

Resurrection Catholic Darish Becoming Disciples of Jesus and Stewards of God's Gifts

Sixth Sunday of Easter May 24 & 25, 2025

"Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me tell you, 'I am going away and I will come back to you."

An Appointed Time for Everything

I have been visiting my friend and parishioner, Mary, aged 98, for nearly 18 months. Recently, due to health issues, Mary has decided to move from her senior apartment to an assisted living center. She is very comfortable with this decision, knowing that it is best for her and her family. She has been quoting the Book of Ecclesiastes often lately: "There is an appointed time for everything, and a time for every affair under the heavens." Mary is a very wise woman!

A couple of months ago I was approached by two board members of Envision Greater Green Bay, a local non-profit that assists organizations in our community to be trained in strategic foresight analysis, a process that helps these organizations scan for signals of change and work toward their preferred future. A team from Resurrection, including me, went through this important training a few years ago. The two board members asked if I would have an interest in serving as Envision's Executive Director. At the time, Fr. Tom had recently informed the parish staff that he was being transferred. Life was in flux. So, I stated that I was open to listening and seeing where this process led.

I applied for the position in late April and interviewed for the position ten days ago. Again, I was not sure where the Spirit was leading me, but I was open to the Spirit's promptings and direction. A couple of days after the interview, I received a call from the Board of Directors who informed me that I was the number one draft pick for the hiring committee and asked if I was still interested. Knowing that I needed time for process, prayer, and discussion with the wisdom figures in my life, I said I was interested but would need some time. Late last week, I informed the Board President that I would accept the position as Executive Director.

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Mass Schedule Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Monday-Friday 8:05 AM

Live Streaming Masses www.gbres.org/live

Reconciliation Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 PM or By Appointment

Adoration Thursday Following Daily Mass

> Parish Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Other Times by Appointment

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Tony's article continued

When I came to Resurrection in January 2021, I was fully intent on retiring from the position of Mission Outreach Director. My plan was to begin looking at retirement only after Fr. Tom retired from Resurrection. Until March, when the Diocese made the move to transfer Fr. Tom to Menasha. So much for plans! What is the old saying, if you want to make God laugh tell God your plans!

Going forward, I am committed to continuing to be an engaged parishioner of Resurrection. I will be open to serving on a committee, volunteering when possible, and engaging in liturgical ministries regularly. I will also strive to continue building the connection between Whatsoever You Do, Inc. and Resurrection. My last Sunday will be June 22. I will be back on Sunday, June 29 to celebrate Fr. Tom and coordinate the Lynda Drews Walk.

One important aspect to know of this change is that it has nothing to do with the arrival of Fr. Bob Kolloth. I got to know Fr. Bob when he taught classes for me at the diocese. He is a gifted man. I look forward to him leading our parish. But there is an appointed time for everything, and the timing of this offer to lead an organization, to do something different from church work after 40 years of ministry, is something that seems to be driven by the Holy Spirit.

In John's Gospel this weekend, we are reminded by Jesus that the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, would be sent to the apostles and to us in order to guide and lead us on the journey of life. It is that Spirit that I am trying to follow. Together, as a parish community, we listen, we pray, and we follow those promptings.

So, this is not a good-bye! It is a transition to a new way of being a part of this parish family. I look forward to continuing the journey with you, wherever the Spirit leads us! Thank you for being such amazing people and enriching my life! I am truly grateful that the Spirit has led me to Resurrection!

Tony Pichler

Please join in prayers of gratitude for the little ones baptized into our family of faith last weekend.



Julian Solanus Gietman son of

Ryan & Sarah

Arlo Theodore Koch son of Brad & Maggie

RES PLAYGROUP

Join our casual playgroup! No need to sign up. Come as you are able! Need to get out of the house with your kids?
Want to connect with other caregivers?

Friday, May 30 at 9:30 AM in the Gathering Area

Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

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Saturday, May 24	
3:00-3:30 PM	Individual Reconciliation (DC)
4:00 PM	Mass ♥ Adolph Wypiszinski Jr.
Sunday, May 25	6th Sunday of Easter
8:30 AM	Mass & Orval Rautmann
10:30 AM	Mass ♥ Members of Resurrection Parish
Monday, May 26	Memorial of St. Philip Neri
	Memorial Day
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ James Wirth
5:30 PM	Loving All God's People (DC)
Tuesday, May 27	
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ Tom Murphy
Wednesday, May 28	
6:30 AM	Men's Small Group Discussions (PH)
7:00 AM	Inclusive Small Group Discussion (DC)
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ Sara Manthey Wanek
9:00 AM	Disciples Reading Group (PH2)
1:00 PM	Sheepshead (GA)
6:00 PM	Pickleball (Kiwanis Park)
Thursday, May 29	
8:05 AM	Communion Service
6:30 PM	PRAYSE Choir Practice (C)
Friday, May 30	
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ Jack Mackin
9:30 AM	Res Playgroup (GA)
Saturday, May 31	Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
3:00-3:30 PM	Individual Reconciliation (DC)
4:00 PM	Mass ♥ Members of Resurrection Parish
Sunday, June 1	Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
	7th Sunday in Easter
	World Communications Day
8:30 AM	Mass ♀ Leo Hietpas
9:30 AM	Infant Loss Memorial
10:30 AM	Mass ♥ Marion Miller

Afternoon of Sheepshead Card Games

Play with a friendly group of sheepshead players.
Popcorn and water provided.

Wednesday, May 28 1:00 - 3:00 PM in Gathering Area

Miscarriage & Infant Loss Memorial

All are invited to a special Miscarriage and Infant Loss Memorial



on **Sunday, June 1 at 9:30 AM** in the Memorial Garden near the bell tower. This **brief outdoor service** offers a sacred space to **remember little ones lost too soon and to support** those who carry their memory in love.

Flyers are available at all church entrances to sign up and/or submit the names of the infants to be remembered. All are welcome.

Congratulations to the High School Seniors on their graduation. Resurrection would like to recognize those in our parish family who are part of the Class of 2025. Seniors are invited to come forward at one of the Masses on May 31st or June 1st to receive a blessing and a knitted prayer shawl/afghan.

Please RSVP by calling the parish at 920-336-7768 or online at http://gbres.org/gradblessing

Weekly Sacrificial Giving



May 13 - May 19

Envelope Collection \$16,681.00
ACH/Online Giving \$7,319.31
Loose \$633.00
Votives \$29.00
Total for the Week \$24,662.31

Year to Date Sacrificial Giving July 1 - April 30, 2025

YTD Actual \$885,347 YTD Budget \$845,000 YTD Variance +\$40,347 Thank you for your generous support.

Fr. Tom's Farewell Celebration

Resurrection will be celebrating Fr. Tom and thanking him for his six years of "walking" with us on **Sunday, June 29th**. Our celebration will begin with a **9:30 outdoor liturgy** followed by a **picnic at 11:00**. The picnic is free and open to all parishioners, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and the Resurrection Women's Guild.

We will be presenting a **thank you gift** to Fr. Tom at the end of the Mass. If you would like to participate, please place your donation in an envelope marked "Fr. Tom's gift" and place in the collection baskets or drop off at the parish office.







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On average, there are between 250-300 children in out-of-home care in Brown County

In Brown County, roughly 10-15 children enter out-of-home care on a monthly basis.

On average, children will spend 1-1.5 years in out-of-home care before permanence is achieved.

Celebrating 10 Years of Laudato si'

from the Care for Creation Committee

Thank you to everyone who stopped by our tables last weekend to take home seeds, discuss composting options, and sign up to help our friends in the Spade Brigade tend to Resurrection's beautiful gardens.

As we continue to celebrate the tenth anniversary of Pope Francis's Laudato si', which was signed on May 24, 2015, and officially published June 18, 2015, we remember our call to care for our common home, and we ask ourselves the same questions Francis posed in his encyclical: "What kind of world do we want to leave to those who come after us, to children who are now growing up? . . . What need does the earth have of us?"

Golf & Gather: Outing 2025

Sunday, June 22 Noon Shotgun Start 5:00 PM Chicken Dinner Mid Vallee Golf Course, De Pere



RSVP at www.gbres.org/golf



Parents of the LGBTQIA+ Community

Do you have questions about parenting your LGBTQIA+ youth or adult child? Looking for a safe place to talk within the confidentiality of a group setting?

Would you like to be able to share your story and experiences? Consider joining our small group where we listen and share resources as we walk together on our journey.

Contact the parish office at 920-336-7768 ext 127, Dcn Kevin DeCleene at kdecleene@gbres.org, or Terri Gulyas at tsgulyas@gmail.com

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