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REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please notify the pastor during the pregnancy in order to schedule sacramental instruction, if necessary.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 to 3:30 P.M. 7:15 am - 7:45 am and 5:15 pm – 5:45 pm before daily Mass or by appointment

Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

Sacrament of the Sick

The sacrament is for anyone you know who has any continuing or serious illness, or is having Surgery and would like to celebrate this healing sacrament.

Mass Schedule for May 7th thru May 13th

Monday......8:00 A.M....Francis & Geneva Smith

Tuesday......**6:00 P.M**.... No Mass Wednesday....8:00 A.M....No Mass Thursday.....8:00 A.M....No Mass

Friday.....8:00 A.M...No Mass

Saturday......4:00 P.M.....Cameron Delveaux Sunday.....8:00 A.M....For all Mothers

10:00 A.M....Janet Ostrander

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We will strive to imitate the Holy Family: by being a loving, welcoming, and forgiving community – fully alive in the Spirit of God; by teaching our children the Gospel way of life and encouraging them always to share fully in the life of our parish; by celebrating the Liturgy as a joyful remembrance of our Lord's Sacrifice for us; by being a family of prayer; by respecting all life, and by having our arms open always to embrace the sick and needy.

READERS: May $12^{th} - 13^{th}$

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Christy Nelson Sun. at 8:00 A.M – Beverly Plimpton 10:00 AM – Jodi Gardner

ALTAR SERVERS: May 12th - 13th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Simon Chouinard
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Wanda Chenier & Eli Gardner
10:00 AM – Joshua Racine and Gabe,
Daniel and Ben Smith

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: May 12th - 13th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Luella Smith Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Cindi Shepeck 10:00 AM – Gerald Miron

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: May 12th - 13th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Kevin Dubord & Art Caron Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Scott Shepeck & Dale Richer 10:00 AM – Eugene Marenger & Harold Young

Parish Faith & Family News

A letter went out to all our graduates this past week. If you didn't get one please call the office. The Baccalaureate Mass is Sunday, May 20th, at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Dress code for this Mass is dress clothes under your gown. No jeans, shorts, t-shirts, or tennis shoes please. I need a graduation picture for the board.

"Every day of your life, seek ways to bring value to others. When you create value for others, you will receive value in return." This is taken from *A Graduate's Guide to Life* by Frank Hanna. Good sound advice for everyone.

Our formal CCD classes are finished for the summer, but we should never stop our learning about the faith. With the internet at our finger tips we can google many things. What would it be like if God took the summer off? What would our lives be like? Have a fun, happy, and safe summer!

HOSPITALITY LECTURE

Registration for the 33rd annual Hospitality Lecture is now open. It will be held on Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at the Ramada Inn, Marquette. Our presenter this year is Dr. Richard McCorry, founder of the Center for Parish Hospitality and he will be speaking on a spiritual process for becoming a more welcoming parish. You can register by going to https://form.jotform.com/ggostomski2003/HospitalityLecture. Direct any questions to Denise Foye, dfoye@dioceseofmarquette.org. or 906-227-9130

Good Shepherd Collection

On Good Shepherd Sunday, our parish and all parishes and missions throughout our diocese took up a special collection to support our priests' retirement fund, called the St. Joseph Association. Collectively, our parishioners have raised \$1,050.00 to date. We truly appreciate your support. If you were unable to use your envelope last weekend, you may still do so.

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY				
Mon.	May 7 th	8:00 A.M	Mass	
Tues.	May 8 th	5:15 P.M 6:00 P.M 6:45 P.M		
Wed.	May 9 th		No Mass Senior Citizens meet No Adult Faith Formation Class with Fr. Francis	
Thurs.	May 10 th	8:00 A.M 8:30 A.M	No Mass Prayer Shawl Ministry meets in the Fr. Matt hall	
Fri.	May 11 th	8:00 A.M	No Mass	
Sat.	May 12 th	3:00 P.M	Confessions heard until 3:30 P.M.	
Sun.	May 13 th		Breakfast for all mothers and daughters in the Fr. Matt Hall	

St. Vincent de Paul Corner News

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "This is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you...You are my friends if you do what I command you." By your gift to the Society of St.Vincent de Paul you fulfill the commandment to love one another as Jesus has loved you.

For more information about the Holy Family Conference contact Cindy Hurthibise at 384-6927

Happy Mother's

Mother's Day Breakfast - Sunday, May 13th

The Holy Family Men's Club invite all Mothers and Daughters to a delicious breakfast after the 8:00 am Mass on Mother's Day, May 13th. Our menu includes eggs, ham slices, French toast sticks, potatoes, Donuts from Donut Connection, coffee, juice and fresh fruit. Come and enjoy!

In case of an emergency during the coming week, Fr. Brian Gerber will be covering for Fr. Francis. He can be reached by calling 428-3199 or you can contact Pam at the office at 786-1209 or cell 399-3058.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTY

Members of Holy Family Parish Prayer Shawl Ministry have displayed several of their prayer shawls in the gathering space. This group of parishioners knits or crochets shawls for anyone in need of prayer. Whether the recipient is sick or grieving or even celebrating a happy occasion such as a birth or wedding, the shawl is meant to bring comfort to them. Many prayers are stitched into each shawl. On the second Thursday of each month, the group meets at 8 a.m. Mass and presents shawls during the offertory. Father prays a blessing for those who will receive a shawl. After Mass the group meets to socialize, work on shawls and prepare them for delivery to people in need of prayer. New members are always welcome. Please join us May 10th after 8 a.m. Mass in Fr. Matt Hall.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME! The U.P. Catholic Newspaper and your hosts Deacon Steve & Jackie Gretzinger invite you on a religious pilgrimage to the beautiful SHRINES OF ITALY. Join us Nov. 6-16, 2018. Highlights include Rome, Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi, Tomb of Padre Pio, Vatican City, St. Peter's Basilica, St. Mary Major and much more! For rates, a full itinerary & more information contact Laura Chapman with Holiday Travel in Marquette: (906) 228-6355 - laura@holiday-mqt.com.

SPIRIT LIFTERS

- May 6th Our Lord has written the promise of the resurrection, not only in the Bible, but in every leaf of springtime.
- May 7th Keeping house is like threading beads on a string with no knot at the end.
- May 8th A mother is the only person on earth who can divide her love among ten children and each child still have all her love.
- May 9th There is nothing human so dependable, so irresistible, so unselfish as true mother love.
- May 10th The mother's heart is the child's schoolroom.
- May 11th You may have tangible wealth untold; Caskets of jewels and coffers of gold; Richer than I you can never be - I had a mother who read to me.
- May 12th Who we are, who we become, is determined by those who love us.
- May 13th You are young only once, but you can stay immature for life.

25TH ANNUAL MEET THE BISHOP DAY

Meet the Bishop Day Mass & Dinner hosted by the Most Reverend John F. Doerfler and sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, is scheduled for Sunday, June 3, 2018. The event will begin with a Mass at St. Louis the King Church, 264 Silver Creek Road, Marquette, at 4 pm ET, followed by a catered dinner in the parish hall. The event is open to individuals with disabilities and their families/caregivers. Reservation deadline is May 25, 2018.

To register, visit or contact MaryAnn Bernier at (906)-227-9115 or via email at: mbernier@dioceseofmarquette.org.



If you or a family member cannot attend Mass or are in a nursing home, and would like Fr. Francis to visit and/or bring Holy Communion, please call the parish office at 786-1209.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Monday	Tuesday
Acts 16:11-15	Acts 16:22-34
Jn 15:26—16:4a	Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday	Thursday
Acts 17:15,22—18:1	Acts 18:1-8
Jn 16:12-15	Jn 16:16-20

FridaySaturdayActs 18:9-18Acts 18:23-28Jn 16:20-23aJn 16:23b-28

Sunday

Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7,11-13 Mk 16:15-20

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

\$4.137.00
550.00
575.00
60.00
10.00
200.00
\$2,742.00

116 families contributed for April 29th



Join us on Tuesday, May 22 from 3 pm - 7 pm for our open house birthday celebration! Enjoy cake and refreshments, and take a tour of our center to see how lives are being saved and changed right here in our own community. Bring your friends and family, and learn how you can become a part of our ministry! We are located at 1801 Ludington St. in Escanaba. Please call (906) 786-7474 for more details. You can also visit us at

WWW.PREGNANCYSERVICESDC.ORG OR FIND US ON FACEBOOK!