

Resurrection Catholic Darish Becoming Disciples of Jesus and Stewards of God's Gifts

First Sunday of Lent March 8 & 9, 2025



Led By the Spirit to Okolona

This week we enter fully into the Lenten Season, hearing the story of Jesus and the temptations that he faced in the desert. But the words that lead this story are what most intrigue me. "Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days."



Led by the Spirit! That is what Sr. Liz and Sr. Nancy experienced many years ago as they journeyed to Okolona, Mississippi to establish a ministry that would become Excel, Inc. That is also what eight of us from Resurrection Parish experienced last week as we journeyed, not into the desert, but twelve hours south to Okolona. Over the course of four days a new awning was built, new floors were installed, technology was updated, fresh coats of paint were applied, an office was given a makeover for new renters, and relationships were formed and strengthened. It was a great week!

In my four years here at Resurrection I have heard many times that it is too bad that we are not involved with Okolona anymore. That could not be further from the truth. Each year we have sent a team to perform needed work, much like what we did this month. The difference is that the Sisters who operate Excel now are fully in the driver's seat, reaching out to us when help is needed and wanted.

Resurrection has been involved in other ways with Okolona and specifically Excel. We continue to provide a Mission Outreach Mini Grant, usually for more money than the amount requested. The Tree of Giving Program continues to provide numerous gift cards to Home Depot and Walmart for the needs of the organization. Generous individuals have continued to contribute to the needs of the Sisters with bountiful checks. Finally, the Sisters, though not getting any younger, have continued to journey north to Green Bay when the opportunity arises. We have not left Okolona behind, that is for sure! The difference might be that we have also added numerous service and justice opportunities on a local and regional basis over and beyond what has always existed.

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Mass Schedule Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Monday-Friday 8:05 AM

Live Streaming Masses www.gbres.org/live

Reconciliation Saturday 2:30 - 3:30 PM or By Appointment

Adoration Thursday Following Daily Mass

Parish Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM Other Times by Appointment



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Tony's Article Continued

Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days. There he was tempted by Satan in various ways. As our group was led by the Spirit to Okolona, the only temptation that we experienced was the desire to remain in that community, providing the meaningful service that was performed and enjoying the relationships that have grown over the years.

In this Lenten Season, we are called to Find Abundance in Simplicity. Once again we are reminded that the people in Okolona, a depressed community in Mississippi, have little in terms of material wealth. But, with the help of the Sisters who are stationed there, they seem to find abundance in the joy of living. Many people in our community of the Green Bay area live the same reality. As we empty our closets, simplify our diets, and give generously to others, we will be led through prayer by the Spirit. Let the journey begin!

Tony Pichler

ADORATION AGAINST TRAFFICKING

Thursday, April 24, 4 p.m. -Saturday, April 26, 4 p.m.

Resurrection Parish, 333 Hilltop Dr., Green Bay, WI 54301
While the 2025 draft will bring excitement, football, and visitors to our area, large events like this often lead to increased human trafficking. Join us for the 24/7 adoration to pray for victims, perpetrators, and those fighting trafficking in our community.

REGISTER HERE:

CatholicCharitiesGB.org/Events





HEALING YOUR GRIEVING HEART

A support group for those grieving the loss of a loved one.



Begins Thursday March 6 Every Thursday through April 3 6:30-8:00 PM



This group, sponsored by Resurrection and St. Matthew parishes, will meet at Resurrection Parish For more information or to register, contact Sheila De Luca at sheiladeluca63@gmail.com or 920-217-6259

Women's Guild Spring Fete BERBY DAY DELIGHT

The Women's Guild is looking for raffle baskets and donations for raffle baskets for the Spring Fete on May 3.



Please contact Sherry Moon at sherrymoon1925@gmail.com for more info and to donate.

Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

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Saturday, March 8				
8:00 AM	Walk to Mary Preparation (Voyageur Park)			
2:30-3:30 PM	Individual Reconciliation (DC)			
4:00 PM	Mass ♥ Michael & James VanEgeren			
	and Otto & Regina Thiel			
6:30 PM	Women's Choir Practice			
Sunday, March 9	First Sunday of Lent			
8:30 AM	Mass ⊕ Lyle Mangin			
10:30 AM	Mass & Members of Resurrection Parish			
5:30 PM	Alpha (GA)			
Monday, March 10				
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ Members of Resurrection Parish			
8:30-10:00 AM	Indoor Walking (FAC)			
1:00-3:00 PM	Indoor Walking (FAC)			
6:30 PM	Taizé Evening Prayer (C)			
Tuesday, March 11				
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ John Friedel			
	and Marnie Mackin			
1:00 PM	Prayer Shawl Minsitry (PH1)			
7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus (PH)			
Wednesday, March 12	Time of Columbia (1.17)			
6:30 AM	Men's Small Group Discussions (PH)			
7:00 AM	Inclusive Small Group Discussions (DC)			
8:05 AM	Mass ♀ Bob LeBeau			
9:00 AM	Disciples Reading Group (PH2)			
1:00 PM	Sheepshead (GA)			
5:00 PM	GOD Meal (GA)			
6:00 PM	GOD			
6:00 PM	Parish Pickleball (FAC)			
Thursday, March 13	Taribin Taribana (*****)			
8:05 AM	Mass ⊕ The Deceased Members of			
	the Mineau & Szurgot Families			
6:30 PM	Healing Your Grieving Heart (PH2)			
Friday, March 14	The state of the s			
8:05 AM	Mass ♥ Elaine Strommal			
8:30-10:00 AM	Indoor Walking (FAC)			
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Saturday, March 15	maor training (Frie)			
8:00 AM	Walk to Mary Preparation (Voyageur Park)			
8:30 AM	ALPHA Saturday (PH)			
2:30-3:30 PM	Individual Reconciliation (DC)			
4:00 PM	Mass ♥ Michael Jacobs			
After Mass	Pi Day Sale			
Sunday, March 16	Second Sunday of Lent			
8:30 AM	Mass ⊕ Timothy McKenna			
After Mass	Pi Day Sale			
10:30 AM	Mass ♥ Members of Resurrection Parish			
After Mass	Pi Day Sale			
5:30 PM	Alpha (GA)			
6:30 PM	Parish Mission			
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Taizé Prayer

Taizé Prayer is a meditative prayer form. It is filled with song, Scripture, and silent meditation.

Those who attend regularly find a profound peace and tranquility in this style of prayer. Taizé Prayer helps you to calm yourself from the outside world and to open yourself to the Holy Spirit.

Monday, March 10 6:30 PM

In Church and Online at www.gbres.org/live





10th Annual Leo Hietpas Memorial Pi Day Pie Sale March 15 & 16

Celebrate Pi Day (3.14) with a delicious pie.
Pies will be sold as first come, first sold.
Pre-orders will not be available. Sponsored by the
Women's Guild and Knights of Columbus.

Please pray for the family and friends of our parish family member

Margaret (Peg) Hollmann

August 15, 1947 - February 27, 2025

May God's promise of new life comfort them all.



from the Care for Creation Committee

When faced with the scale and complexity of the climate crisis, it's easy to become fatigued and overwhelmed, and to feel like the small changes we make in our lives aren't enough in the big picture. When it's large corporations creating the majority of the problem, does what we do as individuals truly matter? Can we really make a difference?

Absolutely! As Pope Francis notes in Laudate Deum,

Efforts by households to reduce pollution and waste, and to consume with prudence, are creating a new culture. . . . Let us realize, then, that even though this does not immediately produce a notable effect from the quantitative standpoint, we are helping to bring about large processes of transformation rising from deep within society. (71)

Over the last few months, our committee has been using this space to promote simple, everyday changes that can help foster an environmentally sustainable lifestyle. As we continue to do so this Lenten season, we invite you to join us in finding abundance in simplicity (per Resurrection's Lenten theme), creating a new culture, and inspiring large transformations—in our families, our church, and our community—through small actions.

Generations of Disciples Night

All children and adults are welcome to a night of growing in faith.

Wednesday, March 12 5:00–5:45 PM Pizza Served 6:00 PM Session Begins



Easter Cards for Our Incarcerated Brothers & Sisters

The inmates at the Brown County Jail need a little hope at Easter, just like everyone! Easter cards are needed to send to those who are incarcerated.

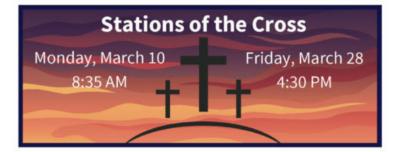
HAPPY EASTER

The parameters for the cards include:

- No stickers applied
- No crayons allowed
 - No Markers
- No envelopes
 - No glitter
- Sign only first name (s)
- Only use ballpoint pen
- Please print any notes you wish to include
- Suggestion: Include a favorite Bible passage or verse (This encourages the individual to use their Bibles to look up the passage on their own)

Please return cards to the parish office or in the baskets provided at the church entrances by Thursday, April 10.

I was in prison and you gave me hope!



Becoming Pilgrims of Hope: Reflections on The Peace Prayer of St. Francis A Parish Mission with Fr. Ed Shea, OFM

Sunday, March 16 | 6:30PM Monday, March 17 | 8:45 AM or 6:30 PM Tuesday, March 18 | 8:45 AM or 6:30 PM

Continuing our parish exploration of "Praying Always and In All Ways," Fr. Ed Shea, a retreat facilitator from Chicago and Gary, returns to Resurrection. This three-part parish mission will focus on "The Peace Prayer of St. Francis" and transform how you pray this prayer. Receptions by The Women's Guild will follow each evening and the evening programs will be live-streamed.



A Franciscan priest who loves to sing and tell stories, more than anything he thrives on celebrating the Sacraments of the Church.

Fr. Ed Shea, OFM, serves at the Franciscan Inner City Mission in the Diocese of Gary, Indiana, where he continues to be involved in bilingual ministry in the Gary/Chicago area and beyond.

Generously Supported by the Women's Guild.

Knights of Columbus Council 617 Cribbage Tournament Fundraiser

Thursday, March 20 St. Agnes Parish Social Hall 1484 Ninth St, Green Bay



Two person teams play ten games of cribbage, receive dinner and beverages for a \$50.00 entry fee. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Play starts at 6:30 p.m.

Entry forms are available at St. Agnes Parish Office and parish website, www.stagnesgreenbay.org. Deadline to register is March 14.



Resurrection Playgroup

Bring your little ones and join us for playtime, a craft, and coffee at the Resurrection Playgroup. All are welcome!

Meets every other Friday



March 21 9:30 - 10:45 AM in the Gathering Area

Please contact Sarah LeSage at slesage@gbres.org
for more information.



Resurrection continues to collect non-perishable food donations for the Hope Center Pantry.

Donations can be brought to any of the church entrances or Door #9 of the Parish Office.



Res Podcasts

Tune in to Resurrection's Podcasts.
All podcasts are available on Spotify, Apple
Podcasts, YouTube, or on the websites below.

In each episode of **Revealed**, we explore the sacred in the ordinary through stories of faith, resilience, and God's presence in everyday life. www.gbres.org/podcast

Engage in spiritual reflection with the **Auditio Divina Podcast**.

Prayerfully listen to songs across multiple genres.

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Save the Date!

Resurrection Golf Outing 2025

Sunday, June 22 Noon Shotgun Start Midvallee Golf Course, De Pere



Start forming your team now!

Parents of the LGBTQIA+ Community

Do you have questions about parenting your LGBTQIA+ youth or adult child?
*Looking for a safe place to talk within the confidentiality of a group setting?

Would you like to be able to share your story and experiences?

Consider joining our small group where we listen and share resources as we walk together on our journey.

Contact the parish office at 920-336-7768 ext 127, Dcn Kevin DeCleene at kdecleene@gbres.org, or Terri Gulyas at tsgulyas@gmail.com

Ongoing Events

Indoor Pickleball in Gym

Every Wednesday 6:00 - 8:00 PM All ages and skill levels welcome

Indoor Walking in Gym

Now until April 30 Mon & Fri - 8:30 to 10:00 AM Mon & Fri - 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Supporting Women in Crisis Pregnancies



The Alexandrina Center of Green Bay provides free and confidential pregnancy services for women and men seeking help.

They are looking for volunteers to pray for women in crisis pregnancies, to sort, organize, and pack donations for distribution, and to mentor and work with clients seeking support.

For questions or to volunteer, call parishioner Ellen Tilleman at (920) 737-3312

Weekly Adoration & Rosary



Every Thursday (except holidays) 8:30-9:30 AM Following Daily Mass

Silent Meditation and Rosary

Enrich your spirit in private conversation with Christ,
present on the altar, in glory and peace.

Bicycles Needed

Spokes of Hope is in desperate need of any repairable bikes for those lacking transportation.

Contact Tony for more information on collection options.



Prayer Shawl Knitters

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets in person on the Second Tuesday of the month at 1:00 in the Parish Hall.

The Prayer Shawl Ministry gathers together to knit and crochet shawls. Each shawl is prayed over before it is given to those who are in need of comfort and support. Contact the parish office for more information on joining this ministry or receiving a prayer shawl.

Weekly Sacrificial Giving



February 25 - March 3

Envelope Collection \$9,078.00 **ACH/Online Giving** \$8,584.43 Loose \$749.75 **Votives** \$60.00

Total for the Week

\$18,472.18

Year to Date Sacrificial Giving July 1 - February 28, 2025

YTD Actual \$714,403 YTD Budget \$680,000 **YTD Variance** +\$34,403 Church Tax Statements were If you do not receive one or have questions, please contact Bill Campion

Thank You for your support.

mailed out on January 24th. at 920-336-7768.

Bishops Appeal Update Number of Gifts Given **Dollar Amount** 600 \$105,000.00 \$100,000.00 \$95,000.00 200 \$90,000,00 \$85,000.00 Actual 22% of the way 115% of the way to our goal to our goal *Resurrection receives back 50% of donations over our goal

Afternoon of Sheepshead Card Games

from the Diocese

Play with a friendly group of sheepshead players. Popcorn and water provided.

Wednesday, March 12 1:00 - 3:00 PM in Gathering Area

Vacation Bible School Returns July 28 - August 1

Children ages 4 through entering 4th grade are invited to embark on an exciting five-day journey with Jesus, entering into the liturgical seasons and learning the significance of the season through the life of Christ.



Adult, high school, and middle school volunteers are needed.

Register & volunteer now at www.gbres.org/vbs

Blizzard Faith & Family Day

Sunday, April 6 3:05 PM

Resch Center

Come and enjoy an exciting day of indoor football with the Green Bay Blizzard and Resurrection on Faith & Family Day! Tickets are just \$15, and \$5 from each ticket will be donated back to Resurrection to support our Youth Activities.

The top 10 groups in ticket sales will share \$10,000 from Thrivent Financial! Plus, don't miss the special half-time performance by Tenth Avenue North.





Purchase your tickets online at www.gbres.org/blizzard or scan the QR code. Let's come together for a day of fun, faith, and family!

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