

St. Mary-Torun

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Mon., July 7

Tues., July 8

4:30pm Adoration4:30pm Confessions

5:30pm Mass: Parishioners of St. Mary-Torun

Wed., July 9 ~ Saint Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

Thurs., July 10

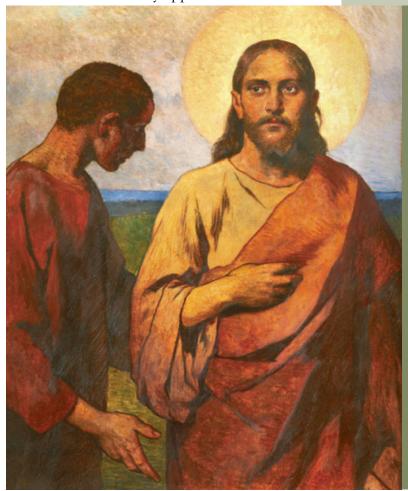
5:30pm Mass: †Jerome Konkol

Fri., July 11 ~ Saint Benedict

Sat., July 12

Sun., July 13 ~ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Confessions 8:30am Mass: *Pro-Populo*



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, "The kingdom if God is at hand for you."

- Luke 10:8-9



Can you help - Cemetery Committee. We are in need of a few volunteers to become members of our Cemetery Committee. As a member, you would play a part in reviewing our lot pricing, and reviewing and enforcing our guidelines.

If interested, please contact the office at 715-344-2599 ext. 1# or parish@toruncatholic.org.

CCD Registration. If you have CCD aged children that will be attending a program this fall, please reach out to the parish office so that we can assist you in finding the program that works best for your family. We assist in covering the fees for your student and making sure the proper student transfer paperwork is completed.

Mass Offerings. Father will be returning home for a visit and retreat beginning October 13 and continuing through November 28. Any Masses scheduled during this time have been rescheduled to open dates.

If you would like to schedule as Mass offering, date remain open in 2025 -- weekdays and Sundays. Please consider scheduling and offering to help fill our dates. The suggested offering per Mass is \$20. To schedule a Mass contact the office at parish@toruncatholic.org or leave a message at 715-344-2599 ext 1#.

Parish Council. Not too long ago, nominations were taken for Parish Council. After taking some time to reach out to our nominees, we have new members on our council. This also means that we had to say goodbye to some long standing members of the council as well.

Thank you to the following for their time on the Parish Council: Jim Hilger, Katie Cisewski, Chet Laskowski, and Bob Fenske.

Welcome to our new members: John Pingel, Craig Hintz, Jason Disher, Wayne Firkus, and Jim Peters.

A big thanks also goes out to our two members that continue for another year: Brian Lepper and Brian Cisewski.



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Ministers for next Sunday: Altar Server: Volunteer

Lector: Kristi

Eucharistic Minister: Cindy

Usher: Jim S., Randy

Money Counters: Pam, Marty, Dawn



WE PRAY

For the health and healing of Karen Liebe, Karla Konkol, Bernice Laskowski, Shirley Pliska, Delores Hintz, Jordin Rekowski, Adeline Hintz.

To have you request added, please contact the office at 715-344-2599 ext. 1# or email parish@toruncatholic.org



PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Offerings for last weekend:

Offertory: \$861 Vigil Lights: \$42 Mission Co-op: \$200 Buiding: \$300



Diocesan Annual Appeal Update

Goal: \$14,840

Pledged: \$15,851.06 (106.8%)

Participation: 43 Families includes all second collections



PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Seminarian of the Week. May we be mindful that we are always connected to the universal Church. Let us pray for our priests for tomorrow, our seminarians.



Alex Radke, who will be spending his summer in prayer and service while preparing to return to his studies in the fall.

May God bless all of the seminarians discerning their vocation to the priesthood for the Diocese of La Crosse.

This week's reflection from Fr. Francis...

We are Christ's messengers. We have to continue Christ's work of saving people. The Gospel gives some guidelines. We have to trust God. The disciples need to worry nothing about money, food, or clothing. A living faith and a corresponding life are demanded.

Christ's disciples are to be messengers of peace and love. The disciples should not only wish 'peace be to this house' but also be peace bringers and peacemakers in imitation of their master. Disciples should never lose courage. As their master, they must also be ready to bear difficulties and disappointments. They should never give up. The disciples never fear anything. Jesus is with us 'unto the end of time'. With Jesus, we have only to rejoice, for 'our names are written in heaven'. We belong to Christ.

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS July

- 13 Festival - St. Maximilian Kolbe, Almond. Sun., July 13. Grounds open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. www.stmaxkolbe.org
- 27 SpiritFest - Holy Spirit, Stevens Point. Sun., July 27. Grounds open from 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. www.holyspiritstevenspoint.org

August

Picnic - St. Adalbert, Rosholt. Sun., August 3. Grounds opent from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. www.rosholtcatholic.org

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Sweepstakes tickets should have arrived recently to your home.

We are excited to continue this sweepstakes partnership with other parishes in Stevens Point to support Youth Ministry.

Through your generosity and kindness, we have been able to send children to Steubenville Conferences, vocation trips, Mission Trips, hold Confirmation Retreats, and more events are planned.

> The suggested gift for tickets is \$5/each or \$60 for all \$16. If you are in need of additional tickets, please contact the office.

If you are interested in underwriting one of our prizes that range from \$100 to \$2500, or sponsoring postage and material costs, please contact the St. Stephen Parish Office office at 715-341-1617 ext. 101.

Your tickets can be returned to St. Stephen (sweepstakes headquarters) by using the enclosed return envelope, or through the St. Mary collection basket.

Make plans to join us on Saturday, August 16 for our "Ohana Luau" and Sweepstakes drawing beginning at 7 p.m. at St. Stephen Parish.



Check out some upcoming Youth Opportunities!

Youth Ministry Events. The youth of St. Mary-Torun are encouraged to join in the Youth Ministry Offerings through Point Catholic Faith. Our inclusion is possible through the Summer Youth Ministry Sweepstakes. Upcoming events include:

- July 23 Vacation Bible Day Camp for children in Kindergarten through Grade 5.
- August, 6 Middle School and High School Pilgrimage to Holy Hill with a stop at Little Amerricka

For information about these events, and to watch for upcoming events, visit the website at www.PointCatholicFaith.org/youthministry







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