

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Worship Schedule

Saturday July 21-St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest
4pm SG + Mike & Angie Schwoerer

Sunday July 22-Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8am HT + Erwin and Alma Brost
10am SG + Toni Marie Walber & Mike Pitz
7pm HT + Intentions of Holy Trinity & St. Gregory Parishioners

Tuesday July 24-St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest
8:15am HT + Special Intention
6pm SG Recite the Rosary

Wednesday July 25-St. James, Apostle (Feast)
8:15am HT + Special Intention

Thursday July 26-Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial)
8:15am SG + Valeria Dewane

Friday July 27-Weekday
8:15am SG + James Wagner

Saturday July 28-Our Lady
4pm SG + Sara Weber

Sunday July 29-Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8am HT + Herb Lenz Family
10am SG + Jack Rief
7pm HT + Intentions of Holy Trinity & St. Gregory Parishioners

Liturgical Ministers

July 28 & 29

Greeters:

4pm SG: N-Eleanor Shea
M-Dianne Schuh & Darla Krueger
8am HT: Randy & Sandy Neils
10am SG: N-Alice Petermann
M-Mary Ann Ristow

Lectors

4pm SG: Debbie Griem
8am HT: Mary Valukas
10am SG: Chris Schoenberger

Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

4pm SG: Gene Riesterer, Meg Post
8am HT: Lois & Dennis Albright, Cindy Roeck, Sharon Mueller
10am SG: Mary Ann Ristow, Steve Noworatzky

Ushers

4pm SG: Mary & Ed Olig
8am HT: Jim Augustine, Barb & Brian Hruby
10am SG: Mel Baumgartner & Joe Weber

Servers

4pm SG: Josephine Olig
8am HT: McKenna & Gretchen Augustine
10am SG: Bryce Schoenberger

Scrip:

4pmSG: Helen Gosse
8amHT: Barb Hruby
10amSG: Christine Schoenberger

Cleaning: Ed & Mary Olig, Joyce Braun

Parish News



Religious Education Please return the Religious Education Survey you received in the mail by July 22. If you did not receive a survey, there are copies located in the back of church. We look forward to your input. RE registration will take place in August.

St. Gregory Cemetery Rule Change Rule #32 Flower plantings are permitted along the full length of the front of the headstone, not more than 15 inches out from the face of the headstone. Nothing may be planted or put on the sides or back of the headstone. Plants must be maintained or they will be trimmed by the caretaker.

Memory Stones are available for purchase at Holy Trinity — with the name of your loved ones to be engraved upon. The stones can be placed near the foot of the Mary grotto, around our church, flower gardens or cemetery grounds in their loving memory \$50.



Congratulations to Jane and Sam Barnett, who are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary this month!

Thank you to all who helped take the aluminum cans and batteries in for recycling and those who donated. 587 pounds of aluminum cans and 262 pounds of batteries were recycled for a total of \$364.46.

Holy Trinity Parish raised for The Crossing Baby Bottle Drive \$313.25. Thank you to all who participated!

Change of Date: Work on the roofs at Holy Trinity will be starting on July 33rd. Dennis Albright is in need of assistance in help laying conduit on July 26th. If able to help contact Dennis or the parish office.

St. Gregory Parish Needs Your Help

St. Gregory School is in the process of being transitioned to the St. Gregory Parish Center.

The conversion of two school classrooms to an office and meeting room are well underway. As part of that effort, chalkboards and bulletin boards have been removed from the walls of two classrooms.

In the coming weeks, we will need volunteers to paint these two rooms and some of the adjoining hallway. Please consider becoming a part of this important effort. If you are able and willing to help please contact Rita Steffen @ the school 773-2530 or Allen Dietrich @ 894-4250 (please leave a message).

St. Gregory Stewardship: July 14 & 15, 2018

	Weekly	Per Family
Envelopes	\$2,782.00	\$12.94
Loose	\$ 245.00	\$ 1.14
Total	\$3,027.00	\$14.08
Support Budget/Week:	\$3,558.00	\$16.55
Difference this Week:	\$(- 531.00)	\$(2.47)

Total July Green Sunday: \$40.00

Holy Trinity Stewardship for July 15, 2018

	Weekly	Fiscal Year Budget
Envelopes	\$ 1,110.00	\$90,000.00
Loose	\$ 262.00	\$12,500.00
Total	\$ 1,372.00	\$102,500.00
Support Budget/Week:	\$ 1,971.00	\$4,822.45 received for year
Difference This Week	\$ -599.00	\$97,677.55 needed by 6/30/19

WEEKEND OF JULY 21 & 22, 2018

From July 22nd thru July 28th
the Sanctuary Candle(s) are burning
in memory/honor of:

Holy Trinity:

Living and Deceased Members
of Holy Trinity

St. Gregory:

Gary Baumann
Living & Deceased Members
of St. Gregory Parish

**HOLY TRINITY
SCRIP PROGRAM**

Sold in office:
M, T, TH 8am - Noon & 12:30-4pm,
W 8am-Noon, F 8am-noon & 12:30-2pm
Also sold after 8am Mass on Sunday

Sales ending July 15th = \$3,035
Profit ending July 15th = \$107.15

Betty Hardy & Sandy Neils
HT Scrip Coordinators~920-565-4588
Now selling Henning's Cheese in \$25 & \$50s

**LOCAL Businesses that participate
In our scrip programs:**

Piggly Wiggly, Riverview, Henning's Cheese, Pine River Dairy,
Four Seasons, Meat's Opera Haus, Cenex,
Holy Family, Millhome, Altona, Parker Johns, Log Cabin,
McDonalds, Copsps, Festival, Cousin Subs, Subway
plus.....**MANY MORE!**



ST. GREGORY SCRIP

Scrip is sold in the parish office:
M-W 7-Noon & 1-4, Th & F 7-Noon
Scrip is also sold after all Masses

Scrip sales ending July 15:\$5,642.16
3% (average) profit to the parish:\$169.26

Scrip Coordinators:

Debbie Griem 773-2708
Marlene Zutz 775-4253

Thank you to everyone who buys Scrip—
For those who have never bought Scrip—give it a try!

HT Christian Women Calendar Winners are....

- July 8 - \$30 Marie Dineen, Valders
- July 9 - \$20 Alissa Hartlaub, Chicago, IL
- July 10 - \$20 Brian Harllaub, Kiel
- July 11 - \$20 Cody Joas, Kiel
- July 12 - \$20 Mike Winter, Howards Grove
- July 13 - \$20 Sandra Besaw, Manitowoc
- July 14 - \$20 Stacy Miller, Plymouth



**St. Gregory Vacation
Bible School**

July 30 - Aug 3, 2018
9:00am - 11:30am

\$12 using last year's t-shirt
\$15 order new t-shirt

For Kids K-6th — All are Welcome

Registration forms in the back
of SG & HT Churches
www.stgregsparish.com or call 920-773-2511



School Hill Athletic Club
Fan Appreciation Day
August 5, 2018

Auction, Discounted Food and Bever-
ages

Looking for items to be donated for the Auction. If
interested call Glenn Neils at 920-286-3368 or
920-894-3932.

2018 BISHOP'S APPEAL

	<u>To Date</u>	<u>Goal</u>
St. Gregory:	\$13,641.00	\$20,393.00
Holy Trinity:	\$12,570.00	\$14,745.00

Thank you for your generous donations

Pray for the Sick:

John E. Meyer, Simon Scharenbroch, John Casper, Jon Saunders,
Mary Mueller, Orville Bonde, Leon Mueller, Kay Binversie, Dennis
Brost, Jim Endries, Julie Binversie and Roger Mayr .

To **add or remove** a name from this listing, a **family member** should call
your Parish Office-SG: 773-2511 or HT: 773-2380 Thank you.

**The following parish family members are serving
our nation in the Armed Forces:**

Jesse Augustine, Kurt Binversie, Joshua Kleinhans,
Jake Baumann, Michael Reindl, Anton Simon, Dustin Koenig,
Matthew Koenig, Samuel Koenig, Greg Mueller,
Brandon Mueller and Adam Satori.

We pray to the Lord that He watches over them & keep them safe.
If there are any more names, please call the parish offices.

July

Dates to Remember

July-VBS registrations accepted thru July 30th

July 24 Liturgy Meeting 6:30 at church

July 28 & 29 Second Collection: Green Sunday

July 28 & 29 St. Thomas the Apostle Community Picnic and Fiesta

July 30 thru Aug. 3rd Vacation Bible School at St. Gregory

August 4 & 5 Second Collection: Bishop's Appeal

August 4 Outdoor Polka Mass, St. Ann Parish, 4:00

August 5 School Hill Athletic Club Fan Appreciation Day

◇ **Mark your calendars: Saturday, Sept. 8th Fr. Tony's Welcome Party after the 4pm Mass at St. Gregory**

Fr. Pat's New Address:

3970 N. 92nd Street

Milwaukee, WI 53222

Lakeshore Memory Café

Join us for a Hawaiian Luau where we will play Aloha Bingo and share in some tasty treats. We'll gather Wednesday, August 1, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Manitowoc Public Library's Balkansky Room (707 Quay St). There is no charge and all are welcome. Find us on Facebook. *Safe, Social, Supportive; working to make Manitowoc County more dementia friendly.*



ST. GREGORY PARISH OUTREACH INFORMATION

Prayer Line; Lucille Heinzen at 773-2317

Nursing Home/Assisted Living; Carmen Pankratz 323-3791

SG Caring Hearts & Hands; Carmen Pankratz 920-323-3791

Food Pantry; Faye Riesterer at 773-2422

ST. GREGORY & HOLY TRINITY PARISHIONERS- Would you like to receive Communion at home?

St. Gregory parishioners please contact: Mary Olig 775-4756, Gene Riesterer 773-2585, Pat Milligan 758-5892, or the parish office 773-2511.

Holy Trinity parishioners please contact Dennis and Karen Graf at 693-8700 or the parish office 920-773-2380.

Mass Readings for Week of July 23rd thru July 29th

	<i>Readings</i>	<i>Gospel</i>
Mon/July 23	Micah 6:1-4,6-8	Matthew 12:38-42
Tues/July 24	Micah 7:14-15,18-20	Matthew 11:20-24
Wed/July 25	2 Corinthians 4:7-15	Matthew 20:20-28
Thurs/July 26	Jeremiah 2:1-3,7-8,12-13	Matthew 13:10-17
Fri/July 27	Jeremiah 3:14-17	Matthew 13:18-23
Sat/July 28	Jeremiah 7:1-11	Matthew 13:24-30
Sun/July 29	2 Kings 4:42-44	
	Ephesians 4:1-6	John 6:1-15



Hear To Serve....

PSALM 23

*The LORD is my shepherd; there is nothing I lack.
In green pastures he makes me lie down;
to still waters he leads me; he restores my soul.*

*He guides me along right paths for the sake of his name.
Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me;
your rod and your staff comfort me.*

I love this Psalm. I can just imagine being in a pasture at the edge of the woods with a nice stream running gently by. There is no one around for miles and no disturbing technology. It is a place to be with a good book, with that special someone, or to take a nap. Being in this place allows for some cleansing time, some time to become refreshed. Can you see it with me? Wouldn't that be nice?

Isn't that what Jesus was looking for in today's Gospel when He said to the disciples, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest awhile"? The disciples had just gotten back from their mission that Jesus sent them out on to cure the sick and to drive out demons. Everyone was looking for a little down time. Everyone was looking for those verdant pastures and restful waters. It just wasn't to be for Jesus and the disciples because the crowds followed them. The crowd wanted more. There was to be no rest for Jesus and the disciples on this day.

Does any of this sound familiar to you? Are there times in your life when you are wishing for those verdant pastures and restful waters? Maybe you have a day-off planned and something comes up to derail the train. Maybe you are working twelve hour shifts. It could be that one of the kids is sick again, and your babysitter has cancelled. You were going away for the weekend but now the car needs over a thousand dollars in repairs. Maybe you have just learned that someone you love is terminally ill. It is at times like these when you think, "I'm not just walking through a dark valley, I've taken up residence there."

There is a lesson to be learned from the crowds in today's Gospel. I believe they too, were looking for their restful place, their verdant pastures and restful waters. They knew that Jesus was where they would find all of this amongst the chaos in their lives. That is why we hear of them chasing after Jesus. It was not that they were rude and didn't want Jesus to rest. They knew Jesus was the source of true peace in their lives.

In today's world we fall into the mindset that everything should be instantaneously delivered to us. Jesus is not the internet, and He isn't the pizza delivery guy. We have to make the effort. We have to come to Mass to meet Christ. We have to have a private prayer life and devote a portion of our days to being alone with Jesus. It is so easy to overlook this aspect of our lives with the demands of the world. Like the people in the Gospel, we too have to walk some miles to be with Jesus.

*You spread a table in front of me in the sight of my enemies;
You anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows.
Indeed only goodness and mercy will pursue me
all the days of my life;
and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for endless days.*

Come be anointed, drink from the cup that never empties, lay down in green pastures, and hear the babbling of restful waters. Make the effort to come and walk towards our Lord Jesus the Christ.

Can you see it with me? That will be nice.

Deo gratias,
Deacon Gary

