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Officials

The Most Reverend Gerard W. Battersby, D.D., Bishop of La Crosse, makes the following announcements:

The Very Reverend **William A. Dhein** is reaffirmed in his appointment as Chancellor, effective May 21, 2024.

The Very Reverend **William A. Dhein**, is appointed Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, effective May 21, 2024.

The Very Reverend **Woodrow H. Pace**, is appointed Vicar for Clergy, effective May 21, 2024. He retains his appointment as Director of the Mission Office.

The Reverend **Kurt J. Apfelbeck** is reaffirmed in his appointment as Vice Chancellor, effective May 21, 2024.

The Very Reverend **Brian D. Konopa** is appointed Vicar for Senior Priests, effective May 21, 2024. He retains his appointment as Pastor of Mary, Mother of the Church Parish.

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Chancery Office

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No items this week.

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Events

As of May 21

Sunday, May 26

3:00pm Prism Concert of Marian Music for Choir and Instruments - La Crosse

Monday, May 27

Memorial Day - Curia Office Closed

9:00am Sacred Heart-St. Patrick Parish Memorial Day Mass - Eau Claire

Saturday, June 1

10:00am Diaconate Ordination - La Crosse

1:00pm Sacred Heart-St. Patrick Parish Memorial & Burial Service - Eau Claire

6:00pm Immaculate Conception Parish Pizza Saturday - Eau Claire

Sunday, June 2

9:00am St. Mary's Assumption Parish Corpus Christi Procession - Durand

9:30am Immaculate Conception Parish Doughnut Sunday - Eau Claire

10:00am Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish 16th Annual Corpus Christi Procession - Wisconsin Rapids

11:30am Holy Name of Jesus Parish Corpus Christi Procession - Wausau

11:30am Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish Corpus Christi Procession - Mondovi

11:30am Sacred Heart-St. Patrick Parish Corpus Christi Procession - Eau Claire

Friday, June 7

"the ANSWER" Eucharistic Revival - La Crosse

7:00pm Married Love Two Become One Retreat - Altoona - June 7-8

Saturday, June 8

10:00am Brat Fry Fundraiser for Marian Center for Peace - Wisconsin Rapids

1:00pm National Eucharistic Pilgrimage at the Shrine - La Crosse

4:00pm St. Peter Parish Picnic - Stevens Point - June 8-9

Sunday, June 9

3:00pm Organ Recital - Horst Buchholz at the Shrine - La Crosse

3:30pm St. Matthew Parish Sunday Mass and Healing Service - Wausau

Saturday, June 15

1:30pm March for Life Wisconsin - Madison

Friday, June 21

8:00am Queen of the Apostles Parish Huge Rummage Sale - Tomah - June 21-23

Saturday, June 22

9:00am Married Love: Two Becoming One Retreat - Wisconsin Rapids

10:00am Ordination to the Priesthood - La Crosse

Sunday, June 23

Adventure Camp - Delta - June 23-28

12:00pm Holy Name Parish of Jesus Parish Double Jubilee Celebration - Wausau

Monday, June 24

10:30am 4th Annual Diocesan Vocations Golf Outing & Dinner - La Crosse

Saturday, June 29

4:00pm St. Ladislaus Parish Event in Bevent - Bevent - June 29-30

To have your parish events listed on the diocesan calendar, diolc.org/calendar, and in *Catholic Life* magazine, please send an email to dateblue@diolc.org. Make sure you include the

following details: date, beginning/ending times, event location, description, menu and cost, etc. If you have any questions, please call Pam Willer at 608.788.1524 for more information.

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Office for Catechesis & Evangelization

Director: Ann Lankford – 608.791.2658 | alankford@diolc.org

Clergy Pulpit Announcement for May 25-26:

In these challenging times, the answer we seek can't be just human or political, it has to be spiritual. We need to rediscover Jesus and His gift of the Eucharist, which will stir our joy and our hope. That's the opportunity we have at the June 7th Eucharistic Rally, an event as significant as the Diocese has ever seen. It will feature dynamic speakers like Chris Stefanick and Immaculée Ilibagiza, Mass celebrated by our new Bishop, Gerard Battersby, with the homily preached by Bishop Robert Barron. You are welcome to register online by using the link or QR code in the parish bulletin or by visiting the parish office.



Bulletin Announcement:

Please use the text above for a bulletin announcement with the following added:

You are welcome to register online by scanning the QR code to the right with your smartphone's camera, visiting the parish office, or visiting diolc.org/the-answer.

Alternatively, individuals and groups may physically mail the Diocese of La Crosse family life office to register. The address is Chris Rogers, Office for Family Life, Holy Cross Diocesan Center, 3710 East Ave S. P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004, with checks made out to the Diocese of La Crosse. We hope to see you there!

Bulletin Announcement:

A Minute with Jesus: The Eucharist and the Most Holy Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit

Jesus gave His life for us so that our sins could be forgiven and we could be united in a relationship of love with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We refer to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit as the most Holy Trinity—three persons in one God. When we receive the Eucharist, we are not only receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus but all three persons of the Blessed Trinity. Let's pray this right now and every day this week: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you" (Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 13:14).

Bulletin editors: For upcoming weeks of proclamations entitled *A Minute with Jesus*, click here: diolc.org/eucharist/learn.

(Reminder) Bulletin Insert:

Corpus Christi June 2, 2024: "Walking with Jesus in the Corpus Christi Procession"

The annual solemnity of the most holy body and blood of Christ (also called *Corpus Christi*, "Body of Christ") finds many parishes around the world celebrating a procession in which a host consecrated at Mass is then carried in a monstrance in a solemn way through a city's streets—June 2, 2024. Like the Blessed Sacrament itself, there is more to the Corpus Christi procession than meets the eye. It is an occasion to profess our faith in the sacrament of the

Eucharist, to thank Jesus for the gift of His cross and presence in this sacrament—and to walk with Him toward the promised land of heaven. This is the eighth in a series on key themes for the eucharistic revival written by Chris Carstens, Ann Lankford, and Christopher Ruff. Visit this website or use your smartphone to scan the QR code to the right: diolc.org/eucharist/learn

Attention Parishes:

Register Parishioners for “the Answer”

For parishes wishing to register people after Mass and/or at the parish office to attend “the Answer,” information such as details about attending the day, the schedule for the day, the procession route, etc., can be printed and given to those registering at this link: diolc.org/catechesis/bulletin-inserts/. Bulletin inserts are also available at the same link.

Catechetical Leaders:

(Reminder) Theology of the Body (TOB) is Required:

TOB Middle School and High School DVD Programs by Ascension Press are required in the fall at every school and parish.

ascensionpress.com/collections/theology-of-the-body-for-teens-middle-school-edition
ascensionpress.com/collections/you-life-love-and-the-theology-of-the-body

(Reminder) FREE Theology of the Body Crash Course with Fr. Mike Schmitz—4 brief sessions

What does it mean to be human? What was God’s original plan for humanity? For relationships? For marriage? For sex? Why is the body important? Through a short series of talks, Fr. Mike will unpack the basics of Pope St. John Paul II’s Theology of the Body and why these teachings are vital in today’s culture. Sign up below for immediate access, with 4 sessions and a pdf guide: ascensionpress.com/pages/tob-crash-course?_kx=KlkdqMDg9bh-GkRyDC1BRXjArpIXEeOZv59Z7IKi_0w.TcpZhH

You can also use their marketing materials to promote the program:

Parish Materials: landing.newmanministry.com/parish-materials-2024

High School Materials: landing.newmanministry.com/chs-materials-2024

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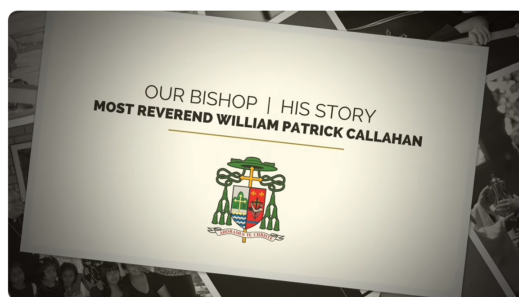
Office for Communications

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Bishop Callahan Farewell Video:

A Visual Walk Through His Journey from Ordination to Now

Please view and share in your parish bulletin this striking tribute to Bishop Callahan. It contains pictures and short video clips from the entirety of his priesthood and episcopacy. The link is located here: www.youtube.com/watch?v=FkX3Wxq97Pg. You can use your smartphone’s camera to scan the QR code to the right (for pasting into bulletins).



Bishop Battersby Media Sharing:

My team and I dedicated multiple media assets to cover Bishop Callahan's final Mass, Vespers and the Installation Mass. We will consolidate these pictures and post them to our diocesan Flickr page [flickr.com/photos/diolc/albums/](https://www.flickr.com/photos/diolc/albums/) on Friday for your use as desired. All pictures are free to download in high resolution. These pictures will be legacy pictures for our diocese and one of them is a picture of the four past and current bishops of the Diocese of La Crosse (Cardinal Burke, Archbishop ListECKi, Bishop Emeritus Callahan and Bishop Battersby).

Four bishops in a single picture is unique in our diocesan history and will be available for you and your parishioners to download and print as desired. We allocated three photographers so we will be able to provide a rich and deep visual telling of these stories. You can paste the QR code located below and to the right into your bulletin so your parishioners can access the pictures from their phones.



WXOW live-streamed the entire event and dedicated both their news anchors—we will share that recording as soon as it becomes available.

I am deeply grateful to all those who agreed to press interviews (Fathers Kuhn, Hennes, Sakowski McCarty, Monsignor Gilles, Meghan Kulig from Regis, John Francis and Father Kurzynski). It can be distracting to give a media interview, but those words, offered with joy and love, reach people who would otherwise not attend church or have fallen away. The messages and outcomes are strategic - so thank you for the selfless gift of time. Several more of these will be published in the next couple of days. Below is a snapshot of the media coverage yesterday. The most notable sections are the livestream recordings and the Bishop Battersby interviews.



Thank you also to Zach (who live-streamed all three celebrations), Danelle (who designed the title cards and augmented our professional photographer with her talented eye), and Clint (who did all social media posts—check out his reels). None of our diocesan media is possible without them.

Bishop Battersby's interview with Dustin / WXOW four days ago:

wxow.com/news/incoming-bishop-battersby-excited-for-new-mission/article_fc48e92e-1484-11ef-b80c-e79552042022.html

Bishop Callahan's final Mass can be viewed here: youtube.com/watch?v=JYB71FkkYjc

Vespers can be viewed here: youtube.com/watch?v=eAZYGLhM9Dc

WKBT Post Vespers Coverage (Father Kuhn): youtube.com/watch?v=cmEO0cbc-d0

WKBT's brief installation Mass preview: youtube.com/watch?v=vxjRJhkGwfY

Bishop Battersby's Installation Mass can be viewed here: youtube.com/watch?v=g52CUEaKERg

La Crosse Tribune (Behind paywall - but good pictures and quotes):

lacrossetribune.com/life-entertainment/local/faith-and-values/bishop-battersby-installation-la-crosse/article_f8b688ac-16d7-11ef-9397-ebbe5340ca5b.html#tncms-source=login

WEAU: weau.com/2024/05/20/bishop-battersby-be-installed-bishop-diocese-la-crosse/

WIZM:

wizmnews.com/2024/05/20/battersby-installed-as-newest-bishop-for-diocese-of-la-crosse/

Bishop Battersby's interview w/ WXOW just moments after the installation Mass concluded:

wxow.com/news/new-bishop-installed-for-the-diocese-of-la-crosse/article_d771185a-16fb-11ef-a109-879c049e9254.html

Post-installation comments from Monsignor Gilles with clips from the installation:
wxow.com/video/what-goes-into-the-installation-ceremony/video_492c180a-9593-55e4-a682-0b8690debd30.html

Printable National Eucharistic Pilgrimage Roadmap and Full Details for Your Parish and Parishioners:

The May/June issue of Catholic Life is a single-stop location for parishes/parishioners needing information about the NEP. The centerpiece is a printable “roadmap” that outlines each stop’s events and timeline as well as the overall schedule and visual route. The pages are easy to print and distribute and are the most fulsome document available. The issue also contains commentary from our own clergy (Fathers Check, Kizewski, Guanella) and national-level leaders (Bishop Cozzens). If you would like a single location to direct your parishioners to or to post on a bulletin board - this is it. Your parishioners can use their smartphone’s camera to scan the QR code to the right or visit this link:
catholicmagazines.org/magazine-archive/catholic-life/lc0524



Register, Register, Register:

One-click. You’re registered. Follow this one link:
(eventbrite.com/e/the-answer-tickets-656957195657?aff=oddtcreator) to register or use the QR code to the right: ready-made for pasting into bulletins.



Attention Pastors, Parish Administrative Assistants and Secretaries:

For those parishes who wish to have Parish Message Lines on the back cover of the July/August 2024 issue of *Catholic Life* magazine, please enter them by Wednesday, May 22. The July/August issue is expected to arrive in homes by approximately Friday, June 28. Please direct questions to Sr. Donna: dkrzmazick@diolc.org

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Office for the Diaconate

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(Reminder) For Your Calendar:

May 4: Continuing Formation – La Crosse Diocesan Center
June 1: Ordination to the Diaconate – Cathedral of St Joseph the Workman in La Crosse
June 7-12: National Eucharistic Procession – Diocese of La Crosse

· Friday, June 7 – “the ANSWER” – Eucharistic Rally

- o La Crosse Center – Downtown La Crosse
- o To register and for more information use your smartphone to scan the QR code to the right or visit:

diolc.org/the-answer/ and
diolc.org/pilgrimage/

- Sunday, June 9 – Holy Hour for Deacons and Families

- o SS. Peter and Paul – WI Rapids
- o 4:45 p.m. - 5:45 pm with Sunday Mass to follow at 6 p.m.
- o Deacons of Wisconsin Rapids Deanery will lead Holy Hour
- More details are also available on NEP Website –
eucharisticpilgrimage.org/

- Sign up on the website to stay informed!

June 22: Ordination to the Priesthood – Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman in La Crosse

Aug. 10: Bishop's Day with Deacons and Wives – La Crosse Diocesan Center.

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No items this week.



Office for Marriage & Family Life

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“the ANSWER” Eucharistic Rally! Less than one month away!

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Crosswoods Family Camp | Aug 2-4 and Sep 20-22 | Delta, WI:

Family Camp at Crosswoods Camp

Please follow this link to see the flier and contact information:

drive.google.com/file/d/1ujzDVH6QaobSSqML7DEzpnPF7joTmekC/view?usp=sharing

Worldwide Marriage Encounter:

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience is like Springtime. It's a weekend of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is—call now! Weekend dates are Sept. 27-29 in Dubuque, Iowa and Nov. 8-10 in Holstein, Iowa. Call Denise & Greg for more information or sign up at wwme.org.

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Office for Missions

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Office for Sacred Worship

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Office for Safe Environment

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DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE:

The Diocese of La Crosse, through its [policies and procedures](#), seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Teresa Brown, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004.

Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Brown at 608.791.0179 or intakeagent@diolc.org. The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting. **Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities.** Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local Parish and on the [diocesan website](https://diolc.org). If you have any questions about the Diocese of La Crosse and the implementation of the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*, please contact Teresa Brown, Diocese of La Crosse, at 608.791.2679 or tbrown@diolc.org.

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Office for Catholic Schools

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Office for Social Concerns

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Office for Stewardship & Development

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Planned Giving – Leaving a Legacy, Wills, Bequest, and Endowments:

- Planned Giving Bulletin Ad:
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Are_You_Concerned_about-the-future-nocrop.pdf

We have been entrusted with precious treasures passed down from our ancestors, and it's our responsibility to ensure that future generations can also enjoy the splendor and reverence of a well-maintained parish. One way to achieve this is by utilizing the capital campaign and providing information on endowments, trusts and bequests to the parishioners.

Our estate planning guide can help save hundreds of dollars in legal and financial estate planning costs. We have mailed out several hundred copies per individual request, and each Parish has received a copy. Please feel free to contact our office for additional copies.

Visit diolclegacy.org, our Planned Giving website, to find calculators and more information, sign up for a newsletter, and request specific estate planning guides and information. Our website also provides instructions on how to do an IRA rollover, the creation of donor-advised funds (DAF), beneficiary designations, and stock transfers. diolclegacy.org/?pageID=5

Please contact Jeff Reiter at jreiter@diolc.org for more information on legacy giving, presentations, or ads for your Parish bulletin.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflections for Weekends:

- 05/26/24
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/05.26.24-stewardship-bulletin-announcements.pdf
- 06/02/24
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/06.02.24-stewardship-bulletin-announcements.pdf
- 06/09/24
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/06.09.24-stewardship-bulletin-announcements.pdf
- 06/16/24
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/06.16.24-stewardship-bulletin-announcements.pdf

Stewardship Homily Reflections:

Stewardship reflections for your homily development:

- For Weeks 05/26/24 - 6/16/24
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Homily-Guide-05.21.24.pdf

Weekly Stewardship Quotes (shorter bulletin reflections):

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- diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Stewardship-Bulletin-Reflections-April-June-2024.docx
 - Spanish Version
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Stewardship-Bulletin-Reflections-April-June-2024-Spanish.docx

Weekly Stewardship Prayers of the Faithful:

May-June 2024

- diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Stewardship-Prayers-of-the-Faithful-April-June-2024.docx
 - Spanish Version
diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Stewardship-Prayers-of-the-Faithful-April-June-2024-Spanish.docx

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Office for Temporalities

Diocesan Finance Officer: James Reider – 608.791.2668 | jreider@diolc.org

Catholic Mutual Group - Risk Management Minute:

After three years of decline, international travel is returning to previous levels. The complexity of risks experienced by travelers is creating uncertainty. How should parishes and schools coordinate international mission trips, exchange programs and pilgrimages? Developing a structured approach to evaluating and implementing your parish or school's travel is essential. Risks where medical and security threats exist must be taken seriously. Planning is vital when traveling overseas and may be the difference between a safe, enjoyable travel experience and a catastrophe. Please see this week's risk management minutes on [Mission Trips/Service Projects](#) and [Youth Trips Involving Overnight Stays](#). If your parish or school is planning domestic or international travel, please contact Ben Burrow with Catholic Mutual at (608) 519-9890 to assist in coordinating a successful travel experience.

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Office for Vocations

Director of Vocation Recruitment: Fr. Nate Kuhn – 608.791.2666 | nkuhn@diolc.org

Bulletin Announcement:

Diaconate Ordination | Jun 1 | St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral

Please join us in celebrating the Ordination to the Diaconate. Transitional Deacons: Joseph Glatczak, Matthew Szymanski, Brian Ward. Permanent Deacons: Timothy Betker, Joseph Block, Thomas Falbo, Sean Hanson, Nathan Mueller. Reception following at the La Crosse Center.

Ordination | Jun 22 | St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral:

Please join us in celebrating David Nowicki's Ordination to the Presbyterate. Reception following at the Holy Cross Diocesan Center.

For Priests Only (Not for Bulletins):

Fr. Nowicki's Mass of Thanksgiving, St. Anthony de Padua, Athens, WI - 3 p.m. Sunday, June 23. Reception following at St. Anthony School Hall, 309 Mueller, Athens.

Please Include the Following Intercession for Vocations for your Sunday Prayers of the Faithful:

We pray that God will fill those called to vocations of marriage, priesthood, and religious life with the courage and faith to respond to a life of service through the power of the Holy Spirit

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Consider Adding a Vocations Paragraph to Your Parish Bulletin:

Below is an example – they will be changed each week. Feel free to use any or all of them.

Have you asked someone recently?

Do you know someone in your life that you think would make a good priest? Have you ever told them that? If not, you should! A significant, contributing factor to young men discerning the priesthood has been the invitation and encouragement they receive from others, particularly

parents, teachers, mentors and role models. Don't be afraid to tell a young man that they would make a good priest, as that may be just what they have been waiting for. Once you encourage them, don't hesitate to put them in contact with me to continue that conversation. I can be reached at: Fr. Nate Kuhn, Director of Vocational Recruitment for the Diocese of La Crosse, 3710 East Ave. S. PO Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602; or by phone at: 608.791.2667. God bless you!

(Reminder) 4th Annual Vocations Golf Outing | Jun 24 | Fox Hollow in La Crosse:

Do you know a business that would like to be a birdie sponsor, a hole sponsor, or donate an item for the raffle? Do you want to join us for golf or just for a meal? Please contact Renee' Orth rorth@diolc.org or 608-791-2667. Visit diolc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Golf_tri-fold_19APRIL_Fillable.pdf for more information.

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Office for Vicar for Clergy

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Priest Unity Days | Jun 20-21 | Holy Cross Diocesan Center, La Crosse:

Please use the following link to register: diolc.org/vicarforclergy/priest-unity-days-registration. A tentative schedule will be posted soon. Rooms are available at the Comfort Inn by the interstate (608-498-4143 / \$89 per night) or at the Gundersen Hotel (right down the street / 608-793-0200 / \$119 per night).

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Office for Youth & Young Adult Ministry

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The Newman Connection:

We are once again partnering with the Newman Connection to assist in getting incoming college Freshmen connected with the Newman Center on their campus. You may have already received an email from the Newman Connection. Please use this link to sign up for the program:

share.hsforms.com/1GLP12-1tQ_OL7pZyvpVWNA2t65q

You can also use their marketing materials to promote the program:

Parish Materials: landing.newmanministry.com/parish-materials-2024

High School Materials: landing.newmanministry.com/chs-materials-2024

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