

All Saints Catholic Church & School



Growing in the Spirit

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Mass Schedule

Livestreaming

Wednesday 9:30 AM

Sunday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation

Wednesday 4:30-6:30 PM

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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 visit our website: allsaintsberlin.org

Find **Registration** under the **About Us** tab at the top

We are blessed to have you here.

We will be livestreaming Masses from All Saints Church on Facebook. Please join us!

Even though there are no public Masses, we will livestream Masses on **Wednesdays at 9:30 AM** and **Sundays at 9:00 AM** for people to view and participate from home. Masses will be livestreamed from our own parish on Facebook, and can be viewed as a replay on our website at a later time as well.

*Lord you will show us the
path of life.*

PSALM 16:11

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 4/25	Private Mass	Lawrence Verheyen
SUN 4/26	Private Mass	All Saints Family
	Private Mass	Elmer Schmid
MON 4/27	No Mass	
TUES 4/28	Private Mass	Special Intention for Greg & Celeste Blaskowski on their 47th Wedding Anniversary
WED 4/29	Private Mass	Ray & Shirley Stobbe
THURS 4/30	Private Mass	Alex Jaimez
FRI 5/1	Private Mass	Charlotte Klatte
SAT 5/2	Private Mass	Art & Dorothy Schrader and Eric Trochinski
SUN 5/3	Private Mass	Ron Jezwinski
	Private Mass	All Saints Family

PARISH PRESS

Cindy Schrader's Retirement

This last Friday, April 17, members of Finance Council, Parish Council, school teachers and office staff all created a "Parade" of cars with signs and balloons to "surprise" Cindy Schrader as she left the parking lot on her last day. With the "Stay Home Order" and Social Distancing guidelines in place, we knew that getting together to celebrate at this time would not be in the plan so with everyone's help, this was a creative alternative to help wish her well as a memorable send off she will surely never forget.

We are most grateful and blessed for what Cindy has helped All Saints Parish accomplish over the last 3.75 years. She has paved the way for how we will continue to conduct business in the future. We know that this is not good-bye for Cindy Schrader as we will see her at Mass in the near future. We know that All Saints Parish is and always will be a very big part of her and John's life. We wish her well in her retirement and she will be missed.



EVENTS

Church Office - Our office **will not** be open to the public, but will be minimally staffed Tuesday-Friday, from 8 AM - noon, to take phone calls and support parishioners. We will still be regularly checking emails and voicemail as well as updating our website and Facebook pages so we will stay in touch with all of you. Be safe, stay well.

Private Prayer Time - The church will remain open for private prayer. We ask that you use the hand sanitizer at the entrance and remember that there is a **limit of 9 people** in the church at a time. It is very important we abide by this rule. This also applies to confession times on Wednesday evenings from 4:30 - 6:30, and Eucharistic Adoration.

Eucharistic Adoration - Thursday, April 30 from 2:30-5:30 PM.

Parish Elections will be postponed until a later date when we are able to hold the public celebration of Mass and everyone has the opportunity to vote. The elected members whose term is up have agreed to graciously extend until we can hold elections. For now we would like parishioners to consider being part of the parish council or education commission.

- The Parish Council meets once a month and assists the pastor in identifying, understanding, and implementing important matters that affect the life of the parish. Committees that stem from this include Liturgy, Building/Grounds and Social activities. With pastor's approval, they help take care of the details enabling the pastor to focus on pastoral matters.
- The Education Commission meets once a month and is an advisory body which operates the various educational programs of All Saints Catholic Parish. This encompasses the Religious Education Program and the Catholic School, and is subject to the regulations of the Diocese of Madison. The purpose of the commission is to further the teaching mission of the Catholic Church by promoting various forms of Christian education that will serve the needs of our community.

Any parish member who is over the age of 18 is eligible to run for Parish Council, Education Commission, or Trustee. If you would like to submit your name to be placed on the ballot, contact the parish office for an application form. Any youth of high school age, and active in the parish, who wish to be considered for the youth representative appointed by the Pastor, should reach out to Fr. David at the parish office and provide a brief explanation to why he/she feels they should be considered for the one (1) school year term to serve on the Parish Council.

Let's Stock the Pantries! From Thursday, April 23rd - Wednesday, April 29 Webster's Marketplace and the Ripon Commonwealth Press are once again teaming up to help our local food pantries. Buy any item to donate to a food pantry, and Webster's/Ripon Commonwealth Press will match your gift, and both items will go to the local food pantry of your choice. Or you can purchase a donation bag, representing any dollar amount, and that \$ amount will be matched, and given to your choice of food pantry to purchase items they are in most need of. THANK YOU in advance for helping our neighbors in need and making this event a success!

ASCS Flower Sale - We will still be having our flower sale fundraiser for our Catholic School! Pick up will still be on Saturday, May 9. Please watch the bulletin or Facebook for details and times.

Mollie B Dance Update - Due to the Covid-19 virus, the Mollie B dance scheduled for May 17, 2020, has been postponed until May 16, 2021. Raffle tickets are still available, 1 for \$5 and 3 for \$10. The raffle will still be held on May 17, 2020, and winners will be notified. Contact Tom Pionke 920-290-0984, Wayne Gustke at 920-229-4037, or Rob Kurczek 920-290-2270 to get your tickets! Raffle ticket stubs can be mailed to Wayne Gustke, 361 Canal St. Berlin, WI 54923. Dance ticket holders can either request a refund, or use them for next year's event. Refund requests must be received no later than Sep. 1, 2020. A letter will also be going out to all dance ticket holders explaining these options. Contact Tom Pionke if you have any questions. Thank you for your understanding!

Lawn Mowing Volunteers Needed - Over the past 2 summers we have had a few individuals step down from the volunteer schedule, so we are looking for few good volunteers who would like to fill those places and serve the church by mowing the lawn. We have ride-on mowers, or if you prefer to bring your own mower you can do that too. Interested individuals can call or email the parish office to let us know your availability. Thank you!

THIS WEEK AT **ALL SAINTS PARISH** **April 27 - May 3, 2020**

Monday: Parish Office and Church Closed

Tuesday - Friday:

- 8AM - Noon - Office will be staffed, but not open to the public.

Tuesday - Friday:

- 8AM - 4PM - Church will be open for Private Prayer

Wednesday:

- 9:30AM Mass livestream on Facebook
- 4:30-6:30PM - Private Confession

Thursday

- Eucharistic Adoration - 2:30-5:30 PM

Sunday:

- 9:00AM Mass livestream on Facebook

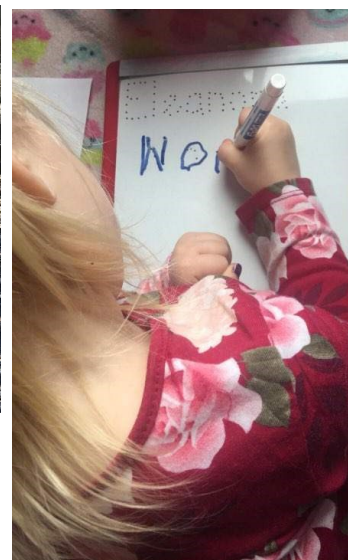
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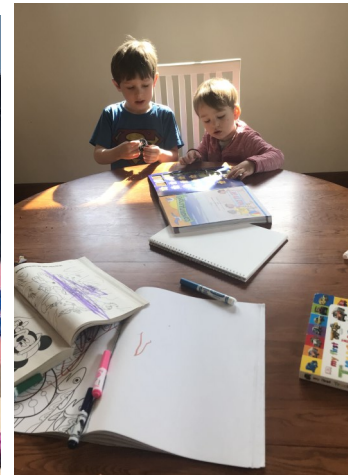
All Saints Catholic School



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Our 3K Students are busy learning at home.
ASCS 3K enrollment is now open for 2020-2021!
Please register your student at our
Website: school.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
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FAITH FORMATION

Religious Education Resources and Reach Out

In conjunction with All Saints Catholic School the Religious Education Program has also created a distance learning center. This is a way for us to stay connected with faith to the kids. There are videos for kids to watch, prayers and songs for the kids to sing, along with the KitCat videos from Bishop Hying and a weekly message from Fr. David. Last week we had our first zoom class with the middle school students!

Here is the link if you would like to check out the page!

<https://sites.google.com/allsaintsberlin.org/allsaintsredistancelearning/home>

Confirmation Families & Confirmands

Confirmation has been postponed. The Diocese is currently looking at rescheduling all spring Confirmations in late summer or early fall. We will keep you posted on when a new date has been set.

As we continue our journey toward Confirmation, a retreat is meant to remind each Confirmand that they now take adult-like responsibility for their LifeLong Faith Journey. We are saddened that the retreat at Camp Grey was cancelled. But we believe the benefits of a retreat are still important.

Therefore we have put together a 'Promise of the Spirit' virtual retreat. Each week we will send an email on Monday to our ASCC 2020 contact list with a 'to do' list. PLEASE make sure your Confirmands receive this email or information. Please contact Peter Derleth or Michelle Wolff with any questions.

Prayer Ministry - All Saints continues to offer up prayers for the community, the nation, and indeed, for the whole world during this most challenging time. God bless each of you as you help each another and pray for one another during this most challenging time. We invite anyone (Catholic or non) to send us your prayer request that we may pray for you, a loved one, or anything that weighs heavily on your heart and mind. Father David will place them at the foot of the altar in the church, lifting them up to God in prayer. You may send your prayer requests through our All Saints Church app. To Download the app text: ALLSAINTSAPP to 77977. Once you download the app - go under Worship & Prayer, select Prayer Request and click on the Praying hands to start your prayer request. You may also email your prayer request to parishoffice@allsaintsberlin.org



Rosary – You can join in praying the rosary either online or on the radio.

- Bishop Hying is now streaming his daily Rosary on YouTube. Each evening at approximately 6:30 PM, he will pray the Rosary and you are invited to join him. These streamed videos (either live or recorded) will be viewable at the following location: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL2bjxQbqE8m1yOpJeaftSleOnmKuY6mWc>. This will be posted on Facebook and Twitter, after its completion.
- The Rosary is on WFDL 1170 AM daily at 12:35 p.m. and is coordinated by the Knights of Columbus Council 2689 in Hartford. Would you like the Rosary prayed for your special intention or in memory of someone or as a special occasion? For information, contact Kevin at 262-707-7205 or send your request with donation to KC Radio Rosary, 428 Forest Street, Hartford, WI 53027.

Online Catholic Resources - There are several places online where you can find access to the daily Mass readings and more. You can always find the daily readings for free on the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops website at: <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/>. In addition, several Catholic publications are now giving free online access to their materials to aid the faithful in worshipping at home. A few good ones are:

The Word Among Us, <https://wau.org/>, *Magnificat*, www.us.magnificat.net/free and *Give Us This Day*, <https://offers.giveusthisday.org/free-resources>

News and Announcements

Sending out a special **"Thank You"** for our generous parishioners who have been sending their offertory envelopes and school support contributions through the mail and/or signing up for Online Giving.

We are most appreciative and grateful that you are remembering to continue to support your church during this time of uncertainty. There is a link on our parish website and app for on-line giving where you can either set up a one-time donation, or recurring offerings. Or you can scan this QR code to go directly to our online giving platform with PushPay. If you require help with that, the office staff will be happy to assist you. I ask that you please remember your parish both prayerfully and financially as we all deal with a pandemic that could possibly affect the lives of many.



Job Opening



With the upcoming Retirement of our school Administrative Assistant, Ruth Jodarski, All Saints Catholic School is seeking a School Administrative Assistant for the upcoming 2020-2021 School Year. The School Administrative Assistant position requires a high degree of confidentiality and it is absolutely imperative to maintain professional behavior and conduct in all duties. A knowledge of Catholic practices and procedures is preferred.

This position will begin in July 2020, and is a ten month position. Hourly Wage is negotiable based on experience. For more information about the position, please contact the Principal Jana Dahms at 920-361-1781.

To apply for the position, please submit your resume to kclark@allsaintsberlin.org or mail your resume to: All Saints Catholic Church, N8566 State Rd 49 Berlin, WI 54923 by May 1st.

SCAM ALERT!

We feel it is important to pass along some information about a new scam that has recently taken place. We are still getting word that a number of emails are being sent to you, attributed to Bishop Hying and/or a priest of the Diocese of Madison, asking that the recipient "email me as soon as you get this message" or to "buy gift cards" for the bishop or a priest. This is not how the bishop or the priests/parishes will ever approach you for assistance. We urge you to take careful consideration before you act upon any request that you may receive through an email account from Bishop Hying, Fr. David, the parish office, or any office of the Diocese of Madison. Should you receive an email using any of these names in which you are asked for money or for gift cards, you should first confirm this request with us at the parish office.

Sadly, predators are using this current crisis to take advantage of good and generous people. The bishop is sending no such email and neither are our priests. Any official Church email will come from a legitimate (and likely easily validated) email address and only ever link to official websites. Scams such as this have been an acute problem throughout the Diocese.

Regardless of how the information is received, I encourage you to act on the side of caution. If something "doesn't seem right" call the parish office or the Diocese of Madison to verify if something is, indeed, legitimate. One should never hastily share private information such as social security numbers, credit card numbers, or banking information to those you do not know. Not over the phone other means of communication or social media.

"To be forewarned is to be forearmed"!

Thank you for your attention to this note and a continued Happy Easter Season to you and your loved ones!

Stewardship & Sacraments

Stewardship: Sharing the Gifts We Have Been Given

Online Giving Now Available



Online giving is a help to the parish finances especially during the summer when vacations and schedules change. Setting up your Pushpay Giving Account is rather effortless. You can find the bright red link as shown above on our website or app. 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.



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Our ScripNow code is EDB23A4F82L2

If you can not access Scrip NOW contact me at scrip@allsaintsberlin.org and our scrip coordinator will get in touch with you.

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Philippians 2:16

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