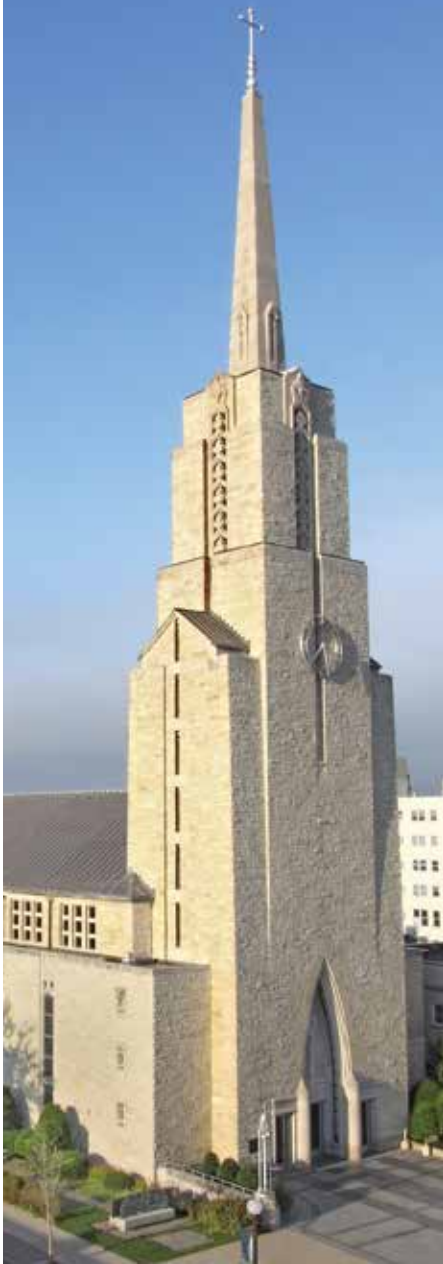


SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKMAN

Cathedral

THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF THE DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE



530 MAIN STREET
LA CROSSE, WI 54601-4033
608/782-0322

Christ the King

November 22, 2020

Rectory Office Hours

Monday-Friday: 9:00 am-4:00 pm
Closed Wednesdays: 9:30-10:30 am

Liturgy

Sunday Masses

Saturday (Vigil Mass): 4:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am and 10:30 am

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday: 6:30 am, 12:10 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thursday 9:00 am

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm
Monday-Friday: 11:30-11:55 am

Eucharistic Devotions

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held each Wednesday from 8:00 am until noon, concluding with the Litany to St. Joseph.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held each Saturday morning following the 8:00 am Mass until 9:45 am, concluding with Benediction. Confession is available during Adoration from 9:00-9:30 am.

MISSION STATEMENT

*We the parishioners of the
St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral,
serve Jesus Christ by
proclaiming the Gospel,
celebrating the Holy Eucharist
and extending hospitality
to God's beloved children.*

Christ

THE KING



HE SHALL REIGN FOREVER



UPON THIS ROCK



HE SHALL REIGN OVER THEM



I AM THE LORD THY GOD

Also see our website:
www.cathedralsjworkman.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 21

Christ the King (Vigil Mass)
4:30 pm Mass (Arthur Barbier)

Sunday, November 22

Christ the King
7:30 am Mass (For the People of the Cathedral Parish)
10:30 am Mass (Arthur Barbier)

Monday, November 23

6:30 am Mass (Living & Deceased Memers of the
Pham & Bui Families)
12:10 pm Mass (Huebner Family, George & Lillian)

Tuesday, November 24

6:30 am Mass (Living & Deceased Members of the Voght Family)
12:10 pm Mass (Ivalyn Trucks)

Wednesday, November 25

6:30 am Mass (Marie McGrath)
12:10 pm Mass (Clarence Pogreba)

Thursday, November 26

Thanksgiving Day

9:00 am Mass (Irene Dunham)

Friday, November 27

6:30 am Mass (Living & Deceased Members of the
Terrell Family)
12:10 pm Mass (Michael Nduka)

Saturday, November 28

8:00 am Mass (Rita Berendes)
4:30 pm Vigil Mass (For the People of the Cathedral Parish)

Sunday, November 29

First Sunday of Advent
7:30 am Mass (Harold & Helen Doerre, John & Nancy Doerre)
10:30 am Mass (Deceased members of the John Whalen Family)

CALENDAR REMINDERS & BUSINESS

Nov 16	TV Masses - Practice 5:30 pm, Mass 6:00 pm Practice & Mass 6:45 pm
Nov 28/29	Guest Priest Father Joseph Richards presides over weekend masses
Dec 5	PCCW Christmas Bazaar - 8:00 am - 1:00 pm Undercroft

It is impossible for that person to despair
who remembers that their Helper is omnipotent.

Translated

*I will lift up my eyes to the mountains;
from when shall my help come? My help comes
from the Lord, Who made heaven and earth.*

PSALM 121:1,2 NASB

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A PARISHIONER?

We welcome all new parishioners into our parish family.
To register, please call the parish office at 782-0322 for
more information on the various options available.

ATTENTION ALL CATHEDRAL ARTISTS

The Cathedral PCCW is planning their Christmas Bazaar for Saturday, December 5. Because of its success last year, we are asking all Cathedral artists who paint, sculpt, sew, carve, etc., to consider once again donating some of your art to this fundraising event! The items you gave last year were very well received! Social Distancing and mask wearing will be implemented the day of the sale. Thank you in Advance for considering a donation of your special artistic talent! Please contact Pat Stellflue for more information (608) 792-9858.

ATTENTION ALL PARISH WOMEN

The PCCW annual Christmas Bazaar is coming soon, Saturday **December 5th from 8:00 - 1:00 pm.** We are in need of Christmas items for the sale. We are looking for new or gently used smaller items that can be purchased as gifts for someone. We can use Christmas household items, decor or crafts in good condition. Please leave items downstairs on table outside of the Undercroft doors. This is the only fundraiser we will have this year, so please be generous. Time to also start thinking about your favorite Christmas foods and goodies. More information about baked goods to come.

ST. PATRICK PARISH ADESSE RAFFLE

St. Patrick Parish has their ADESSE raffle tickets for sale at the parish office. Each ticket is \$25.00 and is eligible for 365 drawings in 2021. There is no limit on how many times a particular ticket can win. Each month a drawing is done, and the checks are then mailed to the winners for that month. Annual prize amounts to \$16,580. ADESSE tickets are wonderful gifts for the holidays and excellent stocking stuffers for those hard to buy for people on your Christmas list! Contact the St. Patrick Parish office at 783-5535.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Would you or someone you know like to receive a pastoral visit from Msgr. Gilles on First Fridays or other suitable days in your/their home? If so, please contact him at 782-0322, extension 221.

STAY CONNECTED WITH THE CATHEDRAL FROM HOME OR ON THE GO!

There are a number of ways to stay connected with St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral parish life whether at home or on the go:

- Like us on Facebook - <http://facebook.com/cathedralsjw>
- MyParish App - text "app" to 88202 or visit the Google Play Store or visit the Apple App Store
- Parish Website - cathedralsjworkman.org
- Live Streamed Masses - Sunday's and Weekdays
- Bulletin - Online & available in the Gathering Area
- Email - office@cathedralsjworkman.org
- Telephone - 608/782-0322



Christ Our Cornerstone

Today we celebrate Christ the King who is the cornerstone upon which rests His Church. This means that as individual members of the Church, we rest on Him. He is our Rock, our fortress, our stronghold. Our faith is a spiritual reality, of course, but it is within sacred temples, our churches, that we birthed into faith through baptism which culminates in our sacrificial worship of God. It is stone and mortar which houses sacred rites which touch upon eternity and forever alters the course of history. This is parallel to what St. Paul says – that we are earthen vessels who hold the mysteries of God. Think of the magnificent power unfolding within the walls of this hallowed edifice! Recognizing the importance of this Cathedral Church, we now kick off publicly the Christ our Cornerstone Capital Campaign (CCCC).

This is a chance for all of us to come together as a parish family. This is really less about dollars and cents but more about us believing in something greater than ourselves. It is more about us coming alive through a new birth to become all Jesus wants us to be as His Cathedral Parish. What good is it to fix the outside of the church if we neglect the “inside” parish which needs to be repaired, restored and rebuilt? I firmly believe that God has led me here to walk this exciting new chapter with you. Do I feel a little nervous whir of the stomach now and again? You bet! But, honestly, recognizing the huge task before me (us), my faith has quickened because at the end of the day I know that this will only be possible by complete trust and reliance upon God who will work through the hearts and souls of believers. I trust in your own goodness to open up your hearts to the One who wants to do great things in you and through you. So, come along my dear friends and together we will, make wonderful things happen unto the glory and honor of our God!

SACRAMENTS & SERVICES

Baptism: Parents may request the baptism of their infants at least two months prior to the anticipated date of baptism. To request baptism, please call 782-0322.

Marriage: Couples who want to request the celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage should contact the rector/pastor at the time of formal engagement or at least six months prior to the anticipated date of marriage. Weddings are not ordinarily celebrated during Lent.

Cathedral Prayer Chain: Notice to all Cathedral Parishioners. The parish has a prayer chain that you may request prayer to be said and pray for the needs of others. Send your prayer requests to Mari at <https://cathedralsjworkman.org/prayer-request/>.

Wills & Estates: As you prayerfully execute your will or do estate planning, please consider keeping the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in mind. The most common and simplest way to include the parish in your last wishes is to include a bequest in your will or trust.

J O B O P E N I N G

Office Assistant/Secretary

St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral

32 hrs/week

Days/times negotiable

Must be proficient in computer skills, have telephone, reception and clerical skills and experience; excellent organizational and interpersonal skills and work independently.

Full job description found on Cathedral's homepage.

Requirements for application: resume, two letters of recommendation, two past job references.

Please submit to

Monsignor Richard Gilles, Rector,
msgr.gilles@gmail.com or

530 Main Street, La Crosse, WI 54601

by **November 20, 2020.**

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THE WORKMAN *Cathedral*
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The Holidays are Coming

Don't forget about Scrip!

please go to the Cathedral website

<https://cathedralsj-workman.org/parish-life/scrip/>.

Still have questions? Email Sara@sstaggart@gmail.com.

Scrip is a great way to support the parish!

Hospital Visits & Visitation of the Sick:

To secure a priest for unplanned or emergency admissions to a local hospital, it is vitally important that the patient, if possible, or a family member and/or friends contact the hospital pastoral care department to have an on call priest administer the sacraments. The on call priest is considered part of the pastoral team and does not count toward the “one visitor per day” rule (Gundersen).

If you become homebound because of illness or due to a post hospital stay and would like to be visited; or those who are seriously ill or have been sick for a long period of time should receive the Sacrament of the Sick and Holy Communion. Those with imminent preplanned hospital procedures should call the parish office to make arrangements for anointing. To the greatest extent possible one should be anointed apart from a hospital stay since there are such severe visiting restrictions.

RETROUVAILLE MARRIAGE HELP

Thinking about separation or divorce? Angry? Feeling helpless? Retrouvaille is a lifeline for troubled marriages. Couples learn the tools to rediscover each other and heal their marriage. 100% confidential.

Two sessions:

December 4-6, 2020, and February 5-7, 2021.

Best Western Hotel, Eagan, MN.

info@tcr-mn.org, or <http://helpourmarriage.org>.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE

Many have contributed very generously and kindly to the Diocesan Annual Appeal and we would like to join with the Diocese in expressing our sincere appreciation to you. If you have not responded to the Annual Appeal yet we would encourage you to do so as soon as possible. Pledges can be paid over seven months which enables you to spread out your payments and all pledges are totally tax deductible. Any funds raised above our target amount are returned to the parish to be used for our specific needs. Your donation, large or small, DOES MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

CHARITABLE TAX DEDUCTIONS

The CARES Act allows for Charitable Tax Deductions – EVEN IF YOU DO NOT ITEMIZE!! This “above the line” deduction is allowed at a rate of \$300 for individuals and \$600 for married couples filing joint returns. Of course, if you are able to itemize you may take higher deduction amounts. Please consider donating to the Cathedral to maximize your tax deduction. Also, if you are over the age of 70 ½ and even if you have chosen not to take a Required Minimum Distribution from your retirement account, you are still able to make a nontaxable charitable gift distribution (up to \$100,000). You must make your contribution by December 31, 2020 to qualify. Thank you for your generosity!

PLANNED GIVING

Leaving a Legacy, Wills, Bequest and Endowments, Our Estate Planning Guide can help people save hundreds of dollars in legal and financial estate planning costs. We have seen a significant increase in requests for this guide; this increased interest in Planned Giving mirrors what we find on a national level since the COVID-19 outbreaks. If you would like more information, please see the Planned Giving website at diolclegacy.org.

*And fear ye not them that kill the body,
and are not able to kill the soul:
but rather fear him that can destroy
both soul and body in hell.*

MATTHEW 10:28 ~ DOUAY-RHEIMS BIBLE

RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP & STAFF

The Most Reverend William P. Callahan, OFM Conv,
Bishop of La Crosse
Reverend Monsignor Richard W. Gilles
Rector of the Cathedral
Deacon Joseph A. Richards
Deacon Thomas Skemp

SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKMAN CATHEDRAL STAFF

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS: M-F 7:00 am-3:00 pm

RECTORY OFFICE	608/ 782-0322
RECTORY FAX	608/ 782-8228
Deacon Joseph A. Richards, RCIA	608/ 461-8000
Deacon Thomas Skemp, Front Door Ministry	608/ 385-7466
Dr. Brian W. Luckner, Director of Sacred Music	608/ 782-0322
Administrative Assistant	608/ 782-0322
Nathanael Rhody, Director of Maintenance	608/ 461-2123

Maintenance Office: Ext 229

Music Office: Ext 232

Rector's Email: msgr.gilles@gmail.com

Maintance Email: sjcathedralmaintenance@gmail.com

Parish Email: office@cathedralsjworkman.org

Parish Website: cathedralsjworkman.org

DIOCESAN

The Aquinas Catholic Schools System:

We are proud of our schools and hope families will consider becoming part of the Aquinas Catholic Schools System.

Ted Knutson, President of Aquinas Catholic Schools

Nancy Pederson, Aquinas Catholic Schools Enrollment Coordinator

Cathedral School: 608/782-5998

Aquinas Catholic Schools Central Offices 608/ 784-8585

Catholic Charities 608/ 782-0719

Other Websites – <http://www.cathedralsjworkman.org>

– <http://www.AquinasCatholicSchools.org>

– <http://www.lacrossedeanery.com>

– <http://www.dioceseoflacrosse.com>

Bulletin Deadline:

The Cathedral Bulletin deadline is 4:00 pm each Monday.

Mass Intention Offerings

From now until the end of the 2020 calendar year, there are many Mass openings available. To schedule your Mass(s), stop at the table in the Gathering Space after Sunday Masses. A friendly reminder that Masses are not only for our dearly departed. Masses are also for the intentions of our brothers and sisters, who may be ailing, preparing for surgery; or perhaps have experienced a loss and are suffering intense emotional and/or mental pain and anguish; or are celebrating an anniversary, birthday, retirement or special occasion.

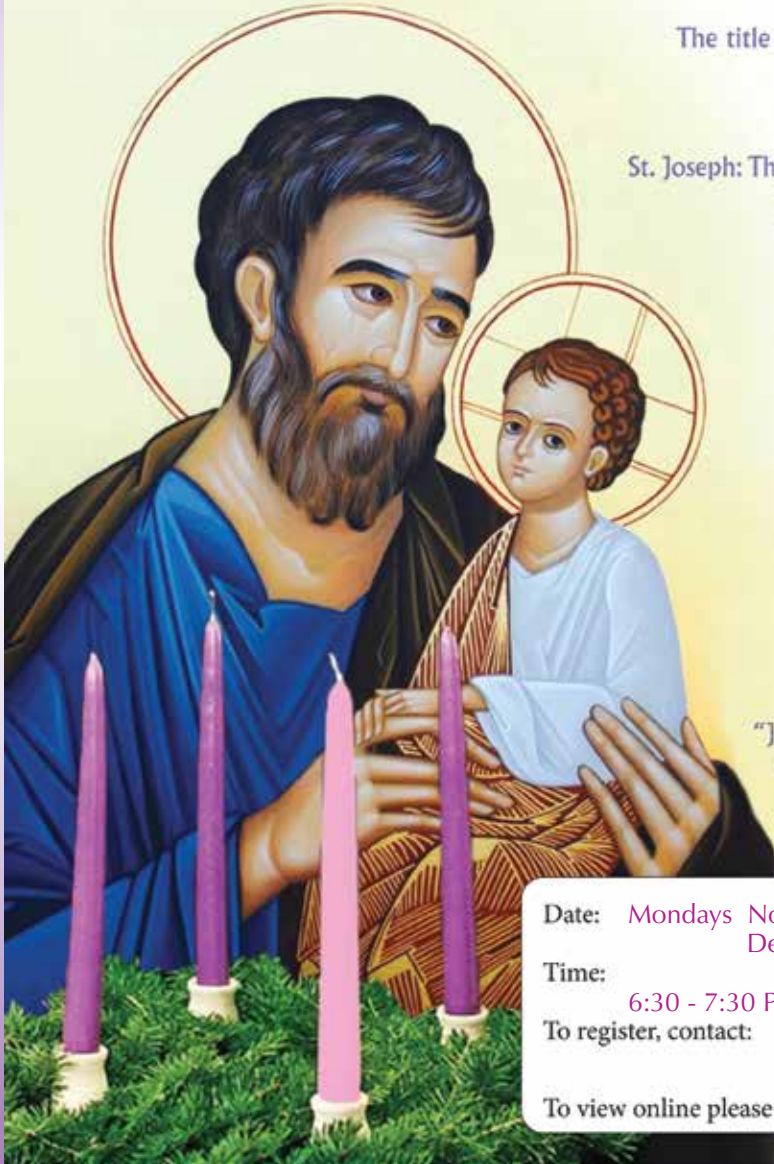
THE USUAL & CUSTOMARY STIPEND IS \$10

OUR FEATURED BULLETIN SPONSOR THIS WEEK IS:
BECKER TAX & BOOKKEEPING, LLC.

ADVENT PARISH MISSION

Preparing for the Birth of the Christ Child through the Eyes of St. Joseph.

There will be four presentations, one for each week of Advent.
The length of the talks will be roughly 30-40 minutes and discussion questions will be provided. The purpose of the Parish Mission is to bring parishioners together to prepare for Christmas and to strengthen the community.



The title and presenter for each of the four weeks of Advent.

Week 1

St. Joseph: The Man Selected by God to be Closest to Mary and to Jesus.

– Msgr. Joseph Diermeier

Week 2

Joseph and Mary:
A Holy Love Story

– Msgr. Joseph Hirsch

Week 3

That Holy Night,
through Joseph's Eyes

– Fr. Woodrow Pace

Week 4

"Joseph, Son of David... You are
to Give Him the Name Jesus"

– Bishop William Patrick Callahan

Date: Mondays November 30,
December 7, 14, and 21

Time: 6:30 - 7:30 PM in the Undercroft

To register, contact:
Joyce (608) 782-0782

To view online please visit: diolc.org/advent

SATURDAY – 8:00AM - 1:00 PM

December 12, 2020

Sponsored by
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Christmas Bazaar & *...*

Elevator access to the undercroft (downstairs)
and free parking in the church lot.

Many beautiful unique items

* Handmade gifts & crafts *

Handmade greeting cards

EVENT CANCELED

* BAKED GOODS *

PIES, COOKIES, CANDY TOO!



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