

Catholic Infertility Conference | April 10-11, 2026 | Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse, WI

This event will provide a safe space to engage with faith, hope, and community. Attendees will hear from experts in reproductive health, clergy, and fellow Catholics who share their personal experiences and insights. The conference will cover a variety of topics, including the spiritual aspects of infertility, medical and ethical considerations in fertility treatments, and practical advice for coping with the emotional challenges of this journey. With opportunities for prayer, reflection, and healing, this conference aims to help attendees with knowledge and support, reinforcing the belief that they are not alone in their experience. Join us to explore the intersection of faith and fertility, and find encouragement, guidance, and hope as you navigate this path.



Join us for the Wisconsin March for Life

Saturday, April 25, 2026 from 2-4pm
Wisconsin State Capitol State Street Steps, 2 E Main Street Madison, WI 53703

The overturning of *Roe v. Wade* was the beginning of the end of abortion. We must continue to make our voices heard until all women and children are protected from abortion and all families have the support they need to thrive. All Wisconsinites are invited to participate in this joyful and peaceful march to protect every human life. Signs will be provided. The following buses to Madison are available for \$15/person or \$45/family: Wausau-Stevens Point; Onalaska-Sparta-Wisconsin Dells; Chippewa Falls-Mauston.



Urge Your State Senator to Oppose Predatory Gambling and Rent-to-Own Bills

The Wisconsin Catholic Conference (WCC) has expressed dismay at the State Assembly's passage of AB 601, which begins the process of expanding online sports gambling in Wisconsin, and AB 742, which weakens consumer protections for lease-purchase agreements, commonly known as

rent-to-own. Online sports gambling (OSG) is highly addictive and increases consumer debt, crime, mental health crises, and suicide. Similarly, rent-to-own (RTO) transactions hurt Wisconsinites. On average, RTO transactions charge two to five times the sticker price on consumer goods. Moreover, 7 out of 10 customers fail to obtain ownership of their leased items. In other words, individuals with low incomes often end up paying more than double the sticker price and still lose their goods. This is not helping those in need, nor solving an affordability crisis—it is exacerbating it. Please contact your State Senator (to help, scan the QR code) and ask him or her to vote “no” on these bills.



Madre Peregrina Event at Christ the King Chapel – March 13–15

Christ the King Chapel will be hosting the *Madre Peregrina* (Pilgrim Mother) event next weekend, March 13–15. The weekend will begin with an opening Mass celebrated by Bishop Battersby at 9:00 AM on Friday, March 13.

Following the Mass, veneration times will be offered every two hours throughout the weekend. Each visit lasts about 45 minutes and includes a brief presentation along with the opportunity to offer a personal prayer intention while venerating the statue of Our Lady.

All are warmly invited to participate in this beautiful time of prayer and devotion.

Parish Events Calendar

- March 8:** 8:15 AM CCD Grades K-5
10:45 AM OCIA
6:30 PM Men's Lectio Divina
- March 10:** 6:00 PM Women's Lectio Divina
- March 11:** 7pm Stations of the Cross
- March 13:** 2:30pm Stations of the Cross
- March 15:** 8:15 AM CCD Grades K-5
- March 18:** 6:30 PM CCD Grades 6 & up
- March 22:** CCD NO CLASS/confirmation retreat
- March 29:** CCD Mass Participation

**3rd Sunday in Lent
March 7 & 8, 2026**

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Mass Schedule & Intentions for March 9, 2026 - March 15, 2026

03/09/26	Monday	NO MASS	
03/10/26	Tuesday	NO MASS	
03/11/26	Wednesday	NO MASS	
03/12/26	Thursday	NO MASS	
03/13/26	Friday	8:00 AM	People of St. Charles
03/14/26	Saturday	4:00 PM	† Richard Kaczmarowski
03/15/26	Sunday	9:30 AM	People of St. Charles

Ministry Volunteers Lector

Sat. Mar 14: 4:00 PM: Dan Kaczmarowski

Sun. Mar 15: 9:30 AM: Chris Magnuson

Servers

Sat. Mar. 14: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Sun. Mar. 15: 9:30 AM: Henry & Raegan

Levendoski, Brad Klinkner

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

Sun. Mar. 15 9:30 AM: Dorothy Stokke

Sacrificial Giving Tabulation

Mon. Mar. 9: Priscilla Martin, Marian Naegle & Linda Pedretti

Mon. Mar. 16: Conrad & Nancy Kirby, Keith Magnuson

Ushers March 2026

Saturday: Larry Kelsey & volunteers

Sunday: Keith Magnuson, Arnie Trussoni & Tim Gianoli

Prayer Requests

Call 608-689-2642 - requests will be passed to Father Reither & over 20 “prayer warriors” on the prayer chain.

Sacraments and Prayer

Church Hours

The church is open every day from 7 AM - 7 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:15 PM- 3:45 PM

Sundays: 8:45 AM- 9:15 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

1st Fridays: After the 8 AM Mass

Stations of the Cross

Wednesday's at 7:00 PM (March 11, 18, & 25)

Friday's at 2:30 PM (March 13, 20 & 27)

Baptism

Contact parish at least 1 month prior:
608-689-2642

Marriage: Contact parish at least 6 months prior to the wedding to schedule a date and preparation meeting with the parish priest.

Anointing of the Sick and Homebound

Inform the parish office at (608) 689-2642 if someone is seriously ill and needs the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

Sacrificial Giving: February 28 & March 1

Estimated Weekly Need	\$ 7,032.69
Adult Envelopes	\$ 3,695.00
Plate	\$ 250.00
School Support	\$ 250.00
Religious Education	\$ 155.00
Total	\$ 4,350.00