Our Mission

We are a welcoming Eucharistic community committed to growing together as disciples of Jesus Christ. As both a parish and the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, we serve as a beacon of faith, a patron of the arts and a haven and advocate for people who are poor and marginalized.

Mass Schedule

Sunday, the Lord’s Day
5:15 pm (Saturday, Mass of Anticipation);
9:00 am and 11:00 am

Weekday Mass
Monday through Saturday Morning
(in the Day Chapel)
at 7:45 am and 5:15 pm

Becoming a Parishioner

Do you attend Mass or other events at the Cathedral on a regular basis? Would you like to become a parishioner? Registration takes place at First Sunday Coffee the first Sunday of the month or online by visiting www.stjohncathedral.org.
Discernment to the Pastoral Council

As we are reminded continually throughout the Scriptures, our gracious God has given each of us special gifts and talents. We are called to use them to promote the common good.

The Cathedral is seeking servant leaders to help grow and guide the parish and its many ministries. We are looking to you and all parishioners to aid us in identifying new members for the Parish’s Pastoral Council. Please share your gifts by participating in this very meaningful and necessary activity.

Discernment to the Pastoral Council is multi-faceted. You can be involved in several ways; first share with us the names of parishioners who have the gifts of compassion and service. Let them know you are doing this and encourage them to be open to our call. Second, consider yourself. Finally, please support with your prayers all those who will be discerning.

There will be two informational sessions; Thursday, May 23 at 6:00 pm and Wednesday, May 29 at 6:00 pm. These informational sessions inform the candidates of the roles and gifts needed of the Pastoral Council. The actual discernment will take place on Saturday June 8 beginning with Mass in the Chapel at 7:45 am.

This is your chance to help determine who will join the Parish Council this coming June, therefore please lift up names of viable candidates. You can email the names to Pastoral Associate Pat Wisialowski at patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org or by calling the Cathedral Office 414/276-9814, ext. 302. ●

Safe Environment Week – April 29 – May 5

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee recognizes April 29 – May 5 as Safe Environment Awareness Week. Each year in the month of April, which is recognized around the country as child abuse prevention month, we dedicate a week to elevating the general awareness of the Church’s efforts to keep our children safe. We want people to know that we are committed to maintaining safe environments in our parishes and schools through adult child abuse prevention training, criminal background checks for all clergy, volunteers working with minors, and employees, safety training for children in each grade level, and mandatory reporting requirements. ●

Readings for the Week of April 28

MON: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 [cf. 11d]/Jn 3:1-8
TUE: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1a, 1cd-2, 2 [1a]/Jn 3:7b-15
WED: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [7a]/Jn 3:16-21
THU: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 [7a]/Jn 3:31-36
FRI: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2, 3-4, 5 [5]/Jn 14:6-14
SAT: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 [22]/Jn 6:16-21
SUN: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19

Music & Fine Arts

this Week at the Cathedral

Sunday • April 28, 2019
11:00A Mass  ¢ Palestrina Choir

Wednesday • May 1, 2019
12:15P Concert  ¢ Emma Koi, flute & Erin Brooker-Miller, harp

Sunday • May 5, 2019
9:00A Mass  ¢ Handbell Ensemble
11:00A Mass  ¢ Cathedral Choir

Financial Stewardship Update

Parish Support – April 15, through April 21, 2019

Stewardship Offering: $13,840.51
(Envelopes & Electronic) Offertory: $3,783.90

Budget updates

Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

Year to Date Contributions: $521,071.92
Year to Date Budget: $530,020.00
Year to Date Difference: ($8,948.08)

“Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed,” Jesus says in today’s Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. ●
Women’s Spirituality

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist’s Women’s Spirituality Group invites you to please join us on Friday, May 3, 2019 for our monthly Lunch/Discussion gathering led by Pat Wisialowski, Cathedral Pastoral Associate. Women’s Spirituality is a group of women who meet monthly on the First Friday to enjoy intelligent conversations pertinent to current issues in the contemporary church. Camaraderie, special guests, lively discussions, and even luscious desserts are "perks" making this a most worthwhile way to spend a lunch hour. Come occasionally or come each month!

This Month’s Topic:
Up a Tree!
Let’s celebrate spring together (and more)!
We’ll take a fun, playful and fresh look at spirituality in our lives, then challenge ourselves to climb a little higher and check out the view.

Please join Donna Pinsoneault and Pat Wisialowski for a delightful time! Invite a friend or two. This will be our last gathering until our Annual Dinner on Wednesday, August 14 with Guest Presenter Sr. Dianne Bergant at the Wisconsin Club (more information coming soon).

Please RSVP by 12:00 Noon, Thursday, May 2, 2019 to Jim at JimTrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org or 414/276-9814 ext. 308. Please include your name with your RSVP. Thank you. If you are interested in ordering a sandwich from Cousins Subs, please call or email for more information (price is $8.00 each).

Giving Opportunity

Thank you for your ongoing generosity to the Open Door Café! Chef Al, our Kitchen Manager, requests donations of mustard, juice boxes and snacks. Please consider donating juice boxes as well as individually wrapped snack packages for our bag lunches. Our hygiene kit program continues to be in great need of full size deodorant, travel size shampoo and full size tubes of toothpaste. Winter or cold weather comes around a lot quicker than we think and can be very harsh on our Guests. Please consider donating new hats, gloves and scarves. There are many deals to be had at this time of year. Please place your donations in the blue bins in the Atrium or Cathedral Gift Shop on the weekends, or drop them off at the Parish Center reception desk during the week. Thank You!
Your Help is Needed
175 Alive/Celebrating Community

On Saturday May 4th, people from around the Archdiocese will be coming to the Cathedral to celebrate the anniversary of Bishop Henni’s arrival to Milwaukee (see details in the box to the right). As the Cathedral, the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, this anniversary is also an important milestone in our own parish history.

Help us extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors that day by volunteering to greet folks as they arrive for Mass at 11:00 am and by serving as tour guides in the Cathedral after Mass until 3:30 pm. You can sign up for an hour or for as many hours as you would like to share with us. Please contact Amy at 414/276-9814, ext. 306 or amynikolai@stjohncathedral.org.

Catholic East’s Annual Gala

Please mark your calendars for the 2019 CEE Gala ‘Let Your Light Shine’ on May 16. Please contact the office or go on our website, ceegala19.givesmart.com, to purchase your tickets! You can also already check out some of the auction items. This year it will be at Jan Sterr Studio on Prospect. It will be begin at 5:30 pm with our Silent Auction and Drinks. Special thank you to Julie Johnson for your continued hard work on making our Gala great!

Enroll NOW at Catholic East Elementary!

Catholic East is a K3-8th Grade School and we are enrolling scholars for the 2019-20 school year. We believe in the importance of giving families that long for a quality Catholic education the opportunity to receive one. Support from parishes allows us to offer tuition assistance for child(ren) of parishioners. Thank you for your generosity. Please see our tuition information sheet for more information at www.catholiceast.org/admissions. Contact: Kristen Dahlgren at kdahlgren@catholiceastelementary.org, Para Espanol: Hilda Esteves hesteves@catholiceast.org, Call us: 414/964-1770.

Hospitality Sunday, May 5

Please join us for our normal First Sunday Hospitality following the 9:00 am Mass. Following the 11:00 am Mass there will be a special Cinco de Mayo celebration sponsored by Lux Mandi our young adult group!

CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

Join us on May 4, 2019 to commemorate and celebrate the day the first Bishop of Milwaukee, Bishop John Martin Henni, arrived in Milwaukee in 1844. The celebration will start at Pere Marquette Park, then process to the Cathedral for an 11 a.m. Mass. We will continue our celebration in Cathedral Square, as we join together in a fun-filled family day of music, food and games.

Pere Marquette Park - 900 N. Plankinton Ave., Milwaukee
10:00 a.m. | Archbishop Listecki will arrive at Pere Marquette Park by boat (weather permitting)
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. | Archbishop Listecki and Dr. Michael R. Lovell Presentation
10:20 a.m. | Begin procession to Cathedral

Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
812 N. Jackson St., Milwaukee
11:00 a.m. | Mass

Cathedral Square (Jackson St., between Kilbourn St. and Wells St.)
11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Food trucks and Sprecher Brewing truck on Jackson St.
11:45 a.m. – 4 p.m. | Live music including the Squeezettes in Cathedral Square, yard games, historical information
12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Cathedral Tours
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament on Jackson St.

Join us! May 4, 2019
An Invitation to a Gathering of Senior Adults at the Cathedral

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist invites you to the monthly gathering of SPARC to be held on Wednesday, May 15 at 12:45 pm in the Cathedral Atrium.

The SPARC Ministry is composed of a group of senior adults gathering together monthly to enjoy the company and friendship of peers. Camaraderie, special guests and lively conversation are what will make this a worthwhile way to spend your afternoon. Besides, Lunch is Served!!!!

Take Me Out to the Ball Game!

Our May 15th meeting will feature and spotlight the Milwaukee Brewers. We will hear about the Brewers business side by a presentation from Cecelia Gore, Executive Director of the Brewers Community Foundation. Her position entails community outreach activities. The Brewers are a good corporate neighbor and Cecelia will tell us how and why.

Our Brewer theme continues with a “ballpark” lunch, Brewer gifts, and other surprises. Attend and you may be a winner! Our meeting will end with a 7th Inning Stretch, including rousing renditions of “Take Me Out to the Ball Game” and “Beer Barrel Polka.”

Be there and be informed and entertained! There is a concert in the Cathedral on this day. The artist is Alan Hommerding on Organ. The concert begins at 12:15 PM, with luncheon and guest speaker immediately following.

Please do join us and bring a friend. There is no charge for the luncheon. A Free Will Offering is gratefully appreciated. Reservations must be made to ensure your place at the table. Please do RSVP by Monday, May 13 to Jim Trzebiatowski at 414/276-9814, ext. 308 or via email: jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org. Please remember to include your name in the RSVP. Thank You.

Expecting a Baby?

The Cathedral welcomes babies, and we are most anxious to help you and your child become disciples at the Cathedral. First, you must be registered at the Cathedral. Our Pastoral Council members hold parish registration on the first weekend of each month after all the Masses. On Saturday evening they are in the back of the Cathedral. On Sunday they are in the Atrium. Next you will need to attend a Baptism Preparation Class. They are held every other month on a Sunday morning. Baptisms are held on one weekend of each month except during Lent. After attending the class you may schedule your Baptism for the 5:15 pm Mass on a Saturday or the 11:00 am Mass on a Sunday. There is also the option of a 10:00 am Baptism on Saturday outside of Mass with our Deacon presiding.

The next Baptism Preparation Class will be on Sunday, June 2 at 10:00 am in the North meeting room on the second floor of the Parish Center. You can take the elevator in the Atrium. If you have any questions about Baptism at the Cathedral please feel free to contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate by email at patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org, or by phone 414/276-9814. Thank you.

Eastside Senior Services Premium Flower Basket Sale

Eastside Senior Services is once again selling hanging flower baskets for delivery before Mothers’ Day. Orders will be taken in the Narthex after Masses on April 27-28 and May 4-5, or order by calling Bob Titley at 414/964-3281; payment is due no later than Sunday, May 5. The flower baskets will be available for pick up in the Atrium after Masses on Saturday, May 11, and Sunday, May 12. Orders of three or more baskets can be delivered to your home the week of May 6. Please support this important fundraiser for Eastside Senior Services!

A community living out our discipleship through...

Weekly Worship, Scripture Sharing, Daily Prayer, Stewardship, Spiritual Friendship and Reconciliation.

Wedding Banns

We pray for the following couples who are preparing for the sacrament of marriage:

II - Michael Saindon and Kate Kemmerer
**Pastoral Care**

Are any among you sick?

> - James 5:14

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Welcome to the Cathedral

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Archbishop Emeritus ........................................... The Most Reverend Rembert G. Weakland, O.S.B.

Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus ........................................... The Most Reverend Richard J. Sklba

Pastoral Council
Pastoral Council Minutes can be found at: www.stjohncathedral.org/index.php/pastoral-council-minutes/

If you attend Mass at any of the Catholic Communities of Our Lady of Divine Providence, Ss. Peter and Paul, Old St. Mary, and Three Holy Women, you can place your offertory envelope from your home parish in the basket and it will be forwarded for you.

Affiliated Ministries & Organizations

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escym@sbglobal.net .............................................. 414/962-3776

SPRED ........................................... Bill Martin, Parish Chairperson
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jones@catholiceast.org .............................................. 414/964-1770

School: 2461 N. Murray Street

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esnsmile@gmail.com .............................................. 414/210-8881

Archdiocesan AIDS Ministry ........................................... Fr. Mike Hammer, Coordinator
Office: St. Mark’s Episcopal Church, 2618 N. Hackett Ave.

St. Vincent de Paul Society ........................................... Old St. Mary/Cathedral Conference
Office: 831 N. Van Buren St. .............................................. 414/238-2719

Cathedral Center, Inc. ........................................... Donna Rongholt-Migan, Director
Office: 845 N. Van Buren St. .............................................. 414/831-0394, ext. 2114

Mass Schedule & Sacramental Celebrations

Eucharist:

Sundays: Saturday, 5:15PM (Mass of Anticipation) 9:00 & 11:00AM

Daily: 7:45AM and 5:15PM (Cathedral Day Chapel)

Holy Days: As published in the bulletin.

Reconciliation: 4:30 to 5:00PM Monday-Friday or by appointment.

Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation sessions are held for already registered Cathedral parish parents for the Catholic commitment they are making for their child. Please contact Pastoral Associate.

Christian Marriage: Marriages are scheduled for parishioners who have been registered for at least one year. Preparation sessions with a priest begins no later than six months before the marriage date.

Communion for the Sick: Parishioners who are confined to their home may have the Eucharist brought to them. Call the parish office and ask for the Pastoral Care extension, 603.

Sacrament of Anointing: Make arrangements at anytime. Communal anointing celebrated on the second Saturday of each month at the 5:15PM Mass (unless otherwise noted in the bulletin).

Confirmation: Adult Catholics: Preparation begins each January. Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Initiation into the Catholic Church (RCIA): Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Annulment Support: Thinking about an annulment? Want more information on the process? Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Affiliated Ministries & Organizations

Visit us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/SJCathedralMKE

Looking for a Parish?

If you are new to the area or are looking for a parish, please consider joining us. Call the parish office to receive more information. New Parishioner Registration takes place after all Masses the first weekend of each month.

Parish Office/Parish Center Hours

Parish Office: 8:00AM - 4:30PM
Parish Center: 8:00AM - 7:00PM Monday-Thursday 8:00AM - 4:00PM Friday

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