

St. Mary's of the Lake



February 21, 2021

First Sunday of Lent

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." - Mk 1:14-15

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.

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT



Welcome!

We are glad that you are here with us today to mark the season of Lent. During this season, we are all in need of divine forgiveness, and in need of power to lead a more faithful Christian life. Acceptance and support await you at our parish.

Mass Intentions



Saturday, February 20, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Frank Mainczyk✠

5:30pm Silver Cliff: Bernice Gruenke✠

Sunday, February 21, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose

9:00am Lakewood: Lorraine Kern✠

Tuesday, February 23, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Frank Mainczyk✠

Wednesday, February 24, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Gerald Linssen✠

Thursday, February 25, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: For the Health of Brian Hodgkiss

Friday, February 26, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Bob Liebsch✠

Saturday, February 27, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Cathy Davies✠

5:30pm Silver Cliff: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose

Sunday, February 28, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: Vernon & Carol Kostichka✠

9:00am Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✠

40 Days For Life

Started February 17th! You're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life-40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to walk and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood at 2605 S. Oneida Street in Ashwaubenon and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. Our parish will be participating on Wednesday, March 17th from 10am to 12pm, two one hour shifts. If you'd like more information please call Gwen at 715-276-2707. Join the worldwide movement to protect mothers and babies.



Prayer Requests . . .

For healing and good health of mind, body, and spirit: Ken Kesner, Barb Mainczyk, Joe Kampf, Gary Wagner, Merle Verhagen, Myra Verhagen, Mary Wagner, Ralph Fritsch, Glen Linssen and Brian Hodgkiss

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

Frank Mainczyk, Gerald Linssen

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 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lakewood.....	\$6808.50
Silver Cliff.....	\$574.00
Crooked Lake.....	\$395.00
Total.....	\$7777.50

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

DCCW Annual Raffle

The Green Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is holding its annual raffle. There are only 300 tickets printed at a purchase price of \$20.00 per ticket. First place prize is \$1000.00; 2nd place is \$500.00; 3rd place \$200.00 4th, 5th, and 6th place being \$100.00 each. Tickets will remain on sale until Monday April 12 2021, Call Mary Wagner at 715-757-2292 if you are interested in purchasing a ticket. Our organization has 5 tickets., The annual raffle drawing will be at 2:00pm on Saturday, April 17, 2021.

Parish Web Site

www.stmarys-lakewood.com

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

LENTEN REGULATIONS: Each Catholic is asked to preserve the penitential purpose and character of Lent. Catholics who have celebrated their **14th birthday are to abstain from meat** on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent and Good Friday. In addition to abstaining from meat, Catholics who have celebrated their **18th birthday until they celebrate their 59th birthday are to fast** on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Those who are bound to this regulation may only eat one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. ✂ *These practices are designed for spiritual growth. Catholics are not to excuse themselves lightly from these prescribed **minimal penitential practices.***

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

- In Lakewood** (led by Deacon Bill) --at 3 PM on WED on the following: Feb 24, March 3, 10 & 17.
- In Wabeno** (led by Fr. Philip --at 4 PM on WED on the following: Feb 24, March 10 & 24.

CORRECT TRANSLATION OBSERVED

'The only constant in life is change.' This is a quote we may all relate to very well as we continue to experience the many changes caused by the recent pandemic. Soon, there will be a new change that we will experience in the Church's prayer at Mass.

Our Catholic Church continues to strive to make consistent and universal what she prays throughout the world. Great effort has been made to translate faithfully and accurately the various prayers of the Mass from its original source language which is Latin. About ten years ago, you might remember the many changes in translation to the Mass that took place. Now, one more small but important change has been made to the conclusion of the collect (opening prayer) at Mass.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday, 2021, the word 'one' will be omitted in the doxology or conclusion of the opening prayer at Mass. Thus the prayer will now read, '...in the unity of the Holy Spirit, **God, for ever and ever.**' The reason for this change is that the word 'God' in this prayer refers to Jesus Christ and his divinity and not specifically to the Holy Trinity. In order to avoid confusion regarding the divinity of Christ, this change has now been made.

This was requested by Pope Francis in the Vatican and overwhelmingly approved by the Catholic bishops of our country. Like all changes, this will take a little getting used to. However, it will soon become part of the way we pray and I believe it will help to strengthen our faith.

Shaun Johnson, Director

OFFICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP - Green Bay Diocese



Prepare Your Heart Lenten Material Available

The Little Black Books, Catholic Relief Services Operation Rice Bowl and the

Compass newspaper

Communal Lenten Penance Services

March 16th - 4:30pm St. Ambrose in Wabeno

March 18th - 5:00pm St. Mary's in Lakewood

Stations of the Cross

Lakewood- Wednesday's at 3 pm February 24th,

March 3rd, 10th, & 17th

Wabeno - Wednesday's at 4pm February 24th

March 10th, 24th



CRS *Rice Bowl Operation* is the Lenten program of Catholic Relief Services 'Rice Bowl' is actually a homemade cardboard box used as a tool to collect

Lenten almsgiving (donation). The almsgiving is donated to the poor (many in the third-world countries) to buy rice or necessary foods. On the box, it is printed 'Through CRS Rice Bowl, you help reach more than 159 million people with lifesaving support.' Consider picking up a 'rice bowl' at the entrances of the church and return it with your donation.

Bishop's Appeal 2021

The Compass Fuels Faith

More than 45,000 fellow Catholics fuel their faith by reading the Diocese's official weekly newspaper, *The Compass*.

They're reading the publication because it helps guide them on their faith journey. Inspirational stories from *The Compass* bring Christ right into their hearts and minds.

"With help from the Bishop's Appeal, *The Compass* provides readers with reliable news, information and inspiration," says Sam Lucero, News & Information Manager. "Each week, stories and columns help reveal our Catholic faith. And they deliver more than just news. They challenge readers to explore and absorb Christian values in the world today."

The *Compass* is made possible by the Bishop's Appeal; please prayerfully consider a gift today. Visit the Bishop's Appeal website at www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give, or call Tammy toll-free at 877-500-3580, ext. 8123.



Time to Bring Back the Baby Bottles

Please Return the Baby Bottles from the Hope Life Center bottle drive.

These bottles will be used again.

Thank you for helping with God's little gifts!

