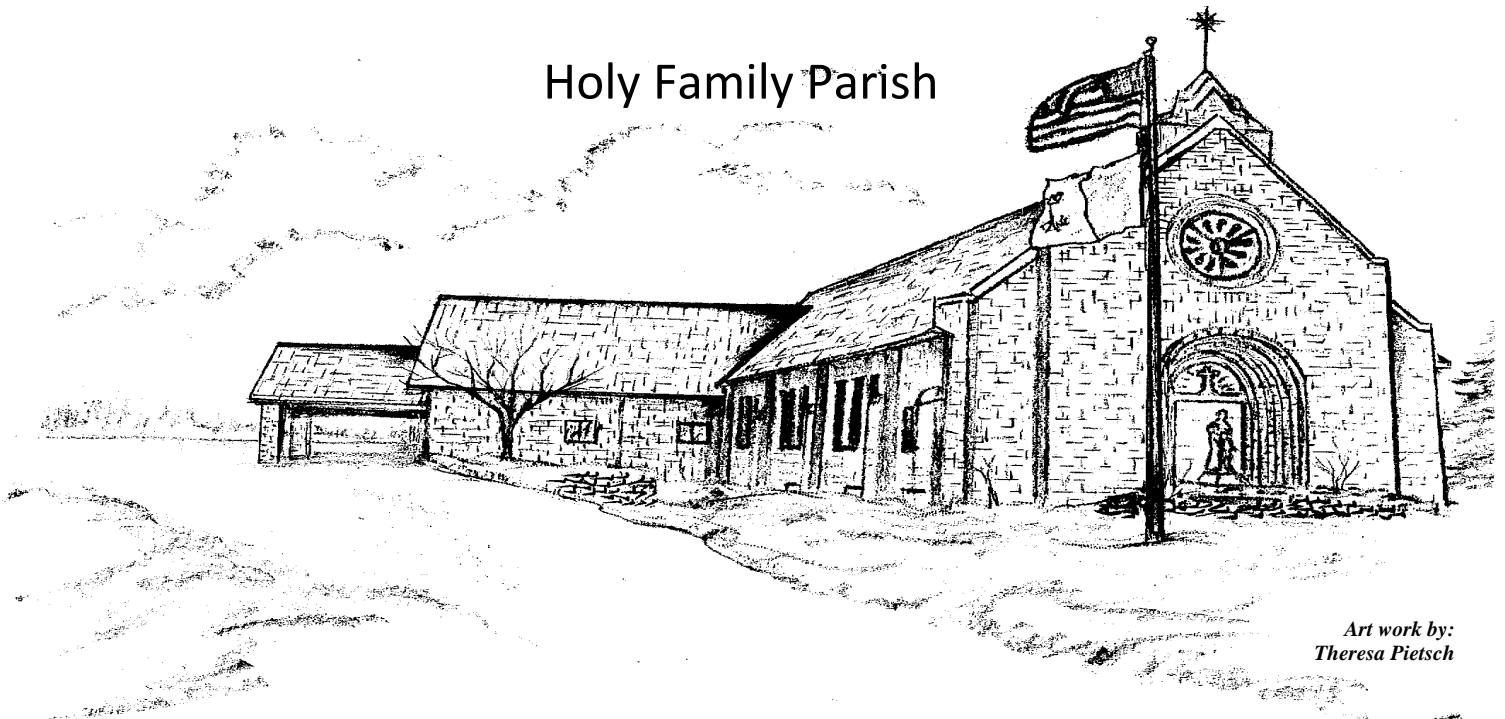


Holy Family Parish



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Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord – April 1, 2018

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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 April 2nd thru April 8th

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....*ad intentionem datis*
Tuesday.....6:00 P.M.....Mary Hubert
Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....Karen Hites
Thursday.....6:00 P.M.....Kathy McGinn
Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Marilyn Houle
Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Lawrence Viau (29th Anniv.)
Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....For the People of our Parish
10:00 A.M.....Tom Flagstadt

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: April 7th – 8th

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

ALTAR SERVERS: April 7th – 8th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Emily & Alesha Marenger
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Joshua Racine
10:00 AM – Wanda Chenier & Eli Gardner

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: April 7th – 8th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Jay Belcher
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Cindi Shepeck
10:00 AM – Bob Berbohm

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: April 7th – 8th

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

PARISH FAITH & FAMILY

Glad everyone is back from spring break and feeling so refreshed! Because our schedule picks up speed from now and until the end of the school year. This Wednesday, April 4, classes resume for grades 1-8 starting at 6:15. On Sunday, April 8, there is class for the Confirmation students.

Coming up on Wednesday, April 18, we are having a retreat for our 1st Communion children. We will start at 5:00 p.m. with supper. Parents are obliged to be there. This is just for the child making 1st Communion and their parents. Please no other siblings. Also, Tuesday, May 1, we will be having pictures and practice for 1st Communion. Come dressed as you would on the day of 1st Communion.

May God bless your week!

Join us on Sunday 8 April 2018 - - Divine Mercy Sunday

On Sunday, April 8th, we will be celebrating the Devotion established by St. John Paul the Great. This pious devotion focuses our hearts on the words spoken by St. Faustina “Jesus, I Trust in You.” We need to pray those words everyday of our life in order to accomplish the work of the Lord. We cannot forgive some who has offended us if we trust that Lord will guide our heart and words. We can seek forgiveness from our brother / sister if we do not trust that the Lord will forgives us after we ask for forgiveness from our brother/sister. We must remember that we mustn’t seek God’s forgiveness when we have not sought our brother /sister’s forgiveness.

2:00 to 3:00 Exposition of the Holy Eucharist with Individual Confession
3:00 P.M Divine Mercy Chaplet **with** Benediction & Ice Cream Social to follow

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	April 2 nd	8:00 A.M. - Mass ----- Parish Office closed ----- - NO Adult Faith Formation with Fr. Francis
Tues.	April 3 rd	5:15 P.M. - Confessions 6:00 P.M. - Mass 6:45 P.M. - Ladies Altar Society meets
Wed.	April 4 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass 6:15 P.M. - CCD Classes for grades 1-8 until 7:30 PM
Thurs.	April 5 th	6:00 P.M. - Mass 7:30 P.M. - Holy Family Men's Club meeting & Smear
Fri.	April 6 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass 10:00 AM - Start of First Friday calls
Sat.	April 7 th	3:00 P.M. - Confessions heard until 3:30 P.M.
Sun.	April 8 th	11:00 AM - Confirmation class 2:00 P.M. - Confessions and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 3:00 P.M. - Chaplet of the Divine Mercy followed by Benediction and Ice Cream Social

St. Vincent de Paul Corner News

Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection that comes through our own lives of self-sacrifice which brings new life to others.

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will show the love of the Risen Christ by bringing your love to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

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

Pasty Sale

St. Anthony's Church is having a Pasty Sale April 19th – 20th between 12-4 (while supplies last). Pick up is at St. Thomas Church in Escanaba. To pre-order call Debbie at 399-4259.

*May the light of the Risen Christ
shine upon you and bring
everlasting joy.*

*Have a Blessed Easter from
Fr. Francis & Staff*



CALLING ALL LADIES.....This Tuesday, April 3rd, all ladies of the parish will meet following the 6:00 PM Mass in the Church Hall for a fun evening of cards. Danforth area is in charge of the light lunch with Ruth Anderson and Donna Seymour area chair persons.

Daily Mass Schedule

Please note that during the Octave of Easter we will keep the Mass schedule as 8:00 am Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, and 6:00 PM on Tuesday and Thursday. After that we will go back to our normal schedule.

SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Apr. 1st** - Selfish ambition closes our hearts to Jesus and to one another.
- Apr. 2nd** - God always gives His best to those who leave the choice with Him.
- Apr. 3rd** - The only way to help yourself is to help others.
- Apr. 4th** - The curse of the cross was changed by Christ into a blessing for us.
- Apr. 5th** - When we depend on man, We get what man can do, When we depend on prayer, We get what God can do.
- Apr. 6th** - People are often the carpenters of their own crosses.
- Apr. 7th** - Satan trembles when he sees the weakest Christian on his knees.
- Apr. 8th** - When a man begins to amass wealth, it is a question whether God is going to gain a fortune or lose a man.

THE LAST MASS

By Michael Cousineau

There are free copies available at the back of church for anyone who would like to take one.

SPRING FLING

Join us for a fun-filled night of BINGO!

When: Friday, April 13, 2018
 Time: 7:00 PM – Doors open at 6:00 pm
 Where: Nahma Township Hall

\$300 in Prizes – Don't forget your daubers – Raffle

Come Hungry!!

(Brats, sandwiches, chips, popcorn, desserts & pop)

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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| <p>Monday
 Acts 2:14,22-23
 Mt 28:8-15</p> <p>Wednesday
 Acts 3:1-10
 Lk 24:13-35</p> <p>Friday
 Acts 4:1-12
 Jn 21:1-14</p> | <p>Tuesday
 Acts 2:36-41
 Jn 20:11-18</p> <p>Thursday
 Acts 3:11-26
 Lk 24:35-48</p> <p>Saturday
 Acts 4:13-21
 Mk 16:9-15</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday
 Acts 4:32-35
 1 Jn 5:1-6
 Jn 20:19-31</p> |
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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Adults.....	\$3,082.00
Loose.....	178.76
Fuel.....	35.00
Seminary Fund.....	20.00
U.P. Catholic Newspaper.....	20.00
Easter Flowers.....	75.00
Hall Rental.....	100.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society.....	517.00
Total.....	\$4,027.76

115 families contributed for March 25th

News from Holy Name School

Holy Name School Spring Fling – God Bless America! (come as you are or dress up). This will be Saturday, April 28th from 4:30 to 11:30 PM. Registration begins at 4:30, Silent Auction * Games * 50/50

Dinner served at 6 pm with live auction from 7:45 to 8:30 pm. Live entertainment provided by Jam Band with alumnus Nick Nolde from 8:30 to 11:30 pm.

Dinner tickets \$40. Tables sponsorship \$350 for a table of 8 includes business recognition, seating & eating priority and a bottle of red and white wine at your table. Please call Holy Name Office at 786-7550.

Easter Flower Offering 2018

In Memory/Honor of...

Viau & LaMarche families
Dolly & Patrick Miron
And John & Lillian Greis
John Berbohm & Berbohm/Ness Families
Leah & Walter Young
Tom Srock
Marvin Nelson
Art, Eric & Bobby Tourangeau
Frank, Mary & Clarence Massard
Art & Valentine Tourangeau
Bro. Clem Tourangeau
Lawrence & Fernant Chouinard
Bert Meyette
Robert Plimpton & Allen Kaukola
Tom DeMars
Alvin & Anna Gudwer
Stanley & Anna Novak

Donated by

Don & Cindy LaMarche
Edward & Sharon Greis
Bob & Karen Berbohm
Harold & Sally Young
Dorothy Srock
Donna Nelson

Betty Lou Tourangeau
Seth & Joanne Chouinard
Cecile Meyette
Beverly Plimpton
Don & Tina Kelloniemi

Richard & Anna Novak
Harold & Sharon Chenier
Steve & Carol Belongie
Art Menard
Tim & Karen Whitney
Barry & Diane Danhoff
William LaMarche
Adolph & Phyllis Lippens
Richard & Doris Newhouse
Rock Miron
Ron & Kristi Jacques
Lionel & Sharon Herioux
Francis & Rose Beauchamp
Kevin & Charyl Dubord
Raymond & Barbara Hughes
Renee Richer
Gerald & Jean Miron
Robert & Beverly Miller
John & Cathy Culliton

