

## WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

We welcome guests celebrating Mass with us this weekend. No matter who you are, or where you are in your faith journey, you are welcome at All Saints Parish.

Would you like to join us as an active parishioner? There are registration forms available in the kiosk in the gathering space or you may stop in our parish office anytime Tuesday-Friday from 8:00AM-4:00PM

or visit our website: **allsaintsberlin.org**  
Find **Registration** under **the About Us** tab at the top  
We are blessed to have you here.

**The Sanctuary Lamp** is lit to signal the True Presence of Christ in the Tabernacle and is donated in memory of John & Henrietta Arnold

**Rest in Peace:** Gordon "Jake" Jodarski whose funeral Mass was at All Saints Church on November 22. May God grant him eternal rest.



... It is the hour now for you to  
awake from sleep. For our  
salvation is nearer now than when  
we first believed;

Romans 13:11

## MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 11/30	4:30 PM	John Klak
SUN 12/1	7:30 AM	All Saints Family
	10:00 AM	Deceased Members of the Briski & Petit Families
MON 12/2	No Mass	
TUES 12/3	5:30 PM	Bill Reed
WED 12/4	8:00 AM	Harold Wiecki
THURS 12/5	9:15 AM school	Margaret Schramer
FRI 12/6	8:00 AM	Oliver Disotell
SAT 12/7	4:30 PM	All Saints Family
SUN 12/8	7:30 AM	Special Intention for Fr. Max
	10:00 AM Children's Liturgy	Special Intention for Wayne & Lisa Gustke on their 40th Wedding Anniversary

## PARISH PRESS

**Friday**  
**February 7, 2020** **NIGHT to Shine**  
**6-9 pm**

SPONSORED BY THE **TIM TEBOW**  
FOUNDATION™

We are so excited to be an official host church for this year's Night to Shine, sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation. Night to Shine is an unforgettable prom night experience, centered on God's love, for people with special needs, ages 14 and older. On one night, hundreds of churches of different denominations from all over the world will come together to celebrate people with special needs! We will also need many volunteers to really make this a night to shine! **Volunteer forms are on the kiosk, and are due by January 1, 2020.** Or you may contact Michelle Wolff at 920-361-5252 or mwolff@allsaintsberlin.org.

Please tell your family and friends about this exciting new event! To learn more and see all the churches that are a part of this worldwide movement, check out [www.timtebowfoundation.org](http://www.timtebowfoundation.org)

**ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC PARISH  
BERLIN, WI**



**SAVE THE DATE**

**FEBRUARY 7, 2020**

**WORLDWIDE**



NIGHT TO SHINE GLOBAL PARTNERS



# EVENTS

**BINGO** - The kitchen opens at 5:00 PM to serve a light lunch, dessert, and beverages. Bingo begins at 6:30  
BINGO Sunday, Dec 1 at 6:30 PM (CCW)  
Cakes: Sue Koch, Gloria Lichtfuss  
Kitchen Workers: Sue Koch, Gloria Lichtfuss  
BINGO Sunday, Dec 8 at 6:30 PM (KC's)  
Cakes: Sr. Michaelleen, Janet Lambert



## **SNOW REMOVAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

We are still looking for people who can help with the sidewalks and smaller areas around the church and/or the school. If this is something you could help with, please call the parish or school office. May God bless you abundantly.

## **THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS PARISH. . .**

**December 2 - 8, 2019**

Monday:	Parish Office Closed CCW - 5:30 PM - parish hall Rosary - 5:30 PM - Plan.Parenthood, Oshkosh
Tuesday:	Advent by Candlelight - 6:30 PM - parish hall
Wednesday:	TMIY - 5:30 AM - parish hall Religious Ed. gr. K-5 - 3:30 - 5:00 PM - church Religious Ed. gr. 6-8 - 6:00 - 7:30 PM - church Private Confessions - 4:30 - 6:30 PM - church
Thursday:	Eucharistic Adoration - 2:30-6:30 PM - church
Sunday:	Confirmation Class - 8:15 - 11:50 AM 10 AM Mass - Children's Liturgy & Choir sings BINGO - 6:30 PM - parish hall

**LET'S LOAD THE TRAILER!** We will be having a food drive for the Berlin Emergency Food Pantry the week-ends of November 30 & December 1 and December 7 & 8 . The trailer will be located in the gathering space. Items especially needed include tuna and canned meat, peanut butter, canned chili or beef stew, marinara sauce, and any type of paper products. Cash donations are much appreciated and may be dropped off at the church office or put in an envelope in the collection and marked for the food pantry. Let's see if we can get this trailer filled!

**ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT** - We will be welcoming ladies who have registered for this event on Tuesday, December 3 beginning at 6:30 PM in the parish hall.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** - Thursday, December 5 from 2:30 - 6:30 PM. You are invited to come visit the Lord in prayer and contemplation with praise, honor and adoration. Whatever time you can spend, let it become some of the most cherished and rewarding time of your week.

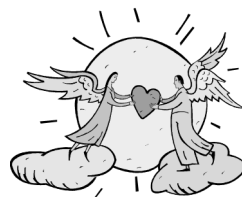
**NEXT WEEKEND! Bless Our Priests Collection for Diocesan Retired Priests** - Please take advantage of this opportunity to offer support to the retired priests of our diocese by helping provide for their retirement needs. Your donation will help serve those who have faithfully served us! Thank you.

**LOURDES HIGH SCHOOL MADRIGAL DINNER** - The Lourdes High School Music Department will present their 21st Annual Madrigal Dinner at 7 pm on Sat. Dec. 7 and at 5 pm on Sun. Dec. 8. Tickets are \$26 per person. The reservation deadline is December 3. Programs can be found on the kiosk, or you can call 920-410-5383.

**COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE** - As we busily prepare for Christmas by baking, decorating, shopping, and the like, it is important to prepare our own hearts for the coming of Jesus as well. A great way to do this is to receive the Sacrament of Penance. All Saints will be celebrating three Communal Penance Services on Wednesday, December 11. We will have a service at 1:45 PM at St. Michael's Oratory with the school children, and also services at 4:00 and at 6:00 PM at the church.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND LECTORS** - We'll soon be preparing the schedule for Jan-Feb-Mar. We need volunteers for the Feast of St. Blaise and Ash Wednesday. Let us know us if you can help with those dates, or if you have any other preferences, by Dec. 13th. Contact Wayne & Bonnie Lundt, 361-0645 or lun5350@charter.net

**ADOPT-A-FAMILY TREE** - You may notice the Christmas tree in the gathering space. On the tree are paper ornaments with items for our Adopted Family. If you would like to participate, you can take an ornament, and then purchase the item for the family. Please drop off unwrapped items with the ornaments attached by Friday, Dec. 6th. We thank you for your continued support. It is great to see everyone thinking of others and giving so selflessly during the Christmas season.



**THE COMMUNITY BLOOD CENTER** will hold a blood drive at All Saints Catholic Church, N8566 State Road 49, Berlin, on Sunday, December 15, 2019, from 8:00 AM until 12:30 PM. The blood drive is open to the public and we welcome new donors. Those wishing to set up an appointment can call Nancy at 361-3679. Please be sure to drink plenty of fluids and bring identification with you.

# All Saints Catholic School



## Building Saints, Scholars, and Children of God

**All Saints Catholic School office hours are Monday through Friday 7:30am - 3:30pm. SCRIP can be purchased at the school office during the week, or after the weekend Masses.**

**Save the Date** for our Christmas concert on December 19 at All Saints Parish. This year we will be performing a small skit with music. All classes will be participating. Once again the concert will be held in the church nave and the Blessed Sacrament will be removed. Concert will begin at 6:30 PM. More information to follow.

**Santa's Workshop** - The ASCS Parent's Network will once again be hosting a "Santa's Workshop" which gives students at the school an opportunity to do some Christmas shopping for their family, wrap the gifts, and take them home and put them under the Christmas tree. Students will do their shopping during the week of December 16 - 20. There will be a collection bucket in the gathering area for any contributions you might have. Thank you!

**Next Parents' Night Out** will be on Friday, December 20, from 5 - 8 PM in the All Saints Parish Hall. Parents can drop their children off and enjoy a date night for themselves, or finish up some Christmas shopping. Children will be served a meal and have the opportunity to participate in a variety of indoor activities: games, building with legos and singing and dancing. All Students age 4 through fifth grade are welcome to attend. Cost will be \$10.00 per student / paid at the door. An RSVP is appreciated; please email [jhandrich@allsaintsberlin.org](mailto:jhandrich@allsaintsberlin.org) 3 days prior to the evening. Older children wishing to attend will not be charged, but will be asked to assist with the younger students. The funds raised will go towards the 8th grade end of year Class Trip and their Gift to the School. Any further questions, please call Julie Handrich, 8th grade homeroom teacher, 920-361-1781 ext. 213

**SCRIP Cards Make Great Christmas Gifts!** With the holiday season coming up, I will try my best to keep everything in stock. I have been bulking up my inventory to try to stay ahead. Scrip is now offering some lower denomination gift cards, through Christmas. They make great gifts. They do need to be ordered though. With that said, we also have lovely mother nature on our hands, so shipping can be delayed. Usually only a day or two, but it has been up to five days late. So try to get your order in one week before you are going to need it to ensure you will have it in time. I put my orders in on Monday morning by 9 a.m., and they typically get delivered Wednesday afternoon. So, if you have a special order please put it in by that time. If you have any questions, please let me know.  
~ Stacy - [scrip@allsaintsberlin.org](mailto:scrip@allsaintsberlin.org)

### **Our Mission Statement:**

All Saints Catholic School offers a Christ-centered education that develops the academics, morals, and values needed for students to reach their full potential as children of God.

### **Principal Jana Dahms**

**All Saints Catholic School**

**151 S. Grove St. Berlin, WI**

**920-361-1781**

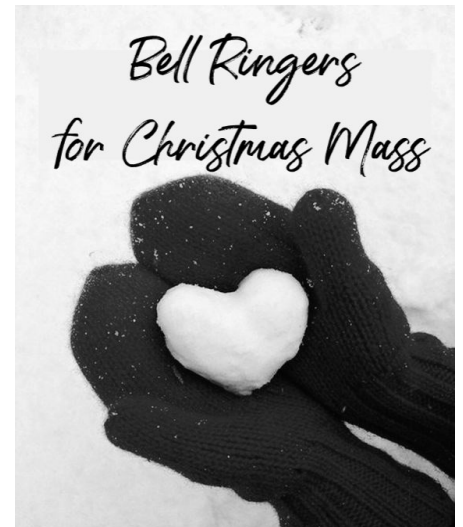
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# FAITH FORMATION

## LOOKING AHEAD TO THE ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SEASON

It's hard to believe that Advent is here! All Saints Parish has many opportunities to be involved in this season of joyful anticipation of our Savior's birth.

- **Lighting the Advent Wreath** - We invite singles, couples, and families to light the Advent Wreath at one of the weekend Masses during Advent. A sign-up sheet is in the gathering area, near the server's sacristy. You will walk into church with the entrance procession and sit in a pew reserved for you. Don't wait...sign up today!
- **Caroling for Christ** - Mark your calendars for Saturday, December 14. We will have a hay wagon to transport carolers through the city, singing and spreading Christmas cheer. Carolers will meet at the Fortifi Bank parking lot at 1:00 PM and end by 4:00 so there is time to come back for 4:30 Mass. All are welcome to participate!
- **Bell Ringing** - Once again this year, we would like have bell ringers for the Christmas Eve Masses at 4:30PM and 7:30PM; and Christmas Day Mass at 10:00AM. At each Mass we would like the bells to be ringing a half hour prior to Mass starting. So we would need families to be here at least 30 minutes prior to Mass starting. We have 20 pairs of red mittens, scarves, and bells so we are hoping to have a group for each Mass to help greet all parishioners by standing at the doors...ringing bells and greeting "Merry Christmas" to all who enter to join us to celebrate the Holy Mass. We will have pews reserved for our bell ringers. There is a sign up sheet in the gathering area or find the link on our website to sign up.



**CHILDREN'S BULLETINS** - are available on the kiosk. The ones for Advent are really great - check them out!

**NEW LIGHTHOUSE CDs:** Great gifts and stocking stuffers.

*ADVENT: RETHINKING THE SEASON* by Dr. Tim Gray. We think of Advent as a season to prepare for Christmas. However, we find ourselves bogged down with the business of the season of decorating, shopping, baking, and attending school and social events. Use this CD this Advent to remind you and help you focus on "The Reason for the Season"

*THE MYSTERY OF CHRISTMAS: God Becomes Man* by Fr. Larry Richards. "Fr. Larry's...insights on the season of Christmas" using humor, compassion, and clarity.

**Please pray for our 2nd grade students as they receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time this Wednesday!**

# News and Announcements

## *Prom Dress Drive*

**Do you have prom dresses**, evening gowns or other formal wear that is taking up space in your closet? Donate them to this special cause - We want to give all our *NIGHT to SHINE* participants the opportunity to feel beautiful and have the most memorable night. All sizes accepted. Ages 14+.

After all dresses are collected - the participants will be able to come shop from the dresses and have a beautiful outfit to wear to the Night to Shine event coming up on Friday, February 7th, 2020.

We thank you in advance for your gracious donations. Please direct any questions to Michelle Wolff at 920-361-5252 at the All Saints Parish Office, or e-mail [mwolff@allsaintsberlin.org](mailto:mwolff@allsaintsberlin.org).

## **FULL TIME JOB OPPORTUNITY - FINANCIAL MANAGER - ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC PARISH – BERLIN WI**

**Education and Experience:** Minimum of an Associate's Degree in accounting or finance with experience in budgeting and management experience, or an equivalent combination of education and experience. Experience with Quickbooks accounting software required. Quickbooks certification preferred. Knowledge of all Microsoft Office Programs. Experience working with social media preferred. Previous experience with non-profit/tax exempt accounting principles desirable. This is a position of high confidentiality. Knowledge of Catholic policies, procedures, and sacraments preferred. To apply please stop by the parish office or email resume and cover letter to Kari Clark at [kclark@allsaintsberlin.org](mailto:kclark@allsaintsberlin.org).

## **SAFE PARISH INITIATIVE**

The Diocese of Madison has launched a Safe Parish Initiative, which is a program meant to encourage Parishes (church, rectory, school and playgrounds) to take steps to protect their premises and those who use them. For those who do not know, Catholic Mutual Group, Our Insurance Carrier, offers insight and direction in matters of risk management on behalf of the Diocese of Madison. Like many of us, Catholic Mutual is concerned about the increase in violence at, or near churches, which has risen dramatically in recent years. The saying, "it could never happen here," no longer applies. To assist in that endeavor, Catholic Mutual has launched the Safe Parish Initiative to promote and raise awareness, and provide steps that can be taken to help make our parishes safer.

At the recommendation of the Diocese, Catholic Mutual, and careful consideration from our Finance Council and Safety Committee members, All Saints parish plans to move forward and install a security camera(s) and a 'key access card system'. Already, a few parishioners have made generous donations toward the funding of this project which, God willing, will be installed during the first few weeks of January 2020.

Those who have keys to access the church complex will need to contact the parish office **by January 1st, 2020** so we can update records of keys issued and have a new key access card ready for you when the system is installed. Father feels that at that time, it's prudent to review the rather extensive list of issued keys. That doesn't mean it will be changed, but it does need to be reviewed. Further communication will be sent out about how you can pick up the key fob and how it will work.

Thank you for your attention and support to this important topic; as we come to worship and "Grow in the Spirit" as a parish family, we want to do our best to provide safety in an ever changing world. The safety committee consisted of former and current police officers, detectives and emergency personnel. Father David is very grateful to the committee, and thanks them for their combined efforts and professional focus. Even efforts such as this are meant for the glory of Christ and the good of His Church.

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### **PARISH STEWARDSHIP July 2019-OCTOBER 2019 (reflects \$ collected in offertory collections)**

	<u><b>ACTUAL</b></u>	<u><b>BUDGET</b></u>	<u><b>DIFFERENCE</b></u>
<b>Offertory collection</b>	<b>\$230,879.62</b>	<b>\$230,365.56</b>	<b>+514.06</b>

# Stewardship & Sacraments

## Stewardship: Sharing the Gifts We Have Been Given

### Online Giving Now Available

Online Giving 

Online giving is a help to the parish finances especially during the summer when vacations and schedules change. Setting up your Online Giving Account is rather effortless. Fr. David asks us all to ponder signing up. E-Giving Options include your regular weekly offertory, holy day offering, school support, diocesan assessment or any other unrestricted donation. You may designate your donations to any of these funds on your preferred schedule. If you have any questions, call the parish office for assistance 920-361-5252.

### ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH

- Little Saints Tuition Assistance Fund
- All Saints Congregation Endowment Fund
- The Berlin Catholic School Endowment Fund, Inc.

Envelopes are available in the kiosk in gathering space or contact the parish office.

### Remembering the Parish in your Will

An important way for members of one generation to have a lasting impact on the parish and its institutions is to make a lump sum bequest, or estate percentage bequest, in one's Will.



Use AmazonSmile to shop and select All Saints Catholic Congregation in Berlin, WI as your charity of choice.

## Sacraments

### Baptism

At All Saints Parish, Baptisms are usually celebrated on Sundays after the 10 am Mass.

All parents who wish to baptize a child are asked to call the Parish Office 920-361-5252 to speak with Father David about scheduling the Baptism.

Baptism for adults is part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA program)

### Marriages

Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance. Marriage Preparation courses are required.

### Blessed Sacrament Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on the Thursday before the First Friday 2:30-6:30 PM

### Communion to the Homebound

All Saints Parish feels that it is important the sick, elderly, and homebound of our parish still receive the Holy Eucharist. If you or someone you know is ill or is unable to attend Mass and would like to receive the Eucharist outside of Mass, or would like a visit, please contact the parish office.

### Parish Hall Information & Rental

Contact the parish office

Phone: 920-361-5252

Email: [parishoffice@allsaintsberlin.org](mailto:parishoffice@allsaintsberlin.org)