

## 2018 ACSA

"In Gratitude for God's Abundant Blessings"

	Goals	Pledged 11/21/18
St. Mary's	\$10,858	\$6,910
Sacred Heart	\$5,161	\$3,720
Visitation BVM	\$2,401	\$1,350
St. Sebastian	\$1,960	\$765

Cookie Exchange Party... The Tuesday Playdate group will be hosting a Cookie Exchange on Tuesday, December 11, at 10:00am at the Parish Center. Everyone from the Quad Parish is invited. Bring a dozen, take home a dozen. Or bring two dozen! Kids can play, adults trade cookies!

Lessons and Carols... Celebrate the Advent season with Scripture and carols led by the Cathedral priests and Cathedral choir. Cathedral, Sunday, December 16, 7:00pm

Carols at Noon... Mark Gifford, Cathedral Organist, will play an hour of Christmas Carols on Wednesday, December 26, noon, at the Cathedral.

Advent Study on King David... at the Parish Office Building, New Berlin, at 6:30pm on Wednesdays December 12 & 19. Fr. Seth will be leading the study.

## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

St. Mary's - New Berlin Site - PSR

Class for k-6 begins after SUNDAY MASS

Dec 9: Regular Session Snacks: Dodd Family  
Dec 16: Last Class before Christmas Break. Snacks: Kapinus  
Dec 24: PSR Christmas Eve Mass, 6:00pm.  
PSR Christmas Break Dec. 23 & Dec. 30.

Sacred Heart - Franklin Site - PSR

Class for 1-6 begins after SUNDAY MASS

Dec 9: Regular Session  
Dec 16: PSR Mass  
PSR Christmas Break Dec. 23 & Dec. 30.

Non-Denominational Youth Groups for Jr./Sr. High: NEW BERLIN... meet at Central Baptist Church from 5-7pm on 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays. Dec 9: Youth Group 5-7pm. Dec. 30: Youth Group End of the Year Party 5-7pm. Jan 2-4: Passion 2019 for college students. [newberlinyouth.org](http://newberlinyouth.org).

## PARISH & AREA EVENTS

Sacred Heart - Franklin News...

\*\*Cleaning & Donut Committee for December: General Cleaning (Those on for February Thru July).

The Pantry at Franklin Christian Church...open the third Saturday of each month 10:00-12:00pm. Contributions to the pantry accepted at church. The list of needed items: dish soap, hand soap, deodorant, combs and brushes, kids' shampoo, men's razors, rice mixes, pasta sauce, canned fruits, cereals, soups, canned meats, spaghetti, hamburger helper, Bisquick, pancake mix and noodles.



St. Mary's - New Berlin News...

\*\*Coffee and donuts will be served after Mass Sunday, December 16, in the Parish Center. Santa & Mrs. Claus will be there waiting for visitors! Everyone from the Quad Parish is invited to attend.

\*\*Angel Tree...St. Mary's Church collected over 70 bottles of Shampoo & Conditioner for the local Angel Tree at Warren-Boynton State Bank. THANK YOU!

March for Life... in Washington D.C. at the National Mall January 16-20. Registration by Nov 30 for a discount. Buses will depart the Diocese on Wednesday evening, January 16. Consider forming a group to attend. Financial assistance is available. All forms and information can be found at [dio.org/youthministry/mfl](http://dio.org/youthministry/mfl) or the Parish Office.

Cub Scout Pack 320 in New Berlin... is in need of volunteer adult leaders. Most of these positions require only an hour or two a month, nine months out of the year or less. If you are interested in helping, call/text Kara Pecoraro at (217)971-8411, email [kmerk74@aol.com](mailto:kmerk74@aol.com).

## KC Corner

1. Trivia Night at the KC Hall on Saturday, December 15. Volunteers are needed to help with the event.
2. General meeting on Wednesday, December 12, at 8:00pm at the Hall. Libby Bair, Donor Relations from the Blood Bank, will be at the meeting from 7:30-8:00pm, to take questions and talk about increasing donations. Also, a collection will be taken up for Judy Byer to help make her home handicap accessible. Everyone is invited, not just KC members.
2. The Dec. 26 Officers Meeting has been cancelled.
3. The annual free throw competition is coming in February. Time to start practicing!