

Holy Family Parish



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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.

30 minutes 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 Sept. 13th thru Sept. 18th

Tuesday.....6:00 P.M.....Rex McGinn

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

6:15 P.M.....For the increase of faith hope and
love in our families

Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Geneva Willford

Friday.....8:00 A.M.....John Marcella

Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Chris Collins

Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....For the People of our Parish

10:00 A.M.....Donette Ostrander

The Rosary is recited 20 minutes before daily Mass.

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: Sept. 17th – 18th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Lori Tourangeau
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Rosemary Beauchamp
10:00 AM – Bob Berbohm

MASS SERVERS: Sept. 17th – 18th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. - Gregory Chenier
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. - Laura Hallfrisch
10:00 AM - Emily & Alesha Marenger

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: Sept. 17th – 18th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Anne DeShambo, **Tom &** Piper Desy
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – **Marvin &** Mary Ann Chouinard, Harold Flagstadt
10:00 AM – Darlene Kelloniemi, Bob & Karen Berbohm

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: Sept. 17th – 18th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Richard Newhouse, Don Smith, Stephen Janchenko, Ron Smith
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Ron Germain, Joe Menard, Dale Richer, Tom Pietsch
10:00 AM – Galen VanDrese, Bill Plouff, Alfred Gareau, Eugene Marenger

VIDEO LIBRARY ASSISTANTS: Sept. 17th – 18th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Doris Newhouse Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Donna Richer 10:00 AM – Janice Plouff

The Pastor’s Mind’s Eye

Clothe the Naked - Part 1

The imperative to clothe the naked is spoken of in both the Old and New Testament. The prophet Isaiah exhorts us: “When you see the naked, clothe them” (Is 58:7). In the Letter of St. James we read: “What good is it if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well,” but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead” (James 2:14-16).

One of the saints most emblematic of Christian charity is St. Martin of Tours, the Roman soldier who saw a poor man shivering in the cold and cut his cloak in two to share it with the beggar.

News & Notes from the Bishop’s Office

A special emergency collection for 2016 Louisiana flood victims will be taken up by all parishes and missions in the Diocese of Marquette on the weekend of Sept. 17th – 18th. Collection proceeds will be used to support the humanitarian efforts of Catholic Charities USA and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted dioceses.

“Sumus Missiles Deum”

Hello All-

Well, things are back in full swing! After a very blessed summer, I am back in Detroit and in the classroom. The year always starts with a five-day silent retreat. It was a huge blessing to “escape” the business of the busy world for awhile to rest and listen to God as he speaks in the silence. I am really looking forward to my pastoral experience this year, for my class and I get to take Holy Communion to the homebound. I think it will be a very grace-filled experience! I’m very much looking forward to this year! Thank you again for your prayers and support!

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THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Tues.	Sept. 13 th	5:30 P.M.- 6:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M. -	Confession Mass St. Vincent de Paul Society meets
Wed.	Sept. 14 th	12:00 PM - 6:15 P.M. -	Senior Citizens meet Mass to kick-off our Parish Faith & Family Program
Sat.	Sept. 17 th	3:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 pm

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Jesus, you are God's gift of healing love. While on earth, you healed the sick who came for help. We believe that you continue to heal the sick today. Heal all those for whom we pray, and those on our prayer list:

Pat Hughes, Edward Blahnik, Donald Pellegrini
Carol Katch, Tom Neuens, Joyce VanDrese
Clarence Roberts, Jeff Vertz, Betty Lou Tourangeau
Heather (Dubord) Jarvis, Andrea Plouff
Duane & Nancy Marenger, Dustin Berube
Mike Vuksan, Elvira Skrupski, Rita Dawson
Laurie Gascon, Denise Seymour, A Special Intention
Paula Pare, Tina Kelloniemi, Raymond Beauchamp
Carol Lancour, Jim Willford, Jim Vandermission
Pat McGlynn, Ruth Chouinard, Amy Plouff
Nick Nolde, Amanda Chenier, Michael Dawson
Kathy McGinn, Susan VanDrese, Pam Houle
Darlene McGeary, Christine Kleiman, Sue Mulzer
Lynn Johnson, Matt Smith, Justin Bjork
Tabitha Brunette, Traci Frappier, Shirley Frazer
Jean Way, Sally Luft, Gerald Luft, James Paquin
Michael Dombe, Allie Grenier, Frank Novak
Diane Helman, Joanne Popkowski, Rose Morrison
Tom Forvilly, Janet Gazan, Sydney Berndt
Roger Arnold, Nancy Paquin, Coda Meadors
Kathryn Fudala, Janet Shelley, Shelly Polakcyk
Kathy LaCosse, Joanne Lohfink, Payten LaMarch
Brenda Chouinard, Kay Edington
Peggy Verbrigghe, Darlene Kelloniemi, Bill Whitney

There will be a meeting on Thursday Sept. 22nd at 7:00 PM for all *Smear League Captains* to make plans for the coming year.



This week, Wednesday, September 14, we will kick off our year of catechesis with a Mass at 6:15 pm. After Mass we will “Build a Sub” sandwich for our supper and have a brief meeting downstairs in the Father Matt hall.

There will be VIRTUS training on September 13th, at 6:30 – 9:30 pm and October 5th, at 6:15 – 9:15. These sessions are held at Holy Name Catholic School in Escanaba. If you are interested in helping out where children are concerned, you need to attend one of these sessions. Call Cathy in the office if you have any questions.

Donations are coming in!!



We are again looking for donations for the very successful BUCKET RAFFLE that we had at the Harvest Dinner. We again want to create “thematic baskets” for people to bid on.

So far, we have quite a few baskets and single items donated. The buckets look to be interesting!!! If you are willing to create a “Thematic Basket” please call the parish office or if you would like to just donate money towards the baskets, the committee will shop for you and make up a basket.

Please mark your calendars.....Our Harvest Dinner has been changed to Sunday, October 23rd!

RAFFLE TICKETS ARE HERE! PLEASE PICK UP A COUPLE OF PACKS AND SELL, SELL, SELL! SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Sept. 11th** - Those who walk with God always get to their destination.
- Sept. 12th** - Nothing we wear makes as much difference as the expression on our faces.
- Sept. 13th** - Good, better, best; never let it rest till your good is better and your better is best.
- Sept. 14th** - Help me overlook others faults in the hope that they will overlook mine.
- Sept. 15th** - ...we know that he hears us in whatever we ask. I John 5:14
- Sept. 16th** - The Christian faith is never a guarantee against trouble, but it is a guarantee against defeat when trouble comes.
- Sept. 17th** - He that will not command his thoughts will soon lose command of his actions.



St. Vincent de Paul Corner

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that the shepherd rejoices when he finds one lost sheep. The story tells us that nothing

and no one is insignificant to God who is compassionate and loving to all. Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please leave a message for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul...we want to help! If you know of anyone in need, please call either Rosemary at 786-9442 or Karen at 786-9082.

Great Food & Fun



The parishioners of St. Rita Church, Trenary invite you to their annual Fall Festival on Sunday, Sept. 11th. Featured will be a fabulous turkey dinner with home pie served from 11 to 4 pm. Adults \$10; children over age 5 \$5. Music by Mary Lynn & Doug.

St. Thomas will be serving breakfast **Sunday, September 11th**, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM in the St. Thomas Parish Hall, 1820 9th Ave. N., Escanaba.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

<p>Monday 1 Cor 11:17-26,33 Lk 7:1-10</p> <p>Wednesday Nm 21:4b-9 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17</p> <p>Friday 1 Cor 15:12-20 Lk 8:1-3</p>	<p>Tuesday 1 Cor 12:12-14,27-31 Lk 7:11-17</p> <p>Thursday 1 Cor 15:1-11 Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35</p> <p>Saturday 1 Cor 15:35-37,42-49 Lk 8:4-15</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday Am 8:4-7 1 Tm 2:1-8 Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13</p>
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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Adults.....	\$3,552.00
Loose.....	244.00
General Maintenance.....	178.00
Fuel.....	342.00
Donation for Harvest Dinner.....	200.00
Votive Lights.....	286.00
St. Vincent de Paul society.....	80.00
Total.....	\$4,892.00

128 families contributed for Sunday, Sept. 4th

Knights of Columbus Escanaba Council 640

The Knights are bringing the Magic Show of magician Jim Lenz to the Escanaba Upper Elementary School Auditorium, Tuesday, September 20, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome to experience an evening of magic and fun.

Annual Milestone Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The Marquette Diocese and KC's will give special recognition to couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or 51st and above wedding anniversary anytime during this year on Sunday, Oct. 30th at 2 pm (ET) at St. Peter Cathedral in Marquette with meal to follow. More info at the back of church.