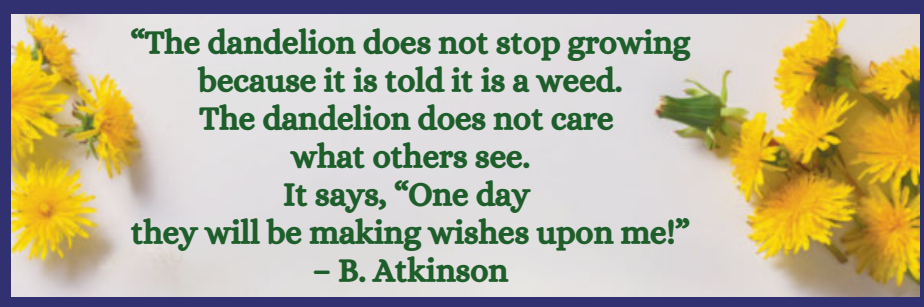




# Resurrection Catholic Parish

Becoming Disciples of Jesus and Stewards of God's Gifts

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 22 & 23, 2023**



### Dandelions: Weeds or Not?

During my eight years of teaching, I received many bouquets of dandelions. Every spring, without fail, at least one student would return from recess holding a bouquet of dandelions. They would joyfully hand me the bouquet and say they picked them for me.



It was at the moment I was presented with a yellow bouquet from a smiling student in which I had to make a choice. I could accept the bouquet and appreciate the time and effort it took this student to stop playing and gather this gift for me or I could reject the gesture, tell the student not to pick weeds, and throw them away.

My students didn't know they were giving me a bunch of what some refer to as weeds. They had not learned about weeds or unwanted plants. To them, the dandelions were flowers they could give as a gift, not a plant some people find undesirable or clashes with personal preferences.

The parable Jesus tells in this weekend's gospel about the weeds growing among the wheat makes it clear we are not called to be the weeders of the kingdom. He teaches us we are not to root out anyone who does not fit or live how we believe is right. God can see where the weeds are growing. He knows the good seeds will take root and grow strong. We are to be patient and to continue to grow in the kingdom, proclaiming the good news of the gospel. We hope and trust in the weeds growing into golden wheat.

Only God can make a judgement between the weeds and the wheat. He is the one who will decide who is "in" and who is "out." It is not our job to remove the undesirable or the ones who conflict with our ideal. What if someone had come through to destroy the dandelions on the playground? What if my students were taught dandelions are unwelcomed? A beautiful moment between a student and teacher would have been lost.

Finally, as food for thought: although they have a bad reputation, dandelions have many nutritional and medical benefits. Maybe they're not as big of a weed as some believe. Maybe God will surprise us in what and who he deems are the weeds in our world.

Peace and Blessings,  
 Katie

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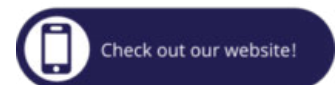
**Mass Schedule**  
 Saturday 4:00 PM  
 Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM  
 Monday-Friday 8:05 AM

**Live Streaming Masses**  
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**Reconciliation**  
 Saturday  
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 or by appointment


**Summer Office Hours**  
 Monday-Thursday  
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### With Prayers of Gratitude

The transition to retirement is a process filled with lots to navigate! Some easier than others (smile) but the many kind thoughts, cards, best wishes, promises of prayers and gracious gifts received from so many has been both comfort and affirmation.

I am grateful for the trust you placed in me as we shared so many tender times together - perhaps we planned funerals, or prepped for various sacraments, plowed through paperwork, navigated private family situations in both good and troubling times, or worked on various projects together in support of the whole parish community and/or beyond! Its an honor and a privilege, and sometimes challenging, to serve in ministry while discerning God's will in finding ways to love and care for all God's people all of the time.

As I told many of you in person, I wont say "good bye" but I will say "see you later" as I trust our paths may cross again and again.

Thank you all,  
Susan

### Join Resurrection's Be The Light Walk Team

Resurrection is organizing a team of walkers for the Be The Light Walk, Saturday, September 9 5:00-9:30 PM at the KI Center



Be The Light Walk, a family-friendly event, lights up the night to reduce stigma and prevent suicide.

Learn more about organizations and agencies around Northeast Wisconsin who are actively working toward this goal in prevention, intervention and postvention. And conclude the evening with a beautiful 1-mile walk through Downtown Green Bay.

Join Team Resurrection today!  
\$25/adult | \$20/youth (17 & under)  
Register online at [bethelightwalk.com](http://bethelightwalk.com)  
Our team name is **Resurrection Catholic Parish** and the team password is **Res**

### Missionary Cooperation Appeal

Resurrection welcomes Sr. Martha Mafurutu to share the mission of her community, the Servants of Mary the Queen Congregation. Sr. Martha currently serves our diocese as Chaplain at King Veterans' Home in Waupaca.

Please consider supporting Sr. Martha's mission and all missionaries making appeals this summer throughout the diocese. Donations from all 156 parishes are pooled and divided equally among 38 mission groups.

Donation envelopes can be returned to the collection boxes found at each entrance to church.

## Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

<b>Saturday, July 22</b>	<i>St. Mary Magdalene</i>
<b>3:00 - 3:30 PM</b>	<b>Individual Reconciliation (DC)</b>
4:00 PM	Mass ☩ Members Resurrection Parish
<b>Sunday, July 23</b>	<i>Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
8:30 AM	Mass ☩ Athanasia Rini Dinarti
10:30 AM	Mass ☩ Deceased Members of the Foytik & Buboltz Families
<b>Monday, July 24</b>	
8:05 AM	Mass ☩ Cyril Backes
<b>8:30 - 11:30 AM</b>	<b>Vacation Bible School (GA)</b>
<b>Tuesday, July 25</b>	<i>St. James, Apostle</i>
8:05 AM	Mass ☩ Harvey Graume
<b>8:45 AM</b>	<b>Scripture Study (FR)</b>
<b>8:30 - 11:30 AM</b>	<b>VBS</b>
<b>Wednesday, July 26</b>	<i>Sts. Joachim &amp; Anne, Parents of Mary</i>
<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>Small Group Prayer &amp; Discussion (DC)</b>
8:05 AM	Mass ☩ Kathy Murphy
<b>8:30 - 11:30 AM</b>	<b>VBS</b>
<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>Sheepshead Card Games (GA)</b>
<b>6:00 PM</b>	<b>Pickleball (Kiwanis Park)</b>
<b>Thursday, July 27</b>	
8:05 AM	Mass ☩ Anna May Wirth
<b>8:30 - 11:30 AM</b>	<b>VBS</b>
<b>12:30 PM</b>	<b>Pickleball (Kiwanis Park)</b>
<b>Friday, July 28</b>	
8:05 AM	Mass ☩ Bob Runge
<b>8:30 - 11:30 AM</b>	<b>VBS</b>
<b>Saturday, July 29</b>	<i>Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus</i>
<b>3:00 - 3:30 PM</b>	<b>Individual Reconciliation (DC)</b>
4:00 PM	Mass ☩ Mugsie Cygan
<b>Sunday, July 30</b>	<i>Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:30 AM	Mass ☩ Jan Henning
10:30 AM	Mass ☩ Members Resurrection Parish
<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Golf Outing Shotgun Start (Mid Vallee GC)</b>
<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>Social and Dinner (Mid Vallee GC)</b>

Congratulations to **Heidi (Unke) & Dan Shimon** who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage on July 15, 2023.



May they be blessed with God's Love, Wisdom, & Guidance.

Please join in prayers of gratitude for the little one baptized into our family of faith on July 15, 2023.



**Lily Marie Krajewski**  
daughter of Brandon & Jennifer (Micolichek)

Please pray for the family and friends of our Parish Family Members

**George Kubalak**  
*August 6, 1935 - July 16, 2023*

**Greg Kossow**  
*July 23, 1949 - July 18, 2023*

May God's promise of new life comfort them all.





## Weekly Sacrificial Giving



July 11 - 17, 2023

Envelope Collection	18,697.00
ACH/Online Giving	6,680.17
Loose	629.50
Votives	17.00
<b>Total for the Week</b>	<b>\$26,023.67</b>



Don't Forget to check out Resurrection's 60th Anniversary webpage at [www.gbres.org/60years](http://www.gbres.org/60years)

## LAST CALL



Resurrection is celebrating 60 years of Faith in Action: Welcoming and Loving All God's People All the Time

### Time to Step Up to the Tee-Box and Make the Golf Outing a Success!

Celebrate with this community-building golf outing. Day includes Golf, Prizes, Silent Auction, and Dinner.

**Sunday, July 30**      **\$45 per golfer**  
**Shotgun at 12:00 PM**      **includes 18 holes, cart,**  
**Mid Vallee Golf Course**      **and buffet dinner**

Don't golf? Join us for social and dinner for only \$14.

Learn more, register to golf, or RSVP for dinner at [www.gbres.org/golf](http://www.gbres.org/golf) or contact the parish office.

## Spiritual Growth and Evangelization: A Day of Spirituality

Wednesday, August 23  
8:30 AM - 3:15 PM  
Shrine of Our Lady of Champion



The Men's Spirituality Group from Resurrection and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton is sponsoring a day of reflection. All men and women are invited to attend. Mass, continental breakfast, and lunch are included for \$50 per person.

Reflections will be lead by Fr. Ed Shea, Franciscan priest from Chicago.

More information & registration at [gbres.org/spirituality](http://gbres.org/spirituality)

### Spotlighting Those Who Are Loving All God's People All The Time?

The Resurrection Parish Family is committed to Loving All God's People All The Time.

Once a month, we will recognize a parish member who is revealing God's love to people within and beyond our parish family.

Who do you know that is loving all people? Please submit names and a short description of how they are loving all people at [www.gbres.org/lovingall](http://www.gbres.org/lovingall) or by calling the parish office.



Resurrection is continuing to collecting non-perishable food donations for the Hope Center. Donations can be brought to any of the church entrances or Door #9 of the Parish Office.

If you have a prayer need, or would like to join the pray-ers, call DeDe Szurgot at 920-336- 9526 or Bonnie Lemerond at 920-471-6545. Confidentiality is assured.

## Resurrection Parish Staff

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