

St. Mary's of the Lake



January 17, 2021

The Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus.
- Jn 1:35-37

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.

To Join the Parish: Contact the Office

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.

Christian Thrift
Store is in need of
paper bags!



Welcome!

Rejoice brothers and sisters, as we serve God in the New Year. May our hearts overflow with love for God and for one another. Reach out in Christian love to welcome one another.

Mass Intentions



Saturday, January 16, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✘
5:30pm Silver Cliff: Tony Jacobsmeier✘

Sunday, January 17, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose
9:00am Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✘

Tuesday, January 19, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Jeanne Castaneda & Julie Busch✘

Wednesday, January 20, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Percy Knaub✘

Thursday, January 21, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✘

Friday, January 22, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Bob Landwehr✘

Saturday, January 23, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Bob Liebsch✘
5:30pm Silver Cliff: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose

Sunday, January 24, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: Vernon & Carol Kostichka✘
9:00am Lakewood: The Mainczyk Families

Prayer Requests . . .

For healing and good health of mind, body, and spirit: Ken Kesner, Barb Mainczyk, Joe Kampf, Gary Wagner, Merle Verhagen, Myra Verhagen, Frank Mainczyk and Mary Wagner

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

Eugene Fencil, Bill Bohlmann, Ron Turk, Eileen School, Marty Kruger

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



Prayer Shawls

If you would like to receive a prayer shawl, or know of someone who would, please call the parish office. A prayer shawl has been blessed by Father and helps to remind us of God's love and care and the prayers of our faith community to know that we are not alone.



Pray the Rosary

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 for Peace.

Your Sharing

The Baptism of the Lord

Lakewood.....	\$2465.75
Silver Cliff	\$347.00
Crooked Lake.....	\$435.00
Total.....	\$3247.75

God Bless You For Your Sharing & Thank You!

God's Gift!

Every good and perfect gift comes from above.

-James 1:17

On the weekend of January 16th & 17th we will have baby bottles to pick up to help support the Hope Life Center in Antigo. Please fill your bottle with coins, bills or checks. The Center provides physical, emotional and spiritual support in a confidential, judgment-free environment. They offer free pregnancy testing, limited OB ultrasound, counseling, abortion recovery support, and parenting education. The Baby Bottle's will be collected in February. If you are not able to come to church you may send in your contributions. Checks made out to Hope Life Center. Thank you in advance for helping with God's little gifts!



JANUARY 6 VIOLENCE:

Archbishop José H. Gomez of Los Angeles, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), issued the following statement in response to the Jan 6 violence in the United States Capitol:

"I join people of good will in condemning the violence today at the United States Capitol. This is not who we are as Americans. I am praying for members of Congress and Capitol staff and for the police and all those working to restore order and public safety. "The peaceful transition of power is one of the hallmarks of this great nation. In this troubling moment, we must recommit ourselves to the values and principles of our democracy and come together as one nation under God. I entrust all of us to the heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary. May she guide us in the ways of peace, and obtain for us wisdom and the grace of a true patriotism and love of country."

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

[On reflecting on the Baptism of the Lord 2019 Pope Francis pointed out: The Gospel passage [cf. Lk 3:15-16, 21-22] illustrates two important elements: Jesus' relationship with the people and Jesus' relationship with the Father. In last week Pastoral Notes, we reflected with our Holy Father on the first element. This week we continue with the second]:

'The SECOND ELEMENT emphasized by Luke the Evangelist is



that, after his immersion in the people and in the waters of the Jordan, Jesus 'immerses' himself in prayer, that is, in communion with the Father. Baptism is the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, of his mission in the world as the envoy of the Father in order to manifest his goodness and his love

for mankind. This mission is fulfilled in constant and perfect union with the Father and with the Holy Spirit. The Church's mission too, and that of each of us, in order to be faithful and fruitful, is called to 'graft' ourselves onto that of Jesus. It means **regenerating continually in prayer, evangelization and the apostolate**, in order to bear a clear Christian witness not according to human designs, but according to the plan and style of God.

♦ Dear brothers and sisters, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is a propitious **opportunity to renew with gratitude and conviction the promises made at our Baptism**, by committing ourselves to live in harmony with it daily. It is also very important, as I have said to you many times, to know the date of our Baptism. I could ask: 'Who among you knows the date of his or her Baptism?'. Not everyone, to be sure. If some of you do not know it, when you get home, ask your parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, godparents, family friends.... Ask: 'On what date was I baptized?'. And then, do not forget it: **let it be a date kept in your heart to be celebrated every year.**

♦ May Jesus, who saved us not for our own merits but in order to realize the immense goodness of the Father, make us merciful toward all. May the Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy, be our guide and our model.

American Red Cross Blood Drive
At the Town of Doty Town Hall
 14899 County Road T, Mountain
 Monday, January 18th from 10am to 3pm
 By Appt: Call Krista @ 920-510-8273




Heavenly Father,

You made all people of the world. On this day, help us to remember that everyone is precious to you. Inspire us to reflect on this truth: that although we are not all the same, we all have equal value in your sight. On this day, help us to always judge the actions of others based only upon your standards of right and wrong and never on the color of one's skin. And on this day, let us not only remember past wrongs committed, but look ahead with hope to a blessed future. Amen.

Christian Unity 

Week of Prayer
January 18th - 25th
 During this week of prayer for Christian Unity let us truly be brothers and sisters in Christ, vowing to love one another. Reach out to one another in Christian fellowship and kindness.

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, January 22, 2021

God our Creator, We give thanks to you, who alone have the power to impart the breath of life as you form each of us in our mother's womb; grant, we pray, that we, whom have made stewards of creation may remain faithful to this sacred trust and constant in safeguarding the dignity of every human life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Life is a Gift 

MinisTree Program

If you bring in food for the food pantry, or come in to clean the sacristy, etc. please fill out a MinisTree card (found on the bulletin board in the back corner of the church). The first time you fill out a card please fill in all of the info requested (name, address, phone, age). After that just fill in your name and the activity (if that is not already indicated on the card). Put your completed card in the manila envelope that is on the board. Each completed card will earn \$5 for the Religious Education Program. Thank you so much for giving & volunteering!



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