

The Way | A Roadmap 2017-2018

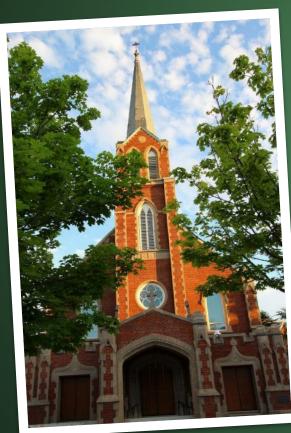


St. Norbert College Parish

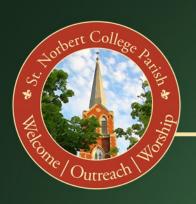
Seeking to know, love, and serve God.



The Way | An Overview

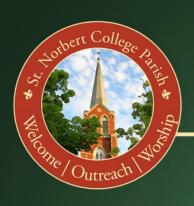


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The Amazing Parish Prayer

Heavenly Father, You have gathered us together as a parish to be Your visible life in our world. Here we unite in worship, proclaim Your word, celebrate the Eucharist, and are sent forth to share Your love and make disciples. Lord, we take your Great Commission (Matthew 28: 19-20) seriously and long for our parish to be so on-fire that we draw people to You. Help us in that endeavor, as we strive to work together—students, faculty, staff, and those we affectionately call our year-rounders. Please make our parish amazing, through Your power and Your grace. Amen.



Mission

Diocese – As friends and followers of Jesus, we are devoted to fostering households and communities of discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.

SNCP - Guided by the Holy Spirit, Sacred Scripture, Roman Catholic tradition, and the Norbertine ideal of communio, St. Norbert College Parish is dedicated to maintaining a welcoming, caring and nurturing faith community grounded in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



Vision

Diocese - We are missionary disciples striving to lead all people to the Kingdom of God.

SNCP - St. Norbert College Parish provides opportunities for growing and maturing in Catholic faith through liturgy, prayer, education and faith formation, and social justice ministries; respecting the religious traditions of other faiths, as well as the dignity of all God's people regardless of gender, race or way of life.



Our Parish

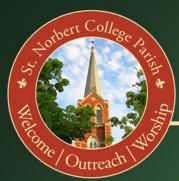


St. Norbert College Parish has a bright glow about it. Yes, the sun setting over the church is a sign. But the real sign is when you look inside. It's the amazing people that make St. Norbert College Parish glow.



Our College of Chaplains





Our Parishioners

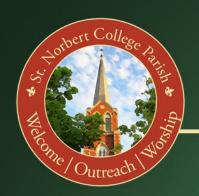




As partners on a journey, we commit to use our strengths and gifts in order to know Christ better and to make Him better known to others. We will do this through our Catholic Tradition and Norbertine values of Communio by;

- * Worshiping
- * Connecting
- * Growing
- * Serving each other.

Our commitment to one another and to God on the road to discipleship.



Worship - to connect with God

St Norbert College Parish offers you:

- An opportunity to encounter Jesus through active, engaging liturgy
- A sacred environment with beautiful music and encouragement to actively participate.
- Opportunity for Reconciliation, Communal Rosary, Devotion and Mass*
- A warm welcoming environment

What St Norbert College Parish asks of you:

- To fully enter and actively participate in every weekly Mass
- To attend Holy Days of Obligation and participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- To put worship as a top priority in your family

rect - our relationships with others

St Norbert College Parish offers you:

- Our promise to be present and
- care for all our parish members to the best of our ability, through
 - o Building relationships and meeting the needs of one another
 - o By providing opportunities to meet fellow parishioners and grow as a faith family

What St Norbert College Parish asks of you:

- Recognize Jesus in everyone
- Come early or stay awhile after Mass and purposefully talk to others in the parish community
- Attend at least one parish social function each year



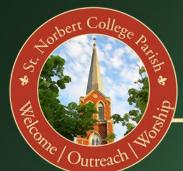
Grow - to deepen the understanding of our faith

St Norbert College Parish offers you:

- Offering a variety of opportunities to grow in your prayer life, spirituality and life-long educational formation
- These opportunities include discussion groups, book studies, prayer experiences, at home studies, personal growth classes, adult, child and youth formation, small community groups and speakers on a variety of pertinent topics

What St Norbert College Parish asks of you:

- A commitment to daily prayer
- To continue to grow in your faith life
- Commit to participate in at least one parish opportunity to grow in your faith and to connect with other parish members



Serve - to imitate Jesus through acts of Love

St Norbert College Parish offers you:

- Being a generous community that extends to you Christ's love, a kind of helping hand and a promise of prayer for your family
- Providing you with opportunities to serve others within our parish and community

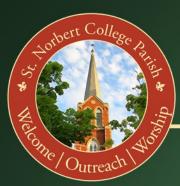
What St Norbert College asks of you:

- To give from the abundance our Lord has graced you with and to give back with a heart of gratitude through
 - Serving in a ministry
 - Volunteering for special parish events
 - Supporting your parish financially
 - Give weekly during offering
 - Use parish envelopes and online giving for tax deductible donations
 - Recurring donations can be set up online https://snc.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/SundayCollection



Vibrant Parish Community

- A parish of Forgiveness, Reconciliation, Healing
- The People faith in action; Faculty, Staff, Students, and Year Rounders
- Stewardship Prayer, Service, and Sharing (leads to financial healthiness). Time Talent Treasure.
- Evangelization
- Outreach Tithing 10% of operating budget for outreach. \$225000 budget means \$23,000 for mission work; CCO items, this includes BP appeal etc
- Active Parish Leadership (councils, ministries, NCC) Road Maps = Rebuilt / Divine Renovation, Celebrating Success Video,



Building on a Strong Foundation

"Therefore everyone who hears these words of Mine and acts on them, may be compared to a wise man who built his house on the rock." Matthew 7:24

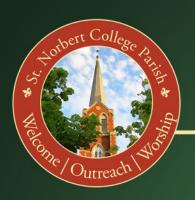
Our faith life at the parish is informed, deepened, and strengthened by Norbertine ideals.

Radical Hospitality

• All are welcome, valued, and treated with respect and dignity.

Communio

- Our "Norbertine-ness" is built on the foundation of communio. This ideal strongly influences both residential and academic life and is characterized by mutual esteem, trust, sincerity, faith, responsibility.
- We live communio through open dialogue, communication, consultation and collaboration.



Leadership | Engagement

- Pastoral Leader Deacon as parish leader
- Norbertine College of Chaplains 8 to 10 Norbertine Priests that share in celebrating the Sacraments (*Mass, Funerals, Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Anointing*)
- Advise/support Parish Council, Finance Council
- Active Ministries Worship/Liturgy, Faith Formation, Evangelization, Stewardship, Community Care & Outreach / Living Justice



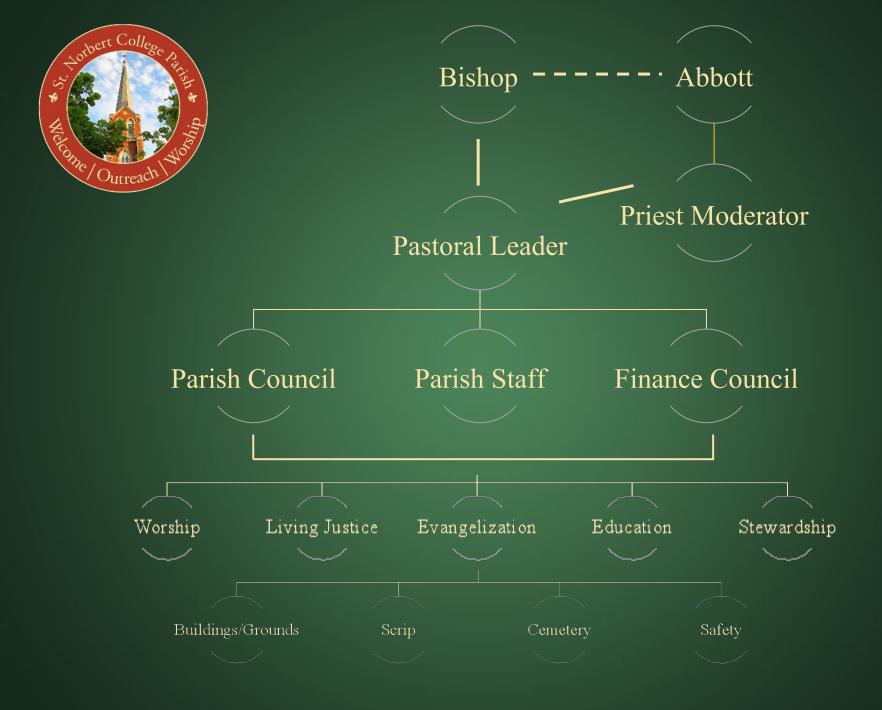
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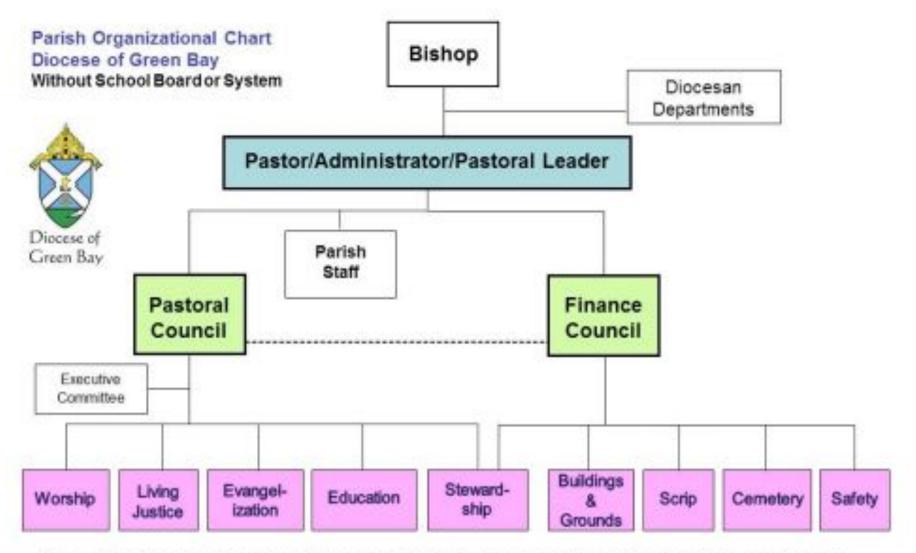
Listening Sessions Input

Hospitality through cookies after Mass

Financial; clear understanding of where we at

Tithing toward outreach (10% of operating budget is for outreach. \$225000 budget means \$23,000 for mission work; CCO items, this includes BP appeal etc)





Note: Depending on the size and unique situation of each parish, not all committees listed here will be present in each parish. For example, if the parish does not have a cemetery or a scrip program, the parish would not have these committees. Each parish must have a Pastoral and Finance Council. Though the parish may not have all the committees listed here, the parish should regularly seek to strengthen it's Worship, Living Justice, Evangelization, Education, Stewardship, Building & Grounds and Safety.



<u>Student Role YR Adhoc/Comments</u>

Annie Chair Travis

Alex Nomination

Clay Religious Ed Matt

Mitchell Stewardship Bryan Eric Wagner/ Membership

Nick

Pat Worship Deb

Stu Evangelization through student engagement

Living Justice / CCO Anne ASK; Eric Wagner, Cody, Caden

Finance Janine Caden, student bookkeeper

Open Secretary Nancy