

Mary Bailey



I have been a member of St. Mary's Parish for over 50 years. My children attended St. Mary's School. I was a registered nurse and worked as the school nurse through the Lincoln County Health Department for 25+ years. I am retired and presently volunteer as a parish nurse.



My name is Mary Luedke. I am married to Gary with 4 adult children and 18 grandchildren, 3 of whom attend St. Mary's School. I am a seamstress for the interior design industry. We've been members of St. Mary's Parish for 23 years and this is my second time on Parish Council. I'm very excited that I will be a member during the Eucharistic Revival and hope to bring that revival to our Parish!

Pete Pintens



My wife Ann and I have been members of St. Mary's Parish for over 30 years. All of our six children attended St. Mary's School and currently five of them reside on the east coast and one in the Chicago area. Previously I had served on the St. Mary's School Education Advisory Committee, was actively involved with Life Teen, and recently have been trying my voice with the choir. I look forward to assisting the council in any way I can.

Jeff Walker



My name is Jeff Walker. My wife Jean and I have been coming to St. Mary's for over 45 years, the last eleven as Tomahawk residents. Being allowed the opportunity to cantor for the last three years has been a gift. Singing at Mass compels me to look deeper into the meaning of the readings and Psalms than if I were listening from the pew. I understand that the responsibility of the council is to provide a channel of communication between the faithful and our priest on matters affecting the life and ministry of the parish community. With the Bishop's recent Pastoral Plan for Maintenance to Mission, which offers challenges and opportunities, my prayer is that I can do so effectively and compassionately.



St. Mary's Parish Pastoral Council

Meet Our New Members

Dave Bablick



Most people in the Tomahawk community know me as Deacon Dave. I am 77 years old. I was raised in the Butternut/Park Falls area and came to Tomahawk in 1969. I was an Industrial Arts instructor and wresting coach at Tomahawk High School. I left teaching to work in the Corrugated Medium industry in 1973, retiring in 2011. After answering the call to the Permanent Diaconate in 1993, I was ordained in 1998. My wife, Ginny, and I have three daughters, four grandchildren, and three great grandchildren. My greatest joy is to serve my God, my family, and my church communities of St. Augustine, St. Francis and St. Mary's as a deacon, FOCCUS instructor for marriage preparation, and an OCIA instructor. I have served the Lincoln County court system and I am a member of the Civil Service Commission for the past 30 years. I also served the State of Wisconsin as a hunter safety program instructor for 22 years.

Hello! I am Jayne Boebel. I have been a member of St. Mary's Parish since 2016. I have been married to my husband, Mel, for 42 years. We have one daughter, one son and one precious granddaughter. I am happily retired! This allows me to spend more time with the church ministries that I love! These include Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion for Mass, the homebound and the nursing homes, working weekly shifts at the St. Mary's Thrift Store, creating desserts for the weekly Community Meal and as needed for the funeral luncheon committee, and, finally, as an active member of the newly formed Evangelization Core Team. I am very much looking forward to serving my parish further as a Pastoral Council Member!

Jayne Boebel



Mike Orlowski



My name is Mike Orlowski. I was born & raised in Tomahawk. I graduated from St. Mary's School, Tomahawk High School, and Marquette University. I married Doris Robinson in St. Mary's Church on September 8, 1962.

Kari Selthofner



My name is Kari. My husband, Curt, and I moved to Tomahawk in February, 2024 from Pine River, WI where I served on the Parish Council at Sacred Heart of Jesus in Poy Sippi for 6 years as well as in Environment Ministry and as a reader. I have been blessed to move closer to my mom and my two sons and their families. I love to garden and dabble with painting. With the help of prayer, God's guidance, and my new-found church family, I hope to help to the best of my capabilities as I share in the ministry as a member of the Parish Council. Please pray for me!