

Holy Family Parish



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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe – November 24, 2019

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Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of First Communion, Confirmation and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic. One parent must be a practicing Catholic to present a child for Baptism

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Sacrament of Penance

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 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 Nov. 25th thru Dec. 1st

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....Eugene Tourangeau
Tuesday.....**6:00 P.M.**.....Tina Kelloniemi
Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....For the People of our Parish
Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Mass of Thanksgiving
Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Eva Paquin
Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Henry Chase
Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....Living & Deceased Members of
the LaMarche Family
10:00 A.M.....For the People of our Parish

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: Nov. 30th – Dec. 1st

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Mike LaFleur
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Amy Smith
10:00 AM – Lori Tourangeau

MASS SERVERS: Nov. 30th – Dec. 1st

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Alesha Marenger & Eli Gardner
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. - Tyler and Eric Smith
10:00 AM – David Kelloniemi and Harold Flagstadt

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION: Nov. 30th – Dec. 1st

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

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: Nov. 30th – Dec. 1st

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Kevin Dubord & Art Caron
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Don Anderson & Ron Germain
10:00 AM – Harold Young & Alfred Gareau

FROM YOUR PASTOR

With the Feast of Christ the King, the Sundays of Ordinary Time come to an end for the year of grace 2019. With the First Sunday of Advent, 1 December 2019, we begin the year of grace 2020. At Mass, we pray the same prayers that are being prayed around the world. What better way to carefully prepare for the coming of Christ at the end of time and the celebration of his coming among us in human flesh, in the mystery of the Incarnation, at Christmas.

We are at the 91% mark in our contributions and pledges for the U.P. Catholic Services Appeal for 2019. Many thanks for the generosity that has brought us this far. I am confident that we will be able to cover the assessment with the generous cooperation of those who have not yet been able to find the time to respond, Let us beg Saint Anthony to find the lost pledge cards, find time for response and find the remaining funds necessary to get this taxation debt off of our backs.

Oremus pro invicem.



Thanksgiving Mass

This Thursday, Nov. 28th, we will celebrate our Thanksgiving Mass at 8:00 AM. We ask that you please bring non-perishable items to be brought up at the offertory time for the St. Vincent de Paul baskets. There will be NO Wednesday evening Mass.

Knights of Columbus Council #640

The Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Party is scheduled for December 8, 2019 at the KC Hall. Cocktails from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. Dinner served at 6:00 p.m. Guests are invited. Menu includes: ham and meatballs with all the trimmings. Cost is \$12.00 per person. Please register ahead of time by calling Cathy at 786-5034 or Sally at 384-6929. Deadline is December 6, 2019. We would appreciate payment ahead of time. Make check out to "K.C. Women's Auxiliary". Send checks to: Sally Young - 2796 Orchard 24th Lane, Cornell, MI 49818

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	Nov. 25 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass
Tues.	Nov. 26 th	4:30 P.M. - 5:15 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. -	St. Vincent DePaul society meets Confessions until 5:45 PM Mass
Wed.	Nov. 27 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. - -----	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass NO CCD Classes Parish office closed
Thurs.	Nov. 28 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - ----- 7:30 P.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Thanksgiving Day Mass Parish Offices closed NO Smear League
Fri.	Nov. 29 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - -----	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass Parish officed closed
Sat.	Nov. 30 th	3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 PM Mass
Sun.	Dec. 1 st	8:00 A.M. - 10:00 AM - -----	Mass Mass Coffee Social after the 8:00 & 10:00 am Masses

St. Vincent de Paul Corner News

Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth.

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

**HAPPY
THANKSGIVING**



Alone for the Holiday?

A warm welcome is extended to individuals and families who will be alone for the holiday to a Thanksgiving Dinner on

Thanksgiving Day at noon. It will be held at the Escanaba Senior High School Cafeteria. Meal reservations, rides or home delivered meals can be arranged by calling the Escanaba Senior Center at 786-8850.

**Ladies of the Parish Christmas Party
Ladies of all ages**



Ladies of the parish are invited to the Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 2nd which starts at 5:30 pm with dinner served at 6:00 PM. The cost for the night is \$8 for a catered meal, and if you want to participate there is a \$10 gift exchange. We also collect toys for the baskets. *If you plan to attend, please sign up at the back of Church by Dec. 1st.*

Also start thinking of items you can donate to raffle off to benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Baskets.

U.P. Catholic Services appeal update: There have been 188 cards returned out of 230 with total pledges of \$36,830.00. Average pledge is \$195.90 per family. That leaves a balance of \$3,309.00. There are still 42 cards outstanding. Many thanks to those who have so generously donated so far!

SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Nov. 24th** - If you can think of nothing for which to give thanks, you have a poor memory.
- Nov. 25th** - Lord show me the way I can somehow repay the blessings you've given me today.
- Nov. 26th** - So once in every year we throng Upon a day apart, To praise the Lord with feast and song in thankfulness of heart.
- Nov. 27th** - Thank God for dirty dishes, they have a tale to tell; While others may go hungry, we've eaten very well. With home, health, and happiness I shouldn't want to fuss, By the stack of evidence God's been very good to us.
- Nov. 28th** - "...Be thankful unto Him and bless His name, for the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations."
- Nov. 29th** - I used to censure everyone, I was a Pharisee; Until, quite unexpectedly, I got a glimpse of me.
- Nov. 30th** - God doesn't do for us what He has given us power to do for ourselves.

St. Anthony/St. Thomas Annual Dinner & Bazaar

will be Sunday, December 8th serving from 11 am to 3:00 pm. Ham, Pigs in a Blanket, Meatballs, Mashed Potatoes, gravy, and all the trimmings. \$10 for adults (16+) \$5 for ages 6-15 and 5 and under free with an adult.

St. Anthony Meat Pie Sale – Dec. 12th & 13th

10 inch pie \$13.50 each. Beef & Pork purchased from Viau's. Pies *MUST* be pre-ordered. Call or text Debbie 399-4259 Pick-up is at St. Thomas, 1:00-4:00 PM.

The Escanaba Twp. Volunteer Fire Department and Knights of Columbus are partnering with St. Vincent de Paul to bring new clothing, boots, shoes, mittens and caps to our friends in need this Christmas Season. There is a donation can at the back of church for anyone who would like to donate.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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| <p>Monday
Dn 1:1-6,8-20
Lk 21:1-4</p> <p>Wednesday
Dn 5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28
Lk 21:12-19</p> <p>Friday
Dn 7:2-14
Lk 21:29-33</p> | <p>Tuesday
Dn 2:31-45
Lk 21:5-11</p> <p>Thursday
Sir 50:22-24
1 Cor 1:3-9
Lk 17:11-19</p> <p>Saturday
Rom 10:9-18
Mt 4:18-22</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday</p> <p>Is 2:1-5 Rom 13:11-14 Mt 24:37-44</p> |
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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Adults.....	\$2,799.00
Loose.....	303.00
General Maintenance.....	30.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	5.00
Total.....	\$3,137.00

102 envelopes returned for Sunday, Nov. 17th



Ladies Altar Society News

More and more amazing research is coming out on Moyeam tea (Ampelopsis grossedentata) every month as interest in this amazing plant has grown over the past few years. This article is from October 2019 and shows how Moyeam inhibits the biologic forces that cause Alzheimer's disease.
<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/31596069?fbclid=IwAR1AocQ5rXE-3qTgDGjA10PhpqXHB4N-pAFgh2gyPN-dOXBRT-c2vF3vLr8>

Order from pureamitea.com and use discount code "AMEN" at check-out. YOUR Altar Society gets 10% of the total sale and YOU get 10% off!



Next Sunday, Dec. 1st everyone is invited down to the Fr. Matt hall for our monthly COFFEE & DONUT gathering. Cornell Area is in charge.