

New Notice as of March 24, 2020:

The Diocese has asked that parish offices be closed to the public. Mary will be in the office mornings to do minimal and basic operations, with some of them being done from her home. However, **office doors will remain locked.** Should you have a need to come in for some reason, please call the office in advance. Oftentimes, what needs to be discussed can be done through a phone call or email. You can also call Mary at her home, if needed.

For those who are able to contribute at this time, the Diocese has also offered online giving for our parishes. This is set up on the Diocese of Superior website. You can designate your contributions specifically for our parish. Otherwise, please mail your envelopes to Good Shepherd, PO Box 295, Rib Lake, WI 54470, OR place them in the small basket in the center aisle in the church. PLEASE use checks instead of cash at this time, if possible.

We received word from Bishop that the Chrism Mass is “delayed.” This Mass will be offered at a later date, when we return to normal.

If Bishop is well, he plans to celebrate the Triduum privately, and services will be live-streamed to the Diocesan website. More information will be available as that time nears. We are anticipating priests will be privately celebrating the Triduum at their parishes. Please keep watching for future updates.

Regarding Anointing of the Sick, this will be offered only in necessity, with proper directives given to priests by the Bishop.

Even though this be a time to bear our crosses, we recognize that our strength comes from the Lord, and He will never desert us. So remain filled with hope and the joy in knowing that together we can uphold one another in prayer during this challenging time.