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### Events

As of Feb. 1

<b>Wednesday, February 2</b>
Presentation of the Lord: World Day for Consecrated Life
<b>Friday, February 4</b>
LFI/Deacon Formation - Wausau - February 4-5
<b>Sunday, February 6</b>
World Day for Consecrated Life (celebrated in parishes) - Feb. 5-6
<b>Tuesday, February 8</b>
11:00am Tune In Tuesday Recurring Zoom Meeting for all DRE's, CRE's, & Youth Ministers
<b>Friday, February 11</b>
Our Lady of Lourdes and the World Day of the Sick
<b>Saturday, February 12</b>
7:40am Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Onalaska
8:00am Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Marshfield
<b>Sunday, February 13</b>
Feast Day of Blessed James Miller
<b>Tuesday, February 15</b>
11:00am Tune In Tuesday Recurring Zoom Meeting for all DRE's, CRE's, & Youth Ministers
<b>Friday, February 18</b>
Retrouvaille: Marriage Help Weekend - Wausau - Feb. 18-20
<b>Saturday, February 19</b>
Domestic Church Retreat: February 19-20,2022
<b>Tuesday, February 22</b>
11:00am Tune In Tuesday Recurring Zoom Meeting for all DRE's, CRE's, & Youth Ministers
<b>Saturday, February 26</b>
8:00am Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Wausau
<b>Tuesday, March 1</b>
11:00am Tune In Tuesday Recurring Zoom Meeting for all DRE's, CRE's, & Youth Ministers
<b>Wednesday, March 2</b>
Ash Wednesday
<b>Friday, March 4</b>
LFI/Deacon Formation - Wausau - March 4-5
<b>Saturday, March 5</b>
9:00am Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Mauston
<b>Sunday, March 6</b>
2:00pm Rite of Election and Call to Continuing Conversion, - La Crosse
<b>Tuesday, March 8</b>
11:00am Tune In Tuesday Recurring Zoom Meeting for all DRE's, CRE's, & Youth Ministers
<b>Friday, March 11</b>
Day of Prayer and Penance for Diocesan and Universal Church needs
9:00am Spring Faith In-Service - La Crosse

To get your parish events listed on the diocesan calendar, [diolc.org/calendar](http://diolc.org/calendar), and in *Catholic Life* magazine, please send an email to [datebook@diolc.org](mailto: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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### Ash Wednesday is March 2

Now is the time to prepare for the season Lent. Adult Faith formation needs to be a central focus. A list of Small Group Materials, including Bible Studies and Faith Building Resources, successfully being used in parishes throughout the Diocese can be found by clicking here: [diolc.org/catechesis/bible-studies-and-small-group-resources](http://diolc.org/catechesis/bible-studies-and-small-group-resources). Some are available for free rental from the Office of Catechesis and Evangelization. Contact us at 608-791-2658.

### Evangelization Tools for the Parish 2022

As we approach the season of Lent, it is a good time to take stock of evangelization efforts in the parish. Suggestions to help engage people in their Catholic Faith so they in turn will hand on the Faith to others are included on this handout.

Visit [diolc.org/evangelization](http://diolc.org/evangelization) and scroll down to “Resources to Lead Others to Jesus Christ.”

## Catechetical Leader Information

### Preparation for Confirmation

- For information regarding the parish providing a Confirmation Retreat for the students, click here: [diolc.org/catechesis/sacramental-prep/confirmation](http://diolc.org/catechesis/sacramental-prep/confirmation) Scroll down to Confirmation Guidelines/Resources.
- According to Canon Law, “To be licitly confirmed it is required that one be suitably instructed, properly disposed and able to renew one’s baptismal promises.”
- At the heart of the Sacrament of Confirmation is the Person of the Holy Spirit and the sevenfold Gifts of the Holy Spirit. For a recorded teaching by Msgr. Joseph Hirsch, click here: [diolc.org/catechesis/sacramental-prep/confirmation](http://diolc.org/catechesis/sacramental-prep/confirmation) In order to be properly disposed to receive Confirmation, young people need to make a good examination of conscience and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
- If the students preparing for Confirmation write a letter about why they want to be confirmed and why they chose a specific saint, those letters are for the pastor only.

### Witnesses for Christ Conference – August

The Witnesses for Christ Conference will be held this year in August. In working with a committee, it was decided to hold the "Conference" virtually on a Wednesday evening. A national, keynote speaker will present virtually to your catechists, parents and any interested adult as you meet together at the parish. This interactive presentation will be from roughly 5:30 - 7 p.m., with the suggestion that the Catechetical Leader then host further formation and information for the catechists. This could also include a meal before the presentation or even during, if you so desire. Cost will be \$10 per person. Further details to follow.

### **Infant Baptismal Preparation – ZOOM Mtg on Feb. 11th**

If you are interested in reviewing the Infant Baptismal Prep booklet developed by the Offices for Catechesis & Evangelization, Marriage & Family Life and Sacred Worship, please join in a ZOOM Meeting on Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m. Register ahead so the booklet can be mailed to you ahead of time. This vetted formation of parents contains two parts: “Entering into the Words and Symbols in the Rite of Baptism” and “Living as a Catholic Family.” There are also materials of preparation for parents welcoming their 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> child. Contact Beth at [bjohnson@diolc.org](mailto:bjohnson@diolc.org) to register and provide your mailing address.

### **Providing Parents with Nuggets of Formation**

Any time you are in contact with parents, provide them with small nuggets of formation. Please see one-page downloadable handouts that can be emailed or hand-delivered. Visit [diolc.org/evangelization](http://diolc.org/evangelization) Scroll down to “Knowing Jesus in a Deeper Way” and click on “Questions about the Catholic Faith.” Handouts are categorized, such as Sacraments, God – Jesus Christ, the Liturgical Year etc.

### **RCIA – Fostering a Prayer Life**

It is essential for the people in RCIA to be helped to develop a daily habit of prayer. For a prayer card with a simple process that allows prayer to more personal visit [diolc.org/deeper](http://diolc.org/deeper). Prayers such as the Sign of the Cross, Apostles’ Creed, Our Father and Hail Mary are available with resources that provide explanation of the words and other helpful guidance.

### **Crosswoods Family Camp in Wisconsin – June 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

You are invited to attend Catholic "Family Camp" June 10-12, 2022 at CrossWoods Adventure Camp, LLC, which is owned and operated by a Catholic family in the Diocese. Alice Heinzen is coming to speak again this year. For a flyer with further details visit [diolc.org/catechesis/bulletin-inserts](http://diolc.org/catechesis/bulletin-inserts) Please share this with your parish families and friends so that we can work to build up families in their faith in an adventure-filled weekend! You can also visit [crosswoods.camp](http://crosswoods.camp) for further details and to see pictures of this beautiful camp.

### **Thank you for Informing the Office for Catechesis and Evangelization**

Please let us know when changes occur in parish leadership. That way new people will not miss out on important information.

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**Office for Communications**

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### **Parish Divine Mercy Sunday events – special section for April Catholic Life**

If your Parish is planning a Divine Mercy Sunday event, please send the information to [datebook@diolc.org](mailto:datebook@diolc.org). In addition to adding it to the diocesan calendar, your parish event will also be featured in a special section of the April issue of *Catholic Life* magazine. All events received by February 25th will be published in the April Catholic Life magazine.

## Spring Parish Round Table Virtual Meetings:

The Office for Communications is hosting virtual roundtable discussions this spring. We will be using ZOOM as our hosting platform with regional sessions. If the date works for your region, please register for that session. If you have a conflict, you may register for any other date. Parish Administrative Assistants and Secretaries, School Administrative Assistants and Secretaries, ParishSOFT users and other parish staff are welcome. Registration is required to receive the meeting link; all meetings will be about 1 ½ hours.

### Meeting Agenda

- 1) Annual Report to the Bishop (new format for July 2022)
- 2) Clergy and Parish email accounts
- 3) ParishSOFT Census SOP (revised 1-3-2022)
- 4) Mailing Address quality
- 5) Items regarding Catholic Life
- 6) Chancery Bulletin – [diolc.org/events](http://diolc.org/events) – [diolc.org/media-resources](http://diolc.org/media-resources)
- 7) Parish Onboarding new employees
- 8) Norms and Procedures for Parishes (initiative to update the document)

Date	Time	Region
Wed. February 9	9:30 a.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Arcadia Region
	1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Eau Claire / Chippewa region
Thurs. February 10	9:30 a.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the La Crosse / Tomah region
	1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Prairie du Chien region
Wed. March 9	9:30 a.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Wisconsin Rapids region
	1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Durand region
Thurs. March 10	9:30 a.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Stevens Point region
	1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Click</a> to register for the Wausau region

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## Office for Consecrated Life

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### Reminder: World Day for Consecrated Life (Celebrated in Parishes February 5-6)

In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd. This Feast is also known as Candlemas Day, the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples. The celebration of World Day for Consecrated Life is transferred to the following Sunday in order to highlight the gift of consecrated persons for the whole Church.

Please pray for consecrated persons at Holy Mass in the *Prayers of the Faithful* and include a mention in your parish bulletin (samples are below). For more information: [USCCB](#), [NRVC](#)

### Prayers of the Faithful

We pray for those who have answered God's call to consecrated life. May they always reveal the love and joy of Christ to those they encounter, and may they continue to enrich our world by dedicated lives of prayer and service. We pray to the Lord...

We pray for those who are discerning the vocation to consecrated life. By the grace of God and the support of family and friends, may they hear God's call and respond with love and generosity. We pray to the Lord...

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## Office for Marriage & Family Life

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### **Marquette Model NFP Instruction Available Again:**

We are partnering with Whole Mission <https://www.thewholemission.com/> to provide virtual instruction for couples who are looking to learn the Marquette Model. Angie Plendl will continue to teach face to face and virtual classes from within the Diocese but this partnership allows the demand for Marquette instruction to continue to be met. Couples will pre-register for Whole Mission through the form on the website <https://diolc.org/marriage/natural-family-planning/nfp-pre-registration-form/>. Then they will be directed to the Whole Mission website to register. They will receive a certificate of completion from Whole Mission.

### **NFP Support Groups**

In conjunction with Natural Family Planning Awareness week, the Office for Family Life, through the NFP coordinator, would like to pilot a few NFP support meetings throughout the diocese. Please contact Christy Kitzhaber at [ckitzhaber@diolc.org](mailto:ckitzhaber@diolc.org) if you would like more information on this blossoming idea.

**Domestic Church Retreat: February 19-20, 2022**

Would you and your spouse enjoy a relaxing and revitalizing weekend to spend time together with no distractions? Do you want to grow in your spiritual life together as a couple? Join us for this two-day Domestic Church retreat. Each day will include Mass, dynamic talks, and individual couple time all designed to bring you closer to each other and to God. Married Couples Retreat.

Contact: Jeff and Alice Heinzen [region7.couple@domesticchurchfamilies.com](mailto:region7.couple@domesticchurchfamilies.com)

Register [here](#).

Retreat Location: Notre Dame Parish 117 Allen St. Chippewa Falls, WI

Cost: \$150 Scholarships are available

This two-day retreat does not include overnight lodging. Couples who want lodging will book it independently.

### **Crosswoods Family Camp June 10-12, 2022**

This camp is for families wanting to deepen their faith in the great outdoors, together! Participants will experience Family in Faith Speakers, Adventures, Bonfires, Praise & Worship, Crafts, etc. The cost is \$280/family of 4, \$30 more/person to max of 6 persons (\$340). For more information, visit [www.crosswoods.camp](http://www.crosswoods.camp) and select the "Family Camp" webpage for more information and how to register.

### **Reminder: Diocesan Website for Clergy and Marriage Ministers Regarding Marriage Preparation**

FYI, [here is the link](#) that goes directly to the section of our website containing resources for clergy and marriage ministers. There are step-by-step instructions, downloadable guidelines, downloadable forms, and much more! Please let us know if we can assist you in this ministry.

### **Reminder: Process for Training FOCCUS Facilitators**

The process for training FOCCUS Facilitators is as follows: each Parish needs to contact FOCCUS directly to set up an account for your Parish, if one has not already been set up, and then train your couples directly through FOCCUS. The contact person at FOCCUS is Max Allen. He is happy to work directly with your parish priest or contact person. His contact information is: email: [mrallen@foccusinc.com](mailto:mrallen@foccusinc.com) or phone 402-827-3735 ext. 1317.

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## Office for Sacred Worship

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### Rite of Election—scheduled for March 6

Circumstances permitting, the Rite of Election and the Call to Continuing Conversion will be held at the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman on Sunday, March 6, at 2:00. It is an occasion that marks entry into the period of Purification and Enlightenment that coincides with Lent. It is a wonderful opportunity for candidates and catechumens to see the larger Church, be introduced to their new Cathedral, and receive the grace of the Rite. The registration form for Rite of Election is available [here](#).

### Prayer for the Intercession of Blessed Brother James Miller, FSC

Sunday, February 13, 2022, will mark the third annual observance of the feast day of Blessed James Miller. A prayer for his intercession has been approved by Bishop Callahan:

"O Blessed Brother James Miller, you heard God's call to become a Brother of the Christian Schools and so became a sign of faith to youth in the United States and in Central America. You placed your life and your trust in Divine Providence and, for spreading the faith, merited the crown of martyrdom. In a world that denies the dignity of the human person, obtain for us from Divine Providence an ever increasing love of God and our neighbor, especially the poor and oppressed. Obtain for us also the favor we are now asking for *[mention request]* and the grace and strength to be a witness to Christ's love to all. Amen."

*Imprimatur:* +William Patrick Callahan, OFM Conv., Bishop of La Crosse—February 7, 2020

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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 (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Teresa Brown, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Brown at 608.791.0179 or [intakeagent@diolc.org](mailto:intakeagent@diolc.org). The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: [diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting](http://diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting). **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](mailto:tbrown@diolc.org).

25 Parishes have submitted their Annual Report. As a reminder, it is due on March 1, 2022. If you have questions or need help completing the report, please contact the Office of Safe Environment at [tbrown@diolc.org](mailto:tbrown@diolc.org) or 608-791-2679.

The 2021-22 Annual Parish Safe Environment Report form is missing a line for the volunteers. Please either insert a line on your form or use the corrected report form. The link is below. [diolc.org/files/safe-environment/Parish-Yearly-Report-2021-22.pdf](https://diolc.org/files/safe-environment/Parish-Yearly-Report-2021-22.pdf)

February 8 is the Feast of St Josephine Bakhita, Patroness of kidnapped and trafficked children. Situations caused by Covid-19 have pushed traffickers online and out of sight, making the exploitation of children more convenient. For more information, visit <https://sistersagainstrafficking.org/> they are a 501 c (3) organization, located at 2039 N Geyer Road, St. Louis, MO 63131

Psalms 121:8 "The LORD will guard your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forever."

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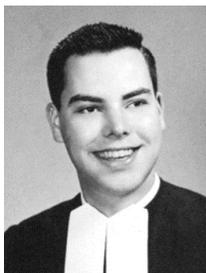
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## Office for Social Concerns

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### For your parish bulletin:



#### **Feast of Blessed Brother James Miller – February 13**

A native of Stevens Point and a De La Salle Christian Brother and missionary, Brother James Miller was gunned down while repairing a wall at the school where he worked in Huehuetenango, Guatemala on Feb. 13, 1982. He was declared a martyr and beatified by Pope Francis on Dec. 7, 2019. He stands as an example of fidelity to the Gospel and humble and fearless service on behalf of the poor and the vulnerable. To learn more, visit [www.diolc.org/blessedbrother-james-miller](http://www.diolc.org/blessedbrother-james-miller).

### Pastors and Liturgy Planners:

For a Prayer for the Intercession of Blessed Brother James Miller, see the Office for Sacred Worship entry in this Chancery Bulletin.

**Eau Claire – Rally for Life – Sunday, Feb. 6**

**Featured speaker – Brian Gibson, Executive Director of Pro-Life Action Ministries.**



Under Brian’s direction, Pro-Life Action Ministries has grown from a small activist group in the Twin Cities of Minnesota into the nation’s largest and most organized sidewalk counseling ministry. Over the years, Pro-Life Action Ministries has documented nearly 3,600 babies saved directly from abortion. Brian has led *40 Days for Life* Campaigns in the Twin Cities since the first national Lenten campaign in 2008.

These led to the closing of the abortion facility inside Regions Hospital, the first abortion facility to close in Minnesota because of pro-life efforts. Pro-Life Action Ministries organizes the largest prayer events at abortion facilities in the world. Its annual all-day Good Friday Vigil brought out more than 3,800 Christians in 2019.

**For your parish bulletin:**

**Hear two great Pro-Life Speakers**

We streamed two webinars around the March for Life in Washington, D.C. on Jan. 21, with two excellent speakers:



**Terry Beatley**, Founder of Hosea Initiative shared with our Catholic School students the amazing story of Dr. Bernard Nathanson, often referred to as America’s “Abortion King” prior to his powerful, pro-life conversion.

To view Terry’s talk, visit [www.diolc.org/respect-life](http://www.diolc.org/respect-life).



**Valentyna Pavsukova**, Founder of Chalice of Mercy mission to Ukraine, shared the powerful pro-life conversions she has seen in her missionary work with doctors and soldiers from war-torn Ukraine.

To view Valentyna’s talk, visit [www.diolc.org/respect-life](http://www.diolc.org/respect-life).

**For your parish bulletin:**



**New Hope for Unborn Babies? Pray for our Supreme Court Justices!**

Is the end near for *Roe v. Wade*? Could the 1973 ruling that legalized abortion through all 9 months of pregnancy be overturned? The *Dobbs* case being heard by the Supreme Court could have that outcome – but we must pray.

Read about the nationwide initiative of fasting and prayer at [diolc.org/respect-life](http://diolc.org/respect-life), where you can also download a flyer with photos of each of the Justices. Post it on your refrigerator and remember to pray and sacrifice for each of them by name! A ruling is expected by June.

**For regional parish bulletins:**

**Feb. 12 Fundraiser Breakfast for Watermark Mission – St. Henry Parish in Eau Galle**

Watermark Mission is a nonprofit out of St. Henry Parish in Eau Galle, which travels around the country helping communities rebuild after disasters. You can help support their work by coming to their fundraiser Pancake/French toast breakfast on Saturday, Feb. 12 from 7:30-

11:30 AM at St. Henry Parish Center – N448 Cty Rd D, Eau Galle, WI. Tickets are \$8 in advance, \$9 at the door, 5 years and under are free. Raffles and Bake Sale on site. For tickets or information, contact Gary Asher – 715.283.4451. The work of Watermark Mission was profiled for the Diocesan Annual Appeal, with a video here: <https://youtu.be/3CiVBENvCc0>.

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## Office for Stewardship & Development

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### **Diocesan Annual Appeal Update:**

We are preparing for our next mailing. If your pastor or finance council would like to include a letter, please send the letter in word .docx format by EOD 2/18/2022. Please include your parish number in the file name, and if you have not sent a letter previously, we will need a .jpeg or .png file of the signor's signature.

**Reminder:** Parishes receiving cash for the Annual Appeal must deposit all money locally and then write a parish check payable to the Diocese of La Crosse with documentation identifying who made the donations. Please include the Family DUID for each gift.

We cannot accept parish funds as a payoff for the Diocesan Annual Appeal. We will have the finance office inform your Parish of any shortfalls after the close of the Annual Appeal. We will return any such monies received. Should you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact our office.

### **Stewardship Bulletin Reflections for Weekends:**

- 02/06 [Click Here](#)
- 02/13 [Click Here](#)
- 02/20 [Click Here](#)
- 02/27 [Click Here](#)

### **Stewardship Homily Reflections:**

Stewardship reflections to assist you in your homily development:

- Click here for the weeks [02/06 – 02/27](#)

### **Planned Giving - Leaving a Legacy, Wills, Bequest, and Endowments:**

We have inherited such treasures from our parents, grandparents, and great-grandparents, those whose shoulders we stand on today. Now, it is our turn to make sure future generations can enjoy the reverence and beauty of a well-maintained parish. Leveraging the Capital Campaign and providing parishioners with information on Endowments, Trusts, and Bequest are just a few ways a parish can help prepare for its future.

Our Estate Planning Guide can help people save several hundred dollars in legal and financial estate planning costs. We have sent out several hundred copies per individual request, and each Parish has received a copy. If you would like additional copies, do not hesitate to contact our office.

Our Planned Giving website is [diolclegacy.org](http://diolclegacy.org). People can find calculators, additional information, sign up for a newsletter and request copies of specific estate planning guides and information.

If you would like more legacy giving information, presentations, or ads for your Parish bulletin, do not hesitate to contact our office or Rick Jeric at the Catholic Foundation of West Central Wisconsin ([cfwcw.org](http://cfwcw.org)) at 608.519.9892 or email: [rjeric@cfwcw.org](mailto:rjeric@cfwcw.org)

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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.

That the daily living of our vocation may transform our suffering world into a place of love, justice and peace.

Please consider adding a vocations paragraph to your parish bulletin. Below is an example - they will be changed each week. Feel free to use any or all of them.

### **Called to More**

What if there was more? What if I could be more? Sometimes we can look around and think that there isn't anything more that can be offered to us, that this is the best I can get. We settle for something that leaves us feeling empty and hungering for more. Perhaps this is an opportunity to ask the Lord what He is calling you to do. As we turn to God in the midst of human mediocrity, we can find something that is eternally greater. Consider your vocation and where God may be leading you. Could it be a call to the priesthood? To begin the conversation or to inquire about what it means to be a priest, please contact me: Fr. Nate Kuhn, Director of Vocational Recruitment for the Diocese of La Crosse, 3710 East Ave. S. PO Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602; or by phone at: 608.791.2667. God bless you!

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## Office for Vicar for Clergy

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## Office for Youth & Young Adult Ministry

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### **Adventure Camp: June 26-July 1, 2022**

We are excited that Adventure Camp is happening this year! This is for all students in grades 6-12.

COST:

- Early Bird Registration by May 1, 2022 is \$420 per person.
- (Please note that being registered means all forms are completely filled out, all money has been paid, and Adult background checks and Safe Environment Training are complete.)
- Late Registration after May 1, 2022 is \$440 per person.
- Please know \$100 per person is nonrefundable.

More information including the link to online registration can be found [here](#).

### **Job Opening: Parish Life Missioner for St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral Parish**

St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral Parish, a growing vibrant Catholic parish located downtown La Crosse, WI, seeks a full-time energetic, highly organized, and collaborative Parish Life Missioner to assist leadership in deepening and sustaining integrated and involved parish life. This person fosters parishioners' growth in knowledge and practice of the Faith and facilitates active relational commitment to the parish family. Principal duties include developing avenues in which increased knowledge of and love for the faith leads to a deepened relationship with Christ; promotes devotional life; organizes parish events; and supports sacramental prep. Required qualifications: practicing Catholic; relevant working experience; bachelor's degree (or working toward it); good communication, organizational and team-building skills; proficient in social media; and excellent writing/communication skills. Please send resume with three references to Monsignor Richard W. Gilles at [rgilles@diolclergy.org](mailto:rgilles@diolclergy.org) by May 1, 2022.

### **Reminder: Tune-In Tuesdays**

Join us as we come together to network and share how we are doing, how our ministry is going and talk about ways we can support each other. Please follow this [link](#) to join us for Tune-In Tuesdays at 11 a.m.!

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