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Officials

No officials this week.



Events

As of June 4

Friday, June 7

7:00pm Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Chippewa Falls - June 7 - 8

Tuesday, June 11

Curriculum Workshop - Marathon - June 11.-.13

Friday, June 14

Dare to Follow - La Crosse - June 14 - 16

Monday, June 17

11:00am Vocations Golf Outing - Onalaska

Wednesday, June 19

7:00pm Living, Dying and the Power of Presence - Onalaska

Saturday, June 22

Religious Freedom Week - June 22 - 29

10:00am Ordination to the Priesthood - Live Stream

10:00am Ordination to the Priesthood - La Crosse

Sunday, June 23

Adventure Camp Week 1 - Mason - June 23 - 28

Friday, June 28

Leader of Prayer Training Session 1 - Marathon - June 28 - 29

Thursday, July 4

4th of July - Curia Offices Closed

Friday, July 12

Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Eau Claire - July 12 - 13

Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - La Crosse - July 12 - 13

Threshold Retreat - La Crosse - July 12 - 14

Sunday, July 14

2:00pm 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration with Bishop Callahan as Celebrant - La Crosse

Friday, July 19

Leader of Prayer Training Session 2 - Marathon - July 19 - 20

Friday, July 26

4:30pm Priests for Tomorrow - La Crosse

Friday, August 2

Wisconsin Seminarian Gathering - Aug. 2 - 4

To get your parish events listed on the diocesan calendar, diolc.org/calendar, please send an email to datebook@diolc.org. Make sure you include the following details; date, beginning/ending times, event location, description, menu and cost, etc.

If you have any questions, please call Pam Willer at 608.788.1524 for more information.

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Office for Catechesis & Evangelization

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Bulletin Insert for the weekend of June 16

Go to your “Upper Room” to meet the Holy Spirit in your life – for insert, [click here](#).

For your parish bulletin

You won't want to miss this!

Do you have a child, relative or friend with whom you want to spiritually walk with so they might develop a closer friendship with Jesus Christ? Then this event is for you. Michael Hall from Catholic Christian Outreach in Canada and Father Lou Molinelli, SDB from St. John Bosco's order will be featured at the **Witnesses for Christ Conference August 9-10 in La Crosse**. Michael and Father Lou will guide us in developing simple skills regarding *intentional* accompaniment in a humorous and practical way. Visit diolc.org/catechesis/witnesses-for-christ-conference-2019 for further details, a downloadable brochure and to register.

Here is the diocesan Facebook link to this event.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/339214943615305/>

Please share this on your parish Facebook.

Please return all resources that belong to the Office for Catechesis and Evangelization by June 10th. Others are patiently waiting to check them out for their use over the summer.

Planning for fall sessions

It is highly recommended that you schedule around 30 sessions per year for your Faith Formation Programs. You need to complete the textbook as well as plan for confessions, pray the Stations of the Cross and other necessary practices. Please also take into account some of your sessions may be cancelled due to snow.

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Office for Marriage & Family Life

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Teaching the Way of Love Newsletter for June

The TWL parent newsletter for June is ready for distribution. Click [here](#) to access this month's issue which focuses on spiritual maturity. Thank you for widely distributing this to all of your parents. If your school is out of session, consider placing this email into your bulletin.

National Natural Family Planning Week | July 21-29

Each year, the Diocese of La Crosse celebrates the beauty of God's plan for human love as written in Humanae Vitae. The USCCB develops a number of resources that you can use to share the beauty and goodness of human love with your parish family. Click [here](#) to download the resources (Posters, Homily Helps, General Intercessions, Prayers).

For your parish bulletin:

A Father's Day Gift that will Last

The 2019 Men of the Cross conference theme is The Father's Way. A special rate is being offered for Father-Son attendees. Held in La Crosse on Saturday, October 26, this year's keynote speaker will be Steve Ray, a dynamic convert sure to engage men of all ages. For more details and to register, go to menofthecross.org.

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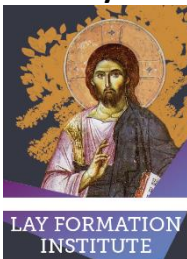


Office for Ministries

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Reminder: For Your Parish Bulletin:

New Lay Formation Institute (LFI) class starts in the fall – Registration is underway!



Registration is open for the next two-year Lay Formation cycle that begins this fall. Draw closer to Christ and deepen your knowledge of the Faith in a joyful community of learners! See brochure, schedule and application form at diolc.org/lay-formation. Discuss with your pastor and contact the Office for Ministries and Social Concerns at ministries@diolc.org or call (608) 791-0161.

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Office for Safe Environment

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DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE

The Diocese of La Crosse, through its [policies and procedures](#), seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employee, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to the Most Reverend William Patrick Callahan, Bishop of La Crosse, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Karen Becker, Victim Assistance Ministry, 608.519.8002 or kbecker@cclse.org. The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of the Vicar for Clergy or on the diocesan website at: diolc.org. **Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities.** Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local parish and on the [diocesan website](#). If you have any questions about the Diocese of La Crosse and the implementation of the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*, please contact Teresa Brown, Diocese of La Crosse, at 608.791.2679; or tbrown@diolc.org.

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Office for Social Concerns

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For Your Parish Bulletin:

The La Crosse Guild of the Catholic Medical Association is sponsoring a presentation by Kevin Dunn, producer of **Fatal Flaws** and **The Euthanasia Deception**, documentary films about "medical aid in dying laws."

Presentation: **Living, Dying and the Power of Presence**

Date: **Wednesday, June 19, 2019 at 7:00 PM**

Location: **St. Patrick's Parish Church, Onalaska, Wisconsin**

No cost: Free will offering.

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Office for Stewardship & Development

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The Annual Appeal year-end is quickly approaching - 6/30/19.

All payments must be postmarked by 6/30/19 in order to get credit for this appeal year.

Any payments received after 6/30/19 will be applied toward next year's appeal.

Please remind all parishioners to send payments to:

Diocese of La Crosse

Attn: Annual Appeal

PO Box 4004

La Crosse, WI 54602-4004

Please review the GivingTrend website for up-to-date summary of your appeal:

<https://diolc.givingtrend.com/login>. If you need login assistance, please feel free to contact Sarah Komperud at 608-791-2653.

We appreciate all your hard work and effort in making this a successful Annual Appeal.

Thank you!

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Office for Temporalities

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Office for Vocations

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Please include the following intercession for vocations for your Sunday prayers of the faithful.

For an increase in vocations to Marriage, the Priesthood and Consecrated Life; especially that more young men and women will have the courage to follow a call from God to serve in the Church.

Save the date

Vocations Guild Dinner, St. Michael's Parish - Wausau
October 8, 2019
Details to follow

Reminder: Dare to Follow retreat June 14-16, 2019.

[Click here](#) for the flyer and registration form.

Here is the diocesan Facebook link to this event.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/290164331859319/>

Please share this on your parish Facebook.

Reminder: Threshold retreat July 12-14, 2019.

[Click here](#) for the flyer and registration form.

This [medical release form](#) will also need to be filled out for anyone participating in either Dare to Follow or Threshold retreats.

Here is the diocesan Facebook link to this event.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/323003811723628/>

Please share this on your parish Facebook.

Reminder: Priestly Ordination of Deacon Brandon Guenther and Deacon Ethan Hokamp will be on Saturday, June 22, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral.

Here is the diocesan Facebook link to this event.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/328895707985585/>

Please share this on your parish Facebook.

Reminder: Save the Date: 1st Annual Golf Outing to support vocations will be at Cedar Creek Golf Course in Onalaska on Monday, June 17, 2019. 18-hole, 4 person teams.

Here is the diocesan Facebook link to this event.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1000963323447219/>

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Office for Vicar for Clergy

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Have you registered for Priest Unity Days?

Priest Unity Days June 20-22, 2019, at Holy Cross Diocesan Center – La Crosse, WI.

Invitations have been sent out by email. If you missed the email you may use this link -

<https://diolc.org/vicarforclergy/2019-priest-unity-days-registration/>

Reply by clicking on - “Register Now” and completing the form.

For those without email, you will receive your copy by USPS. You may call in your reservation.

This year’s Presenter is the Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis, Most Reverend Andrew H. Cozzens. The theme is: “Remain in me...for without me you can do nothing” (Jn 15) - Human and Spiritual Growth for Fruitful Priestly Ministry.

August 10, 2019- Deacons and Wives afternoon with Bishop - Holy Cross Diocesan Center

October 14-15, 2019- Fall Ministry Conference - Holy Cross Diocesan Center, Presenter is Fr. Sean Kilcawley.

2020 Events

Priest Spring Retreat April 20-24, 2020

Priest Unity Days June 25-26, 2020

Fall Ministry Conference October 12-13, 2020

Letters of Suitability. If you will be traveling outside of the Diocese of La Crosse and plan to do more than attend Mass, please contact Paula at pboyle@diolc.org for your letter.

Celebrets are for travel outside of the United States and are done by Maryjo Wilson in the Chancery Office, mwilson@diolc.org

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