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*How is what  
I AM DOING  
going to help a  
parish or school?*



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR ANNUAL MMCPIC PICNIC!

**When:** Friday, August 1, 2025

**For:** All employees in the MMCPIC building

**Details:** Mass at noon in the Mater Christi Chapel with Bishop Schuerman

\*Picnic immediately following Mass outside on the Pavilion (rain site- B118/119) Catering provided.

\*Door prizes – Terrific baskets with a variety of items! Each employee will receive 10

tickets to put in for the door prizes.

\*Purchase additional door prize tickets with all proceeds benefiting La Sagrada Familia 1 for \$1, 6 for \$5, and wingspan for \$20

\*Please remember to dress appropriately for Mass and the picnic (this is also a Jean's Week for Charity benefiting La Sagrada Familia).

Thank you! We look forward to this fun event!



## THE GREATER ARCH OPEN

**Who:** Everyone is Invited to Participate

**What:** The Arch Mini-Golf Competition

### Team Design Challenge

- Each department forms a team to design and build one mini golf hole.

### Par & Playability

- Each hole = Par 3, max stroke allowed = 5.
- Holes must be accessible to all.

### Creative Twists

- Add features like ramps, tunnels, themed decor, even sand hazards or balance beams—just watch for safety and stability!

**Where:** Throughout the Mother Mary of the Church Pastoral Center at various departments.

**Why:** Team Building, Collaboration, Stress Relief, Fun!

**When:** Tuesday, July 29 from Noon to 4:00 p.m.

**How:** Contact your local Soul Team member or Human Resources for your department to be assigned a hole.

On the day of the event individuals can play the 18 holes individually or as a group. Score cards will be provided along with a map of the holes. Holes can be played in any order.

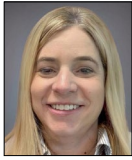
**Soul Team Members:** John Barker, Angie Doney, Jenni Oliva, Carol Abuya, John Bruns, Laurie Cosson, Zabrina Decker, Jenny Michaels, Rebecca Patton, Cynthia Garcia, Shelly Taylor, Molly Farrell, Brianna Duff, Jackie Luther, Mario Ortiz, Meg Aspinwall, Steffany Garcia, and Jennifer Pollock.

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## WELCOME



Jill Winkler

**Welcome Jill Winkler!** Jill started with us Monday, July 7, as Associate Director of Senior Priest/Clergy Wellness Manager. Here is a little bit about Jill:

**Spouse:** Robert Winkler

**Kids:** Sam (16 y/o), Alexa (14 y/o)

**Church:** Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

**Prior position:** NICU Social Worker at Children's WI

**Degree(s):** BSW (UW Whitewater 1997) and MSW (UW Milwaukee 2001)

**Hobbies:** Watching my kids in volleyball and soccer, walking, and reading

**Pets:** Bailey, our loveable Cockapoo

**Favorite food:** Lasagna



Kate Oates

**Welcome Kate Oates!** Kate started with us Monday, July 7, as Graphic Designer in Communications. Here is a little bit about Kate:

**Church:** I attended St. John's

Catholic Newman Center at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and am looking for a new church in Milwaukee!

Prior position: College student and graphic

design intern for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at the University of Illinois.

**Degree(s):** Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design and Bachelor of Science in Advertising.

**Hobbies:** Singing, reading, playing ukulele, crafting, and baking.

**Favorite food:** I love pastas and breads! My favorites are focaccia and croissants.



Pamela Thiel

**Welcome Pamela Thiel!**

Pam started with us Monday, July 21, as Family Service Advisor for Holy Cross Cemetery. Here is a little bit about Pam:

**Kids:** I have two grown daughters, Amanda and Rebecca (31 and 29 years old) and a Son-in-Law, Michael. They are my pride and joy. Amanda is a Pilot and still lives in Florida. Rebecca and Michael were married about 2 1/2 years ago after Rebecca earned her master's degree in educational psychology.

**Church:** I really just finally settled in... here in Wisconsin with my daughter, Rebecca, and son-in-law, Michael, so haven't established myself as a parishioner yet, but

I intend to go to St. Stephen for Mass at least in the short term.

**Prior Position:** I just relocated to WI from Florida where I worked in upper business management for a large distributor to the Dry-Cleaning Industry. I worked for that company for almost 11 years and worked my way up from Office Manager to General Branch Manager and eventual Vice President on the Board of Directors. Prior to that I worked for the Archdiocese of Chicago as CRE (Coordinator of Religious Education) for St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish in Palatine, IL. It was such a blessing to be able to raise my daughters in the church and through the program that I was running. Working for the church was the best job I have had so far. When they were forced to overhaul the Faith Formation Program, my position was no longer needed at the parish. I chose to move to Florida where both of my daughters were attending college.

**Pets & Hobbies:** Faith and family are everything to me. I am a true animal lover, and I guess one could say my hobbies revolve around animals. My dog Peanut has been my little sidekick for the past 10 years. I found her randomly 10 years ago on Christmas. She was 4 months old...a tiny "mutt" who looks like a combo of Yorkie and Chihuahua. My cousin was fostering her when a stray in his neighborhood had a litter...after they had weaned, so as soon as I laid eyes on her that Christmas, I fell in love, and she's been with me ever since! I have fostered many kittens and cats over the years and was involved with a TNR program back in Florida (TRAP, NEUTER, RETURN).

**Degree:** My degree is in Business Administration

**Favorite Food:** I love all kinds of food! I don't have a favorite but for taste, Italian!



## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Will (Vocation's Office) and Jenna Hudson on the birth of their baby girl! God has blessed their beautiful family with Bernadette Marie Hudson. She weighs 7 pounds 6 ounces and is 20 inches long. She was born on July 11 at 4:40 a.m.!



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## COMING SOON!

SOUL Team will be offering more opportunities for prayer. Be on the lookout for more information in the coming weeks. For now, please remember we have Adoration every Tuesday in the St. Francis Chapel 8-9 a.m. and check the What's Happening email for summer Mass opportunities.



## ANNIVERSARIES

### Happy Anniversary To Those Celebrating Milestones In August!

**Maria Sanchez Vera**, Cemeteries, 1 year

**Mario Vallejo**, Cemeteries, 1 year

**Anh Clausen**, Evangelization & Catechesis, 1 year

**Steffany Garcia**, Evangelization & Catechesis, 1 year

**Mark Williams**, Cemeteries, 1 year

**Brianna Duff**, M P & L, 1 year

**Nancy Lechuga**, Finance, 5 years

**Mark Schrauth**, Seminary, 15 years



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO EVERYONE CELEBRATING THIS MONTH!

<b>Marie Emerson</b>	Cemeteries	August 1
<b>Mary Ann Bickler</b>	Development	August 2
<b>Barbara Anne Cusack</b>	Chancery	August 3
<b>Natalia Penaloza-Ferreira</b>	Tribunal	August 5
<b>Donna Steffan</b>	Finance	August 5
<b>Lisa Brielmaier</b>	Seminary	August 7
<b>Fr. Andrew Infanger</b>	Campus Ministry	August 7
<b>Kim Kasten</b>	Finance	August 8
<b>Michael Waddell</b>	Finance	August 9
<b>Jerry Topczewski</b>	Archbishop's Office	August 11
<b>Jack Hauser</b>	Cemeteries	August 12
<b>Janet Stern</b>	Finance	August 14
<b>Rebecca Patton</b>	Development	August 16
<b>Fr. Christopher Klusman</b>	The Deaf Apostolate	August 21
<b>Letzbia Laing-Martinez</b>	World Mission	August 21
<b>Samantha Wright</b>	Finance	August 21
<b>Laurie Cosson</b>	Liturgy	August 22
<b>David Spataro</b>	Cemeteries	August 26
<b>Jodi Bowers</b>	Clergy Office	August 27
<b>Debbie Brotz</b>	Seminary	August 28
<b>Anh Clausen</b>	Evangelization	August 28
<b>Shannon Coan</b>	Archbishop's Office	August 28
<b>Gina Rucic</b>	Communications	August 28
<b>Sandra Schubert</b>	Seminary	August 31

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