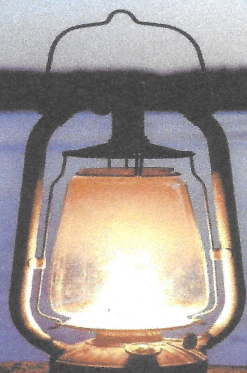


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February 1, 2026



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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Office Hours

Monday 8:30 am-1:00 pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
8:30 am-5:00 pm

2201 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
262-634-5526

Email: shracine@shracine.org

Website:

www.sacredheartracine.com

Masses

Saturday	4:30 pm
Sunday	9:00 am
Tuesday	6:00 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am
Friday	9:00 am

Confession: 3:30-4:15 pm Saturday

St. Edward

Office Hours

Monday and Wednesday
8:00 am-12 pm, 1:30-4:30 pm
Tuesday and Thursday
8:00 am-4:30 pm

1401 Grove Avenue
Racine, WI 53405
262-636-8040

Email: parish@saintedwardracine.org

Website: www.saintedwardracine.org

Facebook: "St. Edward Parish-Racine, Wisconsin"

Masses

Sunday	8:30 am
Tuesday	9:00 am

St. John Nepomuk

Office Hours

Tuesday and Thursday
8:00 am-1:00 pm

Church: 1903 Green Street
Office: 700 English Street
Racine, WI 53402
262-634-5647

Email: office@sjnracine.org

Facebook: "St. John Nepomuk Church"

Masses

Saturday	4:00 pm
Tuesday	8:30 am
Thursday	8:30 am

Confession: 3:00-3:45 pm Saturday

St. Joseph

Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
8:00 am-1:00 pm

Church: 1533 Erie Street
Office: 1532 N. Wisconsin Street
Racine, WI 53402
262-633-8284

Email: info@st-joes.org

Website: www.st-joes.org

Facebook: "St. Joseph Parish Racine"

Masses

Sunday	9:30 am
Wednesday	8:30 am
Friday	8:30 am

St. Lucy

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-4:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am-12:00 pm

3101 Drexel Avenue
Racine, WI 53403
262-554-1801 ex. 601

Email:

parishoffice@stlucychurch.org

Website: www.stlucychurch.org

Masses

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am, 11 am
Sunday	5:00 pm
Monday-Wednesday	8:15 am
Friday, Saturday	8:15 am

Confession: After 8:15 am Mass Fri.
3:00-3:45 pm Saturday

St. Patrick/San Patricio

Office Hours/Horario de oficina

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 am-noon; 1:30-4:30 pm
lunes-viernes de 8:30-12:00; 1:30-4:30
Closed/cerrada 12:00-1:30pm

1100 Erie Street
Racine, WI 53402
262-632-8808

Email: church@stpatrickracine.com

Website: www.stpatrickracine.com

Facebook: "Saint Patrick Racine"

Masses/Misas

Sunday/Domingo	8:30 am English
Sunday/Domingo	10:30 am Español
Sunday/Domingo	12:00 pm Español
Sunday/Domingo	6:00 pm Español
Wednesday/Miércoles	6:00pm Español

Confession: 4:00-5:30 pm Wednesday

St. Richard

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-2:00 pm
Closed Fridays

1509 Grand Avenue
Racine, WI 53403
262-637-8374

E-mail: info@strichard-parish.org

Website: www.strichard-parish.org

Facebook: "St. Richard Parish-Racine"

Masses

Sunday	10:00 am
Thursday	9:00 am

St. Sebastian

Office Hours

Monday-Friday
8:30 am-12:30 pm

3126 95th Street
Sturtevant, WI 53177
262-886-4398

Email:

parishoffice@stsebracine.org

Website: www.stsebracine.org

Masses

Saturday	4:30 pm
Sunday	9:30 am
Thursday	8:15 am

Confession: 3:30-4:15pm Saturday

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2 Presentation of the Lord (F) /
Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7-10/ **World Day for Consecrated Life**
Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3 St. Blaise / St. Ansgar /
Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions
2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3/Ps 86:1-6/Mk 5:21-43
8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Terry Biarnesen

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4
2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5-7/Mk 6:1-6
8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Doug Splittgerber

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5 St. Agatha
1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11abd-12abcd/Mk 6:7-13
8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Elmer Petersen

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6 St. Paul Miki and Companions
Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29
8:30 a.m. - **SJ** - Living and Deceased Members of
the Bosch and Lavin Families

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7
1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9-14/Mk 6:30-34

MASS OF ANTICIPATION
Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16
4 p.m. - **SJN** + Bert, Margaret, and Michael Mayerl
- Living and Deceased Members of
St. John Nepomuk Parish

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time /
World Marriage Day

9:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Andy Anderson
- Living and Deceased Members of
St. Joseph Parish

If school is cancelled due to snow or cold,
daily Mass is cancelled as well. *Fr. Juan M. Camacho*



Please join us
to pray the rosary
before each Mass.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

I - Christopher Michael Grutsch
and Meredith Anne Schell

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, Karen Moeller.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, Andy Anderson.

IN YOUR CHARITY: Please remember in faith, SJ
parishioner, **Dean Dowhower**, who received his Christian
burial through our Church and ministry. Eternal rest, O
Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2

2:45-6 p.m. - Youth Center: SJ Parish Center
5-7 p.m. - Open House: St. Joseph School

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

5:30-7:30 p.m. - Adult choir rehearsal: SJ Church

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6

NO School

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7

3-3:45 p.m. - Confessions: SJN Church
Soup-er Bowl 2026 collection, week 4 of 4
4 p.m. - Mass: SJN Church

After 4 p.m. Mass - Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Soup-er Bowl 2026 collection, week 4 of 4
9:30 a.m. - Mass: SJ Church



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STEWARDSHIP

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

Dec. Financials	Dec. '25	Dec. '24	Difference
Envelopes:	\$13,680.00	\$22,779.00	\$ (9,099.00)
Bldgs./Grounds:	\$ 390.00	\$ 360.00	\$ 30.00
Offertory:	\$ 1,249.00	\$ 1,268.00	\$ (19.00)
Total Contrib.:	\$15,319.00	\$24,407.00	\$ (9,088.00)

ST. JOSEPH PARISH

Dec. Financials	Dec. '25	Dec. '24	Difference
Envelopes:	\$37,288.50	\$24,916.00	\$12,372.50
Capital Funds:	\$ 122.50	\$ 185.50	\$ (63.00)
NeedyFoodBask.:	\$ 1,690.00	\$ 2,015.00	\$ (325.00)
Offertory:	\$ 1,571.29	\$ 590.85	\$ 980.44
Total Contrib.:	\$40,672.29	\$27,707.35	\$12,964.94

SJN CALENDAR RAFFLE 2026 WINNERS

Sunday, Jan. 11, \$50

Sue Bauer #1143

Monday, Jan. 12, \$25

Nick Malanche #57

Tuesday, Jan. 13, \$25

Joe Coe #552

Wednesday, Jan. 14, \$25

Mary Louise Kinney #1070

Thursday, Jan. 15, \$25

Ryan Rugh #570

Friday, Jan. 16, \$25

David Obuchowski #457

Saturday, Jan. 17, \$25

Vahan Mahdasian #76

GRACE AND PEACE TO YOU, MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

The readings for this Sunday, especially the Gospel proclamation of the Beatitudes, present Jesus' inaugural teaching on the nature of the Reign of God. Far from a vague ideal, the Beatitudes reveal God's concrete vision for human flourishing, a vision that both fulfills Israel's deepest hopes and surpasses worldly expectations of power, success, and happiness.

In the First Reading, the prophet Zephaniah calls Israel to seek humility and righteousness, assuring the "humble of the land" that they will be sheltered on the day of the Lord. This prepares us to hear Jesus' words on the mountain, where he blesses those who, like the poor, trust in God rather than in their own strength. Paul, in the Second Reading, echoes this same divine logic: God chooses the lowly and the weak to shame the strong. He reveals a God whose wisdom overturns human categories.

Against this backdrop, the Beatitudes become the charter of the Kingdom. Jesus declares blessed those whom the world typically dismisses: the poor in spirit, the meek, the mournful, the persecuted. These blessings are not sentimental consolations but descriptions of the people through whom God establishes his reign. The "poor in spirit" are not simply those lacking material goods but those who recognize their radical dependence on God. To them "belongs the Kingdom," not merely in the future but now.

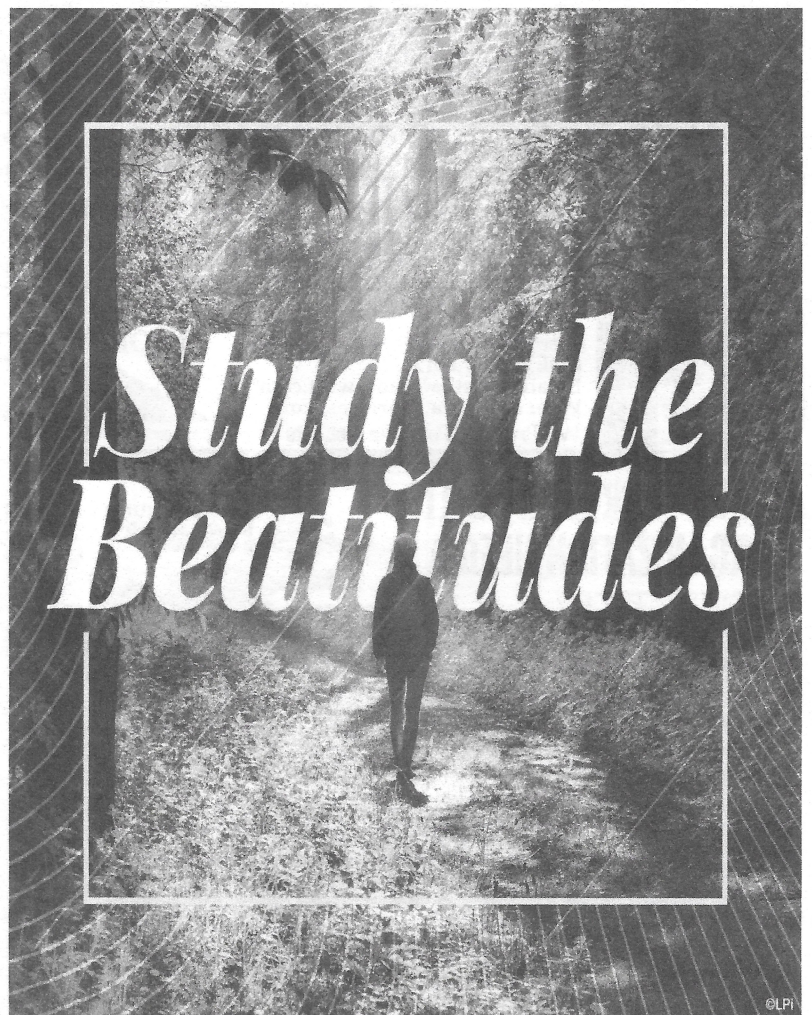
The Beatitudes also outline the dispositions that shape life in God's Kingdom. The merciful embody God's own heart; the clean of heart reflect God's integrity; the peacemakers carry out God's reconciling mission. Each beatitude names a transformation that God accomplishes in his people, who then become signs of his presence in the world. In this way, the Reign of God is both a divine gift and a human vocation.

Finally, Jesus reveals that blessing does not shield his disciples from suffering. Instead, persecution "for the sake of righteousness" becomes the ultimate confirmation that they are aligned with God's Kingdom rather than the world's. Their reward is great, not merely in heaven, but in the deep joy of knowing they stand with Christ.

Thus, the Beatitudes are not optional virtues; they delineate the very framework of God's Reign. They describe the kind of heart through which God renews the world and the kind of community the Church is called to be. Are we living this call in our lives? Are we helping implement this vision of God for the world? Do we embody the Kingdom of God as the Church?

Blessings,

Fr. Juan M. Camacho



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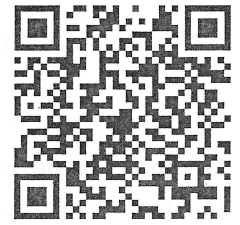
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Catholic Community of 8 New Parish Name Voting



To vote, scan the QR Code or mark your selection on the ballot below and return after Mass.

1 vote per person in the household. Voting is open from January 30th through February 8th.

The 3 names with the most votes will be submitted to the Archbishop for final selection.

Vote Here	Parish Name	Reasons for the Nominated Parish Name
	Congregation of St. Carlo Acutis	- Known for his deep devotion to the Catholic faith and his adept use of technology to share religious content - Celebrated for his work in creating a website documenting Eucharistic miracles worldwide - First millennial saint; Canonized on September 7, 2025 - Emphasizes our commitment to youth, spreading our Catholic faith, and modernity
	Congregation of St. Leo the Great	- He emphasized the importance of unity within the Church - Patron saint of those seeking a good confession and vocations - Emphasizes our commitment to unity and is a nod to Popes Leo XIII, founder of Modern Catholic Social Teaching, and Leo XIV, the first pope born in the US.
	Congregation of St. Pier Giorgio Frassati	- Catholic activist dedicated to social justice - Patron saint of Catholic action - Canonized on September 7, 2025 - Emphasizes our commitment to students, youth and social justice
	Congregation of St. Pio of Pietrelcina	- He summed up his practical theological advice as "Pray, Hope and Don't Worry" - Experienced physical stigmata for the last 50 years of his life - Canonized June 16, 2002 - Emphasizes our commitment to adolescents, practical theology, and God's healing power
	Congregation of St. Nicholas	- His reputation for generosity and kindness gave rise to many legends of miracles - He is the patron saint of charity, children, and sailors - Emphasizes our commitment to charity, children, and sailors and is a nod to our location on Lake Michigan
	Congregation of the Holy Spirit	- Third person of the Holy Trinity - His mission is to sanctify, enliven and guide the Church - In the sacraments He strengthens our faith and equips us for Christian witness - The Spirit is the inner counselor who urges us to do what pleases God - Emphasizes our commitment to know and follow God and strengthen and spread our faith
	Congregation of Holy Redeemer	- Jesus is the second person of the Holy Trinity, sent by God the Father to redeem humanity from sin and death - The Redeemer offers the great gift of salvation and hope of eternal life to all who believe in Him - Emphasizes our commitment to Jesus and the salvation and eternal life he offers to believers
	Congregation of St. Ignatius of Antioch	- Known mainly for 7 highly regarded letters that he wrote during a trip to Rome as a prisoner condemned to be executed for his Christian beliefs - The letters have often been cited as a source of knowledge of the Christian church at the beginning of the 2nd century - Emphasizes faithfulness to Church teachings and revives the name of the first church in Racine
	Congregation of the Transfiguration of the Lord	- The Transfiguration of Jesus is a profound event that encapsulates key aspects of Catholic teaching, including the revelation of Christ's divine nature, the significance of the Cross, and the call to personal transformation - Encourages us to embrace our faith and the transformative power of Christ in our lives. - Emphasizes the Transformative Power of Christ and the transformation of our eight parishes into one
	Congregation of Stella Maris	- Stella Maris is a title for Mary meaning "Star of the Sea" in Latin - Mary is a protector and guide for Christians, illuminating the path to Christ - She is the "calmer of storms", providing comfort and safety in turbulent times - Emphasizes Mary as protector and guide to Christ, and is a nod to our location on Lake Michigan

Thank you for your vote for our new parish name!

Votación para elegir el nombre de la nueva parroquia de la comunidad católica de 8

Para votar, escanee el código QR o marque su selección en la papeleta que encontrará a continuación y entréguela después de la misa.

Un voto por persona por hogar. La votación estará abierta del 30 de enero al 8 de febrero.

Los tres nombres con más votos se presentarán al Arzobispo para la selección final.



Vota aquí	Nombre de la parroquia	Razones para el nombre de la parroquia propuesta
	Congregation of St. Carlo Acutis	- Conocido por su profunda devoción a la fe católica y su hábil uso de la tecnología para compartir contenido religioso. - Reconocido por su trabajo en la creación de un sitio web que documenta milagros eucarísticos en todo el mundo. - Primer santo de la generación millennial; canonizado el 7 de septiembre de 2025. - Enfatiza nuestro compromiso con la juventud, la difusión de nuestra fe católica y la modernidad.
	Congregation of St. Leo the Great	- Enfatizó la importancia de la unidad dentro de la Iglesia. - Santo patrón de quienes buscan una buena confesión y vocaciones. - Subraya nuestro compromiso con la unidad y es un homenaje a los papas León XIII, fundador de la Doctrina Social Católica moderna, y León XIV, el primer papa nacido en Estados Unidos.
	Congregation of St. Pier Giorgio Frassati	- Activista católica dedicada a la justicia social - Patrona de la Acción Católica - Canonizada el 7 de septiembre de 2025 - Enfatiza nuestro compromiso con los estudiantes, los jóvenes y la justicia social
	Congregation of St. Pio of Pietrelcina	- Resumió su consejo teológico práctico en la frase: "Ora, ten esperanza y no te preocupes". - Experimentó estigmas físicos durante los últimos 50 años de su vida. - Fue canonizado el 16 de junio de 2002. - Enfatiza nuestro compromiso con los adolescentes, la teología práctica y el poder sanador de Dios.
	Congregation of St. Nicholas	- Su reputación de generosidad y bondad dio origen a numerosas leyendas de milagros. - Es el santo patrón de la caridad, los niños y los marineros. - Esto subraya nuestro compromiso con la caridad, los niños y los marineros, y es un guiño a nuestra ubicación a orillas del lago Michigan.
	Congregation of the Holy Spirit	- Tercera persona de la Santísima Trinidad - Su misión es santificar, vivificar y guiar a la Iglesia - En los sacramentos fortalece nuestra fe y nos capacita para el testimonio cristiano - El Espíritu es el consejero interior que nos impulsa a hacer lo que agrada a Dios - Enfatiza nuestro compromiso de conocer y seguir a Dios, y de fortalecer y difundir nuestra fe
	Congregation of Holy Redeemer	- Jesús es la segunda persona de la Santísima Trinidad, enviado por Dios Padre para redimir a la humanidad del pecado y la muerte. - El Redentor ofrece el gran don de la salvación y la esperanza de la vida eterna a todos los que creen en Él. - Enfatiza nuestro compromiso con Jesús y la salvación y la vida eterna que ofrece a los creyentes.
	Congregation of St. Ignatius of Antioch	- Conocido principalmente por siete cartas muy valoradas que escribió durante un viaje a Roma como prisionero condenado a muerte por sus creencias cristianas. - Estas cartas han sido citadas con frecuencia como fuente de conocimiento sobre la iglesia cristiana a principios del siglo II. - Enfatiza la fidelidad a las enseñanzas de la Iglesia y recupera el nombre de la primera iglesia en Racine.
	Congregation of the Transfiguration of the Lord	- La Transfiguración de Jesús es un acontecimiento trascendental que resume aspectos clave de la enseñanza católica, incluyendo la revelación de la naturaleza divina de Cristo, la importancia de la Cruz y el llamado a la transformación personal. - Nos anima a abrazar nuestra fe y el poder transformador de Cristo en nuestras vidas. - Enfatiza el poder transformador de Cristo y la transformación de nuestras ocho parroquias en una sola.
	Congregation of Stella Maris	- Stella Maris es un título de María que significa "Estrella del Mar" en latín. - María es protectora y guía para los cristianos, iluminando el camino hacia Cristo. - Es la "pacificadora de las tormentas", brindando consuelo y seguridad en tiempos difíciles. - Se enfatiza el papel de María como protectora y guía hacia Cristo, y es una referencia a nuestra ubicación a orillas del lago Michigan.

¡Gracias por votar por el nuevo nombre de nuestra parroquia!

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY

WEEKEND MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES								
FEBRUARY 7/8								
	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Saturday	4:30 PM				4:00 PM		4:00 PM	4:30 PM
	Fr. Juan				Fr. Andrew		Fr. Richter	Fr. Timothy
Sunday	9:00 AM	8:30 AM	10:00 AM	8:30 AM		9:30 AM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
	Fr. Juan	Fr. Timothy	Fr. Timothy	Fr. Allen		Fr. Richter	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Terry
Sunday				10:30 AM			11:00 AM	
				Fr. Juan			Fr. Richter	
Sunday				12:00 PM			5:00 PM	
				Fr. Juan			Fr. Andrew	
Sunday				6:00 PM				
				Fr. Timothy				

WEEKEND MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES								
FEBRUARY 14/15								
	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Saturday	4:30 PM				4:00 PM		4:00 PM	4:30 PM
	Fr. Timothy				Fr. Juan		Fr. Andrew	Fr. Terry
Sunday	9:00 AM	8:30 AM	10:00 AM	8:30 AM		9:30 AM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
	Fr. Timothy	Fr. Allen	Fr. Allen	Fr. Andrew		Fr. Juan	Fr. Juan	Fr. Terry
Sunday				10:30 AM			11:00 AM	
				Fr. Timothy			Fr. Andrew	
Sunday				12:00 PM			5:00 PM	
				Fr. Juan			Fr. Juan	
Sunday				6:00 PM				
				Fr. Timothy				

WEEKEND MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES								
FEBRUARY 21/22								
	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Saturday	4:30 PM				4:00 PM		4:00 PM	4:30 PM
	Fr. Richter				Fr. Timothy		Fr. Juan	Fr. Terry
Sunday	9:00 AM	8:30 AM	10:00 AM	8:30 AM		9:30 AM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
	Fr. Richter	Fr. Juan	Fr. Juan	Fr. Mich		Fr. Timothy	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Andrew
Sunday				10:30 AM			11:00 AM	
				Fr. Richter			Fr. Timothy	
Sunday				12:00 PM			5:00 PM	
				Fr. Juan			Fr. Richter	
Sunday				6:00 PM				
				Fr. Timothy				

WEEKEND MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES								
FEBRUARY 28/MARCH 1								
	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Saturday	4:30 PM				4:00 PM		4:00 PM	4:30 PM
	Fr. Andrew				Fr. Richter		Fr. Timothy	Fr. Juan
Sunday	9:00 AM	8:30 AM	10:00 AM	8:30 AM		9:30 AM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
	Fr. Timothy	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Jose Mario		Fr. Juan	Fr. Juan	Fr. Richter
Sunday				10:30 AM			11:00 AM	
				Fr. Timothy			Fr. Richter	
Sunday				12:00 PM			5:00 PM	
				Fr. Timothy			Fr. Andrew	
Sunday				6:00 PM				
				Fr. Richter				

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY

DAILY MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES										
Day	Date	Saint Catherine	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Monday	2					6:00 PM Fr. Juan			8:15 AM Fr. Richter	
Tuesday	3	1:30 PM* Fr. Richter	6:00 PM Fr. Timothy	9:00 AM* Fr. Richter			8:30 AM Fr. Timothy		8:15 AM Fr. Juan	
Wednesday	4		9:00 AM* Fr. Juan			6:00 PM Fr. Richter		8:30 AM Fr. Richter	8:15 AM* Fr. Timothy	
Thursday	5				9:00 AM Fr. Juan		8:30 AM Fr. Ken			8:15 AM* Fr. Timothy
Friday	6		9:00 AM Fr. Juan					8:30 AM* Fr. Richter	8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
Saturday	7								8:15 AM Fr. Richter	
DAILY MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES										
Day	Date	Saint Catherine	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Monday	9								8:15 AM Fr. Terry	
Tuesday	10	1:30 PM* Fr. Juan	6:00 PM Fr. Timothy	9:00 AM* Fr. Juan			8:30 AM Fr. Timothy		8:15 AM Fr. Wolfe	
Wednesday	11		9:00 AM* Fr. Juan			6:00 PM Fr. Timothy		8:30 AM Fr. Ken	8:15 AM* Fr. Timothy	
Thursday	12				9:00 AM Fr. Juan		8:30 AM Fr. Ken			8:15 AM* Fr. Timothy
Friday	13		9:00 AM Fr. Jose Mario					8:30 AM Fr. Juan	8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
Saturday	14								8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
DAILY MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES										
Day	Date	Saint Catherine	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Monday	16								8:15 AM Fr. Richter	
Tuesday	17	1:30 PM* Fr. Juan	6:00 PM Fr. Timothy	9:00 AM* Fr. Timothy			8:30 AM Fr. Richter		8:15 AM Fr. Juan	
SPECIAL SCHEDULE FOR ASH WEDNESDAY										
Thursday	19				9:00 AM Fr. Allen		8:30 AM Fr. Timothy			8:15 AM* Fr. Juan
Friday	20		9:00 AM Fr. Juan					8:30 AM* Fr. Richter	8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
Saturday	21								8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
DAILY MASSES FAMILY OF EIGHT PARISHES										
Day	Date	Saint Catherine	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Monday	23								8:15 AM Fr. Richter	
Tuesday	24	1:30 PM* Fr. Richter	6:00 PM Fr. Timothy	9:00 AM* Fr. Richter			8:30 AM Fr. Timothy		8:15 AM Fr. Juan	
Wednesday	25		9:00 AM* Fr. Richter			6:00 PM Fr. Timothy		8:30 AM Fr. Timothy	8:15 AM* Fr. Juan	
Thursday	26				9:00 AM Fr. Allen		8:30 AM Fr. Juan			8:15 AM* Fr. Timothy
Friday	27		9:00 AM Fr. Juan					8:30 AM* Fr. Richter	8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
Saturday	28								8:15 AM Fr. Richter	
ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE										
Day	Date	Saint Catherine	Sacred Heart	Saint Edward	Saint Richard	Saint Patrick	Saint John Nepomuk	Saint Joseph	Saint Lucy	Saint Sebastian
Monday									8:15 AM Fr. Timothy	
Tuesday			9:00 AM* Fr. Juan					8:30 AM Fr. Richter		
Wednesday		1:30 PM* Fr. Richter	6:00 PM Fr. Juan	1:00 PM* Fr. Timothy	Dc. Eloy	Dc. Raul ??? 6:00 PM Fr. Richter	12:00 PM Dc. Doug			10:30 AM* Fr. Timothy
Thursday			7:30 PM Fr. Juan						6:30 PM Fr. Allen	

GOOD TO KNOW

We need your Mass Intentions. Remember your loved ones with a Mass Intention or Sanctuary Lamp. Call your Parish Office. Mass stipend, \$20; SJN Sanctuary Lamp, \$7; SJ Sanctuary Lamp, \$5. Thank you.

Eucharistic Adoration is held Tuesdays, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.: St. Lucy | **Wednesdays**, 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.: St. Lucy | 4:30-5:45 p.m.: St. Patrick | **Thursdays**, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.: St. Lucy | **Fridays**, After 9 a.m. Mass-5 p.m.: Sacred Heart

Marian Handziak wishes to thank Father Timothy, David Kirkpatrick, the choir and all who contributed in making the funeral Mass and burial service for her husband, Louis, a beautiful memorial.

St. Joseph Parish gratefully acknowledges receipt of generous memorials for Louis Handziak.

In preparation for Ash Wednesday, you may return your palms to the basket on St. Joseph's altar railing.

Catholic Community of Eight in Racine Human Concerns Report: At the request of our pastoral team, representatives from all eight parishes involved in Human Concerns efforts have been gathering for the last several months. We are trying to envision what our merged parish will be able to do with the combined passion, inspiration and energy of all our parishes to make our world and ourselves in the image of God. Each parish has a wonderful history of helping our neighbors. Together we can support each other's programs and work together on larger issues. We are one in the Spirit, and they'll know we are Christians by our love.

Prayer shawls for those facing illness or trying times are blessed for the intentions of the recipient. Without charge; given with our prayers. Call SJ Parish Office.

The Mitten Baskets need new or handmade child-sized mittens, caps, gloves and scarves. Baskets are at the back of SJ Church and side entrance of SJN Church.

St. Vincent de Paul Society is collecting hygiene items: soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. **SVdP Food Pantry** needs monetary donations to purchase eggs, frozen meat, milk, butter, cheese. Please mail checks payable to SVdP Food Panty to: St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404. **In December, we fed 667 people including 272 children! Non-perishable needs:** canned meat; Spam; canned chili, with or without beans; saltine crackers; instant oatmeal packets; Pasta-Roni; pasta sides; boxed spaghetti or angel hair; instant potatoes, sm. bags; boxed Au Gratin or Scalloped potatoes. Hunger in Racine is real. You make a difference!

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Sign up for the Catholic Community of Eight newsletter:

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sienacatholicschools.org/newsletter

If you or someone you know are unable to attend Mass and would like a Communion visit and/or the sacraments, please call any of our parish offices. If someone is bringing you the Eucharist, they need to have an appropriate pyx and pouch.

Mmmmm! A bowl of hearty soup for those in need is the goal of Catholic Community of Eight's Soup-er Bowl, NOW-Feb. 8. The SJ and SJN collections will benefit St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry.



SJ/SJN'S SOUP-ER BOWL TALLY

1st quarter, Jan. 18: 215	3rd quarter, Feb. 1:
2nd quarter, Jan. 25: 137	4th quarter, Feb. 8:

Wear your best Mardi Gras outfit and break out your beads for a Mardi Gras Party Saturday, February 7, at 6 p.m. at St. Richard. Join a Catholic Community of Eight family fun event with tacos, King Cake, and music!

"Praying From the Heart" is the topic at the Monthly Marriage Gathering Sunday, February 15, after 9 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart with speaker, Grace Mazza Urbanski from the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network. Childcare; register them: eantrim@stlucychurch.org

The CCof8 invites all newly married within the last 5 years to join us for a catered dinner Saturday, February 21, 6 p.m., at St. Sebastian. Cost: \$20 per couple. RSVP by Feb. 9: Eric Antrim, eantrim@stlucychurch.org.

You are invited to a special CCof8 two-night Lenten Retreat Sunday, February 22, and Monday, February 23.

Belle City Catholic Young Adults (20s and 30s)

Holy Happy Hour

Tuesday, February 10

7 p.m. gathering at Pepi's Bar and Grill, 618 Sixth St.
Hear a message and hangout with new and old friends.
Questions: Eric Antrim at eantrim@stlucychurch.org

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

But I will leave as a remnant in your midst
a people humble and lowly. (Zep 3:12)

Psalm:

Blessed are the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!
(Ps 146)
Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

Rather, God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise,
and God chose the weak of the world to shame the strong.
(1 Cor 1:27)

Gospel:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." (Mt 5:3)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Blessed are the poor, the meek, the persecuted. These are radical words in a world that insists the opposite: blessed are the wealthy. Blessed are the forceful. Blessed are the comfortable. Do we have what it takes to be radical?

Observances for the week of February 1, 2026

- Sunday:** 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Presentation of the Lord,
World Day for Consecrated Life
Tuesday: St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr;
St. Ansgar, Bishop
Thursday: St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
Friday: St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs
Next Sunday: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Marriage Day



Virtues, Explained!

Also known as benevolence or beneficence and derived from the theological virtue of charity, kindness is a way of seeing others through the eyes of God, who has adopted us as His own.

Bless Us, Lord

Jesus,
You are good and gracious, every moment of every day. You invite us to be meek, merciful, clean of heart, peacemakers. Give us the grace to seek these virtues, and to seek you. May your blessing accompany us on our way.
Amen.