

ST. MICHAEL'S
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ST. JOSEPH'S
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September 20, 2020

Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

TO USE OR RENT ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH CENTER: Call Janel Weigel 785-623-3689

FUNERAL DINNERS: St. Michael: Pat Lohrey 785-650-4255

St. Joseph: Monica Legleiter 785-342-5828 Holy Trinity: Barb Oborny 620-797-1490

Communion Calls: If anyone is sick at home or hospitalized, please notify Fr. Stephen.

For Baptism or Marriage Preparation: Please call Fr. Stephen.

Monday, Sept 21	+Mary Ann Petrik	(Not Open To The Public)
Tuesday, Sept 22	8:00 am Liebenthal	+Ernie Pfeifer
Wednesday, Sept 23	8:00 am Timken	+Donna Schmidt
Wednesday, Sept 23	7:00 pm LaCrosse	+Joyce Marie Schaffer (PSR Opening Mass)
Thursday, Sept 24	+Elenora Moeder	(Not Open To The Public)
Friday, Sept 25	8:00 am LaCrosse	+Roberta Schuckman
Saturday, Sept 26	8:30 am LaCrosse	+LeeRoy Schuckman
Saturday, Sept 26	6:30 pm Timken	For The People And Needs Of Our Tri Parishes
Sunday, Sept 27	8:00 am Liebenthal	+Virgil C. Dechant
Sunday, Sept 27	10:00 am LaCrosse	+Marguerite Schneider

LITURGY MINISTERS:

Timken: Saturday, September 26 –6:30 pm

COMMUNION: None

SERVERS: None

LECTOR: Patricia Oborny

GIFTS: None

USHERS: Jim and Karen Pechanec

Liebenthal: Sunday, September 27 – 8:00 am

COMMUNION: None

SERVERS: None

LECTOR: Norman Legleiter

GIFTS: None

USHERS: None

LaCrosse: Sunday, September 27 – 10:00 am

COMMUNION: Plate: None

Cup: None

SERVERS: None

LECTOR: Knights of Columbus

HOSTS/GIFTS: None

USHERS: Knights of Columbus

Please find a replacement if you will not be at Mass to fulfill your liturgical duty.

Stewardship Of Treasure

Holy Trinity (Sept 12, 2020)

Please See Next Week's Bulletin.

St. Joseph (Sept 13, 2020)

Envelopes \$250.00

Offertory \$ 40.00

Candles \$ 10.00

TOTAL \$300.00

St. Michael (Sept 13, 2020)

Envelopes \$ 618.00

On-Line \$ 195.00

Offertory \$ 57.00

Lieb Bills \$ 955.59

Candles \$ 41.00

TOTAL \$1866.59

Thank You For Your Support!

CONFESSIONS:

Holy Trinity: 5:30-6:00 pm before Saturday Mass

St. Joseph: 7:00-7:30 am before Sunday Mass

St. Michael: 8:00-8:30 am Saturday Morning

By Scheduling An Appointment With Father.

CHURCH SECRETARY

If you need to reach JoAnn,

Please call or text her at 785-623-1917

Or by email at jtchiefs0308@yahoo.com.

A WARM WELCOME to new parishioners!

Please introduce yourself to the Pastor. Family registration forms are located in back of the church.

Please fill out the form and drop in the collection basket or give to Father after Mass.

PRAYER CHAIN.... We pray for those among us who are ill and for their caregivers, for those experiencing a hardship or difficulty, and for those in the Armed Forces. To place someone's name on the prayer chain list, please call Ardis Viegra (222-3629).

Please keep in your prayers: Ben Daubert ~ Mary Ann Randa ~ Monie (Monabelle) Smith
Two Special Intentions

All Affected By The Coronavirus And That A Cure Will Be Found

Our World During This Time Of Crisis ~ Those In The Nursing Homes And Their Loved Ones

Healthcare Workers ~ Safety From Storms ~ Safe & Bountiful Fall Harvest

Favorable Weather For Wheat Planting ~ World Peace

Our Seminarians ~ Religious Vocations

Our deepest sympathy and prayers to the family and friends
of Brenda (Johnson) Duran, LeRoy Herrman, and Francis Maneth.

May their souls, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

BULLETIN ITEMS: Please give your announcements to Father, email to church@gbta.net, or mail to PO Box 309, LaCrosse. **Bulletin items are due by 9:00 am on Thursday.**

MASS STIPENDS can be left in the collection baskets or mailed. **Please make checks to St. Michael's Stipend Fund**, specify what church you want the Mass said, and indicate if you want the Mass said on a certain date. If you have a preferred date, please submit your request at least one month in advance. **Each Mass is \$10.00.**

*******TRI PARISH NEWS*******

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE STARTING OCTOBER 3 AND 4:

Saturday: 4:30 pm at St. Joseph in Liebenthal

Sunday: 8:00 am at Holy Trinity in Timken

Sunday: 10:00 am at St. Michael in LaCrosse

PLEASE NOTE: Starting Tuesday, October 6, St. Joseph's weekday Mass will begin at 9:00 am.

STEWARDSHIP SPEAKERS: Starting the first weekend in October, members from our Tri Parish family will be speaking on Stewardship.

October 3 and 4: Jerilyn Stull will talk about *Prayer*.

October 10 and 11: *Tithe and Alms* will be the topic by Brady Gros.

October 17 and 18: Jill Georg will share her thoughts on *Time, Service, Abilities, and Charisms*.

October 24 and 25: Patricia Oborny will close out the speeches when she reviews *Evangelization*.

We are very thankful to these individuals for sharing their messages with us!

PRIESTS' CONVOCATION: Fr. Stephen will be attending the Priests' Convocation in Wichita on October 6-8. There will not be Mass at St. Joseph on that Tuesday nor at Holy Trinity that Wednesday.

*******ST. MICHAEL in LACROSSE*******

MEETINGS: Knights of Columbus – Monday, September 21 at 7:00 pm
Religious Education Commission – Wednesday, September 30 at 6:00 pm
Parish Council – Wednesday, September 30 at 7:00 pm

ST. MICHAEL'S ASSISTANCE FUND: St. Michael's Parish has funds (from an anonymous donor) available to St. Michael's parishioners in need to help with expenses from natural disaster (fire, flood, tornado), medical, food and clothing, or miscellaneous (rent, utilities, etc.). If you know someone in the parish in need of help, you can apply for them. The forms are available in the back of church or by contacting Fr. Stephen.

*******ST. JOSEPH in LIEBENTHAL*******

ANNUAL ROSARY CRUSADE at the grotto of St. Joseph's Church will be Saturday, October 10 at 12 noon. Join us as we join thousands of prayer groups around the country. The intentions this year are to beg God and Our Lady to save America from today's chaos, immorality, and social upheaval.

CASH RAFFLE WINNERS: Sept. 9: Debbie Haas #41; Larry Schaffer #249. Sept. 10: Jane Oborny #114; Diana Jennings #68. Sept. 11: Dustin Matal #168; Twila Herrman #475. Sept. 12: Cliff Pfannenstiel #365; Hannah Rawson #185. Sept. 13: Keith Haney #1; Norman Legleiter #146. Sept. 14: Mike Rawson #465; Elsie Urban #209; Sept. 15: Ben Rogers #393; Henrietta Werth #292. Sept. 16: Joyce Kannenberger #147; Charlene Werth #362. Congratulations!

*******HOLY TRINITY in TIMKEN*******

MEETING: Parish Council will meet Sunday, October 4 after Mass.

PARISH COUNCIL is looking for a volunteer to fill a vacant Council Position. Please visit with Fr. Stephen or Heather Ross if you are interested.

THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH
please contact Fr. Stephen at 785-222-2561.

Let us *consider*
our callings,
let us *reflect*
on our responsibilities, and
let us *follow*
Jesus Christ
Thomas S. Monson

Annual Matrimony Anniversary Masses: This year, due to the pandemic, the annual Matrimony Anniversary Mass will be held at individual parishes throughout October. Every year around this time, couples across the diocese who are celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 50-plus year anniversary of matrimony have been invited to attend the Diocesan Matrimony Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Dodge City. Although the diocesan community will not be gathered as one, couples will have a special recognition at their home parish and will receive a certificate from the Most Rev. John Brungardt. While you need not be celebrating one of the anniversaries noted above to attend and participate in the special recognition at the parish, only those celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 50-plus year anniversary will receive a certificate, and have their names placed in a special edition of the Southwest Kansas Catholic. These couples must contact Fr. Stephen or the church secretary (JoAnn) to receive more information. Give the parish the names of both spouses (in writing), and how long they have been married. If you will not be attending the Mass, please provide a mailing address so your certificate can be sent to you.

Let's Vote Pro-Life In November: We Americans have shared many years of pride for our country and accomplishments. We have also suffered pain in the loss of thousands of our military who died to keep us safe. We have survived the Great Depression and many, many storms such as tornadoes, hurricanes, and earthquakes through the years. But we still have the biggest hurdle of all. We need to abolish abortion once and for all! It is the killing of tiny innocent babies in the womb of their mothers. Babies are a precious gift from God. And no one has the right to kill them! They used to be safe in their mother's womb. But since 1973 when abortions were made legal, it has become the most dangerous place for a baby to be. All the baby wants is to be loved and cherished. With the November 3rd election coming up, we have the means to right this terrible wrong. Abortion has already killed over 62 million babies in the USA since 1973. We could help save the lives of millions of babies. Let's vote Pro-Life in November. *Ruth Weber, Davenport Iowa*

For Peace Of Heart

Almighty and Eternal God,
Give me, I beseech You, the great gift of inward peace.
Command the winds and storms of my unruly passions.
Subdue, by Your grace, my proneness to love created things too much.
Give me a love of suffering for Your sake.
Make me forbearing and kind to others,
That I may avoid quarrels and contentions.
And teach me constantly to seek after
And to acquire that perfect resignation to Your Holy Will
Which alone brings interior peace. *Amen.*

