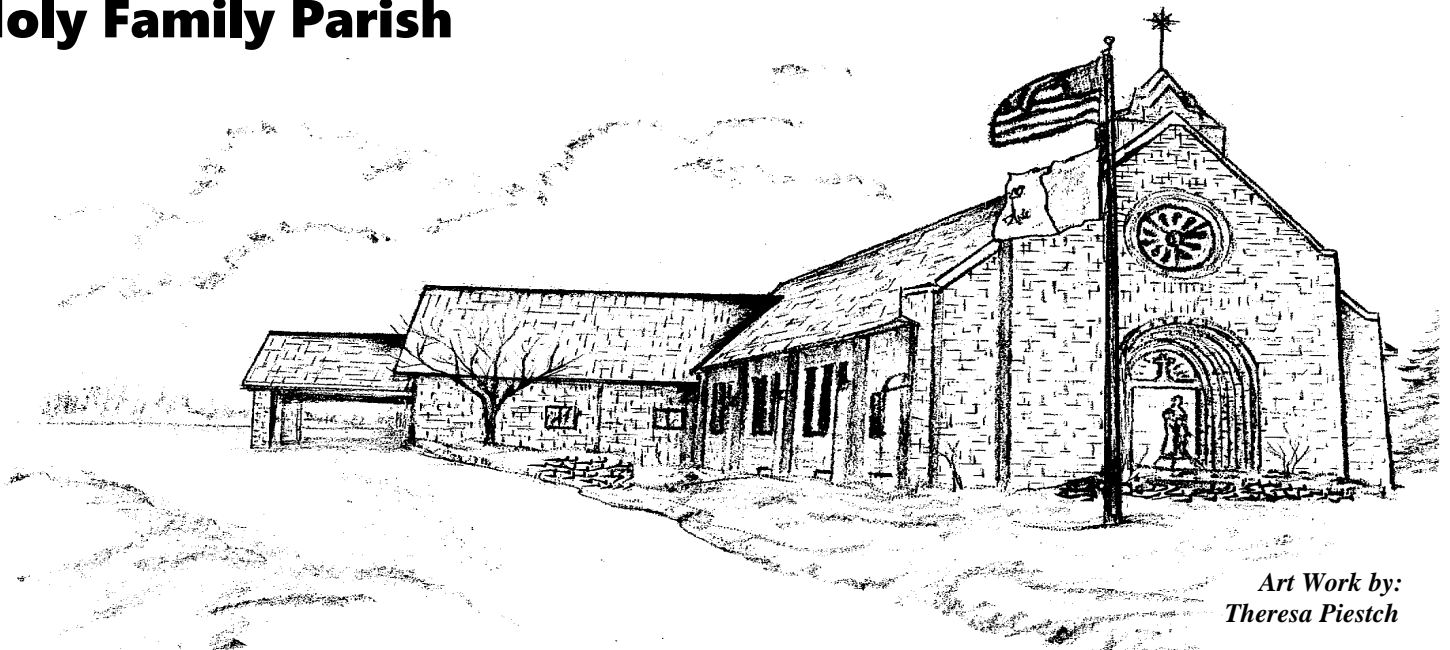


Holy Family Parish



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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY – June 12, 2022

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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....

*Torvinen Family, Diane, Barb, Eric
Pat, Betty Lou, Shelly Polaczyk, Jan Carter, Becky
Roger Tourangeau, Harper*

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

Virtues (Cont.)

Cardinal virtues: JUSTICE: As a virtue, it is the constant and permanent determination to give everyone his or her rightful due. It is a habitual inclination of the will and therefore always recognizes each one's rights, under any and all circumstances. The rights in question are whatever belongs to a person as an individual who is distinct from the one who practices justice. The essence of justice, then, as compared with charity, consists in the distinction between a person and his or her neighbor; whereas charity is based on the union existing between the one who loves and the person loved so that the practice of charity regards the neighbor as another self.

The Moral Virtues can be diminished or lost just as they are acquired: directly, by the repetition of acts that are opposed to the virtues, which not only destroy the virtues but also replace them with the opposite vice. They can be lost by not performing the good acts or keeping indifference to them.

Theological Virtues -- They are the supernatural virtues which are infused in the souls by God to enable one to act on a supernatural level. They are the virtues of faith, hope and charity. The natural virtues on the contrary which are acquired by human activity are habits of the soul which incline it to do good.

FAITH - Faith is a supernatural virtue by which we believe all the truths which God has revealed. Faith is called supernatural because it is directly infused in the soul by God, because what we believe is the revealed truth, and because it is necessary for our salvation. The virtue of faith is absolutely necessary for our salvation because no one can be saved without sanctifying grace; and sanctifying grace cannot exist without the habitual faith. Christ himself said, "He who does not believe will be condemned" (Mk 16:16).

Faith is a gift from God and by our personal effort we are not going to acquire it unless God gives it. But we can desire for faith and pray for that great gift. Though we cannot acquire faith we can lose it by our own carelessness. It can be lost by neglecting to know what we are bound to believe; by not making an honest effort to understand what we believe and why; by not performing acts of faith, through internal belief and external profession of what we believe; and by failing to strengthen our faith through the Sacraments of Penance and the Eucharist and through constant prayer. Once we are given the gift of faith, it is our duty to make all possible efforts and means to persevere in faith. We need to avoid all sorts of evils and temptations and constantly pray for the power to keep our faith. The main sins against faith are the omission and commission. By omission we willfully neglect to learn what should be believed. The sins of commission are heresy (if anything God has revealed is doubted or denied), apostasy (if everything is doubted or denied). Of course, we all have natural and reasonable doubts about many supernatural things. But it is our duty to use all means to get our doubts clarified and then believe.

HOPE - The virtue of Hope is a supernatural virtue by which we firmly trust that God will give us heaven in the life to come, and in this life will provide all the means we need to reach heaven. The foundation of hope is our belief that God is faithful to His promises. Hope is a supernatural virtue because of its purpose and the way it is received. Its purpose is to lead us to the eternal salvation to which we have no natural right or claim. It can be received only by a special gift of God's grace, and not by any merely natural effort on our part.

When we speak about Hope we are not mainly hoping only for a happy earthly life rather our object of Hope is everlasting happiness, the possession of eternal life. The virtue of Hope is necessary because it is the link between Faith and Charity. We must believe in something before we can hope to obtain it. Our Hope enables us to love what we are looking forward to attain. St. Paul says, "We must hope to be saved since we are not saved yet" (Rom 8:25). Like the virtue of Faith, we can only desire and pray for Hope and we cannot acquire it merely by our personal effort. Once we have received this great gift from God it is our duty to use all possible means to preserve it. All the adults with sound reason are supposed to make the acts of Hope. We have to make the acts of Hope often especially when we are discouraged or frustrated.

We may lose the virtue of Hope especially committing sins against Hope by presumption and despair. The sin of presumption is that we simply presuppose that we can be saved without the help of God.

(We will continue next week).

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	June 13 th	<i>St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church</i> 8:00 A.M. - Mass – For all of our special intentions
Tues.	June 14 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass – Robert Plimpton (6 th Anniv.) 6:00 P.M. - St. Vincent DePaul Society meets
Wed.	June 15 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass – Richard DeMay Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help
Thurs.	June 16 th	8:00 A.M. - Mass – Marjorie VanDamme
Fri.	June 17 th	8:00 A.M.- Mass – Rudy Marcella ----- Parish Office closed
Sat.	June 18 th	3:00 P.M. - Confessions heard until 3:45 P.M. 4:00 P.M. - Mass – Dec. members of Schultz & DeShambo Families
Sun.	June 19 th	<i>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) (Fathers Day)</i> 8:00 A.M. - Mass – For the People of our parish 9:00 A.M. - Breakfast served to all the Fathers and sons of the parish 10:00 AM - Mass – Vicki Lippens

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

81 envelopes were returned for Sunday, June 5th

Adult Offering.....	3,355.00
Loose.....	86.00
General Maintenance.....	361.00
Total.....	\$3,802.00

Budgeted weekly Income & Expense...	\$3,658.66
Shortage.....	\$ 209.80

St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	\$ 20.00
World Church Collection.....	15.00

Next Sunday, June 19th is Father’s Day. The ladies of the parish invite all men to a delicious breakfast in the Fr. Matt Hall immediately following the 8:0 AM Mass.

*Our parish prayers and sympathies
are extended to the family and friends of
William Smith
May he rest in peace.*

ASK BISHOP DOERFLER TO PRAY FOR YOU

A direct mailing will be sent to all registered households from Bishop John Doerfler in the next couple of 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.

**RELIGIOUS FREEDOM WEEK BEGINS
JUNE 22, 2022**

This year, Religious Freedom week will focus on “Life and Dignity for All” Religious freedom allows the Church, and all religious communities, to live out their faith in public and to serve the good of all. Beginning June 22, the feast of Sts. Thomas More and John Fisher, the USCCB invites Catholics to pray, reflect, and act to promote religious freedom. Resources are available at: <https://www.usccb.org/committees/religious-liberty/religious-freedom-week>.

SPIRIT LIFTERS

- June 12th** - Jesus has said: "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me." Matthew 25:40
- June 13th** - Prayer is the key to heaven, and faith unlocks the door.
- June 14th** - Many a man who is offered the chance of a lifetime for a song, can't sing.
- June 15th** - Only a dad, but he gives his all To smooth the way for his children small; These are the lines that for him I pen; Only a dad, but the best of men.
- June 16th** - Life is like a ladder, every step we take is either up or down.
- June 17th** - The greatest gift a father can give his children is to love their mother.
- June 18th** - A friendship true is like pure gold...It won't wear out because it's old.

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.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are suffering.

For more information contact Beverly Miller at 428-3610.

Fire Starters which is a Catholic young adult group meet twice a month For more information contact Megan Hanson 280-2665 or Olivia Theut at 906-203-6677. All of our meetings are family friendly!

Delta County Cancer Alliance Golf Outing 2022 will be held on Thursday July 14. To register or for more information please contact Stephanie Viau 280-3864, Gayle DeShambo 241-6689 or Cindy Cas at 398-7862.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Monday
1 Kgs 21:1-16
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday
1 Kgs 21:17-29
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday
2 Kgs 2:1,6-14
Mt 6:1-6,16-18

Thursday
Sir 48:1-14
Mt 6:7-15

Friday
2 Kgs 11:1-4,9-18,20
Mt 6:19-23

Saturday
2 Chr 24:17-25
Mt 6:24-34

Sunday
Gn 14:18-20 1 Cor 11:23-26 Lk 9:11b-17

Seminarian Breakfast Fundraiser

hosted by Knights of Columbus Sunday, June 12th, 9am-12:30pm at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Hall 1820 9th Avenue North, Escanaba.

SAVE THE DATE
ALL SAINTS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
JULY 11TH - 15TH
AGE 4 TO GRADE 4 9 AM - NOON

FOSTER PARENTS NEEDED **NOW IN DELTA COUNTY:**

Foster parenting can be the most gratifying work you will ever do but it is not for everyone. It requires opening yourself and your home to children who have experienced loss and need someone to love, nurture, advocate and protect them. Foster care involves partnering with social workers, schools, family court and community resources to meet an infant, child or young person's needs. All types of people make good foster parents as we all have our own special talents. If your family is thinking of foster care, contact Kaitlyn Beurjey with Catholic Social Services at 906-280-0843 and begin the discussion.

"All students going into kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to the Summertime Blast Vacation Bible School held at Holy Name from June 20th-24th. Registration forms are in the back of the church. Any incoming middle school or high school students, we'd love your help! Contact the number on the registration form to be a part of this great week!"