

**FEBRUARY 7, 2021 • Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Parish Staff

Administrator, Fr. Greg Spitz  
Assisting Priest, Fr. David Zampino  
Director of Liturgy/Music, Marianne Lara

## Holy Assumption Parish Office\*

**1526 S. 72nd Street West Allis, WI**  
Secretary, JoAnna Borchardt  
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*\* Parish Office Hours can be adjusted if appointments are made.*

## Trustees

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## Mary Queen of Saints Catholic Academy (Cluster School)

1227 S. 116th St. • West Allis, WI 53214  
Principal, Jen Vega.....(414) 476-0751

## Parish Membership

Each family or single adult 18 years or older is invited and expected to be registered in our parish family.

## Parish Library

The Parish Library is located in the School Building. To visit the Library please call the Parish Office at 414-774-3010

## Masses

Weekend.....Saturday 4:00 pm  
.....Sunday 10:30 am  
Weekday (Temporarily Main Church) ..  
.....Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am  
.....1st Saturday (Sept. - May) 8:00 am  
Holy Day.....6:00 pm (Anticipated),  
.....9:00 am (Day of)

## Confessions

**In Church**  
Saturday 3:00pm-3:30pm

## Perpetual Help Devotions

\*\*\*TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED\*\*\*  
Tuesday following 8:00am Mass at Holy Assumption's Holy Family Chapel

## Baptism

Parental instruction required. Please contact the parish office.

## Marriage

Please arrange for a date and instructions at least 6 months in advance at the parish office. Parish registration is required.

## Anointing of the Sick

**Holy Assumption Schedule**  
\*\*\*TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED\*\*\*

**Heritage Senior Living**  
\*\*\*TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED\*\*\*

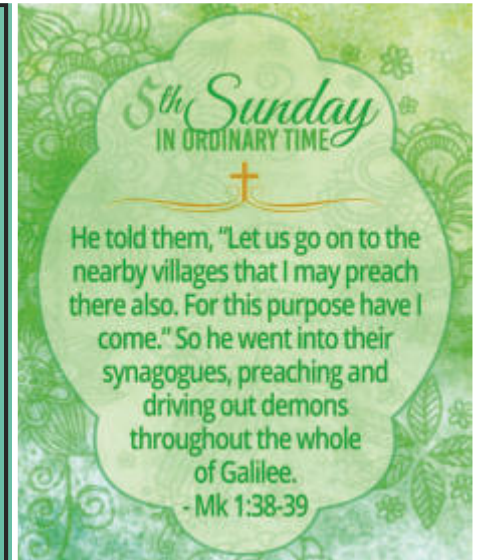
**The Landmark of West Allis**  
\*\*\*TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED\*\*\*

## Christian Formation

RCIA-Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults  
RCIC-Rite of Christian Initiation of Children  
.....**Contact the Parish Office**  
**Committee Contact**  
Mary Schum.....771-9256

## Food Pantry

**Holy Assumption (south parking lot)**  
\*\*\*TEMPORARY HOURS\*\*\*  
Every Thursday 4:30-6:00pm  
Every Friday 12-1:30pm



*Please Remember Holy Assumption in your will.*

# Mass Intentions



Week of February 7, 2021

<b>Saturday 6</b>	<b>Vigil</b>
4:00 p.m.	+ Lois Seelen
<b>Sunday 7</b>	<b>Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
10:30 a.m.	Intentions of the Parish Community
<b>Tuesday 9</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:00 a.m.	
<b>Wednesday 10</b>	<b>Saint Scholastica, virgin</b>
8:00 a.m.	+ Fr. Russ Tikalsky & + Frances Waldrop
<b>Thursday 11</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:00 a.m.	
<b>Friday 12</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:00 a.m.	+ Alan & Janice McAdams & + Julie Wied
<b>Saturday 13</b>	<b>Vigil</b>
4:00 p.m.	Intentions of the Parish Community
<b>Sunday 14</b>	<b>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
10:30 a.m.	+ Jerry Gritzmacher

*The Sanctuary Light will burn  
this week in Loving Memory of:*

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## This Week's Readings

Week of February 7, 2021

<b>Sunday 7</b>	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39
<b>Monday 8</b>	Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c [31b]/Mk 6:53-56
<b>Tuesday 9</b>	Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Mk 7:1-13
<b>Wednesday 10</b>	Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 [1a]/Mk 7:14-23
<b>Thursday 11</b>	Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 7:24-30
<b>Friday 12</b>	Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [1a]/Mk 7:31-37
<b>Saturday 13</b>	Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 [1]/Mk 8:1-10
<b>Next Sunday 14</b>	Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-4



### *Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

If I only knew then what I know now, how different life would be. This sentiment, expressed in

myriad ways, is found on every human being's lips at one point or another. Life may have brought us to a vulnerable place where we see some of the poor choices we made and the effects they are having. Perhaps we fell into some destructive and dysfunctional relationships or behaviors and are finding how they held us captive. Our zeal and passion for life may have drifted away and we are waking up to the reasons apathy has taken hold. Life can be hard. In fact, some would describe their lives as a drudgery. They walk through each day with an anxious unsettledness, wondering when their restlessness will cease. There is a temptation to believe that what I see is all I will get. Mortality and hopelessness await the dawn. If I could only have known what would come in the future, I could have made better choices and avoided all of this misery!

Really? While we can certainly give into weakness, sin, impulsiveness, and idiosyncrasies that cause us to stumble over ourselves, life is really a journey. If we don't make the mistake of wallowing in the mire of self-pity and realize the new life God is calling us to, then there are thrills, adventures, surprises, and soul-searching graces we can surely miss. We are not tethered to our past nor are we bound to the ills life can bring upon us. We are never hopeless or helpless. The problem is that our myopic vision only allows us to see the misery and misfortune that is before us, not the potential that can come from choosing healthier and more life-giving options. Jesus came that we might have fullness of life. We need to learn how to reach for Jesus' hand and let him help us to our feet.

We need to allow God into our pain and heal our past. We have to wrestle with our histories, agonize and search and cry out for the Divine healing we need to restore our faith, hope, and love. Job could not see how his story would end or trust the guidance of the God who called him. We live in that same blindness and suffer from the same lack of confidence. Once we allow ourselves to be touched by God's healing power, we begin to see that all of the pieces of our lives are necessary parts of a greater whole. Along the way of our lives, God uses our omissions and failures to create new things and possibilities. When doors close, others open and we can be amazed by the joyful and unexpected surprises we receive. Once we know the power of God's creative, healing, life-giving, forgiving, and dynamic presence, it is no wonder we want to put ourselves at the service of others and show them what life can be.

### Next Week's Greeters

February 13 & 14, 2020

<b>4:00 PM</b>	Barb Hart
<b>10:30 AM</b>	John & Yvonne Gardner

**Holy Assumption News...**

**Highlights This Week**

- Feb. 9 8:00am - Communion Service / Church
- Feb. 10 8:00am - Communion Service / Church
- Feb. 11 8:00am - Communion Service / Church  
4:30 - 6:00pm - Food Pantry
- Feb. 12 8:00am - Communion Service / Church  
12:00 - 1:30pm - Food Pantry
- Feb. 13 3:00pm - Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet / Church  
3 - 3:30pm - Confessions / Church  
4:00pm - Mass / Church
- Feb. 14 10:30am - Mass / Church



REMEMBER  
*in your prayers*

Charlene Ballogh, Tom Beale, Kate Borhardt, Carol Boyle, Vicki Brilla, Catherine Canh, Erik Carlson, Erika Carrigan, Richard Centner Jr, Jacob Cowan, Martha Duhai, Harold & Veronica Garvey, Jill Goehrig, Corky Grapatin, Frannie Handlos, Ennat Hanh, Bob Hosking, Maria Huong, Betty Imp, Jean Jablonowski, Barbara Jackson, Thomas Kronenburg, Bui Thi Lan, Karen Malki, Martha, Paul Murphy, Helen Nisenbaum, Lois O'Boyle, Jeanette Piechowski, Sharon Pyzyk, Elizabeth Rae, Greg Reed, Jim Rekowski, Darlene Roginski, Brian & Cathy Rosenbaum, Laverne Sanders, Jeri Schilling, Suzanne Schubring, David Schultz, B.J. Stephens, Bob Suwyn, Andrew Tran, Diana Tran, Willy Tran, Terry Verhaalen, Marlene Wagner, Darlene Warzon, Betty Weitzer, Paul Wisniewski, Lois Young, Matha, Enane

**MQSCA News**

There is so much occurring at Mary Queen of Saints. We had a lovely time celebrating Catholic Schools Week! It was especially lovely to give our Trimester 1 awards for students who have exemplified the values of Prayer, Justice and Service. To do this safely, we held our first all school virtual assembly and boy did the students and staff have a great time. We also completed our Winter MAP testing of our digital learners on Friday. This week, we will give the MAP test to our in-person learners. We can't wait to see their growth! In addition, we are now registering new students for the 2021-2022 school year. Our goal is to recruit 46 new early childhood students. If you know of families with children ages 3, 4 or 5, please let them know about our fabulous, 5-Star school. They can contact the main office for information about how to enroll their children. Enrolling children in early childhood programs gives them a solid foundation in faith and academics. Thank you for helping spread the word about our school.  
In Peace, Jen Vega

**Weekly Financial Summary:**

<b>Weekly need:</b>	\$5,800.00
<b>Collection:</b>	\$4,205.35
<b>Excess (Deficit)</b>	(\$1,594.65)

Note that the "Collection" amount is the sum of the Offertory, Weekly envelopes & Candles from the weekly collection.

**Calendar Raffle Winners!**

- 1/30/21 - Pat Budish - \$50
- 1/31/21 - Chanelle (Betty) Pyka - \$200
- 2/1/21 - Linda Topczewski - \$50
- 2/2/21 - Mary Pyka - \$150
- 2/3/21 - Kathy Malzewski - \$75



**Mass Intention Book 2021**

Our Mass Intention book for 2021 is open now. We have quite a few openings especially during the week. Mass Intention envelopes have been placed in the pews and in the back of church. You can fill out an envelope and place it in the collection basket during mass. Please note only 2 weekend masses a year are allowed per name.

Have a for the Homeless

- Toothbrushes • Toothpaste
- Liquid Hand Soap • Body Wash • Deodorant
- Lip Balm • Disposable Razors • Shaving Cream
- Pocket Hand Lotion • Cough Drops • Combs
- Pocket Kleenex • Shampoo
- Warm Socks • Hats • Gloves
- Sweat Shirts & Long Underwear
- In adult Sizes XL & Up
- Mittens • Scarves
- Hand Warmers
- Fanny Packs
- Snack Items

**New Items Only!**

**Cash Donations always appreciated!**

**Human Concerns News**

The Human Concerns Committee will be collecting items for the Have a Heart for the Homeless Collection. In the heart you will find items listed that they are in need of. Please donate NEW ITEMS only. All donated items can be placed in the container in the back of church labeled "Have a heart for the Homeless" If you are unable to donate items we ask that you think of a monetary donation. If you are making a monetary donation please label the envelope "Have a Heart for the Homeless." We thank you in advance for any donations.





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