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NEWS AND REPORTS

Clerk’s Corner by Carrie Bruha, Town Clerk

2025 Elections

A huge thank you to all of the election workers for their hard work and dedication during the spring primary and general elections. The spring election exceeded expectations with 2260 voters; a 74% turnout. Of all votes cast, 35% were early absentee votes. There are no other elections this year.

Park Pavilion Grand Opening June 7, 2025

Property tax bills

The second installment of the tax bill payments is due to Washington County Treasurer on or before July 31, 2025. Do not mail them to the town hall because it takes longer to process.

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Brush Pit

The town has a brush drop-off location at 2291 State Hwy 83. It is open April through November on the second Saturday of the month 8 a.m. – noon. This is for brush only.

Road Work

There are a number of town road projects planned. Information will be posted to the town website as it becomes available. Slow down for road workers for the safety of everyone, and plan for longer drive times when necessary.

Chairman’s Update by Dennis Kenealy

As we welcome our new board members, James Schwabach and Austin Cordell, we thank Dean Schober and Brad Bautz for their service to the town.

Meanwhile, we are interviewing candidates for Zoning Administrator and Zoning Clerk. We’re sorry to see Jenny leave the town zoning department for another opportunity. The department advanced considerably under her guidance with better organization and

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resident counseling than in the past. Additionally, Jenny played a significant role in making our elections run smoothly as Carrie's deputy clerk. We'll miss Jenny and wish her all the best.

The new, spectacular Pavilion will be open this June. A heartfelt thanks to all the volunteers who made this possible. This is a great addition to the Town of Erin.

With the recent additional borrowing for roads, you will soon see construction throughout Erin. The inconvenience will be worth it once the projects are completed.

Wishing everyone a wonderful summer.

Zoning News and Reminders by Ken Priesgen, Zoning

The zoning department will see changes in the next few weeks. As Dennis mentioned in his update, Jenny, our zoning clerk and deputy town clerk, is leaving us for another opportunity. Jenny was an exceptional zoning clerk. As a quick study, she learned the finer points of our code and was able to work alongside our zoning administrator to streamline processes and, therefore, make it easier for residents and developers. We wish Jenny good luck and thank her for her years of commitment to Erin. We're interviewing candidates for her position and hope to have it filled soon.

We're also reviewing the zoning administration role and will likely be interviewing candidates in conjunction with filling the zoning clerk position. A complete reorganization of the zoning department will require patience from residents as new people become familiar with their responsibilities.

Remember our two-wheel friends on motorcycles or pedal bikes are out and about. Please do not blow grass and yard waste onto the roads as that's often the cause of motorcycle or bike accidents.

Erin is open for ATV/ UTV traffic. Thanks to so many residents and volunteers who helped along the way for making this happen. The ordinance governing ATV/UTV operation is posted on the website. Mapping will be uploaded to the state trail system map for access. Please reach out to me or Emergency Management Officer Brad Bautz for questions, comments or concerns. Please get out and go for a ride to see our beautiful town.

It's great to see our park pavilion project nearing

completion. We have such a great park and the pavilion is the nucleus. Our park is where many come to relax and socialize. We hope that will only increase with our beautiful new pavilion. A special thanks to all those who made that possible.

Please get out and enjoy what Erin has to offer and support the local businesses who support our town.

Emergency Management / Law Enforcement by Bradley Bautz, Director



As we continue to have the threat of severe weather, it's a good time to review the differences between watches and warnings.

A Severe Thunderstorm Watch means conditions are favorable for the formation of severe storms with damaging winds, dangerous lightning and large hail. A Severe Thunderstorm Warning means these conditions are occurring. A Tornado Watch means conditions are favorable for the formation of tornadoes. A Tornado Warning means a funnel cloud was sighted or a tornado has touched down: **TAKE SHELTER IMMEDIATELY.** Go to the lowest level of your home or building, and stay away from windows.

A weather alert radio, available at most electronic stores, is an excellent way to help protect yourself and your family. You can also receive weather warnings on your smartphone. There is no need to sign up. As long as your phone is WEA (Wireless Emergency Alerts) capable, you will receive them, and they are free.

Brush disposal

You're encouraged to use the brush drop-off at the town's dump site or recycle.

Please be cognizant of conditions before you burn. Your fire **must be attended at all times.** You must be near the fire. You cannot burn during a burning ban. Do not burn if the windspeed is greater than 9 miles per hour. Violations can result in a citation from the town.

Burning rules:

- No burning permits are required
- When fire danger is high, very high, or severe, all

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outdoor burning is banned (this includes fireworks, which are already restricted by county ordinance) by order of the emergency management director, or town chairman. Outdoor cooking on grills is an exception. I will notify the sheriff's department and local radio stations when this ban occurs. Notices will be on the town posting boards and the website.

At any time of year:

- **Open fires must be attended at all times.**
- The jurisdictional fire department or preferably the Washington County Sheriff's Office must be notified of any bonfire in excess of 10 feet in diameter or if a large area of grass is burned, generally considered larger than a quarter acre.
- Fires can't be started on the roadway surface and only leaves and grass can be burned in the right-of-way.
- **The burning of garbage, plastics, rubber, treated wood, petroleum products or anything that emits noxious or toxic odors is PROHIBITED.** The DNR already bans the burning of these items as they pose a health hazard to residents if burned.
- The DNR also prohibits the burning of solid waste by businesses.

Address signs

Please make your address sign visible for our emergency responders, and do not move or otherwise modify them, which is a violation of town ordinances. If they get damaged or need to be replaced, please contact the town clerk for a free replacement. There are a number of them around town that need to be replaced, due to readability, and will be ordered soon.

Our local fire departments asked that all driveways remain clear for emergency vehicles. This is particularly important on very long driveways or driveways that have brush, trees, or low-hanging branches that get in the way. Fire apparatus keeps getting taller and taller, and fire trucks and ambulances need the space to avoid damaging your trees and their equipment.

Shout-outs

Thanks to everyone involved with the St. Patrick's Day Parade for their hard work and cooperation. Even with a new route, the parade went really well.

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I am continuing to work with the school, churches and others on safety and security. Emergency management training classes are available as time permits.

Let me know if you are interested in contributing to the town's emergency operations plan. There will be opportunity for stakeholder input. I'm working on updates while awaiting guidance from the state regarding the plan's structure.

Have a safe and happy summer.

Erin Park by Maureen Fitzsimmons-Vanden Heuvel

We welcome our new Park Manager, Brian Schaefer, who comes to us with a wealth of experience. Former Park Manager Todd Kozlencr is staying on temporarily to help when needed. Brian's first day was March 17, a chilly and subdued St. Patrick's Day in the park. We're not complaining. Thank you, Brian, for taking on this position, which requires expertise in many areas.

The Annual Hartford Union High School Day of Service was April 23. Erin-Go-Bragh Park was blessed to have 10 amazing students and one teacher work alongside Brian Schaefer and Todd to rake, mulch, pick up sticks and garbage and make our park look pristine. They took special care to make our Erin Veteran's Memorial look fantastic for Memorial Day. Thanks to all who participated in giving back to our community.



By the time this newsletter is in your hands, toilets should be flushing in the new Erin Rangers Baseball Pavilion, which looks incredible. Thank you to our Erin Soccer and Baseball Clubs, who provided the use of porta potties until the new baseball pavilion was completed.

The Town Hall is scheduled for painting mid-summer. It's fantastic to see our Disc Golf Course being used daily,

along with our walking paths and sports courts. For the summer of 2025, the park has never looked better.

Hartford Union High School by Katrina Cravy, Director of Communications



Hartford Union High School District

Feel the excitement at
Hartford Union High School

VISION House SOLD in ONE

Day
The VISION House was on the market for one day and sold for the asking price of \$434,900.

Thanks to the 12 HUHS students

who spent the year building an amazing home.

Hartford Rotary has been proud to partner with HUHS to construct 27 VISION

Homes in our community. The program offers HUHS students the experience to design and build a home. They learn practical hands-on construction experience, open pathways to well-paying careers and find options beyond traditional college routes. These skills of creative design and active home building experience help them become self-sufficient and adaptable in a changing workforce.



Strong minds and bodies

HUHS has 28 Scholar Athletes. The 10 schools in the North Shore Conference take pride in being part of a conference that not only achieves athletically but also academically.

To recognize the student/athletes who achieve at high levels athletically and academically, the North Shore Conference Scholar Athlete Award was created.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Erin School News



brought the excitement of the game to life, setting the stage for an unforgettable program.



Congratulations Class of 2025

School summer office hours are 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

If new neighbors move in, please let them know to stop at Erin School for a visit and to register. If you are new to the Town of Erin and have questions, please call us at 262-673-3720.

Erin School offers childcare for our students:

- Early Morning Care – Students may be dropped off in the multi-purpose room as early as 6:30 a.m.
- 4K Extended Day – for parents needing their child to be here outside of the regular 4K classroom time.
- After School Care – Students can be picked up after school until 6 p.m.

There is an hourly fee for these programs. Please contact the front office for more information.

Grandparents Day 2025 – “Take Me Out to the Ballgame!”

This year, we hit a home run with our Grandparents Day celebration! With a spirited baseball theme, the day was filled with fun, community, and heartwarming memories. We were honored to welcome many grandparents and special friends who joined us for the festivities.

The day kicked off with a special presentation by the Lake Country DockHounds, a professional baseball team from Oconomowoc. Mr. Mueller shared insights and stories that

Our Kindergarten, First, and Second Grade students then took the field—with an energized and joyful performance that left the crowd cheering.

A big thank you goes out to Coach Mueller and Coach Pinzon, along with all of our dedicated staff, for bringing this celebration to life. Your hard work made Grandparents Day 2025 another unforgettable event for our school community.

We are grateful for our grandparents and special friends who continue to support and inspire our students. You knocked it out of the park!



Erin’s 51st Annual Fun Fair was a big success! Thank you to everyone who planned, organized and worked as well as those of you who came to support our school. The Fun Fair is our PTC’s biggest fundraiser, and money raised directly benefits our students.

Child Find

Erin School District is required to locate, identify, and evaluate all children with disabilities, including children with disabilities attending private schools in the school district, as well as homeless children. If you have concerns regarding your child, please contact the school at 262-673-3720.

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Job hunting?
Are you looking for a job where you can pick the days you work? Do you like working with kids? Erin School is looking for substitute teachers.

A Three-Year Short-Term Substitute license may be issued to an applicant who holds a degree from an accredited college or university and has successfully completed an approved substitute training program, but has not completed a state-approved educa-



tor preparation program. Once an educator holds a current Three-Year Short-Term Substitute license, they may short-term substitute at any Wisconsin school district that wishes to hire them. Erin School wants to add you to its sub list.

We are also in need of substitute paraprofessionals and kitchen help. These positions do not require a sub license.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please contact Mrs. Kalina at 262-673-3720 ext. 5000 to schedule a 30-minute meeting to learn about Erin School, the requirements of the job, the training program and how to apply for a license.

Erin School District Future Planning

After our well failed unexpectedly and needed to be replaced last year, the Erin School Board decided to conduct an on-site audit of our school facilities. CESA 10 facilitated this audit and provided the district with a comprehensive facilities maintenance and capital project plan. This plan identified short and long-term concerns, proposed solutions, and gave general estimated costs to help with future

planning. The goal of this audit was to help the district prioritize where we need to invest our limited funds, advance our learning environment, conserve energy, reduce operating/maintenance costs, improve occupant comfort, and increase safety and security where applicable. The plan helped set short and long-term priorities over the next 10 years. Once the facility plan was complete, the auditor met with our Building and Grounds team and updated our current 10-year plan. This was then presented to our school board. The facility plan can be found on our website:

https://www.erinschool.org/district/CESA10_FacilityAudit_ERIN2024_FINAL.pdf

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www.erinschool.org or check us out

on Facebook to keep up on things

happening at Erin School. And also

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Erin Youth Baseball Club

by Andy Bath



Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting

The community is invited!

- Ribbon Cutting & Field Dedication Ceremony
- Open Hour Tours of the new park pavilion
- Youth Baseball Scrimmages
- Adult Softball Games
- Live Music Performance
- Raffles & More

Saturday, June 7, 2025 | Starting at 10:00 a.m.

Erin Go Bragh Park | 1846 State Road 83, Hartford WI 53027

Scan code for Schedule of Events



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This award is granted to seniors who:

- Earned at least three varsity letters in sports sponsored by the conference (at least one during senior year)
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5
- Have had no athletic code violations

Recipients receive a certificate in recognition of this honor.



Day of Service

On April 23, the entire staff and student body of Hartford Union High School came together for the annual HUHS Day of Service, spreading out across Washington County to volunteer at more than 100 sites. With energy and purpose, they raked yards, cleaned parks, organized supplies, planted flowers, painted community spaces, and more—all in the spirit of giving back. Their collective efforts left a visible and meaningful impact throughout the county, showcasing the power of community, compassion, and teamwork.



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Your New Board of Education



School Board 2024-25

From Left to Right: Nolan Jacket, Tiffany Stapleton, Tracy Hennes, Heather Barrie, Kenneth Mueller

St. Patrick's Day Parade by Derek Wilcox, Committee Chairman

Despite the St. Patrick's Day falling on a Monday, parade attendance and participation remained strong. We had 28 float entries and, once again, participants impressed us with fresh and creative designs. Based on community feedback, we introduced a family viewing area near the north end of the parade route. This addition was well received, and we plan to make it a permanent feature.

As a privately funded event, we deeply appreciate the community's support—especially through participation in our 50/50 raffle. Special thanks go to the teams at Erin Inn and Linkside Grill for their help in selling tickets. Looking ahead to next year, we warmly welcome volunteers and anyone interested in helping with parade planning, execu-

tion or cleanup.

Many thanks to those who help make the parade possible:

- Washington County Sheriff's Department and the deputies who helped coordinate the crowd and traffic.
- Derek Wilcox — Parade Committee Chairperson
- Jaime Wilcox – Float entry signup coordination
- Randy Wilcox, Barb Wilcox, Julie Roberts, Jaime Wilcox and Nicole Peelman- Our volunteers who helped with police coordination, entry alignment, general road supervision, traffic control and parking.
- Barb Wilcox, Randy Wilcox, Jaime Wilcox, Dave Thimm, Weston Jaeger— road cleanup.
- Laura Rodamer, Kim Gonzales, Chris Gatzow– Parade Float Judges
- Erin Inn – Irish Pub and Linkside Grill for monetary donations
- GFL Environmental — use of donated dumpster.

This year's King and Queen: AJ Arndt and Sidney Dewar

Parade prize winners:

- General Category
- 1st: Minor's Garden Center, Inc.
- 2nd: Forward Financial Group
- 3rd: Erin Adventure Club
- 4th: Erin Meadows Neighbors

Best Animal

- 1st: Diamond C Performance Horses
- 2nd: "Idaleen" WE Energies Ambassador



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Erin Hills

by John Morrissett



The USGA is excited to welcome the best players in the world to Erin Hills.

We appreciate the partnership with the town of Erin for the U.S. Women's Open Championship May 29 – June 1. Tickets and more information are available at uswomensopen.com.

2025 Town of Erin Road Projects by Dean Schober

PAVING PROJECTS*

Terry Road—STH 83 to CTH O

Emerald Drive—CTH K to Shamrock Ln.

Monches Road

Town Hall South Parking Lot

*Projects include pulverizing, re-grading and culvert replacement

CHIP SEAL

Waterford Road—CTH K to Powder Hill Rd

Druid Lake Road—Dry Hydrant to Taylor Road

Pleasant Hill Road—CTH K to Old CC

Roosevelt Road—east end

St Patrick Lane—STH 83 to east end

Meghan Lane—1.5" Hot Mix overlay and chip seal*

Troll Hill Road—1.5" Hot Mix overlay and chip seal*

Donegal Road—Dublin Road to West end, Double chip seal

Kilcock Road—double chip seal

*Overlays to be done by Kartchner Brothers

CRACK FILL AND MASTIC PATCHING

Waterford Road

Pleasant Hill Road

St Patrick Lane

Druid Lake Road

TREE CUTTING AND STUMP GRINDING

Emerald Drive—done by Washington County with shared revenue funds)

Various other projects; some using our crew, others with contracted professional services

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FOR THE U.S. WOMEN'S OPEN.



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Schauer Arts Center by Donna Dienhart, Marketing Director

Summer Fun at the Schauer Arts Center
Join us this summer at the Schauer Arts Center for a blend of entertainment and arts education for children and adults. Experience the high-energy performances of the Kids from Wisconsin, outdoor live music in our picturesque Courtyard, and explore a variety of exciting new classes offered by the Schauer School of the Arts. Don't miss out on a season filled with fun.



The Kids from Wisconsin are excited to present their new show, "The Heat is On Summer Playlist," on Friday, June 27, with performances at 2 and 7 p.m. This summer-themed show features a curated playlist of the most iconic and sun-soaked medleys, sure to transport the audience to beach days, road trips, backyard barbecues and bonfires. It promises enjoyment for all ages, with nostalgic throwbacks to Woodstock, the Fourth of July, memorable summer blockbuster musical scores, beach tunes and much more. Children ages 7 to 14 can register for the free "Realize Your Dream" workshop before the show. This opportunity allows participants to work with the cast and engage with

material directly from the show.

Our outdoor summer Courtyard series returns this June through August on Thursdays from 6 to 9 p.m. Enjoy weekly live music in various genres while savoring drink specials and delicious food from local food trucks. On select evenings, we will also offer free visual arts activities for children, making this an ideal family outing. Seating is limited, so patrons are encouraged to bring their lawn chairs. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., and a \$5 donation is suggested. For the latest updates on bands, food trucks, drink specials, and children's activities, please visit schauercenter.org.

Courtyard Schedule:

- June 5: The Acoustix—Rock with Guitar, Congas & Vocals
- June 12: Tangled Lines—Alternative Rock & Americana
- June 19: Wire & Nail—Outlaw Country
- June 26: FM Rodeo—Country

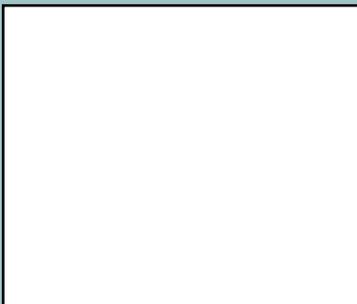
- July 3: The NIX—Classic Rock
- July 10: Scotch & Soda—Classic Rock & Folk
- July 17: Liquid Crush—Classic Rock, Pop & Country
- July 24: Patrick Murphy & the Cream City Cowboys—

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Rock, Blues & Country

- July 31: Maddie Jo—Country Rock
- Aug. 7: Double Cross—Classic Rock
- Aug. 14: The Black Sheep—Classic Rock, Pop & Country
- Aug. 21: Reilly—Celtic Rock
- Aug. 28: The Whiskey Belles—Country, Folk & Americana

The Schauer School of the Arts is accepting registration for summer classes in children's visual arts, theater, and dance. We also offer visual arts and dance classes for adults. These classes allow children and adults to learn new skills while enjoying a fun experience. The summer session runs from Monday, June 9, to Friday, Aug. 22. Some classes fill up quickly, so check our online brochure at schauercenter.org for available offerings.

The Schauer Arts Center is the perfect choice for summer activities. We offer excellent entertainment and classes at affordable prices. Check our website regularly for the latest updates, including announcing our 25th anniversary performing arts season in June.

We look forward to seeing you this summer.

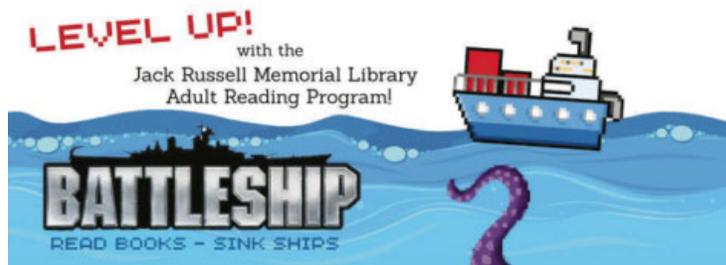
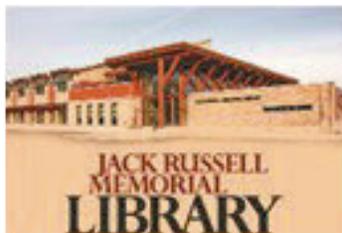
Jack Russell Memorial Library

The Jack Russell Memorial Library (JRML) is located at 100 Park Avenue in downtown Hartford. Library cards are issued free of charge to Erin residents by providing a photo ID and current address. Children ages 5 through 8th grade may obtain a card with parental approval.

Library Hours

Monday – Thursday 9 AM-8 PM
Friday 9 AM-5:30 PM
Saturday 9 AM-2 PM
Sunday CLOSED

Summer Storytimes for children and their families start the week of June 9th. Please call the youth services desk for parachute play availability as there is limited space – 262-673-8243.



Jack Russell Memorial library has two new book clubs. Mystery Book Club will be held on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 2pm. Don't forget about our established Monday Night Adult Book Discussion and Teen Book Clubs! Join us for book discussions all month long.

NEW Adventure Passes have been added to our collection. East Troy Railroad Museum, Fond du Lac Children's Museum, Green Bay Packer Hall of Fame Museum, Maritime Museum, and International Crane Foundation. We still maintain the following passes. Betty Brinn Children's Museum, Mitchell Park Domes, Schlitz Audubon Nature Center, Harley Davidson Museum, Kettle Moraine YMCA and the Milwaukee County Zoo. Passes are available for a 3-day checkout period and available on a first-come, first-serve basis. JRML is unable to place holds and accept advance reservations. Passes must be returned to the circulation desk, inside the library, due to the value of passes. For each attraction, the library has two passes available for checkout with a limit of one pass per household at a time. The library encourages those interested to call ahead to see if passes are available or visit https://www.hartfordlibrary.org/adventure_passes.aspx and click on "check availability" for the pass you want to borrow.



St. Patrick Preservation by Maureen Fitzsimons-Vanden Heuvel

Help save St. Patrick's Church

Our beautiful and historic St. Patrick's Church is in trouble and needs your help.

St. Patrick's Church of Erin is celebrating 170 years as a beacon of the town's proud Irish heritage. Built in 1855 by Irish immigrants, it is the center of the town of Erin along with the historic Tally Ho building and our Community Center.

We have never missed an opportunity to share our ongoing fight to preserve St. Patrick's, and we are grateful to our town leadership for their support over the last 26 years. It's helped keep the church from being demolished, so far. We

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truly believe God has always had a plan to save this historic church for future generations. Why else is it still standing after years of neglect? We call that a miracle.

However, the future of St. Patrick's is at a crossroads. While we have encouraged financial support through our St. Patrick Preservation Fund, we have stopped short of making an all-out plea for monetary donations. But now the church needs your help.

An aggressive restoration plan is the only way to prevent the church from being razed. We've launched a major fundraising campaign to save this historic structure. Our restoration project needs your support. You can be assured that every penny of your donations will go toward the building's plan. The St. Patrick Preservation Fund is a full 501(c)(3). Your donation directly to the Fund is tax-deductible. Your donation will be used for the critical and immediate preservation of the church. Donate today to help save St. Patrick's Church of Erin.



Visit www.savestpatrick.com or scan the QR code to donate. Checks should be payable to:

St. Patrick Preservation Fund, Inc.
2063 St. Patrick's Circle
Hartford, WI 53027-9776



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Again, all donations are tax-deductible. Visit our website at www.savestpatrick.com for more information or reach out to us at savestpats@aol.com with any questions. We appreciate

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St. Mary of the Hill Parish

1515 Carmel Rd. Hubertus



St. Mary of the Hill - All are Welcome

The countdown is on to the unveiling of our new church building. All are invited to see progress on www.stmaryhh.org. A tremendous thank you to the greater Erin community, which has generously supported this endeavor through prayer and donations. We can't wait to see you there. Until then, join us at our current church for a variety of events.

June Book Club Monday mornings or Thursday evenings

What to Say and How to Say It by Brandon Vogt, which can be purchased at the Holy Hill gift store (limited quantities), will be discussed Monday mornings June 2, 9, and 16 at 9 a.m. or Thursday evenings June 5, 12, and 19 at 7 p.m. Contact Bill at adult@stmaryhh.org for more information.

June 9 Blood Drive

Monday, June 9, from noon until 5:30 p.m., the parish is hosting a blood drive. Sign up online to donate: https://donateblood.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/11605869. Or sign up in the parish entryway.

June 10 Hearts on Fire

Converts and reverts to the Catholic faith meet at 6 p.m. at the parish to draw encouragement and strength. Please contact Grace Marie at ym@stmaryhh.org to learn more.

June 14 Fr. Bonaventure Lussier Ordination Anniversary Mass

Celebrate 50 years of beloved Fr. Bonaventure Lussier's ordination. Mass is on the third floor of Holy Hill at 11 a.m. All are welcome to celebrate this faithful, humble servant.

June 21 Annual Eucharistic Procession

Following the 4 p.m. Mass, all are invited to walk in our Annual Eucharistic Procession from the church to the Fatima Grotto, then returning to the parish center.

June 21-22 All Night Eucharistic Adoration

Following the Eucharistic Procession, parishioners may choose an hour to spend with our Lord. Adoration concludes with Benediction at 6 a.m. Sunday. Sign up in the parish entryway.

June 23-27 Camp Luminous

Monday through Thursday, camp is from 8 a.m. until noon. Friday, camp is from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. Students in grades 5K through 6th (grade in fall 2025) participate in crafts, games, songs, skits, and will attend Mass and pray the rosary. Student helpers needed in grades 7 through

12. Call the parish office for more information at 262-673-7505.

June 28 Funeral and Estate Planning Presentation

Attorney Isaiah Richie and parishioner Greg Ledesma provide helpful information from 10 a.m. until noon Saturday, June 28. Topics include Medicaid/Title 19, wills, Wisconsin Funeral and Cemetery Aids program, estate planning, and end-of-life issues. There will be time for questions. A small luncheon will be provided.

July 21-23 Women's Boutique Donations Drop-off

St. Mary of the Hill is open to donations from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. for the women's boutique. Quality items to be sold at the Antique and Flea Market are appreciated.

July 24 Antiques and Collectibles Donations Drop-off

Donations of collectibles and antiques will be accepted on July 24. Please note items should be antiques or collectibles and not material better suited for general garage sales. Your donations help St. Mary of the Hill and its community outreach.

July 24 and 25 Plant Donations Drop-off

Calling all green-thumb garden aficionados. Please drop off potted plants, shrubs, bulbs, etc. for the Antique and Flea Market's Plant booth July 24 and 25.

July 26 St. Mary of the Hill Antique and Flea Market

Enjoy the beautiful grounds of St. Mary of the Hill at the base of Holy Hill on Saturday, July 26. Browse the booths for great finds. Enjoy fire-grilled food in the shade of pines. It's a hallmark event of the summer. To apply for your own booth, visit stmaryhh.org and click on the "36th Annual Antique & Flea Market" tab or call 262.665.9209.

Oct.12-21 Fr. Jude Peters Holy Year Italy Pilgrimage

Experience Rome, the Vatican, Assisi, Loreto, and more. Fr. Jude Peters' knowledge and insights are reason enough to sign up. Contact Laurie at financetrustee@stmaryhh.org for more information about this 10-day trip of a lifetime.

December 2025 New Church Opens

Our new church will be open for Masses in December. More updates to come as we near our construction completion. See www.stmaryhh.org for specifics as that time draws nearer.

Wednesday Eucharistic Adoration and Mass

From 9 a.m. until 6 p.m., St. Mary of the Hill hosts Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesdays. Mass follows at 6 p.m. There are special devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help during adoration on Wednesdays at noon. Sign up is not required to spend time in front of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

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Weekend Mass Times

Mass Times at St. Mary of the Hill are 4 p.m. Saturday, and on Sunday at 7 and 9:30 a.m. Please join us at 1515 Carmel Road, Hubertus. Call the parish office for more information at 262.673.7505.

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Sunday, Sept 7 – Brat Fry – Save the Date

- Monches Ballpark; corner of Hwy E and Center Oak
- Church service at 9:30 a.m. – everyone is welcome
- 11 a.m. Food and Refreshments, Huge Raffle plus 50/50 Raffle and more
- 1 to 4 p.m. – Music by Tom & Brian
- Mark your calendars and join us for a fun time

Notice to Town of Erin Veterans

If you or anyone you know want a name enrolled on the Erin Veterans' Memorial Monument, please contact one of the committee members: Patrick Hansen, 262-966-0837; Jeffrey Millikin, 262-673-3682; Franklin Tennes, 262-673-2723; or Michael Eggleston, 414-651-0875.

To be eligible, you must be a resident or former resident of the Town of Erin and have a copy of DD-214, Honorable Discharge, or deployment orders by the federal government documenting your military history.



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Town Board-7 p.m. third Monday each month
Plan Commission -7 p.m. first Monday each month
Meetings held unless holidays or other
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For complete listing, see the website

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