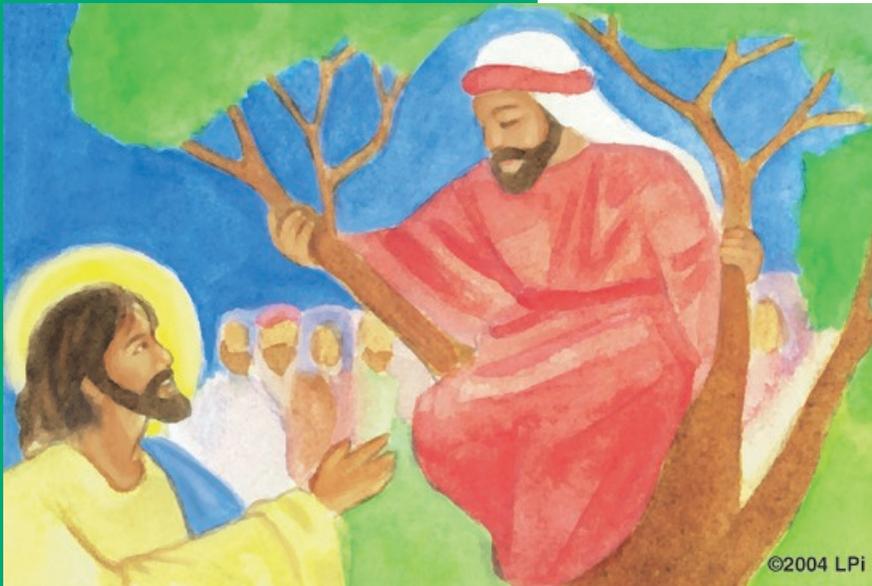


# St. Mary's of the Lake



November 3, 2019

Thirty-First Sunday  
In Ordinary Time

When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said, "Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." And he came down quickly and received him with joy. When they all saw this, they began to grumble, saying, "He has gone to stay at the house of a sinner." - Lk 19:5-7

LAKWOOD CHURCH  
CROOKED LAKE CHAPEL  
SILVER CLIFF CHAPEL

## Incorporated

12 February 1918 – 12 February 2018

## Under the Title

St. Mary's of the Lake

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## Parish Mission Statement

We the members of St. Mary's of the Lake are called by Jesus to be the light of the world, through the mission and ministry of His Catholic Church; to discover Him, follow Him, worship Him, and share His love.

## Sacraments



### Reconciliation

Lakewood: First Fridays 9am, Sat. 3:30pm  
Silver Cliff: after 5:30pm Mass on the  
1st Saturday of the month  
Crooked Lake: after 7:30am Mass on the  
2nd Sunday of the month

### Baptism

Preparation program required,  
please contact the office

### Confirmation

Usually confirmed in the junior  
and senior year of high school

### Marriage

Make arrangements with the pastor  
six months prior to desired date

### Anointing of the Sick

Individual arrangements can  
be made through the parish office

## First Friday

Mass at 8:30 am

Exposition from 9:00am - 10:00am

Reconciliation from 9:00am - 10:00am

Benediction at 10:00am

## Religious Education Classes

Wednesday Evenings October - May

1st-6th 4:00pm-5:30pm

7th-12th 6:30pm-8:00pm

## The Rosary

Lakewood: Wednesdays & Fridays at 8am

Silver Cliff: Saturdays before 5:30 Mass.





## Welcome!

The Lord has called us together in worship not for his sake only but also for ours—that we may be renewed with forgiveness, encouraged by God's Word and strengthened through Christian fellowship.

## Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 2, 2019

4:00pm Lakewood: John Pakulski✘

5:30pm: Silver Cliff: Patricia Hoenig✘



Sunday, November 3, 2019 Remembrance Mass

7:30am Crooked Lake: Living & Deceased People of the Parish

9:00am Lakewood: Ron & Alyce Viaene✘

Tuesday, November 5, 2019

8:30am Lakewood: For World Peace

Wednesday, November 6, 2019

8:30am Lakewood: Fr. Leo Lessard✘

Thursday, November 7, 2019

8:30am Lakewood: For Vocations✘

Friday, November 8, 2019

8:30am Lakewood: Melvin & Dorothy Smeester✘

Saturday, November 9, 2019

4:00pm Lakewood: Bob Lewins✘

5:30pm: Silver Cliff: Patricia Hoenig✘

Sunday, November 10, 2019

7:30am Crooked Lake: Living & Deceased People of the Parish

9:00am Lakewood: Charlie Hirsch✘

## Mission Sewing Circle News

Our clothes have made it to the Dominican Republic and Haiti! Over 350 shorts, sundresses and small blankets were donated to the Green Bay Mission Support ministry and were included in a recent shipment to the D.R. And Haiti. Many children have been effected by recent hurricanes and we know our handiwork will be greatly appreciated.

Over the years our "sewers" have made over 6000 items for needy children. But we need more "sewers" to continue our ministry. Even "snowbirds" can help us, too! Our patterns are simple and fabric is provided. Please come to our meeting on Thur. Nov 21, at 9:00 AM in the Church gathering space for information and supplies. Call Gerry Doran, 920-590-0239, if you have any questions or need to meet at another time.

Also, donations of STURDY COTTON FABRIC (1yard or more) are needed (please, no used sheets or clothing). Donations can be left in the blue bin in the Church hallway near the elevator. Thanks so much for all your support.

## Prayer Requests . . .

For healing and good health of mind, body, and spirit: Larry Goffard, Anna Mae Scheifen, Pat Bath and William Bohlmann

For eternal rest, and for God's blessings on their families: Ruth Match

For all the prayer requests written in our Parish Book of Petitions.



## Pray the Rosary



Please join us every Wednesday before Mass at 8:00am to pray the Rosary for the sick of the parish and on Fridays at 8:00am to pray the Rosary for peace.

## Your Sharing

### Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lakewood.....	\$2805.46
Silver Cliff.....	\$671.00
Crooked Lake.....	\$621.00
Total.....	\$4097.4
World Missions.....	\$730.00



Bishop's Appeal Goal:

\$25,183.00

Gifts Given: \$20,965.00

*God Bless You For Your Sharing  
& Thank You!*

## Help "Lick Family Violence!"

Our youth are once again helping out the DCCW with their annual Lick Family Violence Campaign this weekend. A second collection will be taken for the Rainbow House in Oconto. Lets work together to put an end to Family Violence. Thank you!



## Serving Those Who Serve

Next week our parish will take up a collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA. The AMS relies solely on private donors in support of its mission "serving those who serve" and its ministry to provide the same pastoral care and services to Catholics serving in the US Armed Forces, enrolled in military academies, and undergoing treatment at any of the VA Medical centers. Please prayerfully consider a generous contribution to those who defend our religious freedom.



## Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Mary's of the Lake:

In the Gospel of Matthew Jesus instructed us, 'You must be perfected as your heavenly Father is perfect' (Mt 5:48). Without such perfect holiness, Scripture says: 'no one can see the Lord [in heaven]' (Heb 12:14); for 'nothing unclean shall enter heaven (Rv 21:27). In a Pamphlet put out my *Our Sunday Visitor* it is written: 'But how many of us will have become perfect by the time we die, making us ready for heaven? If we haven't yet arrived at perfect holiness, does God just give up on us when we die? Or will he simply bypass our free wills to make us instantly perfect when we die, without our cooperation? He certainly doesn't operate that way in this life. Instead, the Catholic Church teaches, after someone has died in friendship with God, the Lord will bring to completion the process of making that person holy, of purifying that soul, which he had already begun in this life. And that process is what we call *purgatory*. Why is it God's ultimate intention for us to become perfect? God wants us to live forever in friendship with him, and He Himself is completely holy --without sin or weakness of any kind. So,

to see God face-to-face in heaven, and to know, love, and enjoy him there fully forever, we must be like him. Heaven simply wouldn't be heaven unless those who live there are perfected. If we were to bring along with us the sins and weaknesses we have in this life, heaven would be just as full of troubles as our life on earth --troubles that would last

for eternity. Such a fate would be more like hell than heaven.'  
 ♦ Every year, on November 2<sup>nd</sup> we celebrate the feast of 'Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed' -or **All Souls' Day**. The current *Catechism of the Catholic Church* states: 'All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven.' (#1030). The term '*purgatory*' is used to refer to necessary '*purging*' or purification before heaven. From the beginning, the church has honored the memory of the dead & offered prayers for them -- especially during the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. It was recorded that the earliest Christians, during the persecutions of the first 3 centuries, prayed for the dead. St. Monica, in the 4<sup>th</sup> century, asked her son (St. Augustin) to remember her soul in his celebration of the Holy Mass. Let us not forget our loved ones after they pass away. Let us pray that 'May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace!'

Fr. Philip



## Parish Meetings-Everyone Welcome!

### Crooked Lake Christian Women

Monday, November 4th 1pm at the Chapel

### Holy Name Society Corporate Communion Sunday

Sunday, November 10th Meeting & Breakfast after the 9am Mass. Please sign up by the elevator entrance.

### Building & Grounds Committee

Wednesday, November 13th 9am in the Church Hall

### St. Mary's Christian Women

Thursday, November 21st 1pm in the Church Hall

### Parish Council Meetings

Thursday, November 21st at the Silver Cliff Chapel  
 Pastoral Council @6:00pm—Finance Council @7:00pm

## Enriching and Broadening Catholic Charities and Living Justice Ministries

Reinvigorate the Church's mission in our communities. As missionary disciples we meet people where they are at and embrace their hearts. Catholic Charities many social service programs help people with such things as mental health issues, adoption services, financial health services, immigration and refugee program and housing issues. They address gaps in service and respond to those among us that others won't serve. The *one by One* campaign will renew our commitment to people struggling most in life by:

- Providing addiction outreach and services and adding more alcohol and drug abuse counselors
  - Addressing issues of homelessness
  - Extending full and part-time social services in more communities throughout the Diocese
  - Engaging parishes and community partners in strategies to respond to community and individual needs
- Your support not only broadens social services and living justice programs, it ensures the future of our parishes, enhances Catholic education and cares for our seminarians. To make your gift today contact the parish office, visit the *one by One* campaign website at

[one.catholicfoundationgb.org](http://one.catholicfoundationgb.org)  
 or call Josh Diedrich toll-free at 877-500-3580, ext. 8197.



## VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

NOVEMBER 3–9, 2019

Join us in praying for and supporting those who are considering vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life in our diocese!

## Hospitality Weekend

You are cordially invited for coffee and donuts on the first Sunday of every month, after the 9am Mass at Lakewood and the 7:30am Mass at Crooked Lake. Remembrance Mass will be November 3rd. at Lakewood.

