

*Welcome to the Parish Communities of*

# ST. MICHAEL & ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST



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*December 24/25/26 2021 | Nativity of the Lord/Feast of the Holy Family*



# DISCIPLES ON THE WAY

## MASS INTENTIONS

For the Week of Dec. 27 - Jan. 2

**ST. MICHAEL - CHUTE POND**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 2**

7:30 AM † Jim Tienor  
By Tienor Family

**ST. MICHAEL - SURING**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 2**

8:45 AM † People of the Parish

**ST. JOHN - GILLETT**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 1**

4:00 PM † Brad Gerbers  
By Family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 2**

10:00 AM † People of the Parish

## MINISTERS OF THE MASS

### CHAPEL

**SUNDAY**                      **01/02**                      **7:30 AM**  
Ministers of the Word      Steve Brickner

### SURING

**SUNDAY**                      **01/02**                      **8:45 AM**  
Ministers of the Word      Steve Robillard  
Hospitality Ministers      Edie Schmidt Floyd Schmidt

### GILLETT

**SATURDAY**                      **01/01**                      **4:00 PM**  
Ministers of the Word      Joe Quade  
Hospitality Ministers      Colleen Warrichaiet

**SUNDAY**                      **01/02**                      **10:00 AM**  
Ministers of the Word      Alex Wocking  
Hospitality Ministers      Mary Clark

## Open Dates For Mass Intentions

### St. Michael Parish

**Suring, Sunday:** Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

**Wednesdays:** Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26

**Chapel, Sunday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30

### St. John Parish

**Tuesdays:** Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Saturdays:** Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26

**Sundays:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27

*Suggested stipend fee is \$10 per Mass.*

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### **Office Hours**

St. John                      Monday - Wednesday  
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

St. Michael                      Monday - Wednesday  
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

## Christmas Flower Donations

Thank-you to everyone who donated towards Christmas flowers. Donations were made in memory or honor of:



**St. John** - The Zwijacz and Roebel Families, Charrie Wocking, Harvey & Rosalie Bahrke, Brad Gerbers, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Gerbers, Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Leininger, Edward & Lucille Cisler, Julias & Linda Seefeldt, the parents of Owen & Jean Vanden Heuvel, Myron & Kathryn Baril, Mercedes Clark-Pelky, Bernard Clark.

**St. Michael** - Gerald, Donna, & Mark St. Thomas, Joseph & Mildred Hoerres, William School, Evelyn School, Brian School, Eugene & Joyce School, Ed & Gloria Coffey, Elmer & Kate School, Ervin School, Ernest & Mabel Schulz, Ray & Mary Jane Gerndt, Don & Joy Dropp, Fran & Wally Verhagen, Terry Schulz, David G. Reise, Bernard & Anna Fiebig, George & Lila Reise, Harvey, Barbara, & Linda Fiebig, Herbert & Janet Gundlach, Earl & Eunice School, Verona McLaren, Mary Lou Lubenske, Genevieve Lubenske, Roland Lubenske, Harvey Smith, Alice & Jim Flynn, Bill Flynn, Harry & Ivy Smith, Delbert Giese.



# LIVING LIVES OF MERCY

## *A Message from Fr. Francis*

Dear parishioners and friends of St. John, St. Michael, and St. Michael Chapel,

Greetings of Grace and Peace to you all.

The past years have been challenging for everyone, and yet even in the midst of the strange and unexpected circumstances we have faced, God's grace has shown through in so many ways.

Once again, I extend to all of you an open, grateful heart of welcome. Together, may we grow in strength and grace to know and celebrate together God's presence in our lives and His dominion over all things of this world. Because each of us has been entrusted with a special gift, a sacred responsibility to show others how the mystery of God is among us. We are called to go out into the world and share the message of God's love for all mankind. Let the joy of Christmas penetrate our hearts and souls, so we may change our lives to become peacemakers, love others as we love ourselves, and love God above all things.

With gratitude for all you have been and done to our parishes I hold you in my heart and in my prayer this Christmas season and always, asking God to bless you and your family with peace, joy, hope and love.

May our Lord Jesus Christ, born in Bethlehem, bless you, your families and loved ones at this blessed time of hope and grace. May the Virgin Mary, the Mother of the Child Jesus and our Mother, watch over you and our territories always.

My thanks to all of you for your wonderful support, services, and prayers. Let us therefore walk forward with faith in God and love for one another.

Wishing you all a wonderful and blessed Christmas.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Fr. Francis X. Dias

**IRS Reminder** - 2021 contributions must be received or postmarked by Friday, December 31, 2021 to qualify as a charitable donation for this year.

### ST. MICHAEL PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Each Week.....	\$2100.00
Received December 4/5.....	\$1975.00
Received December 11/12.....	\$2043.00
Retired Religious .....	\$275.00

Visit our Website at <http://stjohnstmichael.com>

## *Looking Ahead*

<b>Tues., Dec. 28</b>	<b>No Mass at St. John</b>
<b>Wed., Dec. 29</b>	<b>No Mass at St. Michael</b>
<b>Sat., Jan. 1</b>	<b>New Year's Day Mass</b> 8:30 AM at St. Michael
<b>Tues., Jan. 4</b>	<b>Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration-</b> 8:30 AM at St. John
<b>Wed., Jan. 5</b>	<b>Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration</b> 8:30 AM at St. Michael
<b>Sat., Jan. 8</b>	<b>St. John Finance Council Mtg.</b> 7:30 AM <b>Ruby's Pantry</b> 7:30 - 9:30 AM Gillett HS

### Holy Hour & Eucharistic Adoration

Beginning in January, we will have Holy Hour/ Eucharistic Adoration the first Tuesday of the month at St. John and the first Wednesday of the month at St. Michael. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited during Holy Hour and the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed at St. John until 4:00 PM and at St. Michael until 11:00 AM.

Eucharistic Adoration is a centuries old ritual associated with the Sacrament of the Eucharist. The purpose is to acknowledge Christ's presence in the Reserved Sacrament, invite people into a spiritual union with Christ, and provide a time of reflection and meditation.



### American Red Cross Blood Drive

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church  
127 S Garden Ave, Gillett WI 54124

Tuesday, December 28 - 12:00 to 5:30 PM

For an appointment, call 1-800 733-2767 or visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org)

***Give blood. Help save lives.***



### ST. JOHN PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Each Week.....	\$1615.00
Received December 11/12.....	\$1391.00
Retired Religious .....	\$407.00