



## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH



## St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church

### ALL SAINTS SCHEDULE

#### SUNDAYS

**7:30am** – Traditional Mass

**9:30am** – Bible Study (Zoom)

**11:00am** – Gospel Mass

#### TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

**9:30am – 12:00pm** – Food Pantry

**5:00pm – 6:00pm** – Meal Program

**6:00pm** – Pastoral Council (1st Tuesday)

**6:00pm** – Finance Council (4th Tuesday)

#### WEDNESDAYS

**9:00am – 11:00am** – Bedroll Ministries  
(1st and 3rd Wednesday Every Month—Sewing RM)

**12:00pm** – Bible Study (Zoom)

#### CHURCH / FOOD PANTRY ADDRESS

4051 N 25th St, Milwaukee WI 53209

#### PARISH OFFICE ADDRESS & HOURS

4060 N 26th St, Milwaukee WI 53209

**9:00am – 3:00pm** – Tuesday through Thursday

**Phone:** (414) 444-5610

**E-mail:** AllSaintsMKE@gmail.com

**Website:** [allsaintsmke.org/](http://allsaintsmke.org/)

**St. Vincent de Paul:** (414) 462-7837

### ST. MARTIN DE PORRES SCHEDULE

#### SUNDAY MASS

**9:00am**

#### FOOD PANTRY

**3:00pm – 4:30pm** – Mondays

**11:00am – 2:00pm** – Thursdays

#### MICAH JUSTICE TEAM

Meets monthly after 9:00am Mass

#### BROTHER BOOKER ASHE

#### LAY MINISTRY PROGRAM

**7:00pm – 9:00pm** – Wednesdays

#### MAILING ADDRESS

128 W Burleigh St, Milwaukee WI 53212

#### CHURCH ADDRESS

3114 N 2nd St, Milwaukee WI 53212

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**8:00am – 3:00pm** – Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday

**8:00am – 12:30pm** – Thursday & Friday

**Phone:** (414) 372-3090

**E-mail:** [SMDPMilw@gmail.com](mailto:SMDPMilw@gmail.com)

**Website:** [smdpmilw.org/](http://smdpmilw.org/)



## ALL SAINTS

### Welcome New Members!

If you are interested in joining our parish community,  
New Members packets are located in the back of the church.  
You may also call our Parish office at (414) 444-5610  
or visit our website at [allsaintsmke.org](http://allsaintsmke.org).

### PARISH STAFF

<b>Rev. Michael Erwin</b> Shared Pastor/Administrator	(414) 292-0534
<b>Rev. Anthony Anorue Okore</b> Shared Associate Pastor	(414) 292-0536
<b>Rodney Van Bibber</b> Outreach	(414) 292-0532
<b>Peggy Bowles</b> Faith Formation	(414) 292-0535
<b>Shiela Bost</b> Music Director	(414) 292-0531
<b>Steve Austin</b> Maintenance	(414) 292-0538

### PARISH TRUSTEES

<b>Joyce Simms</b>	<a href="mailto:muffcake@sbcglobal.net">muffcake@sbcglobal.net</a>
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### PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR

<b>Papa Yorke</b>	<a href="mailto:papa.asankoma@gmail.com">papa.asankoma@gmail.com</a>
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### FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIR

<b>David Lacroix</b>	<a href="mailto:dauidlacroix5417@gmail.com">dauidlacroix5417@gmail.com</a>
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<b>Rev. Anthony Anorue Okore</b> Shared Associate Pastor	
<b>Carma Teasley</b> Administrative Assistant	
<b>Peggy Bowles</b> Faith Formation	
<b>Mary Words</b> Music Director	
<b>Felice Schell</b> Musician	
<b>Omar Jones</b> Maintenance	

### PARISH TRUSTEES

<b>Lillie Holoman</b>
<b>Darryl Johnson</b>

### FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIR

<b>Lillie Holoman</b>
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## FROM THE PASTOR

### —FR. MIKE TO LEAVE IN JUNE

On Sunday, January 14, I surprised the four parishes by announcing that I will be leaving in June. This was my choice as I realized that I no longer have the energy to bring together four parishes.

For five years I brought together two parishes in western Kenosha County. Then I spent 11 years in Dodge County finishing a merger of three parishes into one site while also bringing into that pastorate three more parishes. These 16 years of parish restructuring seems to have zapped all of that kind of energy out of me.

Many people have expressed sadness and frustration over my decision, which I understand. We have been getting specific projects moving forward – it is my intention to work with all of you over the next five months to keep building momentum on these projects to make the work of my successor lighter.

The future of Catholic Parishes in this state is this model of multi-parish pastorates. This model is happening in many other dioceses in the United States, Canada, and beyond. The Dodge County parishes I restructured are currently under further restructuring so there will be two pastorates for the whole county. Racine and its surrounding cities are doing the same – being brought together under two pastorates. The city of Waukesha went to one pastor for four parishes over five years ago. I could give many other examples. This isn't happening only to handle the reduced number of priests and reduced number of people coming to church, but it is a model to explore how to best use the internet, utilize specialized ministers, and have larger turnouts for unique evangelization opportunities. I hope you can even see this combined bulletin as an opportunity to explore your faith by following the Holy Spirit to an interesting event at a neighboring parish; you aren't betraying your parish but becoming a stronger Catholic to help your parish.

The Gospel reading for February 4 reports how Jesus healed many people then went off to pray and then went on to the neighboring village so as to preach to the whole of Galilee. We experience miracles locally but follow Jesus as he goes to the whole territory. May the Holy Spirit help us to follow and imitate Jesus.

*Fr. Michael Erwin*

## FUTURE ARTICLES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are currently preparing a once-a-month bulletin/newsletter. Don't see your group's event or meeting listed? Please be sure to submit all articles and pictures to the following e-mail addresses:

**ALL SAINTS AND ST. MARTIN DE PORRES**  
[mkeccparishesnorthbulletin@yahoo.com](mailto:mkeccparishesnorthbulletin@yahoo.com)

**ST. MICHAEL AND ST. ROSE**  
[mkeccparishessouthbulletin@yahoo.com](mailto:mkeccparishessouthbulletin@yahoo.com)

We will have some pages dedicated to all groups and some that are parish-specific.





## ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE FEBRUARY 14, 2024

### ST. MICHAEL

9:00am—Mass

7:00pm—Mass

### ST. ROSE

8:15 am—(Liturgy of the Word without Mass)

### ALL SAINTS

12:00 pm—(Liturgy of the Word without Mass)

6:00pm—Mass

### ST. MARTIN DE PORRES

7:00pm—Mass

## PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETINGS

### ST. MARTIN DE PORRES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

6:00pm in the Parish Hall

### ALL SAINTS PARISH

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

6:00pm in the Rectory/Parish Offices

Both of these meetings will be focused on the results of the town hall meetings and creating teams to empower on the highest priorities.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Save the dates and plan to attend future events!

**FEBRUARY 25 2024—10:30 AM**

**ST. MICHAEL PARISH**

Presentation on supporting Myanmar Refugees.

More details are forthcoming.

### MEN'S REVIVAL

**MARCH 15, 16, & 17, 2024**

**ST. MARTIN DE PORRES PARISH**

Hosted by the Black Catholic Men's group, this revival will feature Fr. Charles Smith. More details are forthcoming.



## ADORATION REMINDER

**Saturdays • 10:00am to 11:00am**

**St. Rose Parish**

You are welcome to join us for Adoration. Spend some time in prayer and reflection!



St. Martin de Porres Parish Life Committee invites you to celebrate African American History Month. Join us every Sunday immediately following Mass on:

### February 4 Sunday Trivia:

You can test your knowledge of local and historical facts - pick up quiz sheets on Jan. 28 and submit answers after Mass on February 4. The top three participants with the most correct answers enter the drawing for a gift card

### February 11

- Sharing Our History - a word from our Elders

### February 18

Black History Trivia Bowl

healthy trivia bowl between the generations

### February 25

"Soul Food" Sunday Potluck

sharing the foods that remind us of our heritage.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**Fridays during Lent • 5:30pm • St. Martin de Porres**

You are welcome to join us during the Lenten season. Plan to make this a part of your Lenten journey!



## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Join us for these Daily Mass opportunities at the following locations as continue to pray for our neighborhoods and receive God's nourishment multiple times of the week.

### ST. MICHAEL

Monday through Friday—9:00am

Confessions—8:30am

### BAKHITA HOUSE (NEXT TO ST. MARTIN DE PORRES)

(across the parking lot from the church)

Tuesday—5:15pm

### ALL SAINTS

(enter through side choir entrance)

Wednesday—5:00pm

## ANCESTRY COMING IN APRIL

There will be ancestry classes being offered through St. Martin de Porres Parish by Deeply-Rooted Ancestors and Heritage LLC. These classes will teach our community how to build their family tree and navigate through census records. Ariel Arnett is organizing this event. More details to come.



## FIRST COMMUNION FAITH FORMATION

Peggy Bowles, our Faith Formation Director, is making a final call for children who wish to be prepared for their First Communion. Our parishes have been hosting Faith Formation on Sunday mornings, which has been well attended.

First Communion will be on Sunday, May 5, 2024. If you want to make sure your child is included, please call the All Saints or St. Martin de Porres Parish Offices soon, as there will be additional classes involved.



## THE ARCHDIOCESE of MILWAUKEE PREPARES FOR ARCHBISHOP LISTECKI'S *Upcoming Retirement!*

As required by canon law of all bishops who reach age 75, Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKi will submit his resignation to the Holy Father on March 12. He will continue to serve as Milwaukee's archbishop until Pope Francis accepts his retirement and appoints a new archbishop for Milwaukee, a process that has no set timeline. Learn more about Archbishop ListECKi's accomplishments, and the many upcoming celebrations being planned in his honor at [www.archmil.org/ListECKi](http://www.archmil.org/ListECKi).

## Join Catholic Charities at the Greater Milwaukee Area Lenten Luncheon!

with Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKi



Archbishop ListECKi will honor three awardees with the Treasures of the Church Awards, given for their compassionate service in communities throughout southeast Wisconsin.

We thank them for their partnership in Catholic Charities mission to provide service to those in need, to advocate for justice, and to call upon others to do the same.



**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

**11:30 AM - 1:00 PM**

**ST. FRANCIS DE SALES SEMINARY**

3257 S. Lake Drive  
St. Francis, WI 53235

**\$25 PER REGISTRANT**

**Register today!**

**[www.ccmke.org/Lenten-Luncheons](http://www.ccmke.org/Lenten-Luncheons)**

[www.archmil.org/  
Pray-Reconcile-Rejoice](http://www.archmil.org/Pray-Reconcile-Rejoice)



Scan the code for  
more information.



*Pray, Reconcile & Rejoice*  
**12 HOURS of**  
*Reconciliation*

On **Wednesday, March 20, 2024**, area priests will be available for the sacrament of Reconciliation at 11 parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.