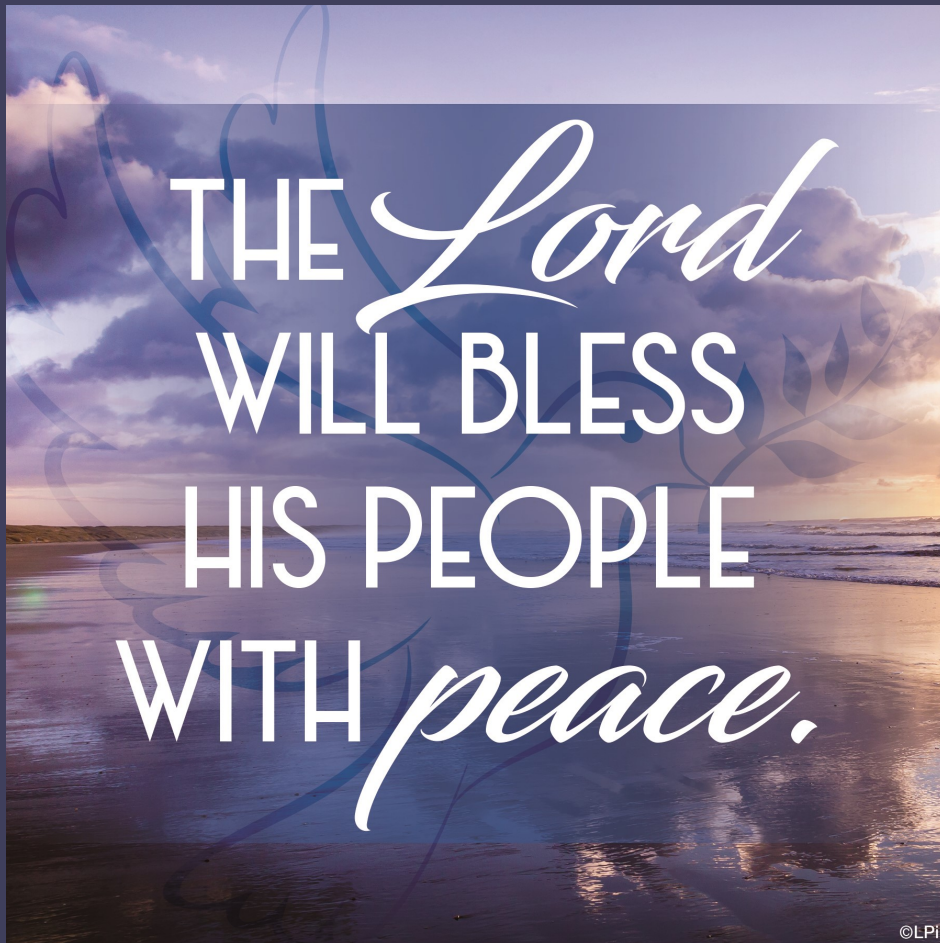


# *The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist*



*The Baptism of the Lord  
January 12, 2020*

## *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](http://www.stjohncathedral.org).

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## Pray For...

### The Power of Prayer

We know prayer works. At present, over 80 Cathedral parishioners minister as Prayer Partners in our Cathedral Prayer Link. Below are reflections of two people who pray and also receive prayer.

*"Pat, I actually wanted to email my thanks to you right after I received the request for prayers for my son (30 year old graphic artist with eye trouble). I was moved to tears to know that so many were lifting him up in prayer. I have been receiving your requests for prayer for quite some time and always prayed for those mentioned. But it never occurred to me during all that time that I would be asking for prayers and what it would mean when my turn came. Thank you and all those who are unseen and praying. What a mighty spiritual force!"*

*-Ron Zeilinger*

*"I cherish the opportunity to be a member of the Prayer Link. When I lift up the intentions in my prayer, I feel the spiritual bond of community. In a world where so many people feel lonely and disconnected, the Prayer Link is an opportunity to be part of a very loving and caring family. I truly know what it is like to be a member of the Body of Christ. I also know the strength and support that comes from being included in intercessory prayer. The encouragement and reassurance is tangible. You can feel a sense of protection. It makes a difference! It truly is a blessing to know this prayerful power and comforting spiritual embrace, and there is a special sense of good-will that comes from the chance to extend this gift to someone else in need. And, all that is needed to offer this gift is a bit of our time."*

*God's peace,*

*-Bishop Jeff*

If you would like to be a Prayer Partner and join our Prayer Link ministry, please email Pat Wisialowski at [patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org](mailto:patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org), or call her at 414/232-7406, ext. 302. Prayer requests are emailed under a blind copy so your email address will not show on the request. And, of course, if you or your family are ever in need of prayer, please contact Pat with your request.

Thank you!



## 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 January 15 at 12:45 pm in the Cathedral Atrium. Welcome Back!!!

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!!!!

We are so honored and pleased to have Dr. Kurt Oelke, a rheumatologist in practice at the Rheumatic Disease Center in Glendale. He will be speaking to us about the rheumatic diseases, namely rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis. How many of us can relate to this!?

An estimated 1.5 million Americans have rheumatoid arthritis. Almost eight times that many have osteoarthritis. These are the leading causes of disability and pain in all age groups. Learning to live with this can be difficult. Come and learn about differentiating between the two most common types of arthritis and joint pain. You will learn about the common treatment options and their impact on your health. This is information valuable to all of us.

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. Thank You. Please do RSVP by Monday January 13 to [jimtrzebiatowski](mailto:jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org) at 414/276-9814, ext. 308 or via email: [jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org](mailto:jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org). Please remember to include your name in the RSVP.** ●

Congratulations to Archbishop ListECKi as he celebrates his 10th Anniversary as Archbishop of Milwaukee!!!



## Cathedral Photo Directories

The new Cathedral directories will be ready for distribution the weekend of January 11 after each Mass. For this initial distribution, please only collect a directory if you had your photo taken by Lifetouch or submitted a photo to be included in the directory. We are aware that some parishioners did not want a picture in the directory and we likewise ordered a quantity of directories beyond the number of photographed parishioners. There will be a subsequent distribution the weekend of January 18 for those who couldn't make the first weekend and for those who just want a directory without their picture in it. Thank you for your patience! •



## Stewardship Option IRA Qualified Charitable Distribution

Cathedral supporters have always been very generous with their stewardship pledges. We are blessed to have such support from our Parishioners and Friends of the Cathedral. Many of us have taken advantage of using our contributions as an itemized tax deduction on our tax return. However, with the new tax law's higher standard deduction, many of us will find using the standard deduction is our best option, instead of itemizing our deductions (including charitable donations). The effect of this is no separate tax deduction for our charitable contributions.

One part of the tax law you might consider using is making your Cathedral charitable donation directly from your Traditional Individual Retirement Account (IRA). For more information, please visit: [www.stjohncathedral.org/documents/Stewardship\\_Option.pdf](http://www.stjohncathedral.org/documents/Stewardship_Option.pdf). •

## Music & Fine Arts this Week at the Cathedral

**Sunday • January 12, 2020**

5:15P Mass 🎵 Voces Mundi

11:00A Mass 🎵 Cathedral Choir

**Sunday • January 19, 2020**

9:00A Mass 🎵 Handbell Ensemble

11:00A Mass 🎵 Cathedral Choir

The Wednesday Noon Concert Series will be on hiatus in January and February. Concerts will resume in March. •

## Financial Stewardship Update

Parish Support –

December 30, through  
January 5, 2020

Envelope Giving: \$10,408.50

Electronic Giving: \$21,226.00

Offertory: \$974.02

## Budget updates Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020

Year to Date Contributions: \$319,605.31

Year to Date Budget: \$330,250.00

Year to Date Difference: (\$10,644.69)

*And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." (Matthew 3:17)*

This is a reminder that our own lives are pure gifts from God and meant to serve God and others. •





## Women's Spirituality Friday, February 7, 2020

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist's Women's Spirituality Group invites you to please join us on Friday, February 7, 2020 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!

### **Forgiveness, the Gift you Give Yourself** **Led by Pat Wisialowski**

#### **The only person you should want to get even with is someone who has helped you!**

Forgiveness is not about righting wrongs, but about righting relationships. Forgiveness means that we separate the act from the person. We forgive the person because he or she is a child of God and therefore innately worthy of our love.

The church is a forgiving community. We are God's children, we have been redeemed, and we are forgiven.

Let's dialogue about forgiving others - and ourselves. We all have much wisdom on this topic worth reexamining. We can share and help each other.

Please join us and invite your friends. Please RSVP by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, February 5 to Jim at [JimTrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org](mailto: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 Jim for more information (price is \$8.00 each).



## Readings for the Week of January 12

SUN: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Mt 3:13-17  
MON: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19 [17a]/Mk 1:14-20  
TUE: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd [cf. 1]/Mk 1:21-28  
WED: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [8a and 9a]/Mk 1:29-39  
THU: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25 [27b]/Mk 1:40-45  
FRI: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19 [2]/Mk 2:1-12  
SAT: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [2a]/Mk 2:13-17  
SUN: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

## La Sagrada Familia Parish Commission

Journey with Us

Experience the Culture and Community  
of La Sagrada Familia.

Travel with the Office for World Mission  
on a Lenten Pilgrimage to our sister  
parish in the Dominican Republic.

Trip dates: March 10 - 17, 2020.

Deadline extended:

Apply by January 31st

For info, call: 414/758-2282 or visit:  
[www.archmil.org/Mission-LSF-Lent-2020.htm](http://www.archmil.org/Mission-LSF-Lent-2020.htm) •

## Contemplative Prayer for Reconciliation and the Healing of Racism

Please join others from around the  
Archdiocese committed to contemplative  
prayer for the healing of racism on  
January 24 at 12:30 pm in the Day Chapel.  
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>. •

## Adoration in the Cathedral

Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration  
every Friday after the 5:15 Mass from  
6:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the Cathedral. •

## Who's New in the Pew?

We welcome the following individual  
who registered at the Cathedral in recent  
weeks:

**Paul Leyer**

Welcome! •



## Cathedral Weekly Newsletter

We have recently started producing a weekly newsletter including Cathedral news and events which is delivered via Flocknote email.

Signing up for Flocknote will not only give you the opportunity to have details about the week ahead at the Cathedral delivered right to your inbox, but it will also give you access to content from Word on Fire. If you wish to sign up to receive our weekly newsletter or learn more about the Word on Fire videos, please visit [www.stjohnncathedral.org/index.php/newsletter](http://www.stjohnncathedral.org/index.php/newsletter). •

## Thank You

The end of the Christmas Season is upon us with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. I trust you experienced the warmth of the season equal to what was shown to our invited guests at the Ippolite Christmas party. I want to thank everyone who shared their time and talents making this a grand event. SVDP meets the first three Mondays of the month at 5:15 pm in the Open Door Café. You are always welcome to work with our invited guests. I wish us all a wonderful 2020.

-J Harvey Perez  
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## 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, February, 23, 2020 at 10:00 am in the North meeting room on the second floor of the Weakland Center. You can take the elevator in the Atrium. If you have any questions about Baptism at the Cathedral please feel free to email Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate, at [patwisialowski@stjohnncathedral.org](mailto:patwisialowski@stjohnncathedral.org), or phone 414/276-9814. Thank you. •

## Wedding Banns

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

I – Nick Lloyd and Paige Milske  
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Register today, Limit 350 Runners  
[www.run1010.com](http://www.run1010.com)

Holy Hill National Shrine of Mary

**VIA DOLOROSA**  
**TRAIL MARATHON**

26.2 13.1 10K 4.4.20

John 3:16

*But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities;  
upon him was the chastisement that made us whole, and with his stripes we are healed.*

**TEN**  
adventures LLC



- Ryan Hall, half marathon participant
- Annie Weiss, full marathon participant
- \$500 for top male and female marathoners, age group awards
- 14 Stations of the Cross along course
- 6am Mass prior to race
- Friday Night Pasta Dinner featuring Ryan Hall
- T-shirt and memorable finishers medal for all finishers



## This Week on the Calendar

### Sunday • January 12

- 12:00P **Baptism Preparation Class**  
(Spanish) (North Meeting Room)
- 12:00P **Tour: General Cathedral**  
(Cathedral)

### Monday • January 13

- 5:15P **St. Vincent de Paul** (Open Door Café)
- 6:45P **Centering Prayer** (North Meeting Room)
- 7:00P **Stewardship Committee Meeting** (Center Meeting Room)

### Tuesday • January 14

- 9:30A **Pastoral Staff Meeting** (Meeting Room C)
- 5:30P **Pastoral Council Meeting** (North Meeting Room)
- 6:00P **Rehearsal: Handbell Ensemble** (Cathedral)

### Wednesday • January 15

- 12:45P **SPARC Gathering** (Atrium)
- 5:30P **AA Meeting** (North Meeting Room)
- 7:00P **Rehearsal: Cathedral Choir** (Cathedral)

### Thursday • January 16

- 12:15P **AA Meeting** (Meeting Room B)
- 6:45P **Rehearsal: Women's Choir** (Cathedral)
- 7:00P **SPRED Class** (Center Meeting Room)

### Friday • January 17

- 10:15A **Hygiene Kit Distribution** (Parish Center Lobby)
- 6:00P **Married Couples Group** (Atrium)
- 6:00P **Young Adult Group** (North Meeting Room)
- 6:00P **Adoration** (Cathedral)

### Saturday • January 18

- 8:30A **Finance Council Meeting** (North Meeting Room)
- 10:00A **Baptism Outside of Mass** (Cathedral)

### Sunday • January 19

- 10:00A **UPLIFT - Family Formation** (Atrium)



### Sunday • January 12: Baptism of the Lord

- 5:15P(Sat) *In Loving Memory of +Janet Miller*
- 9:00A *Living & Deceased: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist*
- 11:00A *Deceased Members of the Hussussian Family*

### Monday • January 13: Weekday

- 7:45A
- 5:15P

### Tuesday • January 14: Weekday

- 7:45A
- 5:15P

### Wednesday • January 15: Weekday

- 7:45A
- 5:15P +Jim "Chico" Haines

### Thursday • January 16: Weekday

- 7:45A
- 5:15P

### Friday • January 17:

- Saint Anthony, Abbot*
- 7:45A
- 5:15P

### Saturday • January 18: Weekday

- 7:45A *Members of the Legacy Society & Cathedral Benefactors*

### Sunday • January 19:

- Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*
- 5:15P(Sat) *Living & Deceased: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist*
- 9:00A +Norma & Willard Keslin
- 11:00A *Deceased Members of the Hussussian Family*

## Pastoral Care

Are any among you sick?

- James 5:14

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](mailto: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.

*A community living out our  
discipleship through...*

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

# Welcome to the Cathedral

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## Parish Staff Directory

**Archbishop** ..... The Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki  
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**Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus** .. The Most Reverend Richard J. Sklba

## Pastoral Council

Pastoral Council Minutes can be found at: [www.stjohnncathedral.org/index.php/pastoral-council-minutes/](http://www.stjohnncathedral.org/index.php/pastoral-council-minutes/)

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## Unaffiliated Ministries & Organizations

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**Archdiocesan AIDS Ministry** ..... Fr. Mike Hammer, Coordinator  
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**St. Vincent de Paul Society** ..... Old St. Mary/Cathedral Conference  
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**Cathedral Center, Inc.** ..... Donna Rongholt-Migan, Director  
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## 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@stjohnncathedral.org](mailto:BulletinEditor@stjohnncathedral.org).

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.