

From the office: Melissa is in the parish office on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. If you need immediate assistance please call Melissa at (414)374-5750, ext 10. Please submit information for the bulletin by Wednesday 12 Noon.

CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY

1st 11:00am Bens Women's Reflection Group
4th 7:00pm Parish Council Meeting
10th 9:15 Book Club · Farewell to Sr. Helen Gourlay
17th 9:15am Town Hall Meeting
24th 9:15am St. Ben's Pax Christi Meeting

AS YOU COME before the Lord remember Margherita Champagne, Werner Wolf, Pat Schmit, Sue Giaimo, Tim Strattner, Eloise Heimann, Jackie Haessly, Briana Kilgore, Eugene & Arbedella Browning, Phil Sweetland, Joan Heuer, Kevin Scherkenbach, Tom Kopesky, Kris DiDomizio, Jessie Beitzel, Armitta & Larry Kilgore, Kay Pena, Claire Faiver, Pam Meyer, Jack Augenstein, Dennis Barkow (Monica's son-in-law; Jacque Schwartz, her daughter-in-law), Phillip Walker, Sue, Eric Meyer (Pam Meyer's son), John Stebbins, Joan Schilke. Pray also for our deceased loved ones – members of St Benedict and benefactors – who have shared life with us.

STEWARDSHIP In keeping with a long-standing custom, we take up no collection so as not to embarrass folks who can't give. To help meet our expenses, however, you are invited to use the collection boxes at the doors.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Brian Hey 01, Catherine Washabaugh 03, Lincoln Wiberg 7, Mike Pikuleff 7, Eloise Heimann 9, Kiana Janczak 9, Fr Mike 17, Jackie Haessly 18, Isabelle Nagle 18, JoAnne Hill 21, Anna Nagle 22, Connie Tresch 24, Dona Palmer 25

Book Club "The Untethered Soul".

Date: Sunday, Feb. 10th at 9:15am. Location: Eckert Room
We will read Chapter 4. All are welcome!

St. Ben's Pax Christi group will meet on Feb. 24 rather than on Feb. 17, due to Bens Town Hall Meeting. Dan will lead group in discussion of Chap 3 and 4. Location: Church Hall, 9:15 am-10:15 am.

BRING YOUR BOOKS TO CHURCH...☺

A February Book Drive for the St. Anthony Apartments: Please donate gently used or new books for adults and children...With a special call for Fiction Books! Books will be collected the next 3 Sundays in February with the Book Drive ending February 23rd. Please see Wendy or Eric Hermann or call 414-228-6706 if you have any questions.



On Thursday, Feb. 28th, a Listening Session will be held for Milwaukee's central city parishes to talk about the sexual abuse crisis in the Catholic Church. Please mark the date and plan to attend. The event will take place at 6:30 PM in "The Great Room" of St. Martin de Porres Parish on the corner of 2nd and Burleigh.

It is an opportunity for people to speak of how this issue has 1) impacted their lives and their faith, 2) to find support through the stories and experiences of others, and 3) to better understand the depth of this issue in the Catholic Church. Please pray for the success of this night and of all who have been hurt by sexual abuse in our Catholic Church.

Present Music's "In the New Chamber" concert features New Music composed by women or non-binary composers!

Friday, February 22 – Single Ticket Discount
Jan Serr Studio – 2155 N Prospect Ave, Milwaukee
Concert: 7:30pm | Box Office: 6:30pm

SPECIAL DISCOUNT FROM TAI! Pay only \$10 for General Admission tickets to Friday night's concert - go to presentmusic.org/events/inthenewchamber and click the "buy tickets" button. Select the Friday night concert and enter the **PROMO** code **KEVIN** to receive the discount. You may also call the box office M-F 10a-2p at 414.271.0711x2

" A Physician' s Journey of Advocacy for Global Respiratory Health Care" a presentation by Dean E. Schraufnagel , MD at the Saturday, February 9th meeting of the United Nations Association from 10AM -12 Noon at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 19th & Wisconsin Ave. Entrance off of 9th St. Dr. Schraufnagel is a Professor of Medicine and Pathology at University of Illinois and serves on International UN Commissions on health.

• VITA Tax Program •

Free tax preparation on Saturdays, at St. Francis, from 9:00 - 3:00, and will be running every Saturday through the tax season.
Use 5th Street entrance between Reservoir and Brown Streets.
1st come 1st served (priority given to seniors 65 and over) Please share this information with family and friends.


FEB. 10 – 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Celebrant: Fr. Gene
Music Planner: Jerry B.

Readers: Annette Plunkett & John Dubord
Coffee: Gerry Tempesta & Mary Beth

You are invited!
St. Francis Bible Study Group
Next Session: Tuesday, February 12th
at 6:15pm

Topic: The Passion of Christ
Interested? Please contact Carl carlcarby@hotmail.com or
Gary kre8orone@msn.com
We'll be happy to have you join us!

The School Sisters of St. Francis invite you, your friends and family to
a lovely Valentine jazz concert titled **"Moondance"**

Date: Saturday, February 9
from 7:00 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.
Location: St. Joseph Center, 1501 S. Layton Blvd.
(Greenfield Ave. at 27th St.)
Cost: \$10.00

Send cash or checks written to School Sisters of St. Francis Outreach
Events, c/o Donna O'Loughlin; 1501 S. Layton Blvd., Milwaukee, WI
53215. Contact: doloughlin@sssf.org or 414-385-5272. Convenient
free parking is available at 29th St. and Orchard St.

SPECIAL ANNOUCEMENT

Parking at 10th and Highland--Parishioners may park in the lot behind the St.
Anthony apartments from 9AM to 1 PM on Sunday mornings. This lot is
used by Heartland Staff during the week, but they only use a few parking
slots on Sundays. Your car may be towed if you park in the 10th and
Highland lot outside of these hours. This lot is not gated, so you do not need
a parking pass. Please save parking in the St. Ben's lot for our more elderly
parishioners and guests. Thanks to Brother Rob Roemer for making this
possible.

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**FOURTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**
FEBRUARY 3, 2019

FAITH, HOPE, LOVE REMAIN,
THESE THREE;
BUT THE GREATEST OF THESE

is love.

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Jack Champagne, Deacon
Sunday Liturgy 10:30 am
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**If you are interested in joining St Ben's Parish feel free to talk to
Fr. Mike, Jack or Melissa**