



# St. Joseph the Worker Pastorate

## St. Mary & St. Charles

## St. Mary & St. John Churches

### We Welcome You

We welcome you to St. Joseph the Worker Pastorate. If you would like to become a member of our Pastorate, please call a parish office. For those who are interested in becoming Catholic or returning to the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office.

### Sacraments:

#### Pastorate Daily Mass Times

8:15 a.m.-St. Charles Church (Tues, Wed)  
 8:15 a.m.-St. Mary Church, Bloomington (Thurs, Fri)  
 8:15 a.m.-St. Clement Church (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri)  
 8:15 a.m.-St. Andrew Church (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri)

#### Reconciliation

##### Saturdays

8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Mary Church, Bloomington  
 8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Clement Church, Lancaster  
 8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Andrew Church, Tennyson  
 3:45-4:15p.m. at St. Charles Church, Cassville  
 4:00-4:45 p.m. at St. Clement Church, Lancaster  
 7:15-7:45 p.m. at St. Mary Church, Glen Haven

#### Baptism

May God bless our new parents! Please contact the parish office to schedule the baptism of your child and to attend a baptismal preparation session.

#### Marriage

Congratulations on your upcoming marriage! Please call the parish office at least six months before the wedding. One of the parties must be a practicing Catholic.

#### Anointing of the Sick

If someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, please contact the Bloomington parish office immediately. Please call the parish office if there is someone who would like to be included in the Mass prayers.

#### Vocations

Please contact a parish office if you or someone you know would like to learn more about becoming a priest, brother, sister, deacon, or lay church minister. Please pray for more vocations to the priesthood and all religious ministries!

#### Our Catholic Schools

To register your child, please call Mrs. Kelly Copey at 608-994-2435 for St. Mary School or Mrs. Cheryl Junk at 608-725-5173 for St. Charles Montessori Education Program. St. Mary and St. Charles admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin.

Bulletin Notices - Please submit bulletin notices to the parish office (sunday7@tds.net) by Monday.

#### St. Charles Parish Office Hours (608) 725-5595

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.-noon  
 stchas@tds.net (Cheryl Junk)

#### St. Mary's Parish Office Hours (608) 994-2526

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
 sunday7@tds.net (Julie M Jentz)

Website: [swwicatholicparishes.com](http://swwicatholicparishes.com)



April 28, 2024  
 Fifth Sunday of Easter

### Catechism of the Catholic Church

1406 Jesus said: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; if any one eats of this bread, he will live for ever; . . . he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life and . . . abides in me, and I in him" (*Jn* 6:51, 54, 56).

1410 It is Christ himself, the eternal high priest of the New Covenant who, acting through the ministry of the priests, offers the Eucharistic sacrifice. And it is the same Christ, really present under the species of bread and wine, who is the offering of the Eucharistic sacrifice.

#### **Rev. Stephen Brunner**

frsteve@saintclementparish.com

#### **Rev. Mark Miller**

frmark@saintclementparish.com

#### **Rev. Sudhakar Reddy Devarapu**

frsud@saintclementparish.com

608-723-4990



**Liturgy Schedule**

Sat.	4/27	8:00-9:00 AM Adoration	(Bloomington)
		4:30 PM Pro Populo	(Cassville)
		8:00 PM Mary Lee Schier	(Glen Haven)
Sun.	4/28	8:00 AM Fred & Ruth Zenz	(Patch Grove)
		10:00 AM Sally Budworth	(Bloomington)
Mon.	4/29	8:15 AM No Mass	
Tues.	4/30	8:15 AM Carrie Hochhausen	(Cassville)
		8:45 AM Adoration	(Cassville)
Wed.	5/1	8:15 AM Maurice & Rosemary Wiest	(Cassville)
Thurs.	5/2	8:15 AM Ed & Kathleen Kiefer	(Bloomington)
Fri.	5/3	8:15 AM Larry French	(Bloomington)
Sat.	5/4	8:00-9:00 AM Adoration	(Bloomington)
		4:30 PM John & Joan Gehde and Gerald & Sis Yunk	(Cassville)
		8:00 PM Francis & Eileen Kohout	(Glen Haven)
Sun.	5/5	8:00 AM Carl & Belva Laufenberg family	(Patch Grove)
		10:00 AM Dan Bark	(Bloomington)

**Scripture for the week of April 29, 2024**

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26  
 Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a  
 Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8  
 Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11  
 Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14  
 Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21  
 Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

**May 4 & 5 Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Fr. Steve - Saturday 4:30 p.m. at Cassville and Sunday 9:00 a.m. at Lancaster**  
**Fr. Mark - Saturday 5:00 p.m. at Lancaster and Sunday 8:00 a.m. at Potosi & 10:00 a.m. at Tennyson**  
**Fr. Sudhakar - Sat. 8:00 p.m. at Glen Haven and Sunday 8:00 a.m. at Patch Grove & 10:00 a.m. at Bloomington**

**First Holy Communion**

**Congratulations to Lennyx Allen, Henry Breuer, Danica Cliff, Grace Cooley, Dylan Hernandez, Eliza Kluesner, Liam Mezera, and Cadee Mulrooney who are celebrating their First Communion at St. Mary Church at the 10:00 a.m. Mass this Sunday, April 28.**

We are very grateful to their parents for following through with the promises they made at their child's baptism to bring them up in the practice of the faith. May God continue to bless them as they teach their child about Christ's love and presence in the Eucharist.

**National Eucharistic Pilgrimage**

**Be part of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage right here in Wisconsin as it comes to La Crosse on Friday, June 7, 2024.**

The Eucharistic procession will travel to the La Crosse Center in downtown La Crosse for *The Answer Eucharistic Rally* for a day of powerful Catholic speakers such as Chris Stefanick and Immaculee Ilibagiza, music, opportunities for Adoration, Confession and more. Tickets cost \$20.00. **To register and for more information about this event, visit <https://diolc.org/the-answer/>**

**P**roclaim the truth and do not be silent through fear.  
 - St. Catherine of Siena

**Into the Deep Update**

Dear Parishioners of the St. Joseph the Worker Pastorate, With respect to the merging of our 6 parishes, I do not have any big news to announce. This means that everything remains the same, that is, our 6 parishes are still existing as distinct canonical and financial institutions. No official canonical or financial merging has occurred yet. The Diocese will be organizing the merging into 3 different waves: Wave 1 (July 1–Dec. 31, 2024), Wave 2 (Jan. 1– June 30, 2025), and Wave 3 (July 1-Dec. 31, 2025). At this time, I have not been informed as to which wave we will be in.

In the meantime, we just conducted our 5<sup>th</sup> transition team meeting to discuss the health of our pastorate and the direction we are heading. To maintain progress towards our merging, we are hoping to achieve the following:

1. Bulletin for the Pastorate, starting July 1
2. Website for the Pastorate, starting July 1
3. Database of parishioners through ParishStaq software

As we move towards becoming a parish family, I would like to highlight one benefit of the Into the Deep Initiative. Through the generous support of the Eckstein Charitable Trust, I have been able to hire a new Director of Evangelization. After numerous interviews and a visit to our pastorate, I have hired Leigh Boorn to take on this new and exciting position. She will be residing at the rectory at St. Andrew's Church, starting on June 4, since it is available and a great property to keep up-to-date. Thanks to this collaboration amongst our churches, I am sure that Leigh will be a great addition to our staff and will do a great job in helping us to cultivate our personal relationships with Jesus Christ. She has written a letter introducing herself in this bulletin. I hope you will pray for her, get to know her, and share with her your Catholic faith.

Thanks for your attention, and may God bless St. Joseph the Worker Pastorate,  
 Fr. Steve Brunner

**Director of Evangelization, Leigh Boorn**

Hello to all the parishioners in Pastorate 1, My name is Leigh Boorn. I am writing to introduce myself and tell you how excited I am to be preparing to serve you as Director of Evangelization in Pastorate 1.

There is so much to say about myself, but I look forward to sharing more in person soon. I am a single mother of Cassie, and a grandmother to Aiden. I was raised Catholic, but my husband was not and during my marriage I fell away from my faith for a variety of reasons. After my divorce, God broke into my life and I realized that His love was not just a general love for all of us, but a personal one. (It is an interesting story so I hope you will ask me about it). In that life changing moment, I decided that God had a purpose and plan for my life and I opened myself up to go anywhere God called me and to do whatever He was calling me to do.

God has been leading me ever since. I have recently finished a Master's degree in Catechesis & Evangelization and participated in a variety of other trainings that focused on building up the Kingdom. Over the last year or so, I realized God was calling me somewhere else. It is because of this that I applied for the job in Pastorate 1. I am truly excited to be coming to serve you, because during the interview process and visit I realized that all the desires God has been putting on my heart will be realized in this new job. I believe He wants to build the Kingdom in Southwestern Wisconsin and together we can do it, (Continues on page 3)

## St. Mary Church, Bloomington



## St. John Church, Patch Grove

(Continued from page 2) because nothing is impossible with God. I look forward to getting to know you and share my gifts with you in this new Adventure! Know that I am praying for all of you.

Blessings!  
Leigh Boorn



### ST. MARY'S SCHOOL NEWS

#### Faith, Family and Academic Excellence

The Student Council sponsored a Penny Power for one of our 3K students who had heart surgery recently. We were able to raise \$558.70. The student council will add \$41.30 to make the total \$600. Thank you to everyone who participated.

The 8th grade completed their WWII novels and slideshow presentations for reading & social studies. *Allies* by Alan Gratz provided a deeper look at the events of D-Day, while *Finding Zasha* By Randi Barrow provided an interesting perspective of the battle front and resistance in Russia.

We will have May Crowning after the school Mass on Thursday, May 2.

**SCRIP:** SCRIP is now carrying D'Lish scrip, they are available in \$5 and \$10 increments. They are generously donating 5% of proceeds. Scrip is available at school and also at Economy Feed Mill or if you have a special order you may call Molly Breuer, the Scrip Coordinator, at 563-608-5734.

SCRIP is also looking for a new Volunteer Scrip Coordinator. If you or someone you know is interested please reach out to Molly Breuer: 563-608-5734.



### Baptismal Garments

We are very grateful to Jerene Arendt for her beautiful sewing to create baptismal garments. She is no longer able to help with this important volunteer activity. Please contact St. Mary's Parish office 608-994-2526 if you would like to volunteer to make the baptismal garments.

### Part-time Custodian Position

St. Mary's Catholic Church is currently seeking a part-time Custodian to join our team in Bloomington. This position will have flexible hours at \$15 an hour. Please contact St. Mary's Parish office (608-994-2526 or email [sunday7@tds.net](mailto:sunday7@tds.net)) for a list of duties, requirements, and other information.

### New Parish Council Members Needed

St. Mary's and St. John's Parish Councils are seeking volunteers who would like to serve on the councils. Please contact the parish office (608-994-2526) for more information.

### St. Mary's Diocesan Tax & Spring Expenses

Spring is here, and it is time for our annual appeal to help cover the cost of our Diocesan Tax and spring expenses. We are asking all St. Mary's families to contribute \$80.00 toward the Diocesan Tax (this is separate from the ACA) and to make an additional \$50.00 or \$100.00 donation to help with spring expenses for the parish. We deeply appreciate all donations—large or small. Thank you for supporting St. Mary's!

Goal:	\$35,000
	\$30,000
	\$25,000
	\$20,000
	\$15,000
	\$10,000
	\$5,000
	\$1,000
	\$0

### St. John's Donut Sunday & CCW Meeting

All are invited to attend St. John's DONUT Sunday on April 28 after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Join us for treats and fellowship!

St John's CCW will meet after Mass on April 28. All ladies from St. John's are welcome and encouraged to attend.



### Family Faith Formation Classes

The next class will be held at St. Charles School, Cassville on Wednesday, May 1 at 6:45 p.m.

### St. John's Diocesan Tax

Spring is here, and it is time for our annual appeal to help cover the cost of our Diocesan Tax. We are asking all St. John's families to contribute \$80.00 toward the Diocesan Tax (this is separate from the ACA). Thank you for your support of St. John's Parish!

Goal:	\$6,000
	\$5,000
	\$4,000
	\$3,000
	\$2,000
	\$1,000
	\$0

### Parish Financial Updates

#### PLEASE HELP US PAY OUR EXPENSES

#### St. Mary's Collections for the period ending April 19, 2024

Church Support.....	\$2,355.00
Offertory.....	\$314.55
Spring Expenses Donations.....	\$870.00
DST.....	\$1,015.00
Harvest Fund.....	\$300.00
3K Program Fees.....	\$211.00
School Tuition.....	\$56.67
St. Charles Reimbursement for Expenses.....	\$916.57
St. Mary's, Glen Haven Reimbursement for Expenses.....	\$475.10

St. Mary's families are asked to generously contribute toward the support of parish expenses. Single members are asked to contribute \$500.00 and family are asked to contribute 1,000.00.

#### St. John's Collections for the week ending on April 19, 2024

Church Support.....	\$585.00
Offertory.....	\$203.00
DST.....	\$620.00
Rice Bowl.....	\$60.00

St. John's families are asked to generously contribution toward the support of parish expenses.

#### St. John's Ministry Schedule for May 5, 2024

<b>8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass</b>	
Lector:	Bill Mergen
Communion:	Mike McCabe
Ushers:	Roger McKinney, Charlie Martin
Servers:	Avery Needham, Katie Tolle

#### St. Mary Ministry Schedule for May 5, 2024

<b>10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass</b>	
Lector:	Mary Sue White
Communion:	Mary Sue White
Sacristans:	Greg & Jane Patterson
Gifts:	Rachel Breuer and family
Ushers:	Ronnie Mumm, Joe Mergen
Servers:	Meghyn & Sawyer Breuer

### St. Mary Parish Council

President: Melanie Mergen  
Members: Rose Bierman, Janet Patterson, RJ Osterhaus, Len Pritchett, Bill Mezera, Gary Mumm, Paul Wegmann

### St. John Parish Council

President: Ray Breuer  
Members: Cindy Morgan, Leo Breuer, McKenzie Stagman, Kayla Needham

## St. Charles Church, Cassville

## St. Mary Church, Glen Haven



### Family Faith Formation Class

The next class will be held at St. Charles School, Bloomington on Wednesday, May 1 at 6:45 p.m.



### St. Charles Catholic Montessori Early Education Program

If you have questions or if you would like to register your child, please contact Cassie Okey at [cassie.okey@stcharlescassville.org](mailto:cassie.okey@stcharlescassville.org).

### Thank You's

A huge thanks to Dalton Esser and Ralph Mumm for helping at the St. Charles Cemetery. Trees were cut and brush trimmed and cleared around the outside edges of the whole cemetery. Please thank them when you see them. They both saved our parish a lot of expense by volunteering both their time and equipment.



### Stuffed Animals Wanted

St. Charles Games Committee is in need of slightly used, unwanted stuffed animals for the Fall Festival. The stuffed animals are washed and sanitized before the festival. Please contact Cliff/ Marge Tennesen if you have any to donate or leave them off at the St Charles School office. They will go to good homes. Thanks so much.



### St. Charles CCW News

The Grant Vicariate Spring Dinner meeting will be held in Dickeyville at Holy Ghost Church on **May 15. Mass is at 4:00 p.m. with registration at**

**3:30 p.m.** Our CCW Council will pay for your registration/ dinner if you would like to attend. Please call Bev Klauer (725-5876) if you would like to attend.

Blessings to All, CCW Leadership Team

### Catholic Question & Answer

**Question:** How do you explain "Real Presence" to children?

**Answer:** The first Communion class is filled with excitement to the point of bursting! They are just awestruck by every new thing they learn about Jesus. Their enthusiasm is contagious as they rattle off the names of the things in church, the vessels and vestments used at Mass, and the name of their priest. They know Christ can do anything because he's God. He comes to us in holy Communion because he loves us so much that he wants to be with us. And he comes to us in the form of bread and wine. We really receive him in the Eucharist.

Sometimes it is easier to explain this to children than to adults. Their faith and trust in Jesus is not limited by the questions and doubts that often come with the question of how he does it. Rather, they focus on the question "why," and the answer is something they can easily grasp: love. Christ wants to be with us because he loves us. Nothing is purer in truth or in faith. Not even the theological explanation of transubstantiation, or philosophical reasoning or symbolic references, come close. Christ takes on the form of bread and wine to be simple and approachable, so that no one is afraid or turned away. His love for us is complete and total. We try to love him the same way in return. For a child, it is simple. For us adults, we keep trying. *"Unless you turn and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven"* (Mt 18:3).



### United States Flag Donations

We are in need of a new United States flag for the church flagpole. Anyone wishing to make a contribution, please send it to St. Mary's Help of Christians Church marked FLAG.



### St. Teresa of Jesus of the Andes

St. Teresa of Jesus of the Andes was born Juana Enriqueta Josefina of the Sacred Hearts Fernandez Solar in 1900. As a youth she read a biography of St. Thérèse of Lisieux that inspired her to grow in her faith and choose a path in life that led toward a religious vocation. By the age of 14 she knew she wanted to consecrate herself as a religious Carmelite nun.

At the age of 19, she began her novitiate with Carmelites and took the name "Teresa of Jesus." She enjoyed the simple life offered in the convent, the companionship of the other sisters living and serving Jesus alongside her. She also found joy in her proximity to the Blessed Sacrament where she would often be found in prayer.

After a particularly violent attack of typhus, she was permitted to take her vows early. She died in 1920 three months before her twentieth birthday after having taken her vows and receiving last rites.

St. Teresa of Jesus of the Andes's short yet faith-filled life stands as a lasting testament to believers everywhere that one's life doesn't have to be long and filled with lofty accomplishments to be an amazing example of faith and Christ's love. St. Teresa, pray for us!

### PARISH FINANCIAL UPDATES

#### PLEASE HELP US PAY OUR EXPENSES

#### St. Charles, Cassville for April 20, 2024

Church Support.....\$2,890.00  
Offertory.....\$326.00  
Fish Fry Donation.....\$50.00  
St. Charles suggested giving is \$1,400.00 a year for a married couple and \$700.00 a year for a single household.

#### St. Mary's, Glen Haven for April 20, 2024

Church Support.....\$110.00  
Offertory.....\$101.25

#### St. Charles' Ministry Schedule

#### 4:30 p.m. Mass on May 4, 2024

Lector: Mary White  
Sacristan: Mary White  
Communion: Judy Klein  
Servers: Adam's children  
Ushers: White family

#### St. Mary's, Glen Haven

#### 8:00 p.m. Mass on April 27, 2024

Lector: Renee Schwantes  
Communion: Theresa Zimmer  
Servers: Erin & Evelyn Adrian  
Ushers: Gerard & Zach Zimmer

### St. Mary Help of Christians Parish Council

President: Joe Breuer

Members: Ed Breuer, Sue Kuenster, Tracy Walz, John Smith, Doug White

### St. Charles Parish Council

President: Denny Uppena

Members: Judy Adrian, Suzanne Brinkman, Agnes Hughes, Isaac Okey, Gina Kartman, Cliff Tennesen, Joe Uppena



## Celebrate Life

*The meaning of choosing to receive the Holy*

*Eucharist:* The Church has taught consistently for 2000 years that those who receive the Eucharist are publicly professing their Catholic faith and are seriously striving to live by the moral teachings of the Church. Those who reject the teaching of the Church on the sanctity of human life and those who do not seek to live in accordance with that teaching place themselves in contradiction to the communion of the Church, and so should not receive the sacrament of that communion, the Holy Eucharist. We all fall short in various ways, but there is a great difference between struggling to live according to the teachings of the Church and rejecting those teachings. - Before I Formed You in the Womb I Knew You, A Pastoral Letter on the Human Dignity of the Unborn, Holy Communion, and Catholics in Public Life by the Most Reverend Salvatore Joseph Cordileone, Archbishop of San Francisco, May 2021. Read the complete statement at <https://sfarch.org/inthewomb/>

## Life Begins at Conception!

At 18 days a baby's heart begins to beat and by the 43rd day after conception a baby's brain is coordinating movements. All of a baby's organs are functioning at 8 weeks and a baby can smile, suck his/her thumb and make a fist by 12 weeks.

## Help is Available

If you need support for an unplanned pregnancy, please contact the [Clarity Clinic of SW Wisconsin](http://Clarity Clinic of SW Wisconsin) at 608-348-5787 or email at [clientservices@claritywi.com](mailto:clientservices@claritywi.com) or the [Women's Care Center in Madison, WI](http://Women's Care Center in Madison, WI) at 608-241-8100. For more information on pro-life issues, visit [www.WisconsinRightToLife.org](http://www.WisconsinRightToLife.org).

## St. Catherine Ministry: Ware here to support families through miscarriage

St. Catherine Ministry is here to accompany anyone who has received the sad news of a miscarriage. From providing miscarriage kits to referring for burial sites to crying with you, we want to help because we have been there, too. It's as simple as contacting St. Catherine Ministry director Laura Karlen at [ljkarlen@hotmail.com](mailto:ljkarlen@hotmail.com) or 608-445-2064.

## Cassville AA and Al-Anon Meetings

The AA meetings are every Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building in Cassville.

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

“Remain in me, as I remain in you. Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own unless it remains on the vine, so neither can you unless you remain in me.” Learn how your marriage can bear fruit on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on May 4-5 in Muskego, WI or August 3-4 in Wisconsin. Visit our website at: [alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653.

## The National Suicide & Crisis Lifeline-

Call, text or chat 988 to reach a trained counselor. These trained counselors will listen, understand how problems are affecting a person, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary.



## MEETINGS

- \*May 7– St. John's Parish Council meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- \*May 8-St. Mary's Parish Council meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Bloomington
- \*May 19 –Transition Team meeting at noon at St. Clement Church at noon

## EVENTS

- \*April 28-St. Mary's First Communion
- \*May 14-St. John's Food Pantry 12:00-1:00 p.m.
- \*May 19-St. Mary's 8th Grade Graduation
- \*June 11- St. John's Food Pantry 12:00-1:00 p.m.
- \*June 23-St. Mary Help of Christians Parish Drive Thru Pork Chop Dinner



## SS Andrew-Thomas Spaghetti Dinner

Please join SS Andrew-Thomas School for their Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser to add educational materials to their classrooms. **The dinner will be Tuesday, May 7 from 5:00 - 7:30 and tickets must be purchased in advance. Please contact a school family or SS Andrew-Thomas School (608)763-2120 for tickets.** Tickets will be on sale from April 17- May 1. The cost is \$15 for adults and children under 6 are \$10. There will also be a live auction at 6:30 p.m. and they would appreciate any donations to make the evening a success. The students of SS Andrew-Thomas School will have a performance at 7:30 p.m.

Come hungry, enjoy the auction and live entertainment. We greatly appreciate your support of our school.



## Mother's Day Rose Sale

In honor of Mother's Day, red roses will be available after the Masses the weekend of May 11 & 12 to thank moms for "giving the gift of life." A suggested donation of \$3.00 for each rose is requested with the proceeds from the sale going to benefit Clarity Clinic in Platteville.

## Grant County CCW Spring Meeting

The Grant Vicariate Council of Catholic Women invites you to attend their Spring Vicariate gathering on Wednesday, May 15, 2024 at Holy Ghost Church and School Gym in Dickeyville. Registration begins at 3:30 pm in the church and Mass at 4:00 p.m. followed by dinner, the speaker, short meeting, and a silent auction.

The guest speaker will be Fr. Randy Timmerman, the Parochial Administrator for Pastorate 9, who will be talking about his travels to the Holy Land. Send your registration count and fee to Sharon Loeffelholz – 3119 Line Road – Cuba City WI 53807 before Monday, May 6, 2024. You can also contact her via email at [sloeffelholz@gmail.com](mailto:sloeffelholz@gmail.com).

## Healthy Living with Diabetes Workshop

Gundersen Health System will be hosting a Healthy Living with Diabetes workshop Wed., mornings for 6 wks starting May 22. This workshop is designed to help adults with type 2 diabetes, pre-diabetes or for those caring for someone who has diabetes to learn self-management skills, healthy eating strategies and more. For more information, please call Vicky at 608-775-6870.