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.
Congratulations Fr. Mike on 50 Years!

For we do not preach ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for the sake of Jesus.

...For we hold this treasure in earthen vessels, that the surpassing power may be of God and not from us!

This scripture quotation was the motto of the Ordination Class of 1969.

50th Anniversary of Ordination
Reverend Mike Hammer
May 24, 1969 - May 24, 2019

Music & Fine Arts
This Week at the Cathedral
Sunday • June 9, 2019
11:00A Mass Cathedral Choir
Wednesday • June 12, 2019
12:15P Concert Derrick Hahn, piano

Financial Stewardship Update
Parish Support – May 27, through June 2, 2019

Stewardship Offering: $6,455.10
(Envelopes & Electronic)
Offertory: $1,155.81

Budget updates
Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019
Year to Date Contributions: $572,240.86
Year to Date Budget: $588,370.00
Year to Date Difference: ($16,129.14)

“The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you.” (John 14:26)

Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions.

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

I - Levi Oxford and Amanda Bliske
I – Jordan Nettlesheim and Chelsea DeMarb
I – Michael Pena and Stephanie Young
II – Juan Martinez and Karina Chavez
II - William George and Emily Zuelke
III - Philip Hoge and Julie Scallon
III - John Badnik and Tammy Fricker
III – Sam Kohnke and Brittany Bozmoski
III – Joshua Baker and Kathryn Bjurstrom

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!

Readings for the Week of June 9

SUN: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26
MON: Gen 3:9-15 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34
TUE: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [cf. 2b]/Mt 5:13-16
WED: 2 Cor 3:4-11/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9 [cf. 9c]/Mt 5:17-19
THU: 2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt 5:20-26
FRI: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 [17a]/Mt 5:27-32
SAT: 2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Mt 5:33-37
SUN: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
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 June 19, at 12:30 pm at the Jewish Museum Milwaukee.

SPARC will travel to the Jewish Museum Milwaukee to explore the history of the Jewish Community in southeast Wisconsin. The museum celebrates the Milwaukee Jewish Community and explores the broad American and Jewish experience. We are also fortunate in that we have the opportunity to view the new exhibit at the Museum; Marc Chagall’s Le Cirque”.

The Le Cirque portfolio consists of 38 numbered limited-edition lithographs created in Paris in 1967. This will be a docent guided tour lasting 1.5 hours with limited walking and standing. There is no admission fee.

The museum is located at 1360 N. Prospect Ave. Parking is available behind the museum to the east as well as street parking. Entrance to the parking area is adjacent to the south side of the museum on the east side of the street.

We will meet in the museum lobby at 12:30 pm. The docent led tour will begin at 1:00 pm. Please do join us and bring a friend. There is no admission fee.

Collection bins will be provided at the main entrances of the Cathedral beginning Mother’s Day and running through Father’s Day. Envelopes for monetary donations (checks should be made out to the Cathedral of St John the Evangelist) will be provided at all entrances of the Cathedral and can be dropped in the collection baskets at the offertory time. All donations, including monetary, can also be dropped off at the parish offices during the week. Please leave with the receptionist for Shanedra Johnson.

If you should have any questions please don’t hesitate to contact me.

God Bless,

Shanedra Johnson
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Lux Mundi Young Adult Group

Fridays – 6:30 – 8:00 pm in the Center Meeting Room
All are welcome – ages 18 – 35

We are God’s disciples, as a family we work towards social justice through the formation of our faith and prayer. This is an English speaking youth group. Please join us! For more information, please contact Maria Ramirez at ramirez53215@gmail.com or Evelyn Rios at evelynrios0198@gmail.com.

Pope Francis reminds:

“A way has to be found to enable everyone to benefit from the fruits of the earth, and not simply to close the gap between the affluent and those who must be satisfied with the crumbs falling from the table, but above all to satisfy the demands of justice, fairness and respect for every human being.”

The Human Concerns Committee invites you to participate in a tribute to all Mothers and Fathers, with an outreach effort to assist those mothers and fathers, internationally and locally, who are experiencing life changing situations due to political/civil unrest, loss of a job, etc. To help with these challenging times, we will be accepting greatly needed donations of baby formula, over the counter medicine for baby and parents (Tylenol, liquid Ibuprofen) first aid supplies or a monetary gift, which will help defray the cost of shipping.

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**Combined Collections**

The Combined Collections: The Church in the United States will be held this week, supporting five causes important to Catholics throughout the country:

- **Black and Indian Mission** – Funds projects which help communities here in southeastern Wisconsin and across the United States.
- **Catholic Campaign for Human Development** – Assists low-income people build better lives for themselves and their families.
- **The Catholic Communication Campaign** – Provides for local and national communication needs, including the weekly radio broadcast of the Sunday Mass from the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Milwaukee.
- **Catholic University of America** – Educates students in a spirit of faith.
- **Retirement Fund for Religious** – Ensures adequate retirement funding for elderly religious throughout the country.

This collection offers a wonderful opportunity to support hands-on efforts to help people in need. Please give generously … your gift does make a difference!

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**Parish Photo Directory**

The Cathedral has contracted with Lifetouch and will be issuing a new photo directory in the fall. New photos of parishioners will be scheduled over two weeks, from July 23 - 27 and from July 30 - August 3. To ensure this year’s directory accurately reflects our parish community, we ask that each family sign up for a free, 15-minute family photo session either online or in-person. Numerous photo packages will be available for purchase. Each family will receive a complimentary 4”x6” photo. A photo session sign-up link will be sent to all parishioners who are on the Cathedral’s electronic mailing list on Friday, June 14. In-person sign-ups will be available after Masses the weekends of June 29, July 6, and July 13.

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**Drop-In Sunday Morning Scripture Study**

Join us Sunday mornings beginning June 30 as we look closer at the second reading of the Sunday. We will come to understand it better knowing its date, audience, location and literary composition. Each month we will gather in the North Meeting Room after the 9:00 and the 11:00 Masses. Come each month or come when you can. Each 45 minute session, facilitated by Dennis Callies, will surely benefit your appreciation of the Word of God in our Sunday Liturgy.

The schedule is:
- **Sunday, June 30** - Galatians
- **Sunday, July 14** - Colossians
- **Sunday, August 11** - Hebrews 11-12
- **Sunday, September 15** - 1st Timothy
- **Sunday, October 6** - 2nd Timothy
- **Sunday, November 3** - 2nd Thessalonians

If you have any questions about the sessions please contact Pat Wisialowski, patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org, or by phone 414/276-9814, ext. 302.

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**ESCYM – Looking for Catechists**

Have you ever considered teaching Religious Education? We are looking for new catechists for classes beginning in late September. Perhaps God is calling you to this rewarding ministry. To find out more about this great volunteer opportunity, please contact the ESCYM office at 414/962-3776 or escym@sbcglobal.net.

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**Swing for Your Seminarians!**

You are invited to support the formation of holy priests by attending the Saint Francis de Sales Seminary’s Pallium Scholarship Benefit – a golf outing and dinner auction – on Monday, July 29 at the beautiful Wisconsin Country Club. Golf away the afternoon and/or join seminary supporters later for the cocktail reception and dinner.

Your help in raising scholarship funds will ensure that financial concerns do not stand in the way of a faith-filled man who has been called to the priesthood. For more details, go to www.sfs.edu/golf or call 414/747-6463.

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*A community living out our discipleship through...*  
Weekly Worship, Scripture Sharing, Daily Prayer,  
Stewardship, Spiritual Friendship and Reconciliation.
Brew City Catholic

Brew City Catholic is your hub for events, ministries, and movements that invite adults 18 through 20s & 30s to encounter Jesus and His Church.

Upcoming Connect Events

June 13 | Brewing the Faith Summer Social
June 23 | Ballpark Day of Faith
July 11 | Brew City Catholic Cruise
July 18 | Brewing the Faith Summer Social
July 27 | Kickball Classic
August 13 | Brewing the Faith Summer Social

For details on these events, please visit: https://www.archmil.org/offices/Young-Adults/CONNECT.

Receptionists Needed

The Cathedral front desk needs several new volunteer receptionists to greet those coming to our office as well as answer and transfer phone calls. Experience is not needed - training will be provided by our Cathedral receptionist Leona Bollenbeck. You should enjoy meeting and talking with those you meet.

Please call Amy Nikolai at 414/276-9814, ext. 306 to leave your name and phone number if you are interested in exploring this opportunity.

Thank you! Our receptionists are the face and voice of our Cathedral – can you help?

Contemplative Prayer for Reconciliation and the Healing of Racism

Each Friday from 12:15 - 12:45 pm join others from around the Archdiocese committed to contemplative prayer for the healing of racism. No experience needed, just a heart willing to heal and pray for reconciliation. Join our mailing list to receive the weekly prayer service and reminder here: https://tinyurl.com/healracism.
Pastoral Care

Are any among you sick?

The Pastoral Care Phone Extension (414/276-9814, ext. 603) is a special line dedicated exclusively to receiving requests for ministry and service to those who are sick, hospitalized, home-bound, residents of nursing homes or health care facilities or in need of the Sacraments and prayer.

The Prayer Link (ext. 604 or prayerlink@stjohncathedral.org) is a line/email address dedicated to receiving requests for prayer by other parishioners and friends of the Cathedral.

If you would like to be part of the Prayer Link and pray for parishioners please contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate.

To arrange for a priest, deacon or lay minister to visit a loved one who is sick, homebound, or hospitalized, please contact the parish office. Because of HIPAA policies, a hospital cannot notify the Cathedral of an admittance, so a family member must take the initiative. Anointing is also offered the second Saturday of the month at the 5:15 pm Mass.
Welcome to the Cathedral

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Pastoral Council

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

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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.

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

Bulletin submissions are due by 9:00 a.m. Monday morning to Cathy Quandt at BulletinEditor@stjohncathedral.org.

If you attend Mass at any of the Catholic Communities of Our Lady of Divine Providence, Sts. 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.