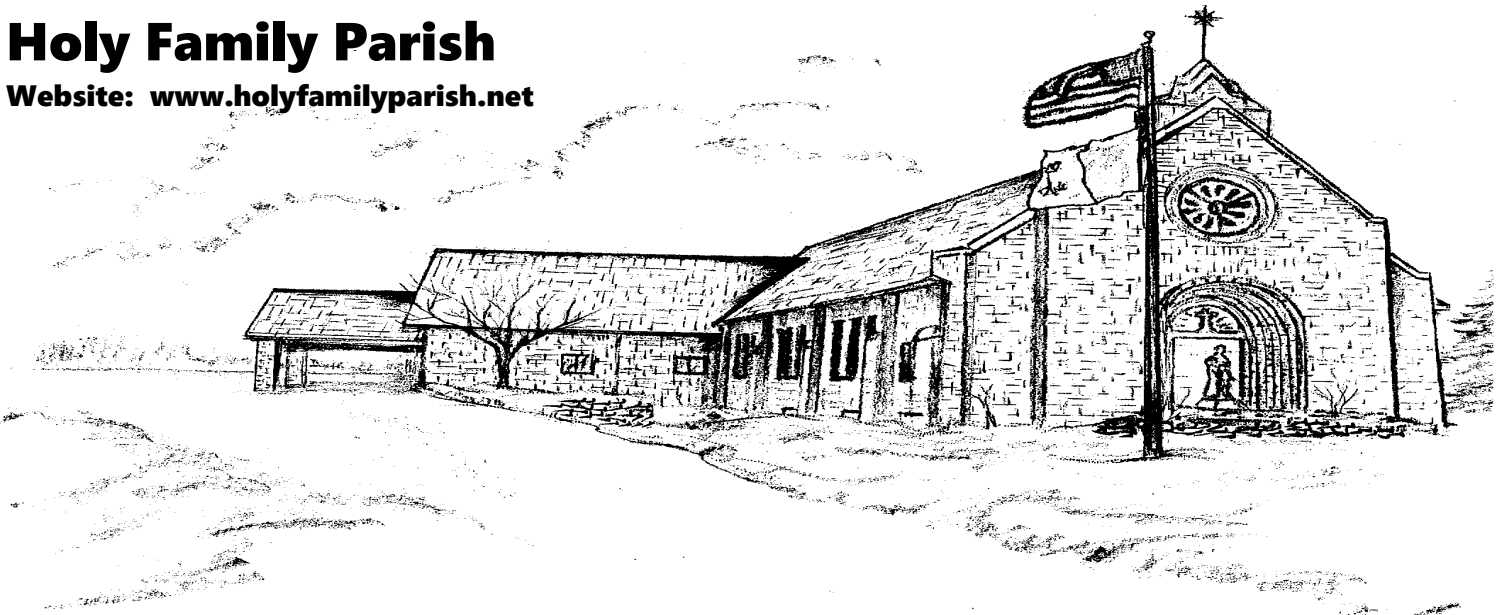


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Sacrament of Marriage

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 3:45 P.M.

7:30 am – 7:50 am

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 at point of death, or is having surgery and would like to celebrate this healing sacrament. Contact Fr. Sebastian at (906) 440-4193

Please remember our sick in your prayers.....

*Diane, Barb, Eric, Pat, Betty Lou, Joan
Roger Tourangeau, Jan Carter, Jean Way
Amanda, Judy Hubert, Shelly Polaczyk*

Attention parishioners. We will start with our prayer list back in the weekly bulletin. If you have a family member or friends who are sick and in need of prayers, please call the parish office at 786-1209. This will be the new corner for the names. The Mass intentions are now listed in the weekly calendar.

CATECHETICAL CORNER

SIN (Cont.)

Seven Vices as Capital Sins: Last week we saw the two of the seven vices such as, **Pride and Covetousness**. Let us see the rest of them in the following:

3. Lust: It is the inordinate desire for sexual pleasure. The desire is inordinate when sought outside the bonds and laws of matrimony. Sometimes the feeling of lust will creep into one's mind without any invitation. Once he/she knows about it the person should use all ways and means to get it out of mind. If not, the temptation will lead him/her to entertain it. And also one should not engage in watching or reading inappropriate materials which may push the person into lust.

4. Anger: It is a disorderly emotion that inclines a person to repel whatever displeases him; if it is not controlled, it can become hatred and lead one to seek revenge and to commit other serious crimes. Some people are short tempered by nature and such people should take maximum care to bring the anger under control. Remember, the older we become our control over anger also becomes less. In other words, we become easily irritated, impatient and provoked over small things.

5. Gluttony: It is an inordinate love of eating or drinking. It means eating or drinking to excess, taking a lot more than needed to satisfy the hunger or to maintain the good health. Once in a while, we all may eat some food a little excess on special occasions, which cannot be considered as gluttony.

6. Envy: It is the sadness experienced in seeing the talents, achievements, property, or success of others that a person feels being outshined by somebody. The person who is not satisfied with what he/she has will always look into the life of somebody and feels upset for not having the same. In order to be happy we need to be content with what we have and what we are. Don't worry about what we don't have or what others have. We should believe that God has given us enough for our good life.

7. Sloth: It is an excessive love of ease that leads a person to omit or neglect one's duties. It is laziness in full sense. Once in a while, we all feel a little lazy and not interested to do anything serious. Such situations don't come under sloth; but if it becomes a habit, it will lead us to sloth.

These above vices are called capital sins because they are the sources from which all other sins take their root. But at the same time the Church suggests **Seven Virtues** which we can practice against these vices. The following are the Capital Sins and their contrary Virtues.

- 1. Pride vs Humility; Covetousness vs Liberality; 3. Lust vs Chastity; 4. Anger vs Meekness; 5; Gluttony vs Temperance; 6. Envy vs Brotherly Love; 7. Sloth vs Diligence.**

It is the human tendency that easily we fall into the traps of vices; but at the same time to practice a virtue contrary to a particular vice is more difficult and we have to struggle hard to do so. Remember, it is not impossible to practice virtues in our lives and they are essential for our well-being and eternal life. So it is worth to make some sacrifices to practice them. We need to keep in mind the effects of the mortal sin. The effects are the loss of divine friendship, past supernatural merits, and the right to enter heaven unless the sinner repents. The supernatural life of the soul lost by committing the mortal sin can be restored by the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) and good act of contrition. At the same time the confession of sins to a priest will never do any good, unless we repent truly and make efforts to correct our ways. In other words, we have to reconcile with God and our fellowmen.

(We will continue next week).

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	June 5 th	<i>Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr</i> 8:00 A.M. – Mass – For all of our special intentions
Tues.	June 6 th	<i>Saint Norbert, Bishop</i> 8:00 A.M. - Mass – Elvira Carlson
Wed.	June 7 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass – Julia Kudwa Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help
Thurs.	June 8 th	8:00 A.M.- Mass – For the recipients of the Prayer Shawls 8:30 A.M. - Prayer Shawl ministry in the Fr. Matt Hall
Fri.	June 9 th	<i>Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church</i> 8:00 A.M. - Mass – For the Intentions of Frank Kudwa ----- Parish Office closed
Sat.	June 10th	3:00 P.M. - NO Confessions 4:00 P.M. - NO Mass
Sun.	June 11 th	<i>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</i> 8:00 A.M. - Mass – Ileen Hughes (1 st Anniv.) , Emma & Barbara Neuens 10:00 AM - Mass – For the people of the parish

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

76 envelopes returned for Sunday, May 28th

Adult Offering.....	\$ 2,733.00
Loose.....	183.75
General Maintenance.....	-0-
Fuel.....	-0-
Total.....	\$ 2,916.75

Budgeted weekly Income & Expense...	\$3,980.50
Short.....	\$1,063.75

Anointing of the Sick: Please make sure that you receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, before you go for serious surgery or anyone of you who is seriously sick or dying. This is a wonderful healing Sacrament which gives you physical and spiritual healing. Please contact the priest on time.



Congratulations!

Caitlyn Leisner
And
Austin Wicklund
celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage at Holy Family on Saturday, May 20th.

May God bless them with many happy years.

BOOKKEEPER POSITION OPENING

St. Anne’s Parish needs a bookkeeper. Applications can be picked up at the parish office. This is a great part-time position for someone who would like to work only 3 days per week for a total of 21 hours per week! Preference will be given to those having prior bookkeeping experience. For questions please contact Fr. Fran at 786-1426.

Please make note that THERE WILL BE NO 4:00 PM MASS SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH!

SPIRIT LIFTERS

June 4th - My Lord knows the way through the wilderness. All I have to do is follow.

June 5th - Fellowship with God is a sacred flower which is experienced here in the bud, but whose full bloom is reserved for heaven.

June 6th - No parent should spend all of his time in the garden of a child's life digging up weeds; there is always the danger of scratching out flowers not above the ground.

June 7th - To some people a tree is something so incredibly beautiful that it brings tears to the eyes. To others it is just a green thing that stands in the way.

June 8th - Children are the only people wise enough to enjoy today...without regretting yesterday or fearing tomorrow.

June 9th - If a thought comes to you of doing a kindness to someone, do it that very minute! Don't put it off; don't wait! What's the use of doing kindness if you do it a day too late?

June 10th - Father, we are blind to so many things, especially the inner needs of others. Improve our vision.

St. Vincent DePaul Corner

As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise.

Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love for them.

For more information contact Beverly Miller at 428-3610.

ASK BISHOP DOERFLER TO PRAY FOR YOU

A direct mailing will be sent to all registered households from Bishop John Doerfler in the next six weeks. Helping to fulfill one of his primary obligations, to pray for the people of the Diocese of Marquette, Bishop John Doerfler invites parishioners to send personal prayer requests. Returned prayer cards are kept in his private chapel where he will pray for your intentions for the next year.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Monday

Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8
Mk 12:1-12

Wednesday

Tb 3:1-11a,16-17a
Mk 12:18-27

Friday

Tb 11:5-17
Mk 12:35-37

Tuesday

Tb 2:9-14
Mk 12:13-17

Thursday

Tb 6:10-11;
7:1bcde,9-17;8:4-9a
Mk 12:28-34

Saturday

Tb 12:1,5-15,20
Mk 12:38-44

Sunday

Dt 8:2-3 1 Cor 10:16-17 Jn 6:51-58

Breakfast Fundraiser for Seminarians

The Escanaba Knights of Columbus will have a breakfast fundraiser for Seminarians at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Hall 1820 9th Ave N, Escanaba Sunday, June 4th, 9am-12:30pm Eggs, Pancakes, Sausage, Potatoes, Toast Coffee & Juice \$9 ages 13 & up, \$6 ages 6-12, Ages 5 and under are free.

EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

You are all invited to attend a Eucharistic Procession led by Father Timothy Ferguson on Corpus Christi Sunday, June 11, 2023 at St. Joseph & St. Patrick Church. Procession will start at the end of the 10:00 am Mass.

"The procession with the Blessed Sacrament...reminds us that we are called to go out and bring Jesus to others. To go out with enthusiasm, bringing Christ to those we meet in our daily lives."

Pope Francis, Homily on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, 6 June 2021.

Pregnancy Services of Delta County will be hosting the 9th annual Walk for Life to be held on Saturday, June 24th at 10am at Ludington Park in Escanaba. Register to become a walker or a donor at www.psdcpartners.org/events. T-shirts will be given to all walkers who raise at least \$150. Come show your pro-life support for our local pregnancy resource center!