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.

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 23, 2020

812 North Jackson Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202
414/ 276-9814
Archdiocese of Milwaukee  •  Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Music & Fine Arts
this Week at the Cathedral

**Sunday • February 23, 2020**
- 5:15P Mass • Women’s Choir
- 9:00A Mass • Handbell Ensemble
- 11:00A Mass • Cathedral Choir

**Sunday • March 1, 2020**
- 11:00A Mass • Cathedral Choir

**Parish Survey – Catholic Leadership Institute**

The Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist is participating in a parish survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute! We need your help.

Please help us by participating in a 10-15 minute survey online. The survey will be available from February 23 to March 23 and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish’s efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as whole.

Please use this online link for the survey: www.DiscipleMakerIndex.com. Please note that the link is active, but will not list the Archdiocese of Milwaukee as an option until the survey opens on February 23. The survey is available in English or in Spanish. Paper copies of the survey can also be completed in the back of the Cathedral if you would prefer.

We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will be invaluable to Bishop Jeff and Father José and our various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

Thank you for helping with this important project!
Women’s Spirituality
Friday, March 6, 2020

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist’s Women’s Spirituality Group invites you to please join us on Friday, March 6, 2020 at noon 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!

The Journey to Spirituality Maturity
With Sister Karlyn Cauley
Cathedral Parish Center - Center Meeting Room - 2nd floor

Sister Karlyn Cauley is a Sister of the Divine Savior whose interest in the spirituality of women has been ecumenical and experiential. She believes our stories are immediate to the Church’s life and need to be told at a variety of levels. For her “vocation and “location” within parish life adds to the necessary momentum the Church needs. Her current presentation will highlight women’s spiritual maturity and the naming of their gifts and growth. Her work as an artist has strong spiritual expression as well as her talks with women.

Sister Karlyn will provide indications in our lives that show the journey to Spiritual Maturity. She will lead the group in using personal issues, trust in a guide-person, self-awareness, confessing shortcomings, temptations to maturity and gratitude for gifts. Come and learn your strengths to a healthy maturity of spirituality.

Please join us and invite your friends. Please RSVP by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, March 4 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 Jim for more information (price is $8.00 each).

Scripture with Scholars
“Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God”
The Penitential Psalms, Human Weakness,
and the Season of Transformation (Lent)
Dennis Sylva, Ph.D.
Wednesday, March 11, 2020
7:00 - 8:30 pm - Atrium

For more information please visit:

Saint Patrick’s Celebration
Saturday, March 14, 2020
5:15 PM: Mass in the Cathedral
6:30 PM: Celebration follows in the Atrium

Join fellow parishioners and friends for a light hearted evening of music, food and laughter.

Food Choice:
Traditional Irish Corn Beef and Cabbage or Celtic Chicken

Beverages:
Saint Patrick’s Day Specials

Music:
Provided by Tallymoore
An Irish Folk band and Irish Fest favorite, will entertain with contemporary and traditional Irish music.

RSVP Necessary by Friday, March 6 with your dinner choice to 414/276-9814, x302 or PatWisialowski@stjohncathedral.org.

Freewill Offering
Sponsored by the Stewardship Commission

Financial Stewardship Update
Parish Support -
February 10, through February 16, 2020

Envelope Giving: $5,693.00
Electronic Giving: $895.00
Offertory: $838.10

Budget updates
Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020

Year to Date Contributions: $393,099.83
Year to Date Budget: $404,050.00
Year to Date Difference: ($10,950.17)

Whatsoever I thankfully receive, as a token of God’s love to me, I part with contentedly as a token of my love to Him.
– Theophilus Gale
Cathedral News & Notes ...

Ash Wednesday
February 26, 2020
Mass will be celebrated at 7:45 am,
12:15 pm and 5:15 pm

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

Cathedral churches have played a significant role historically in supporting the arts. We at St. John’s are proud to be part of this noble tradition.

❖ Grand Music for a Grand Space
   Friday, March 27, 2020
   Blessed Are They
   A Musical Reflection on the Beatitudes
   Music performed by the resident ensembles and soloists.
   Concert time is 8:00 PM.
   Tickets: $20/$15 seniors and students

❖ Wednesday Concert Series
   The series is on a winter hiatus and will return March 4, 2020.
   These 30 minute programs are free and feature some of the area’s finest professional and amateur musicians.

   For more information, please contact the Cathedral Music Office at (414) 276-9814, x305, visit us online at www.stjohncathedral.org/arts, or follow us on Facebook.

Cathedral Parking Lot Reminders

Weekday Parking Reminder – the Cathedral parking lot is restricted on weekdays between 8:00 am to 5:00 pm for parish staff parking and volunteers if space is available.

Weekend Parking Reminders - Most of our staff members do also need to use the Cathedral parking lot on the weekends. We have had instances where both Clergy and staff members haven’t been able to park in their spot on the weekends. Please keep those spaces open during weekend Masses.

   There is also no parking in front of the small shed door, garbage dumpster or on the grate by the east end of the Cathedral.

   All parking meters are free on Sundays. On Saturdays, there are some free meters with a two hour limit. Meter parking is also free with handicapped parking placard or permit.

   The Cathedral has also negotiated a parking agreement with Northwestern Mutual allowing parishioners and guests to park during weekend Masses at no charge. The agreement is available for both the Saturday and Sunday Mass schedule. This does not include parking during weekday Masses. For full details about the parking agreement with Northwestern mutual, please visit: www.stjohncathedral.org/documents/cathedralparking.pdf

Uplift families

Key Dates for March

March 4 - UPLIFT Teens
   6:00 - 8:00 pm
   Peter & Paul - Church Center
   Corner of Bradford & Cramer

March 7 - First Reconciliation Service
   10:00 am - Saints Peter & Paul Church
   2490 N Cramer St.

March 14 - Middle/High School Youth Rally - Carroll University

March 22 UPLIFT Families
   10:20 am - Noon
   Cathedral of St. John - Atrium

March 25 - UPLIFT Families
   6:20 pm - 8:00 pm
   Catholic East Elementary - Saints Peter & Paul Campus
   2461 N. Murray Ave

March 29 - First Communion Retreat for Parent(s) & Children
   1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
   Three Holy Women - Holy Rosary Hall
   2011 N Oakland Ave

Ballpark day of Faith


Save the date
Sunday 06.28.20 Miller Park

VS.

www.dayoffaith.com
CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
LENTEN MISSION SUNDAYS

MARCH 15, 2020—GOD CALLS

RITA FERGONE is an award-winning writer and speaker on issues of liturgy and church renewal in the Roman Catholic tradition. She has presented in more than eighty dioceses and has given parish retreats and missions, as well as talks to university audiences. She is the author and coauthor of several books and is a frequent contributor to Commonweal magazine and numerous other Catholic journals. She is the former Director of Liturgy here at the Cathedral (1999-2001).

MARCH 22, 2020—GOD SURPRISES

REV. JOSEPH JUKNIAK is a senior priest of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and celebrates Mass Sundays at Milwaukee’s eastside parishes. Once a month his reflection on the Sunday scripture readings appears in the Catholic Herald. He has written numerous books, the most recent coauthored with Bishop Skaifa, entitled Easter Fire. A forthcoming book entitled Echoes with reflections on each of the Sundays of Cycle B readings beginning with Advent of 2020 is scheduled for this summer.

DEACON CARLOS LONDONO was born in Medellin, Colombia. The first time he spoke about a desire to become a priest was at the age of eight. After a year of discernment at home, he joined Saint Francis de Sales Seminary in 2014, studying for the Priesthood in the Archdiocese. He was ordained a transitional deacon in April 2019 and anticipates Ordination to the Priesthood in May 2020.

DEACON PATRICK MAGNOR grew up in Brookfield WI, where the Catholic faith always was a big part of his life. At the suggestion of his parish priest during his senior year of college, he attended a discernment retreat at Saint Francis de Sales Seminary. During this retreat, he made the commitment to be open to God’s will within his life. The next step was joining Saint Francis de Sales Seminary to study for the Priesthood. He was ordained a transitional deacon in April 2019 and anticipates Ordination to the Priesthood in May 2020.

MARCH 29, 2020—GOD LOVES

CHRISTOPHER DAVIS is an experienced immersion-education facilitator in the El Paso—Ciudad Juarez region, having been a full-time volunteer with the Annunciation House. While at Annunciation House, Christopher volunteered and coordinated various houses of hospitality and was a coordinator of Annunciation House’s Border Awareness Experience program. Christopher is passionate about exploring social and environmental justice topics through a combination of research and discussion, hands-on experience, and personal, community and faith-based reflection. He has a love for music and is a songwriter and performing artist.

Please Stay In Touch With Us!
And Help Us Stay In Touch With Others.

Dear Parishioners,

We want to keep in touch with our parishioners who are home bound. Please let us know if you know of a parishioner who is home bound or in a nursing home. If you know of a parishioner who doesn’t have access to email please let us know so we can give them a call. Thanks so much for caring about all members of our Parish Community!

Take care,
Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate
414/276-9814, ext. 302, patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org

The Supreme Example of Stewardship

In thanksgiving we reflect on all the times in the past year that our parishioners have stepped forward to give of their time, their talent and their treasure. We are aware that sometimes good people feel that they are asked, and asked and asked again - all without efforts they contribute being recognized. Some wonder, “How much more do they expect from me?”

We are very grateful for everything that our parishioners do to build our faith community. The true message of stewardship, however, is not about counting volunteer hours, documenting service or establishing giving requirements. It’s not about how much any church expects of its members. It is about the expectations of our God, and our answer to his final question, “What have you done with all that I have given to you?”

❖ Stewardship is challenging - challenging each of us to return to the Lord in proportion to the gifts we have received.
❖ Stewardship is demanding - often contradicting the powerful influences of our culture.
❖ Stewardship is personal - stemming from our individual relationship with God.
❖ Most of all Stewardship is rewarding - in this world and the next.

This week: Reflect on the greatest example of true stewardship; “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, so that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life.” (John 3:16).

Who’s New in the Pew?

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

Rachael Johnson
Welcome!
This Week on the Calendar

Sunday • February 23
10:00A  Baptism Preparation Class (North Meeting Room)
12:00P  Tour: General Cathedral (Cathedral)

Monday • February 24
6:30P  Dress Rehearsal: Rites of Election (Cathedral)
6:45P  Centering Prayer (North Meeting Room)

Tuesday • February 25
9:30A  Pastoral Staff Meeting (Meeting Room C)
12:00P  SPARC Steering Committee (Meeting Room C)

Wednesday • February 26
7:45A  Mass: Ash Wednesday (Cathedral)
12:15P  Mass: Ash Wednesday (Cathedral)
5:15P  Mass: Ash Wednesday (Cathedral)
5:30P  AA Meeting (North Meeting Room)
7:00P  Rehearsal: Cathedral Choir (Cathedral)
7:00P  Women’s Group (Atrium)

Thursday • February 27
12:15P  AA Meeting (Meeting Room B)
4:00P  Interfaith Conference (Meeting Room)

Friday • February 28
10:15A  Hygiene Kit Distribution (Parish Center Lobby)
12:30P  Prayers for Racial Healing (Day Chapel)
5:45P  Stations of the Cross (Cathedral)
6:00P  Married Couples Group (Atrium)
6:00P  Young Adult Group (North Meeting Room)
6:00P  Adoration (Day Chapel)

Saturday • February 29
6:15P  An Evening in Lent with Fr. Hammer (Atrium)

Sunday • March 1
1:30P  Rites of Election (Cathedral)
5:15P  Vespers: Lent (Cathedral)

Open Door Café Hours:
Sun - Fri - 11:15 am - 12:30 pm – hot lunch and bag lunch service
Mon - Fri 12:30 pm – 1:00 pm – bag lunches (ONLY)

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) 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.

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Welcome to the Cathedral

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Archbishop .................. The Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki
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Pastoral Council
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Office: 831 N. Van Buren St. ...................................... 414/238-2717
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 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.