

The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 9 & 10, 2023

"God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation."

2 Corinthians 5



We Remember

On Monday we remember the morning of September 11, 2001. It is hard to believe that it is already twenty-two years since that tragic morning. Who doesn't remember where they were, especially upon hearing about the first plane crashing into the World Trade Center, and then, for many of us, seeing live the second crash. So many lives were lost! And for what?



Beyond the horrific sites of the Twin Towers crumbling to the ground with hundreds of people inside, the one aspect of September 11, 2001, that I remember most was how people came together. We prayed together. We respectfully shared our thoughts and feelings. There was a sense of unity amongst our diversity as a nation.

Now, 22 years later, that unity seems to have become divided beyond repair. But it is not the first time we have experienced this division, both as a country and as a Church. In terms of our universal faith community, we only need to look at such monumental divisive times as the first century Church discerning whether to accept Gentiles. Or the Church of the 1500s enduring the Reformation. Or now, into our more recent times, the division that occurred during, and shortly after, Vatican II as our Church leaders made dramatic changes to the liturgy, governance, and almost all aspects of Church life.

How do we overcome division? In our reading from Matthew's Gospel this weekend, Jesus lays out a well-thought out, and time-tested, process. When you have an issue with a neighbor, the idea isn't to run to another neighbor and triangulate in sharing your frustrations. No! The process includes going directly to the person affected first. Then, if resolution is not possible, a third party may need to be called into the conversation. Finally, if the issue is still not resolved, you may need to bring it to the larger community. This is a loving process—a healing process.

Healing divisions is not easy. Yet, later in Matthew's Gospel we are reminded that "where two or three are gathered together in Jesus' name, He is there in our midst." All things are possible with God—even seemingly unsolvable division. Let us love one another—especially as we remember the 2,977 victims of September 11, 2001.

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with us! Tony

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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

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM Other Times by Appointment

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Register today for Resurrection's Faith Formation programs for the entire parish.

Everyone is invited to grow in knowledge about our Catholic faith, to be strengthened as disciples of Jesus, and to become closer to God through Generations of Disciples Nights for all ages, SHINE & FUSE Nights for youth, First Reconciliation & First Eucharist prep sessions, and Confirmation prep sessions.

This year's focus will be on Sacraments.

Learn more & register at www.gbres.org/growinfaith

Psalms: The School of Prayer

At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms: prayers from God that help us learn to pray. The Holy Spirit inspired them. Israel sang them. Jesus himself prayed them. Every heartfelt human emotion can be found in the 150 Psalms.



These sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds for us. Their words capture the imagination and draw us into a deeply personal encounter with God. This mini-course will help you understand their origin, authorship, purpose, and how to pray them today. Come to one session or all six!

Tuesdays, September 19 - October 24 8:45-10:00 AM or 6:30-7:45 PM Gathering Area

For more information or to register, contact Tony at tpichler@gbres.org or in the parish office.

Taizé Prayer

Taizé Prayer is a meditative prayer form which helps you calm yourself from the outside world while opening yourself to the Holy Spirit. It is filled with song, scripture, and silent meditation.



Monday, September 11 6:30 PM In Church or Online

Bicycles Needed

Spokes of Hope is in desperate need of any repairable bikes for those lacking transportation. Contact Tony for more information on collection options.

Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

| Mass Intention | ons & Parish Activities | | |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| Saturday, September 9 | St. Peter Claver, Priest | | |
| 3:00 - 3:30 PM | Individual Reconciliation (DC) | | |
| 4:00 PM | Mass ♥ James Stodola | | |
| Sunday, September 10 | Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time | | |
| 8:30 AM | Mass ♥ Members Resurrection Parish | | |
| 10:30 AM | Mass ♥ Anthony Spencer | | |
| 10:30 AM | Confirmation Prep Class (C & PH) | | |
| Monday, September 11 | Patriot Day | | |
| 8:05 AM | Mass ♥ Marnie Mackin | | |
| 6:30 PM | Taize Prayer (C) | | |
| Tuesday, September 12 | | | |
| 8:05 AM | Mass ♥ Fr. Jack Paisley | | |
| 1:00 PM | Prayer Shawl (PH) | | |
| 7:00 PM | Knights of Columbus Meeting (PH) | | |
| Wednesday, September 13 | St. John Chrysostom, | | |
| | Bishop & Doctor of the Church | | |
| 7:00 AM | Small Group Prayer & Discussion (DC) | | |
| 8:05 AM | Mass ♥ Helen Vandenack | | |
| 9:00 AM | Disciples Reading Group (PH) | | |
| 1:00 PM | Sheepshead Card Games | | |
| 6:00 PM | Pickleball (FAC) | | |
| Thursday, September 14 | The Exaltation of the Holy Cross | | |
| 8:05 AM | Mass → Marnie Mackin | | |
| 12:30 PM | Pickleball (Kiwanis Park) | | |
| Friday, September 15 | Our Lady of Sorrows | | |
| 8:05 AM | Mass Kay Kelble | | |
| Saturday, September 16 | Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs | | |
| 3:00 - 3:30 PM | Individual Reconciliation (DC) | | |
| 4:00 PM | Mass 🕈 Sharon Hartmann and | | |
| | Larry DeGroot | | |
| Sunday, September 17 | Twenty-Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time | | |

Resurrection Location Key

Mass

Carol Brice

C - Church DC - Day Chapel FAC - Family Activity Center (Gym) FR - Family Room GA - Gathering Area PH - Parish Hall



8:30 AM

8:30 AM

10:30 AM

Searching for a Parish Administrative Assistant

First Reconciliation Class (C)

Kids back in school? Newly Retired? Want to assist in the mission of Res? We are seeking a part-time Parish Administrative Assistant to support the day-to-day parish office operations.

If you or someone you know has skills in planning & organization, technology, and interpersonal relationships, contact the parish office or go to www.gbres.org/hiring



New Men's Group Forming Soon

Coming this fall, Resurrection men's small group. An opportunity to walk with your brothers and grow in faith.

More info coming soon.
Contact Dcn Kevin with any questions.

Granola Bar Collection Success

Thank you to everyone you donated to the Back to School Hunger Collection. Over 3,000 granola bars were collected for high students in East De Pere, Green Bay, and West De Pere School Districts.

Also, a carload of school supplies and snacks were collected in partnership with Samaritan's Heart Mission Church for Tank and Fort Howard Schools.

Resurrection thanks everyone who participated, especially the Father Allouez Catholic School 5th graders who helped organize and count the granola bars.



Become an Active Member of the Health & Wellness Committee

The Resurrection Health & Wellness Committee is recruiting new members as the committee leadership changes this fall. We welcome Kathy Eisenschink and Katie Dykes as committee co-leaders.

We have some wonderful initiatives planned for this year and would love for you to be a part of the health and wellness of Resurrection!

Come & see what we are all about at our next meeting,

Monday, September 18

6:00 PM in the Gathering Area

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to either of the leaders or to Karolyn Efferson.

Fleece Donations for Tie Blankets

The Community Helpers Class at
Father Allouez Catholic School is asking for
donations of fleece to make tie blankets to donate
to "Sleep in Heavenly Peace."

One fleece blanket needs two pieces of 66X90 inch fleece. Each blanket will be made with love by kids and for kids who need a warm blanket.

Thank you for your help in making our first community service project a success!

Please bring donations or checks made out to Father Allouez School to the main church entrance.



Sleep in Heavenly Peace Book Drive



Resurrection continues to collect new children's books to support Sleep in Heavenly Peace. A collection box is located near the main church doors, and in the Door #9 vestibule, the office door facing Delahaut.

Sleep in Heavenly Peace is an organization dedicated to building and delivering bunk beds to children in need. Resurrection parishioner Mackenzie is only 12 years old and isn't able to help build beds yet; but she still wants to help. Mackenzie believes every child that receives a bed should also receive a bedtime story.



Parish Pickleball

Now that the weather has cooled down and the sun is setting earlier, pickleball will move indoors, starting Sept 13.

Res Pickleball Players will meet every Wednesday, 6:00 -8:00 PM in the FAC (gym).

Resurrection Parish Staff

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