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Mass Schedule

Weekends Saturday - 4:30 PM

Sunday - 7:30 AM

Sunday - 10:00 AM

Sunday 10:00 AM Mass will also be Livestreamed on Facebook and can be viewed later on our website.

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?
Please 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
this week in thanksgiving for blessings received by the
Kurczek Family

Wedding Banns III: Andreas Fritz & Elizabeth Heil

Wedding Banns II: Bob Kasubaski & Marie Genz

Baptisms: Cali Jean Dalton and Mauston Matthew-Cole Gregor. We welcome these children and ask God to bless them and their family.

Please Note: Mass on Thanksgiving morning will be at 8:00 AM. Also there will be no Mass on Friday this week. The parish office will be closed Thursday and Friday.

MASS INTENTIONS

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| SAT 11/21 | 6:30 PM | Deceased Members of the Spritka Family |
| SUN 11/22 | 7:30 AM | All Saints Family |
| | 10:00 AM | Special Intention for healing for Jan Krebs |
| MON 11/23 | No Mass | No Mass |
| TUES 11/24 | 5:30 PM | Phil Vogt |
| WED 11/25 | 8:00 AM | Dorothy & Donald Helmuth |
| THURS 11/26 | 8:00 AM Thanksgiving | Shirley Frost |
| FRI 11/27 | No Mass | No Mass |
| SAT 11/28 | 4:30 PM | Marty Barnard |
| SUN 11/29 | 7:30 AM | All Saints Family |
| | 10:00 AM | Don Seaman |

PARISH PRESS



Come and View All Saints' Living Nativity Window

When: Saturday, November 28, 10AM - 3PM

Where: The old radio station building (next to Fortifi Bank)

All Saints Parish families will work in shifts, dressed in costume to depict the nativity scene during these hours. There will also be a cash-and-carry poinsettia & wreath sale to benefit All Saints Catholic School. Please take some time this day to stop by and view this moving scene!

<u>Angel Tree—Adopt a Family</u> - Our Adopt-A-Family Giving Tree is Up! Our Parish is working with the Boys & Girls Club to adopt one family this giving season to help make their Christmas a little brighter. We have 28 tags total that need to be filled for the children of this family. We have 2 boys (Ages 10 and 14) and 2 girls (ages 5 and 8). Each angel tag has one item or suggested item listed on the back of the tag for the boy or girl. Items include things such as socks, underwear, pants, shirt, pajamas, shoes, or a special wish item the child may have.

We are grateful for the huge response from our parishioners already! There are a only a limited number of tags left. Please call the office or check our Facebook page to see which tags are available, and let us know which one(s) you would like. Once you have your tag number and fulfill the item on the tag, we ask that you wrap the gift or put it in a gift bag and attach the angel tag to the wrapped gift. Return the wrapped gift to the parish office by 4 PM on Tuesday, December 8th. Thank you for your generous support of this program!

EVENTS

Friday:



BINGO is CANCELED until January 3rd.

Community Thanksgiving Prayer Service All Saints Catholic Church, Nov. 24, 7:00 PM

All Saints Parish will host this year's Community Thanksgiving Prayer Service. As in the past, individuals and congregations representing several Christian denominations in Berlin will be joining. The service will take place on Tuesday, November 24th at 7:00 pm. Those who are comfortable attending Mass with the current restrictions that are in place are encouraged to participate in this as well - and to invite friends who may wish to join you. We will follow all COVID guidelines that are practiced during Mass.

Thanksgiving Meal - TO GO

We are happy to once again be serving this special Thanksgiving dinner on Thursday, November 26th.



It will be a little different this year as we will not be serving meals in person in the social hall, but by delivery and pick up only. This year it will be the traditional turkey dinner served with mashed potatoes, stuffing, corn, cranberries, dinner roll and a piece of cake with frosting for dessert. If you have reserved a meal(s) to pick up, meal pickup time starts at 11:00 AM - until 2:00 PM or until food runs out.

Deliveries will be made in the morning.

St. Catherine of Siena Parish Chili Supper Drive-Thru Only

Parish Hall & Activity Center, 218 E Blossom St., Ripon Saturday, Nov. 28, 2020, Noon—2 PM and immediately following the 4:00 PM Mass, until the line is done. PreSale Tickets: \$10 - Meal includes: 1 quart of chili, bread, crackers and dessert.

Tickets available at St. Catherine Siena Parish Office, or call to make arrangements 920-748-2325.

Amount of chili made will be determined by number of tickets sold. A *limited* amount of tickets available the day of the event, so get yours in advance!

No need to get out of your car, we will come to you!

Holy Souls Remembrance Book

Instead of having the book in the gathering area, we have the book placed in church, near the altar, so that loved ones will be remembered in a special way at each Mass. We are writing names in the book and will keep it updated throughout the month. You can submit as many names as you'd like by emailing or calling the parish office, dropping a note in the mail, our mail slot, or the collection basket. You may get names to us any time, now through the end of November. Thank you!

THIS WEEK AT **ALL SAINTS PARISH**

November 23 - November 29, 2020

Parish Office and Church Closed Monday:

Tuesday: 7:00 PM Community Thanksgiving Service

> Held at All Saints Catholic Church NO Religious Ed. classes this week

Wednesday: Private Confessions 4:30 - 6:30 PM

Parish office closed Thursday:

8:00 AM Mass

11 AM - 2PM Thanksgiving meal pick-up Parish office and church closed / No Mass 10-3 Live Nativity Window/poinsettia sale

Saturday: At old radio station bldg, downtown

4:30 PM Mass

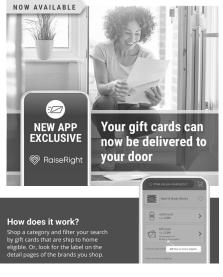
7:30 AM & 10:00 AM Mass Sunday:

2020 Annual Catholic Appeal Wrap-Up Information

Please read the Annual Catholic Appeal wrap-up material included in today's bulletin.

This information indicates participation and performance information as well as how the funds collected will be used to meet our spiritual and material needs.

Thank you to all who participated in this important part of parish and diocesan life!



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SCRIP will also still be available to purchase at school during the week, or after the weekend Masses at church. Now that we are into cooler weather season, SCRIP will move indoors to the church library after Mass. Follow the signs in the gathering area to the library. Please, only one person/ household in the room at a time to maintain social distancing.

Purchasing SCRIP is a great way to support our Catholic School while getting some Christmas shopping (or any shopping) done!! Thank you!

All Saints Catholic School Building Saints, Scholars, and Children of God

What's Happening at All Saints Catholic School

Giving students the opportunity to learn hands-on and obtain valuable information is one of the greatest ways to learn. During the end of October, middle school students from All Saints Catholic School spend three fun-filled days learning about science and energy from Bill Harris of Renewable World Foundation.



Students in sixth, seventh and eighth grade enjoyed gathering at All Saints Catholic Parish where they could spread out, explore and learn. Held in the parish hall, Harris shared his passion and knowledge with the students, while providing them the introduction on the basic theories of electricity and OHM's Law. Ohm's law states that the current through a conductor between two points is directly proportional to the voltage across the two points. These theories were presented using a number of hands-on activities, including a Jacob's ladder and a Tesla coil that demonstrated how electrical currents and charges are created, how electricity is conducted, and how electricity is transmitted. Harris used solar panels, wind turbines, and hydroelectric generators to help the students learn more about renewable energy sources. Students also generated their own electricity and cooked a lunch of hot dogs and ramen noodles by riding a bike that was connected to a generator. The generator was hooked to a battery bank that was linked to a hot plate on which the food was cooked. It stood a great opportunity for the kids to have these first hand experiences. Renewable World Foundation strives to offer programs that provide high quality educational opportunities. Working with schools across the Midwest, the foundation works to engage students with meaningful hands-on, minds-on activities.





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If you have any questions, please contact our scrip coordinator at: scrip@allsaintsberlin.org

FAITH FORMATION

Communal Penance Services Wednesday, December 9th

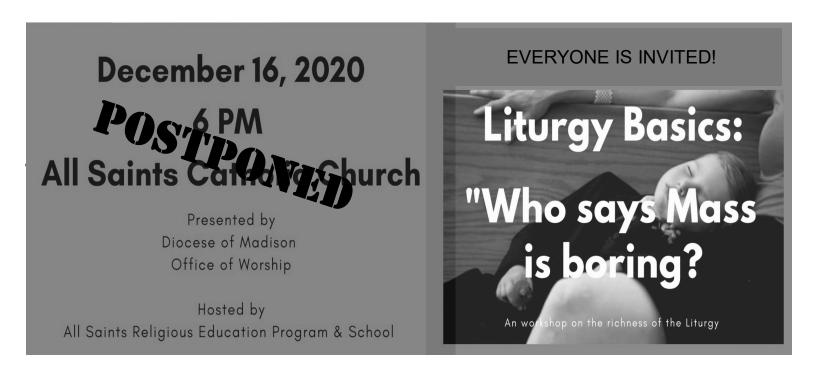
We will have 3 separate opportunities to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation on this day: 1:30 PM, 4:00 PM, and 6:00 PM. All services will be held at the Church location. We will be practicing social distancing, and ask that you please wear a mask to protect your health and the health of everyone present, including our visiting priests.

Fr. David also is available for private confessions on all other Wednesdays from 4:30-6:30PM.

Second Graders Prepare to Receive Sacraments

2nd Grade Students at our Catholic School and our Religious Education Program are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. Our religious education students will be making their first reconciliation on December 2nd, and our school students will be making theirs on December 3rd. Receiving this sacrament is also preparing them to receive Jesus in First Holy Communion this spring.

Please pray for these students as they prepare for this Sacrament of Christ's mercy, and as they continue their preparation to receive the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.



A Thanksgiving Prayer



We thank you, Father, for the gift of Jesus your Son who came to our Earth and lived in a simple home. We have a greater appreciation of the value and dignity of the human family because he loved and was loved within its shelter. Bless us this day; may we grow in love for each other in our family and so give thanks to you who are the maker of all human families and our abiding peace. Amen.

News and Announcements

CHRISTMAS MASS SIGN- UP

In light of COVID-19, this Advent and Christmas Season will present challenges when worshipping the Christ Child and celebrating His nativity. However, using the creativity God has given us, it also gives us the opportunity to do it in new and different ways! This year there will need to be a Christmas Mass Time Sign-Up to ensure we stay within our maximum capacity limits and prevent overcrowding (Our max capacity is 250 people which includes utilizing the gathering space with chairs set up; socially distanced.) We ask that parishioners only sign up for one Mass time to fulfill their Holy Day of obligation. Please include the number of people in your household and any out of town guests that may be accompanying you.

Below are the Signup Links for Christmas Mass Times. Each Mass time has its own sign up link. There will be only 200 spots available per Mass and will be first come first serve. If one Mass becomes full, we hope you will sign up for a different Mass time, even though you may not be the one you are used to attending. For those who do not have internet access to sign-up, we ask that family members assist each other in doing so, or you may call the parish to have a parish office team member assist you in signing up for a Mass time.

To sign up - go to the corresponding link for the Mass you wish to attend. Click on the orange box that says Sign UP, then select Submit & Sign UP. You will then be able to enter the family name and number of people who will be in your household attending that Mass.

- Thursday, Dec 24th 4:30PM Christmas Eve Children's Mass:
 This Mass has already reached its maximum capacity.
 We invite you to sign up for one of the other Masses below.
- Thursday, Dec 24th 7:00PM Mass Time: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040448A5A923A7FE3-730pm
- Thursday, Dec 24th 9:30PM Mass Time: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040448A5A923A7FE3-930pm
- Friday, Dec 25th 10:00AM Mass Time: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040448A5A923A7FE3-1000am



Family Lighting of Advent Wreath



Families will process in with Father. First pew on right side will be reserved for the family.

| Week 1 | |
|-------------|--------------------|
| November 28 | 4:30 pm |
| November 29 | 7:30 am |
| | 10:00 amBlaskowski |
| Week 2 | |
| December 5 | 4:30 pm |
| December 6 | 7:30 am |
| | 10:00 am |
| Week 3 | |
| December 12 | 4:30 pm |
| December 13 | 7:30 am |
| | 10:00 am |
| Week 4 | |
| December 19 | 4:30 pm |
| December 20 | 7:30 am |
| | 10:00 am |

ADVENT WREATH SIGN-UP

Once again this year, all parishioners are invited to light the Advent Wreath at one of the weekend Masses during Advent. We ask that it be only one household that signs up or comes up together.

You will sit together in a pew reserved for you up front. Father will ask you to come forward at the time of the Advent Wreath Lighting.

We encourage anyone who has not done this in the past to consider it this year. There will be a sign up sheet in the Parish Office. We ask that you call the office to sign up (920) 361-5252.

The first weekend of Advent is November 28/29th.

Don't wait... Sign up today!

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.

Now it's easier than ever! Just scan the QR code on this page and go directly to our PushPay giving portal. 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.

Sacraments

Baptism

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

All parents who wish to have a child baptized 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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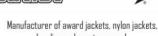
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