



HOLY TRINITY

317 West Fifth Street, Haugen
715-234-2508

Masses

Wednesday 8:15AM
Sunday 8:30AM



OUR LADY OF LOURDES-Dobie

2411 23rd Street, Rice Lake
715-234-2917

Parish Center: 715-234-6268

Masses

Friday 8:15AM
Saturday 4:00PM
Sunday 10:00AM

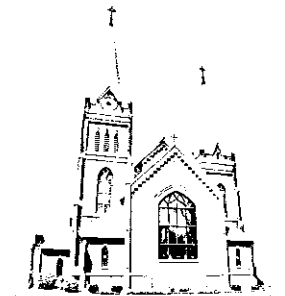


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

408 South Main Street, Birchwood
715-354-3704

Masses

Thursday 8:30AM
Sunday 11:30AM



ST. JOSEPH

111 West Marshall Street, Rice Lake
715-234-2032

Masses

Tuesday 5:30PM
Wednesday 8:30AM
Thursday & Friday 7:00AM
Saturday 4:30PM
Sunday 8:30AM, 10:30AM,
& 5:30PM

Holy Trinity Our Lady of Lourdes St. John the Evangelist St. Joseph

Reverend Ed Anderson, Pastor ext. 1
Reverend Samuel Schneider, Associate Pastor ext. 8
Deacon: Dennis Geisler

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Mary Jo Bednarek, R.N. and Karen Novotny, R.N.

St. Joseph School: Principal: Jerry Van Dyke, ext. 4

Office Administrator: Julie Mazourek, ext. 3

Baptism: Parents/God-Parents must arrange to attend a preparation class. Contact the cluster office.

Reconciliation: Individual Reconciliation is available by appointment or as scheduled in the bulletin.

Matrimony: Arrangements must be made at least six months before a tentative date is set. Contact the cluster office.

Rite of Christian Initiation: This is a process of faith sharing and liturgical celebrations to become Catholic. Contact the cluster office.

Perpetual Adoration: You are invited to be an adorer at Our Lady of Lourdes 715-296-4279 and/or St. Joseph 715-736-3266.

Adorers pray 24 hours a day/7 days a week. Call for more information.

New "Parishioners" are welcome to register in our parish communities.

Registration packets available at the cluster office or at each church.

Bulletin Deadline: Announcements and information for the bulletin must be in the cluster office by 4:00 PM Monday.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – JANUARY 28, 2018

MASSES AND INTENTIONS JANUARY 29TH – FEBRUARY 4TH

Monday	7:00 AM	St. Joseph	Communion Service
Tuesday	5:30 PM	St. Joseph	Bev Kinnick ☩
Wednesday	8:15 AM	Holy Trinity	Marie Kinnick ☩
	8:30 AM	St. Joseph	Dennis Sailor ☩
Thursday	7:00 AM	St. Joseph	Kenna LaMere ☩
	8:30 AM	St. John the Evangelist	For Andrew & Helen Sisko
Friday	8:15 AM	Our Lady of Lourdes	Agatha Weber ☩
	8:30 AM	St. Joseph	School Mass with Bishop Powers presiding
	10:00 AM	Heritage Lakeside	All Souls ☩
Saturday	4:00 PM	Our Lady of Lourdes	James Dorrance ☩
	4:30 PM	St. Joseph	Ole Svacina ☩
Sunday	8:30 AM	St. Joseph	Bob Slattery ☩
	8:30 AM	Holy Trinity	For the People of Our Cluster Parishes
	10:00 AM	Our Lady of Lourdes	Vi Solum ☩
	10:30 AM	St. Joseph	Ed Sneen ☩
	11:30 AM	St. John the Evangelist	Saint Mother Theresa ☩
	5:30 PM	St. Joseph	No Mass or Communion Service
PLEASE NOTE THE MASS TIME CHANGES FOR THE COMING WEEK.			

MINISTRIES FOR THE WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 3RD – FEBRUARY 4TH

<u>Holy Trinity</u>	<u>St. Joseph</u>
<p>8:30 AM Sunday— Altar Servers: Anna Drost, Anna Lipke Reader: Mike Bitney Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Jan Slayton, Cindy Westphal, Walt & Bev Organ, Kay Wille Ushers: Pat Rankin, Jerry Kaczmarek, Louis & Kathy Willger</p>	<p>4:30 PM Saturday— Ushers for February: Charles Brickner, Dave Brunclik (any usher present) Altar Servers: Lillian Kuhse, Tangerine Paradise (any server present) Reader: Ruth Rothstein Gift Bearers: Wayne & Joannie Rado Greeters: Diane Malinovsky, Marge Mueller Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Peggy Schoenfuss, Sandra Steiner, Jim Stoll, Diane Wallock, Marge Willkom, Loretta Brunclik, Brenda Hanson Fellowship Bakers: Marie Barrington, Vert Carlson, Brenda Hanson Fellowship Servers: Vert Carlson, Brenda Hanson Scrip Sales: Julie Johnson</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Our Lady of Lourdes</u></p> <p>4:00 PM Saturday— Altar Servers: Vern Pottinger, Abby Dykstra Reader: Charlotte Snarski Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Deb Neuheisel, Betty Haughian, Ron Derousseau Hospitality: Kurt Wallace, Kaitlyn Roux, Tom Gerber, Taylor Zuzek, Mike Smith Scrip: Brenda Derousseau</p>	<p>8:30 AM Sunday— Ushers for February: Jim Neil, Todd Hartman, Bruce Charron Altar Servers: Kendra Richter, Hailey Saffert (any server present) Reader: Francis Audette Gift Bearers: Ella Mae Saffert, Edith Richter Greeters: John & Dianne Bowen Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Greg & Sandy Swanson, Mike Morgan, Vern Volovsek, Karen Anderson, Mike & Rhonda Anderson Fellowship Bakers: Mona Anderson, Christine Knight, Edith Richter, Kathy Rieckenberg Fellowship Servers: Rod & Christine Knight Scrip Sales: Lynda Wyse</p>
<p>10:00 AM Sunday— Altar Servers: Anna & Ella Penzkover Reader: Michael Klatt Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Dan & Jill Penzkover, Mary Alice Larson, Theresa Hesebeck, Danielle Hendricks Children's Liturgy of the Word: Cindi Thurston Hospitality: Harmon & Rebecca Robarge, Dylan Dopocyk, Paul & Cindi Thurston Scrip: Laura Smith</p>	<p>10:30 AM Sunday— Ushers for February: Nathan Wirth, Tom Swanson (any usher present) Altar Servers: Alexis, Tyler & Zachary Orr Reader: Kelly Orr Gift Bearers: David & Yvonne Swanson Greeters: Larry & Jan Fetkenheuer Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Bob Fox, Sandy Roux, Pat Western, Kari Wirth, Angela Beranek, Barb Burns, Phyllis Checkalski Children's Liturgy of the Word: Sarah Sirianni Fellowship Bakers: Charlotte Goettl, Patty Murray, Jacquie Swanson Fellowship Servers: Sue Peterson Scrip Sales: Kelly Orr</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>St. John the Evangelist</u></p> <p>11:30 AM Sunday— Server: Abby Greisen Reader: Shelley Jilek Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Rod & Robbie Bauer Sacristan: Sue Rohlik</p>	

PRAYERS FOR PRIESTS, DEACONS, SEMINARIANS AND PARISHIONERS

This week we pray for Rev. Ed Anderson; Deacon William Holzhaeuser; Deacon Richard Rhinehart; and for the Robert & Nancy Neuman Family from Holy Trinity, Karen Roidt Family from Our Lady of Lourdes, Kristi Gay Family from St. John the Evangelist, and Brian & Yukiko Dennis Family from St. Joseph.

IN NEED OF PRAYERS?—St. Joseph Prayer Network: Contact Shannon Wahl at 715-234-2032 (Daytime) or 715-458-1648 (Evening). Holy Trinity, Our Lady of Lourdes and St. John the Evangelist Prayer Chain: Contact Donna Meinen at 715-234-6542. Holy Trinity, Our Lady of Lourdes and St. John the Evangelist Email Prayer Network: Contact: aydaigle@gmail.com.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS—If you or someone you know becomes sick or hospitalized and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the cluster parish office at 715-234-2032. Also, let us know if you or someone else would like to be added to our prayer list. Please pray for the following people: Mary Bilodeau, Marcus Uchytel, Samuel Uchytel, Renee Watrud, Linda Stodola, Corinne Lewis, Joannie Denison, Jeffrey James Lewis, Mary Malinovsky, Josephine Zahurance, Robert Stoker, Sr. Claudine Balio, Rhoda Schnacky, Tom Birhanzel, Stella Blake, Gerhardt Groehler, Theresa Weinert, Tristian Vobornik, Gil Daniel, Beverly Norelius, Nicole Stodola, Mike Johnston, Lanor Relford, Jim Richie, Tena Cunningham, Gary & Carol Fifarek, Melissa Howard, Kevin Mikyska, Mary Jo Krovoza, Fr. Eugene Hornung, Gary Bauer, Jerry Felten, Joe Malinovsky, Mike Cich, Pat Weseli, Laverne & Elizabeth Fossum, Jan Nichols, Chris Davis, Pat Finnegan, Taylor Willger, Arlene Harris, Joe Sirianni, Karen Ferguson, Carol Richter, Gorman Hayes, Rod Olson, Gloria O'Flanagan, Donald Skopec, Jr., Josie Romanowski, Barbara Mancl, Noah Isham, Nancy Emerson, Kathleen Roux, Joshua Anderson-West, Steven Krause, Ty Herrman, Molly Fee, Kate Heffner, Jean Robarge, Don Schleiss, Brittney Wellvang, Omar O'Connell, Lloyd & Adeline Meier, Jason Gabriel, Melissa Dollaway, Richard Dostal, Laura, Ava & Gabe Sierra, Louise Jilek, Dolores Miller, Gerry Grant, Candy Hayes, Lorraine Richter, Marge Long, Charlotte Grilley, Richard Hokanson, Irene Dodge, Joy Ranallo, LilyMae Dogoth, James Boesen, Lenny Snoble and Bob McGarvey.

WORD OF LIFE—

If a friend confided in you tomorrow that she had an abortion, would you be able to respond in a way that brings her closer to healing? Learn what to do and say in "How to Talk to a Friend Who's Had an Abortion":

www.bit.ly/friend-had-abortion
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "How to Talk to a Friend Who's Had an Abortion"

REST IN PEACE—Eugene Hanson died on Monday, January 22. His funeral will be held at Skinner Funeral Home this Sunday, January 28, at 2:00 pm. Visitation will be held at the funeral home from 12:00 Noon until 2:00 pm on Sunday. Burial will be in the St. Joseph Church Cemetery at a later date. Please pray for Eugene and his family.

Adoration Chapel

At Our Lady of Lourdes
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

JESUS invites you to come and
Spend 1 Hour with Him each week.
*"Come to Me, all you who are weary
and find life burdensome,
and I will refresh you."* Matthew 11:28



The available open hours are:

SUNDAY - 7AM, 2:00pm

MONDAY - 2:00 pm

TUESDAY - 4:30AM-6AM (Until March), 11:00 pm

WEDNESDAY - 8AM (Until April) Midnight

THURSDAY - 2AM, 11:00pm

FRIDAY - 3AM, 11AM (Every other week),
7:00pm (Every other week)

SATURDAY - Midnight, 11AM (Every other week)
Noon, 1:00pm (2X each month), 3:00 pm (1st and 3rd
until March), 7:00pm, 8:00pm, 10:00pm, 11:00pm

Adoration Phone: 715-296-4279

You are invited to take an hour for 4 weeks.
Call to talk to someone today! God Bless You!

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

ST. JOSEPH - COME SPEND AN HOUR WITH JESUS!

"Make reparation for the ingratitude of men. Spend an hour in prayer to appease divine justice, to implore mercy for sinners, to honor me, to console me for my bitter suffering when abandoned by my apostles, when they did not watch one hour with me."

Jesus to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

You are invited to spend an hour adoring Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Adorers pray **24 hours** a day in our chapel and **ALL** are welcomed. The following hours are still in need of a scheduled Adorer. If this hour does not work for you, please prayerfully consider any hour during the week to visit the chapel. Please call Kelly Orr (715-736-3266) with any questions.



Hourly Adorer	7:00-8:00 am Sundays
Hourly Adorer	8:00-8:30 am Sundays (before Mass)
Hourly Adorer	5:00-5:30 pm on Sundays (before Mass)
Hourly Adorer	2:00-3:00 am Mondays
Hourly Adorer	2:00-3:00 am Tuesdays
Hourly Adorer	1:00-2:00 am Wednesdays
Hourly Adorer	1:00-2:00 am Thursdays
Hourly Adorer	12:00 pm-1:00 pm Fridays
Hourly Adorer	4:00-5:00 pm Fridays
Hourly Adorer	12:00-1:00 pm Saturdays
Hourly Adorer	1:00-2:00 pm Saturdays
Hourly Adorer	7:00-8:00 pm Saturdays
Hourly Adorer	8:00-9:00 pm Saturdays

EVENTS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK

<p>29 Monday</p> <p>6:00 AM @ KC Hall <i>The Bible and the Sacraments</i></p> <p>6:00 PM @ OLOL Adoration Holy Hour For Vocations</p>	<p>30 Tuesday</p>	<p>31 Wednesday</p> <p>8:30 AM School Rosary Come and Join Us!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Religious Education</i></p> <p>3:45-5:00 PM @ St. Joseph Gr K thru 5 6:15-7:45 PM @ OLOL Gr. K – 5 6:15-7:45 PM @ St. Joseph Gr. 6 thru 11 Light Meal @ St. Joseph - 5:45 – 6:15 PM</p>
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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK - JANUARY 28 – FEBRUARY 3

<p>1 Thursday</p> <p>4:30 PM @ St. Joseph Liturgy Committee Meeting</p> <p>6:30 PM @ St. Joseph School KC Knowledge/Free Throw Contests</p> <p>7:00 PM @ St. John's Parish Council Meeting</p>	<p>2 Friday</p> <p>8:30 AM School Mass @ St. Joseph Bishop Powers Celebrant Come Celebrate Mass with Bishop!</p> <p>5:30 PM @ St. Joseph Anchored in Christ Adoration/Praise & Worship followed by dinner</p>	<p>3 Saturday</p> <p>9:00 AM Confessions @ OLOL</p> <p>10:00 AM & 3:00 PM Confessions @ St. Joseph</p> <p>Blessing of the Throats @ Weekend Masses</p>	<p>4 Sunday</p> <p>Blessing of the Throats @ Weekend Masses</p> <p>NO 5:30 PM MASS @ St. Joseph</p> <p>6:30 PM @ OLOL Bible Study, "The Prophets"</p>
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A LOOK AHEAD

<p>5 Monday</p> <p>6:00 AM @ KC Hall <i>The Bible and the Sacraments</i></p> <p>11:00 AM @ KC Hall KC Blood Drive</p> <p>6:00 PM @ OLOL Adoration Holy Hour For Vocations</p>	<p>6 Tuesday</p> <p>6:00 PM @ St. Joseph Rectory - RCIA</p> <p>KC Rosary after 5:30 PM Mass @ St. Joseph - Come join us!</p> <p>7:30 PM @ OLOL KC Meeting</p>	<p>7 Wednesday</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Religious Education</i></p> <p>3:45-5:00 PM @ St. Joseph Gr K thru 5 6:15-7:45 PM @ OLOL Gr. K – 5 6:15-7:45 PM @ St. Joseph Gr. 6 thru 11 Light Meal @ St. Joseph - 5:45 – 6:15 PM</p>	
<p>8 Thursday</p> <p>Confessions @ St. John's following the 8:30 AM Mass</p>	<p>9 Friday</p> <p>Confessions @ OLOL following the 8:15 AM Mass</p>	<p>10 Saturday</p> <p>10:00 AM & 3:00 PM Confessions @ St. Joseph</p>	<p>11 Sunday</p> <p>6:30 PM @ OLOL Bible Study, "The Prophets"</p>

STEWARDSHIP

Week of January 21, 2018	Holy Trinity	Our Lady of Lourdes	St. John the Evangelist	St. Joseph
Adult Envelopes	1336.00	3227.00	580.00	5738.00
ACH Contributions				
Loose Collection	131.00	255.80	30.00	664.00
* Miscellaneous Envelopes				630.00
**Miscellaneous		54.55		199.23
Total	1467.00	3537.35	610.00	7231.23
Building/Maintenance Fund		39.00		40.00

* This is Energy, Insurance, Holy Day, and other envelopes in your contribution packets.

** This is fellowship, candles, etc.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Moses told the people, "A prophet like me will the Lord, your God, raise up for you from among your kinsmen." God still provides among His people the gifts and talents necessary to continue the work of His Church. What gifts are yours to share?

PARISH OPPORTUNITIES

Happy Birthday!

Dorothy Schwab will celebrate her 90th birthday on Saturday, February 3. Love and prayers to her as she celebrates her special day!

Congratulations, Peggy Schoenfuss!

Our Superintendent of Schools for the Diocese of Superior (and mom of Matthew) Peggy Schoenfuss has been selected by the National Catholic Education Association to receive the national Lead, Learn, Proclaim Award. NCEA has a longstanding tradition of honoring and recognizing excellence and distinguished service in Catholic school education. This award recognizes the outstanding efforts, contributions, and achievements on behalf of Catholic school education. Thank you, Peggy, for all you do and Congratulations!

Come and Kick Off Catholic Schools Week with a Pancake Breakfast!!

The Rice Lake Knights of Columbus #2137 will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast at St. Joseph Church this Sunday, January 28, from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. Menu consists of: pancakes, French toast, ham, sausage, scrambled eggs with coffee, juice and milk. The proceeds from this breakfast will go to the Pregnancy Help Center. Cost of the breakfast is a free-will donation. Come and treat yourself and your family to a delicious breakfast. Thank you!

Save the date!!

Fr Ed has been asked to be a spiritual director on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The tentative dates are July 16th through the 26th. This would be a wonderful time to go to the Holy Land and visit the actual site where our Lord walked. More information will be coming out in the next few weeks. Mark your calendar!

Please Join us for the 7 YEAR ANNIVERSARY of the VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR

When: Monday, February 5th

Where: Our Lady of Lourdes
in the main Church

Time: 6:00 - 7:00pm

What: Holy Hour of prayer in the Presence of the Blessed Sacrament

Who: Everyone - Youth & Families, Young & Old
and Knights of Columbus

*Join us afterwards downstairs for hot chocolate, coffee,
& treats!!*

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30, 16:5-13; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14, 24-25, 30-19:3; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13
Friday	Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
Saturday	1 Kgs 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

Mark Your Calendar - March 11th

Holy Trinity CCW is already making plans for their 2018 Dinner on Sunday, March 11, from 11 AM to 2 PM. Again the delicious meal of pork, dumplings, sauerkraut, chicken, dressing, potatoes, gravy, corn, cranberries, roll, choice of pie and kolache will be served. Cost is \$10.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children and \$1.00 for preschoolers. Bake sale. Takeouts available. Handicapped accessible hall. No one goes home hungry. All faithful helpers and bakers are again needed.

Pax Christi Nominees for St. Joseph

Pax Christi nominees from St. Joseph are now being accepted for this award. There is a box the back of the church where people can put names for nominees. Do you know of a woman in the parish whose deeds reflect a gentle and steadfast spirit? Does her work reflect her love for God and her neighbor? Is she a role model in the parish? Has she risen above hardship, and difficulties to perform her works of charity? How has she served in her church? Does she show her Christian spirit in her everyday life? If you would like to submit someone for this award please place your nomination into the box before January 28th. *Thank you!*

Baby Bottle Fundraiser

There are baby bottles in the back of our cluster churches. Please support the work of Rice Lake's Pregnancy Help Center by taking a bottle today and filling it with your change, dollars, or a check made out to Pregnancy Help Center. Please return your bottles to the back of the churches over the next month. Thank you!

Palms

Everyone is invited to bring last year's palms to the cluster churches to be burned. There is a container for them at each church. Thank you!

Coming Soon: Brand New Church Bulletin!!

Beginning the weekend of February 11th, The Four Parishes will have a BRAND NEW Church Bulletin. It will save the Parish a lot of time and money and have a professional look with vibrant FULL COLOR. Please consider advertising in the bulletin, since the revenue from the ads is what makes the bulletin possible at no cost to the parishes. It's a terrific way to get your name in front of the parish families, business owners, and visitors at the church. Advertisements can be purchased for a business, for a family, or a sponsorship ad for a non-profit organization. This is a great way for businesses to promote what they do, while at the same time connecting with the community, and benefitting the church at the same time. If you are interested in participating or just curious as to prices and want more information, please call Gina Shaughnessy at (952) 356-6488. You can also email Gina anytime at: gshaughnessy@4LPi.com

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
OPPORTUNITIES
(GR. PK – ADULT)**

Our Cluster Religious Education Welcomes You

You are invited and welcome to bring your child/family to our cluster religious education classes at any time throughout the year. Please call Rachael at 715.234.5062 ext. 5 or email her at rhartman@chibardun.net and we will get you registered. We and the Lord want you ☺

Bible Study - The Mystery of the Kingdom

Gospel of Matthew

Join us as popular Scripture professor Edward Sri explores Jesus' "Kingdom - building" mission. What is the relationship between the "Kingdom" and the Catholic Church we see today? Why is the kingdom at the heart of Jesus' teachings? We began this study last fall and will complete it during Lent 2018. Everyone is welcome to join us.

At Holy Trinity:

Feb. 14 – March 21, Wednesdays, 9:00 - 10:15 am

At St. John's:

Feb. 15 – March 22, Thursdays, 9:00 - 10:15 am

**WARRIORS FOR CHRIST
YOUTH GROUP OPPORTUNITIES
(GR. 8 – 12)**

MASS & MUFFINS – Cluster teens are invited to come and celebrate Mass together and enjoy fellowship with each other every first Thursday of the month! Mass & Muffins includes 7am Thursday morning Mass at St. Joseph Church on the first Thursday of the month followed by gathering together in the church hall for muffins & juice. COME!!! ☺



Sign up Now!

St. Joseph School is currently compiling a list of children to be screened at our Kindergarten Screening set for March 8th. Please contact the SJS office ASAP (715.234.7721 ext. 3) if you have a child you would like to have participate in the screening. Our preschool students are NOT automatically added to the list, so 4K parents, please be sure to call!! Children do need to be five by September 1, 2018 to be considered for the 2018-2019 kindergarten class, beginning this fall.

**COMMUNITY AND AREA
OPPORTUNITIES**

McDonell Central Catholic High School presents their 37th consecutive musical "The Wizard of Oz"

Friday, February 2 at 7:30 pm
Saturday, February 3 at 7:30 pm
Sunday, February 4 at 2:00 pm

Adults \$12, Students \$6

Order tickets online at www.macs.k12.wi.us or call the school at 715-723-9126.

McDonell Central Catholic High School
1316 Bel Air Blvd
Chippewa Falls WI

Family Rosary Across America LIVE!

On Monday, January 15th, Relevant Radio[®] presented the *Family Rosary Across America*. This is the first LIVE and interactive radio program to bring the entire country together at the same time to pray the rosary. Fr. Dave Heney leads the rosary LIVE from Los Angeles, Monday through Friday at 8pm ET / 5pm PT. Fr. Dave, pastor of St. Bruno Catholic Church in Whittier, CA, is the founder of "The University Series", a large multi-parish adult education program and also is the host of the 'Come, Pray the Rosary' website.

Host Fr. Dave Heney said, "Imagine your joy as you hear people praying for your intentions, and your joy knowing that your prayers are helping others in our family of faith who are in need! Imagine people all across America joining their voices together in the rosary at the same time. Join your voice with them in this live rosary broadcast." Listeners will be able to call in or email their prayer intentions each day at 888-914-9149 or rosary@relevantradio.com to be prayed for during the broadcast.

Robert Earl Seabold Scholarship

Applications are being accepted for the \$500.00 Robert Earl Seabold Scholarship. Interested students must meet the following criteria; be a graduate of St. Joseph Catholic School; be attending an accredited two or four year school next fall; be pursuing studies in math or a related field next fall; be an active participant in school, community and church activities; and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. The scholarship will be paid out after completion of the first semester. Contact Student Services at the Rice Lake High School for more information. Applications are due by April 27, 2018.

Please complete the following with your application:

1. Your name, parent's name, phone number, e-mail address, home address
2. School organizations, activities and years of involvement
3. Positions of leadership, honors, and awards
4. Explain your involvement in church activities
5. Community experience
6. Work experience
7. Discuss your educational plans and your career goals
8. Explain how you will finance your education
9. Include a transcript

Red Cross winter blood shortage reaches critical level

Severe winter weather, seasonal flu contribute to spike in canceled donations

ST. PAUL, Minn. (Jan. 23, 2018) — Ongoing severe winter weather has more than doubled the number of canceled American Red Cross blood drives and the resulting blood and platelet donation shortfall since earlier this month. The Red Cross now considers the situation critical and is reissuing an urgent call for blood and platelet donors.

More than 550 blood drives have been forced to cancel due to winter weather in January, causing over 16,500 blood and platelet donations to go uncollected through last week. In addition, bitter cold and widespread flu have contributed to very low turnout at many blood drives.

"Blood and platelet donations are currently being distributed to hospitals faster than they are coming in," said Clifford Numark, senior vice president, Red Cross Blood Services. "Donors are critically needed to restock the shelves for patients in their community as well as areas where donors are unable to give due to inclement weather."

Every day, no matter the weather, the Red Cross must collect more than 13,000 blood and platelet donations to meet the needs of patients like Finnegan "Finn" Olson. Last January, Finn was born with a rare heart condition. He required multiple transfusions before, during and after heart transplant surgery last summer. Transfusions had an almost immediate effect on his personality and skin's appearance.

"Each time Finn received a transfusion, you could see him pink up right away and have significantly more energy," said his mother, Ali Olson. "We credit blood donation with making Finn stronger and helping keep him alive long enough to receive a new heart. Finn is living proof that blood helps save lives."

Make an appointment to give blood or platelets by downloading the free [Red Cross Blood Donor App](#), visiting redcrossblood.org or calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

Rice Lake Knights of Columbus is hosting a blood drive on Monday, February 5, 2018 from 11am-5pm. If you cannot make this drive, please locate another drive and help reduce the blood shortage. Help make a difference. Thank you, Alan Burmester, Rice Lake Knights of Columbus Blood Drive Coordinator.

How to donate blood

Simply download the [American Red Cross Blood Donor App](#), visit redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age in most states (16 with parental consent where allowed by state law), weigh at least 110

pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. High school students and other donors 18 years of age and younger also have to meet certain height and weight requirements.

Blood and platelet donors can save time at their next donation by using RapidPass® to complete their pre-donation reading and health history questionnaire online, on the day of their donation, before arriving at the blood drive. To get started, follow the instructions at redcrossblood.org/RapidPass or use the Blood Donor App.

Volunteers needed

Another way to support the lifesaving mission of the American Red Cross is to become a volunteer transportation specialist and deliver lifesaving blood products to local area hospitals. Volunteer transportation specialists play a very important role in ensuring an ample blood supply for patients in need by transporting blood and blood products. For more information and to apply for a volunteer transportation specialist position please contact North Central Volunteer Services at ncvolunteerresources@redcross.org or 651-291-3360 or visit rdcrss.org/driver.

About the American Red Cross

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