



# THE CHANCERY BULLETIN & CATECHETICAL LEADER

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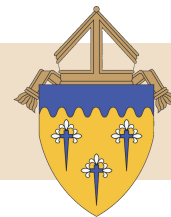
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## CHANCERY NEWS

### **ANNUAL CEMETERY & COLUMBARIUM CERTIFICATION FORMS | DUE FEBRUARY 3, 2023**

All parishes should have received the annual Cemetery Certification Request Form(s) as well as a Columbarium Survey (on the pink paper) sent in the mail January 3. Please note, completed form(s) are due no later than February 3, 2023. The State of Wisconsin mandates that each cemetery establishes and maintains a Perpetual Care Fund for the future upkeep of parish cemeteries. This year the state-required report covers cemetery activity between January 1 and December 31, 2022. If a parish has a cemetery and/or columbarium, a 2022 Cemetery Certification Request form must be completed. If you have not already done so, please complete and return your form to Amy Little immediately to [alittle@catholicdos.org](mailto:alittle@catholicdos.org).

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### **STATUS ANIMARUM QUESTIONNAIRE**

Considering Diocesan needs when moving forward, “looking back” in the form of the Status Animarum Questionnaire (SAQ) is beneficial and necessary. Please prepare your information in anticipation of a forthcoming email from Survey Monkey regarding completion of this important annual survey.

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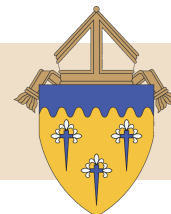
### **EMPLOYEE RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION - IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS**

As we look forward to the hiring season for school teachers, religious education staff, as well as at the Chancery, etc., performing due diligence is essential to the hiring process. Always, always contact former employers for character references for all candidates you are considering. When calling, promise total confidentiality and ask them to please be as honest as possible. Good questions to ask are:

- Was this person a positive presence in the work place? Were they selfless, kind, honest and of integrity? Did they gossip, complain, or lookout primarily for themselves?
- Was this person diligent, motivated, consistent? Did he/she show up to work with regularity and on-time?
- Would you have any hesitations whatsoever hiring this person for the job that we’re considering them for? Please be specific.

Our diocesan offices often have means of helping you vet applicants through connections from other dioceses or parishes. This has proven vital in a few instances in the past. Please, consider contacting the relevant diocesan office for assistance any time you are hiring. Hiring well is one of the most influential things leaders can do in any organization!

Please check the [Employment Listings](#) on the Human Resources page of the Diocesan website for full-time positions available at the Chancery very soon.



## CHANCERY NEWS

### **SDCCW MARY JANE MORANCYK HENNESSY SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will award four (4) \$1,000 scholarships to women completing their second year of post high school education or continuing their education for career advancement, or returning to the work field.

Applications may be obtained by contacting the SDCCW Scholarship Committee, Mary Werner, W5490 County Road O, Medford, WI 54451 – Telephone 715-748-4709, email [werner@tds.net](mailto:werner@tds.net). Applications are also available from the SDCCW website: <https://sdccw-wisconsin.weebly.com>

The Committee will notify the winners by phone or email. Applications will be accepted starting February 1st and postmarked no later than April 15th.

Mr. John Hennessey donated a sum of money in memory of his wife, Mary Jane Moranczyk Hennessy as a scholarship titled the Mary Jane Moranczyk Hennessy Scholarship.

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### **GRANTS AVAILABLE**

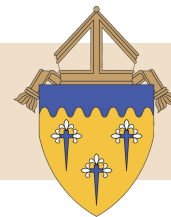
The [National Fund for Sacred Places](#), a program of [Partners for Sacred Places](#) in collaboration with the National Trust for Historic Preservation and funded by the Lilly Endowment Inc., will be accepting Letters of Intent from January 11 to February 24, 2023. Congregations meeting the [eligibility criteria](#) can apply for matching grants ranging from \$50,000 to \$250,000 to support significant capital projects at historic houses of worship. Click [HERE](#) to learn more!

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### **CLERGY LETTERS OF SUITABILITY**

There is a form on the diocesan website to complete when requesting letters of suitability to minister outside the diocese. It is found on the Chancellor page under the menu heading [Testimonial of Suitability](#). Clergy, please utilize this form when requesting letters of suitability so that all information may correctly be included in the letter.

Also, if any clergy from outside the diocese are asked to minister at our parishes, a letter of suitability must be sent to Bishop Powers from the clergies home diocese prior to service.



## CHANCERY NEWS

### IRS STANDARD MILEAGE RATE FOR 2023

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has issued the 2023 standard mileage rates. Beginning on January 1, 2023, the standard mileage rates for the use of a car, van, pickup or panel truck will be \$.65.5 per mile for business miles driven.

### CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE | SPRING 2023

<b>Somerset</b> – St. Anne w/ Osceola – St. Joseph Farmington – Assumption/Blessed Virgin Mary	<b>Sunday</b> <b>April 16</b> <b>10:30a</b>
<b>Balsam Lake</b> – Our Lady of the Lakes w/ Amery – St. Joseph	<b>Sunday</b> <b>April 23</b> <b>8:30a</b>
<b>Park Falls</b> – St. Anthony de Padua w/ Phillips – St. Therese of Lisieux Catawba – St. Paul	<b>Saturday</b> <b>April 29</b> <b>4:30p</b>
<b>Hammond</b> – Immaculate Conception	<b>Sunday</b> <b>April 30</b> <b>1:00p</b>
<b>Superior</b> – St. Francis Xavier w/ Solon Springs – St. Pius X Superior – Cathedral of Christ the King Superior – St. Anthony Superior – Holy Assumption Pattison Park – St. William Lake Nebagamon – St. Anthony Iron River – St. Michael	<b>Friday</b> <b>May 05</b> <b>7:00p</b>
<b>River Falls</b> – St. Bridget	<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 07</b> <b>11:00a</b>
<b>Rice Lake</b> – St. Joseph w/ Dobie – Our Lady of Lourdes Haugen – Holy Trinity Birchwood – St. John the Evangelist	<b>Saturday</b> <b>May 13</b> <b>4:30p</b>
<b>Sheldon</b> – St. John	<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 14</b> <b>10:30a</b>

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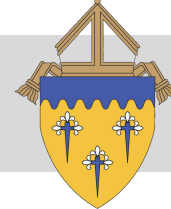
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## BISHOP HAMMES CENTER

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK | SUNDAY, JANUARY 29 - SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

National Catholic Schools Week (CSW) is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. Now entering its 49th anniversary year, it will run from January 29 to February 4, 2023. Our schools observe the week with Masses, assemblies and other activities for students, families, parishioners and community members to celebrate. This year's theme is **Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service.** [FLYER](#)

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### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK | MASS SCHEDULE

January 31st	North Region Mass @ Cathedral of Christ the King, <b>Superior</b>
February 1st	West Region Mass @ St. Anne, <b>Somerset</b>
February 2nd	East Region Mass @ St. Francis Xavier, <b>Merrill</b>
February 3rd	Central Region Mass @ St. Joseph, <b>Rice Lake</b>



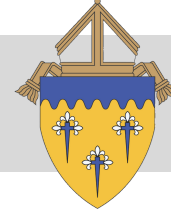
### SUPPORTING OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

We are all challenged to help make schools available, accessible and affordable to all Catholic parents and their children. Here in the Diocese of Superior, the burden of supporting our 14 Catholic schools should no longer be placed exclusively on the individual parishes that have schools and on parents who pay tuition. This will require all Catholics, including those in parishes without schools, to consider their stewardship of the greater Church.

As we observe Catholic Schools Week, we continue the tradition of a special diocesan-wide collection that will provide an additional and immediate source of support for schools based on the number of students.

Please know that no gift is too small. Our response to this appeal is an expression of our discipleship and our unity with Catholic school communities throughout northern Wisconsin.





## BISHOP HAMMES CENTER

### WOMEN'S RETREAT | SATURDAY-SUNDAY FEBRUARY 18-19, 2023

Heartwood Resort, Trego Wisconsin  
Saturday 8:00am - Sunday 12:00pm

[FLYER](#)

[REGISTRATION](#)



Enjoy a weekend away at Heartwood Resort in Trego, Wisconsin. The 2023 Women's Retreat will feature Barbara Heil, dynamic speaker and founder of [From His Heart Ministries](#). She will help us journey into our theme this year, "Made for More". The retreat will include Mass, fellowship with women throughout the diocese, personal prayer time, and delicious food! The first February 11-12 weekend is sold out! There is, however, still room in the February 18-19 weekend. Register today!

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### FAITH FORMATION RESOURCES | LOYOLA PRESS

Check out these resources from the Loyola Press Faith Formation Newsletter! Find articles touching on different aspects of **discipleship**; engage your youth in the **Eucharistic Revival** with activities, games and more; and prepare for the upcoming **Lenten season** with books, videos, and a full calendar of ideas for your Lenten faith formation season! Click on the links below to access these resources:

#### DISCIPLESHIP:

- ["Stop, Look, and Listen in Evangelization"](#)
- ["Three Keys of Discipleship as We Start with Jesus"](#)
- ["How Can I Be Kerygmatic?"](#)
- ["Prayer of an Aging Disciple"](#)

#### EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL:

- [Eucharist Tic-Tac-Toe](#)
- [Sacraments of Initiation Learning Stations](#)
- [Living the Mass the Other Six Days of the Week: The Penitential Act](#)

#### LENTEN SEASON:

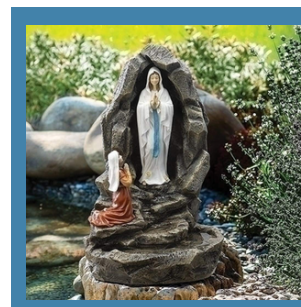
- [40 Ideas for 40 Days](#)
- [Liturgical Year: Lent](#)
- [Living Lent Daily](#)
- [Forgive Everyone Everything Lenten Read-Along](#)

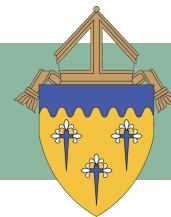
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*"O my Mother, it is to your heart that I come to lay down the anguish of my heart; it is there that I draw strength & courage."*

*- St. Bernadette -*

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, February 11th





## OFFICE OF ECCLESIAL MINISTRIES | [Chris Newkirk](#)

### **SCHOOL OF SERVANT LEADERSHIP**

Now - April

2nd Friday of the month | 6:00p - 9:00p

2nd Saturday of the month | 8:30a - 4:00p

St. Anthony Parish Hall, Tony

Participants in the School of Servant Leadership will gain a deeper understanding and lived experience of discipleship as developed through the lens of servant leadership; broadened sense of Catholic identity and opportunity to enhance and practice leadership knowledge and skills for ministry or in the workplace. Each course is approved for 10 hours of Forming Effective Disciples (FED) continuing formation. There is opportunity for networking with other servant leaders. For School of Servant Leadership details: <https://catholicdos.org/school-of-servant-leadership>. Contact Chris Newkirk at: 715-394-0204; [cnewkirk@catholidos.org](mailto:cnewkirk@catholidos.org).

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### **SAVE THE DATE! | PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS | LAY MINISTRY ENRICHMENT**

St. Joseph Parish Center, Hayward

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

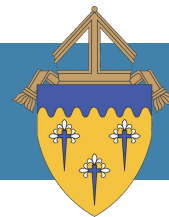
9:30a Registration, Gathering and Hospitality

10:00a – 3:00p Session

Fr. Adam Laski, Associate Pastor in the Rice Lake Cluster, will present “Remain in Me”. Fr Adam will help participants unpack the deep sacramental meaning of the Eucharist, the “source and summit” of our Catholic Christian life and discuss how it is directly connected to our own discipleship and mission. The cost is \$10 per person. \$30 per group of 4 or more per session. Lunch will be provided on site. To register online, please click here:

<https://files.ecatholic.com/5291/documents/2023/1/Professional%20Development%20Day%20Registration%20Flyer%202023.pdf?t=1672679448000>. Contact Chris Newkirk at: 715-394-0204; [cnewkirk@catholidos.org](mailto:cnewkirk@catholidos.org).





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[DIOCESAN LITURGICAL CALENDAR](#) | [HTTPS://CATHOLICDOS.ORG/LITURGICAL SEASONS](https://catholicdos.org/liturgical-seasons)

### FEBRUARY ADORATION OPPORTUNITIES

As part of the Eucharistic Revival, adoration will be offered each Wednesday night at a parish in the Diocese of Superior. Please consider attending an opportunity near you and inviting others to join in prayer as a diocese! Please contact [JulieAnne Johnson](#) with any questions.

February 1, 2023:  
St. Anne, Sanborn  
(715) 274-3701, [Parish Information](#)

February 22, 2023:  
St. Anthony de Padua, Park Falls  
(715) 762-4494, [Parish Information](#)

February 8, 2023:  
St. Anne, Somerset  
(715) 247-3310, [Parish Information](#)

March 1, 2023:  
St. Anthony de Padua, Tony  
(715) 532-3051, [Parish Information](#)

February 15, 2023:  
St. Anthony Abbot, Cumberland  
(715) 822-2948 , [Parish Website](#)

Click [HERE](#) to view Eucharistic testimonies from Catholics around the diocese!

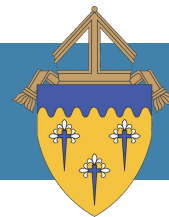
Click [HERE](#) to sign up for "Heart of Revival", the [free](#) Eucharistic Revival newsletter!

### NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL MUSICAL COMPETITION | ENTRY DEADLINE APRIL 21, 2023

Catholic composers, hymn-writers, and poets are invited to submit entries for the National Eucharistic Revival Musical Competition. The purpose of this competition is to renew our zeal for the great gift of the Eucharist through music. There are two categories: 1) Hymn-writing, and 2) Theme song. One winning submission will be selected in each category and will be featured at the National Eucharistic Congress taking place in Indianapolis in 2024. Each composer will receive a \$2500.00 prize. Dioceses in the United States will be encouraged to use the winning compositions at liturgies and events marking the Eucharistic Revival in their areas. Entries will be evaluated blindly by a committee of judges including representatives from Oregon Catholic Press, the Society for Catholic Liturgy, Source and Summit, the Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions, and GIA Publications/World Library Publications. These criteria will be used: poetic merit, musicality, creativity, theological and doctrinal soundness, beauty, appropriateness for liturgical use, and the ability to express the mission of the Eucharistic Revival. Submissions are being accepted through April 21, 2023 with winners announced June 9. There is a \$25 entry fee. For more information on guidelines and submissions use this link to go to the National Eucharistic Revival website: <https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/musicalcompetition>.







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### RITUAL BOOKS CONTAINING THE NEW TRANSLATION OF THE ORDER OF PENANCE

Implementation Dates Established – Diocesan Bulk Order Information: ORDERS DUE FEBRUARY 13

Ritual books containing this new translation may be used beginning February 22, 2023 (Ash Wednesday). Obligatory use begins April 16, 2023 (Divine Mercy Sunday).

If you haven't already placed your order via the bulk order options available on the Worship page menu of our diocesan website, you have until February 13 to do so. Go to "Ritual Books – New Editions", and then "Order of Penance." Or click on this link: <https://catholicdos.org/order-of-penance>. Orders will be shipped to the chancery and distributed during the 2023 Priests' Assembly and Chrism Mass taking place in Superior, March 26-28.



The *Order of Penance* is not a ritual book that is used very frequently by priests, but the praenotanda (introductory section) of the rite is theologically rich, and it is hoped that the publication of the newly revised translation may serve as an opportunity for renewed reflection on this text and a revived catechesis on the celebration of the sacrament of reconciliation.

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### FACULTY TO CONFIRM

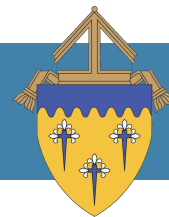
The question of who possesses faculties to confirm can be confusing (Canon 883). By the law itself, a priest may lawfully confirm in virtue of office or mandate when:

- He baptizes an adult.
- He receives a previously baptized non-Catholic into full communion.
- He readmits into full communion a previously baptized Catholic who apostatized from the faith.
- He readmits into full communion a previously baptized Catholic who through no personal fault was instructed in or adhered to a non-Catholic religion.
- He confirms a baptized Catholic in danger of death.

A priest must, however, request the faculty to confirm a baptized Catholic if this person:

- Was baptized (Catholic) before the use of reason and un-catechized.
- Never belonged to another church.
- Never apostatized from the faith.
- Never left the church.

In the situations stated, the priest must request in writing, the faculty to confirm from Bishop James Powers to facilitate the above process. Click [HERE](#) to access the "Request to Confirm Adult Candidates" document found on the Worship Page of the Diocesan website under [Sacrament of Confirmation](#).



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### LENT AND EASTER ONLINE RESOURCE MATERIALS

**Lenten Communal Penance Service Materials**, which include a leader's booklet and a one-page worship aid for the assembly are provided on our diocesan website, here:

<https://catholicdos.org/communal-penance-services>

**A Guide for Lent, Holy Week, The Paschal Triduum and the Easter Season**, including regulations for fasting and abstinence, as well as the Easter Triduum and the Easter Season may be found on our diocesan website, here: <https://catholicdos.org/lent>

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### 17TH ANNUAL MUSIC MINISTRY RETREAT AND WORKSHOP SATURDAY-SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3-4, 2023

St. Joseph Church, Amery

There is still time for pastoral musicians to register to attend the in-person 2023 Annual Music Ministry Retreat and Workshop, held at St. Joseph Church in Amery. Our featured presenters are well-known music directors/educators from the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Bonnie Faber is the Music Director at the Church of the Nativity in Burnsville, MN with over 45 years in music ministry and education. Kate Cuddy is the Choir Director/Vocal Arranger at Benilde-St. Margaret's High School, as well as a professional studio singer, instrumentalist, and arranger of liturgical music. Please download additional information and printable, manual registration forms here:

<https://catholicdos.org/pastoral-musicians>. Please email your registration material to Amy Little now at [alittle@catholicdos.org](mailto:alittle@catholicdos.org).



Bonnie Faber



Kate Cuddy

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### ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING | SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2023

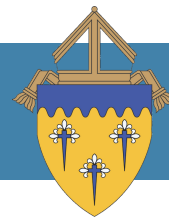
This celebration ranks as a Solemnity at the Cathedral only this year. Mass orations are taken from the Common of the Dedication of Church, Anniversary of Dedication. (Form "A" is used.) Scripture readings are from the Lectionary at numbers 701-706.

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### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK | SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2023

World Day of the Sick is sponsored by the Vatican's Pontifical Council for Health Pastoral Care and has been celebrated since 1992 on the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. This celebration is a reminder to pray for all those who are sick and to recognize and honor those who work in healthcare and those who serve as caregivers. Over the last several years the National Association of Catholic Chaplains (NACC) has provided support materials for this celebration:

<https://www.nacc.org/resources/spirituality-and-prayer-resources/world-day-of-the-sick/>



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### **ASH WEDNESDAY/ SPECIAL DAY OF PRAYER | WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2023**

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent and is also one of the prescribed Special Days of Prayer in the Diocese of Superior. The focus of this day is for the general needs of humankind. While the scripture readings and liturgical texts must be for those of Ash Wednesday, the idea of the needs of humankind may be woven-into the Prayer of the Faithful and/or be reflected in the homily. Operation Rice Bowl also begins.

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### **RITE OF ELECTION/CALL TO CONTINUING CONVERSION | SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2023**

Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior  
3:00pm

The Rite of Election/Call to Continuing Conversion always falls on the First Sunday of Lent. It will be celebrated that day by Bishop Powers at 3:00p at the Cathedral of Christ the King in Superior. All parishes are asked to register their catechumens (unbaptized) and candidates (already baptized) who will take part in this annual liturgy. Additional information and electronic registration are available here: <https://catholicdos.org/rite-of-election-call-to-continuing-conversion>.

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### **PRIESTS' ASSEMBLY AND MASS OF CHRISM | SUNDAY-TUESDAY, MARCH 26-28, 2023**

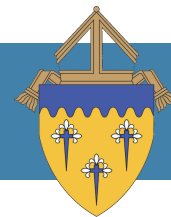
#### **Priests' Assembly**

St. Francis Xavier Church, Superior  
Starts Sunday, March 26, 2023 | 6:00pm

#### **Mass of Chrism and Luncheon (reservations required)**

Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior  
Tuesday, March 28, 2023 | 12:00pm

The 2023 Priests' Assembly will be held in Superior, Sunday through Tuesday, March 26-28. All priests are invited to gather for Evening Prayer at St. Francis Xavier Church, Superior, at 6:00pm on Sunday, March 26, with hospitality following. The Assembly continues on Monday and Tuesday at St. Francis Xavier. The Mass of Chrism will be held at 12:00pm on Tuesday, March 28, at the Cathedral. The Mass is followed by a luncheon in Kress Hall, located in the Cathedral's lower level. A mailing will be sent very soon to all priests with information regarding registration for the Assembly, reservations for the Mass of Chrism luncheon and other details.



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### EASTER VIGIL | APRIL 8, 2023 - SUGGESTED EARLIEST START TIMES

This year the celebration of the Easter Vigil occurs on Saturday, April 8th. In order to ensure sufficient darkness, at least 45 minutes – but preferably one hour – should elapse after sunset before the Vigil may begin. Churches to the north and south of these locations would have similar start times.

City	Time of Sunset	Earliest Start Time
Rhineland	7:35 p.m.	8:20 p.m.
Merrill	7:35 p.m.	8:20 p.m.
Park Falls	7:39 p.m.	8:24 p.m.
Ashland	7:42 p.m.	8:27 p.m.
Rice Lake	7:44 p.m.	8:29 p.m.
River Falls	7:47 p.m.	8:32 p.m.
Superior	7:47 p.m.	8:32 p.m.

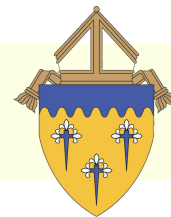
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### FREE WEBINARS | ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (OCIA)

The Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions continues their FREE series on the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) through the end of February. This series began in September 2022 and is in both English and Spanish. The webinars can be viewed live or by viewing archived recordings at your convenience. Registration is required for both methods of viewing. The first ten webinars offered are of a general nature and important to integrating the OCIA into parish life. The following ten focus on rites and steps.

[English](#): Wednesdays at 12:00pm CST | [Spanish](#): Thursdays at 6:30pm CST

*Joy is a net of love by which we catch souls. -Mother Teresa*



## SUBMITTED EVENTS

### KNIGHTS FOR DADS RALLY | SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2023

St. Bridget Church, River Falls  
Saturday 8:30am - 12:00pm  
FREE – goodwill offering accepted

[Register](#)



Current and future dads, grandpas and father figures are invited to a half-day rally focused on the prime role of your life... being the great dad God calls you to be. Men of all faith traditions are welcome!

Bob Kroll, nationally recognized fatherhood speaker, explains how the relationships between fathers and their children have a major impact in their families and in our world, and how dads can be even more effective.



- Connect with other dads
- Find resources to help you become your very best
- Learn how you impact your children's present and future
- Reflect on your "fatherhood" and what you want for your child or children
- Be proud of the dad you are becoming; we are all a work in progress!

Every dad is called by God the Father to a sacred vocation. Discover the graces and gifts that God bestows on each of us. Now more than ever in history, it's time to step up... to man up and make a difference in children's lives. Hosted by Council 4902 Knights of Columbus  
Registration requested by Jan. 26 at: [SignUpGenius.com/go/KnightsForDads](https://SignUpGenius.com/go/KnightsForDads)

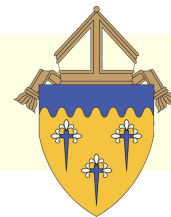
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### YOUTH RALLY | WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2023

St. Peter the Fisherman, Eagle River; St. Joseph, Amery  
Wednesday 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Eagle River and Amery will be hosting a youth rally mid-February! Come and enjoy a night of witness talks, speaker Haley Arndt, Adoration, Confession, and music worship led by Aly Aleigha music ministries. Both locations will offer dinner from 5:30-6:00pm (please reach out to Jen or Crystal if your group will be participating in the dinner so they can plan accordingly). This event is open to all middle and high school students. Cost is \$10/person. For more information, or to RSVP, please contact Jen Metzger (Eagle River) at [jen@northernlakescatholics.org](mailto:jen@northernlakescatholics.org); or Crystal Siebenaler (Amery) at [stjoecrystals@amerytel.net](mailto:stjoecrystals@amerytel.net) or (651) 470-3371.

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## SUBMITTED EVENTS

### RETROUVAILLE | FRIDAY-SUNDAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3-5, 2023



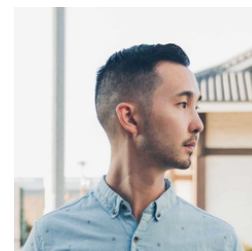
Retrouvaille (pronounced 'retro- vī', with long i) means "rediscovery". Retrouvaille is a weekend experience designed to help a couple re-establish communication and to gain insight into themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Central Wisconsin Retrouvaille Weekend One is scheduled for March 3-5, 2023, in Wausau, WI. A second program is also offered the weekend of August 18-20, 2023. For more information or to register, please call toll free 1-877-922-HOPE (4673) or click on the following: <https://www.HelpOurMarriage.org>. [FLYER & BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS](#)

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### 'AWAKEN' EVENT | SUNDAY, MARCH 26, 2023

Nativity of Our Lord, Rhinelander  
Sunday 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Let internationally renowned Catholic speaker, musician, and comedian, Paul J. Kim, help you rediscover your relationship with God and the amazing purpose you were created for!



**AWAKEN** is an entertaining, inspiring, and practical experience for the whole family, of applying the life-giving beauty and wisdom of the Gospel to every aspect of your life (from prayer, to work, dating, marriage, family life and more)! Come for the entertainment, stay for the inspiration, **AWAKEN** your relationship with God! Come join us at Nativity of Our Lord in Rhinelander for this awesome event on Sunday, March 26th, 2023. Register now! This is a family event and all ages are welcome to join. Tickets are \$20 each, click [HERE](#) to register. For more information, contact Kyle Parish at [kyparish@nativity.me](mailto:kyparish@nativity.me).

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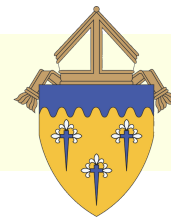
### CONFIRMATION RETREAT | SUNDAY, MARCH 26

Holy Family, Woodruff  
Sunday 9:00am - 5:00pm



[Spiritus Ministries](#) will be leading high school youth (grades 9-11) in a one-day confirmation retreat at Holy Family in Woodruff. Led by a team of young missionaries, students will be invited into a deeper relationship with Christ through activities, personal witnesses, small groups, and prayer. The cost for this retreat is \$25/person and available to students from any parish who would like to attend. For more information, contact Margot St. Clare at [margot@hollyfamilywoodruff.org](mailto:margot@hollyfamilywoodruff.org).

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## SUBMITTED EVENTS

### ETERNAL REST-THE ART OF DYING WELL, A LENTEN RETREAT | SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023

Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior  
9:30am-5:00pm

We all have very real questions about death. What happens when we die? What does Scripture teach about death? How do we prepare for the life to come? "Eternal Rest, The Art of Dying Well" examines the origin of death, the afterlife, and the powerful reality around the sacrament that ushers is in to eternal life.



"Eternal Rest, the Art of Dying Well" presents the Catholic Church's teaching about death and God's response to it with wisdom and truth, gentleness and compassion, so we can think about and prepare for death in the light of Jesus Christ, the Author of life.

As part of the Knight's "Faith in Action" program, Council #499 along with the Councils of District #91, are sponsoring a Lenten Retreat open to the entire Diocese of Superior. The cost is \$10 payable at the retreat. Pre-registration is required. For further information, please contact Darryl Helenius at 218.349.9165, or email at [kojc\\_499@yahoo.com](mailto:kojc_499@yahoo.com).

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### CONFIRMATION RETREAT | WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2023

St. Anthony, Park Falls  
Wednesday 4:00pm - 9:00pm



The National Evangelization Team will be putting on a retreat for grades 9-11 at St. Anthony in Park Falls, Wednesday, March 29. The retreat, themed "Sealed and Sent"

will include Adoration, Reconciliation, music, prayer, discussions, skits/games, and of course food! This retreat is considered a Confirmation retreat and is available to any parishes, even if you'd only have a few students attending. The cost for this retreat is \$35/person. For any questions/inquiries, please contact Kathy Rominski at [sapreligion@gmail.com](mailto:sapreligion@gmail.com).

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### CONFIRMATION RETREAT | SATURDAY-SUNDAY APRIL 1-2

Holy Rosary, Medford  
Saturday 12:00pm - Sunday 11:30am

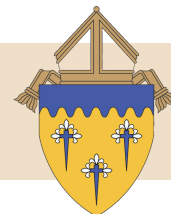


(For more information, contact Tyler Kircher at [tkircher@hrmedford.org](mailto:tkircher@hrmedford.org) or (715) 748-3336 x 256)

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If you would like to have an event, information or request featured in this newsletter, please contact Amy Little at [alittle@catholicdos.org](mailto:alittle@catholicdos.org) or JulieAnne Johnson at [jjohnson@catholicdos.org](mailto:jjohnson@catholicdos.org)





## CLERGY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

### BIRTHDAYS

02/01 FR. J. PATRICK HARDY  
02/01 FR. JOHN C. ANDERSON  
02/01 FR. ANTHONI REDDY YANNAM  
02/06 BISHOP JAMES P. POWERS  
02/15 DCN. STEVEN G. LINTON  
02/16 FR. JAMES J. KINNEY  
02/18 FR. HRUDAYA RAJU SUNKARA  
02/23 FR. GERALD P. HARRIS  
02/27 FR. RICHARD RHINEHART  
02/28 DCN. CLIFFORD F. EGGETT

### ORDINATIONS

02/14 FR. LOURDU RAJU MADANU  
02/18 FR. JOSEPH ANIL KUMAR PASALA, SCJ  
02/18 BISHOP JAMES P. POWERS (BISHOP ORDINATION)  
02/20 DCN. JOSEPH F. ROE  
02/22 FR. ANTHONI REDDY YANNAM  
02/23 FR. RONALD OLSON, OFM CONV

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## CLERGY PRAYER CALENDAR

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## WORD OF LIFE

## WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED

OFFICE OF RESPECT FOR LIFE | Bonita Thom

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## IMPACT

OFFICE OF STEWARDSHIP & DEVELOPMENT | Steve Tarnowski

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## HANDBOOK CHANGES

OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR