

St. Mary's of the Lake



May 23, 2021

Pentecost Sunday

“I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me.” - Jn 16:12-14a

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

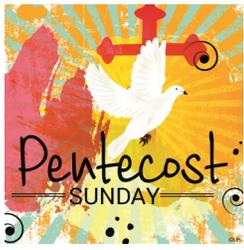
Mass at 8:30 am
Exposition from 9:00am - 10:00am
Reconciliation from 9:00am - 10:00am
Benediction at 10:00am

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.



Welcome!

On this Pentecost Sunday, the coming of the Holy Spirit, calls up images of wind that rushes, flames that leap, and disciples inspired to go out from the upper room fearlessly. Scripture tells us that this is the moment that gave birth to the church. Pentecost brings the Easter season to a grand fiery close. The Holy Spirit lavishes us with gifts in abundance and empowers us to take up the mission of Jesus and make it ours. Wisdom, Knowledge, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Piety, and Fear of the Lord, are the gifts which help us to continue the work of Jesus in this world.

Prayer Requests . . .

For healing and good health of mind, body, and spirit:
Ken Kesner, Barb Mainczyk , Gary Wagner, Merle Verhagen, Myra Verhagen, Mary Wagner, Glen Linsen, Brian Hodgkiss, Cindi Rzepka, Steven Brennan, Nicole Cottrell, Jan Gonnering, Doreen Vizenor, Anne Steeg and Bob Bennett



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

Prayer Shawls available please contact the parish office.



Mass Intentions



Saturday, May 22, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Frank Mainczyk✠
5:30pm Silver Cliff: Fr. Staney Browne✠

Sunday, May 23, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose
9:00am Lakewood: Marty Kruger✠

Tuesday, May 25, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Don Fietzer✠

Wednesday, May 26, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Vernon & Carol Kostichka✠

Thursday, May 27, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Frank Mainczyk✠

Friday, May 28, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: For those who Died of Covid

Saturday, May 29, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Dan Nendza✠
5:30pm Silver Cliff: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose

Sunday, May 30, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: Living & Deceased Members of the Crooked Lake Christian Women
9:00am Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✠

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.

May - Month of Mary

Blessed Rosaries are available by the entrances for you to take. Please take one and pray the Rosary.

Your Sharing

The Ascension of the Lord

Lakewood.....	\$2994.27
Silver Cliff.....	\$835.00
Crooked Lake.....	\$183.00
Total.....	\$4012.27

God Bless You For Your Sharing & Thank You!

ATTENTION! For now, in our three churches there are still a number of roped pews for those with masks and social distancing.



Happy Birthday!

To our oldest active parishioner, Dorothy Bruns who has turned 96 years young on May 23rd!

And to our pastor, Fr. Philip who also will be celebrating a birthday on May 30th!

Prayer for Graduates

May you have WISDOM in heart and mind, SUCCESS in every challenge you find, COURAGE to seek life's purpose, BELIEF in yourself to make it come true, STRENGTH to do your best and endure, and the guiding light of FAITH to ensure that wherever you go, whatever you do, God's LOVE will always see you through.



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

[Below is part of Pope Francis' Reflections at the Angelus on the Pentecost 2020]:



Today we celebrate THE GREAT FEAST OF PENTECOST, in memory of the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the first Christian community. Today's Gospel (cf. Jn 20:19-23) takes us back to the evening of Easter and shows us the Risen Jesus who appears in the Upper Room, where the disciples have taken refuge. They were afraid. He 'stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you!' (v. 19). These first words pronounced by the Risen One

— 'Peace be with you' — are to be considered as more than a greeting: they express forgiveness, the forgiveness granted to the disciples who, to tell the truth, had abandoned him. They are words of reconciliation and forgiveness. And when we wish peace to others, we too are granting forgiveness, and asking for forgiveness as well. Jesus offers his peace precisely to these disciples who are afraid, who find it hard to believe what they have seen, that is, the empty tomb, and they underestimate the witness of Mary of Magdala and of the other women. Jesus forgives; he always forgives, and offers his peace to his friends. Do not forget: Jesus never tires of forgiving. It is we who tire of asking for forgiveness.

♦ By forgiving and gathering his disciples around him, Jesus makes them a Church, *his Church*, which is a community reconciled and ready for mission. Reconciled and ready for mission. When a community is not reconciled, it is not ready for mission: it is ready for discussions within it; it is ready for internal [discussions]. The encounter with the Risen Lord upends the lives of the Apostles and transforms them into courageous witnesses. Indeed, immediately afterwards he says, 'As the Father has sent me, even so I send you' (v. 21). These words help us understand that *the Apostles are sent to continue the same mission that the Father entrusted to Jesus*. 'I send you': it is not time to stay locked up, nor to regret: to regret the 'good times', those times spent with the Master. The joy of the Resurrection is great, but it is an expansive joy, which *should not be kept to oneself: it is to be given*. On the Sundays of the Easter Season we first heard this same episode, then the encounter with the disciples of Emmaus, then the Good Shepherd, the farewell discourses and the promise of the Holy Spirit: all this is directed toward strengthening the disciples' faith — and ours as well — in view of the mission...

☆ Let us now raise our thoughts to Mary: when the Holy Spirit came, she was there, with the Apostles, a protagonist with the first Community that experienced the wonders of Pentecost, and let us pray that she obtain for the Church the ardent missionary spirit.

A Novena to Mary in May

St. Mary's of the Lake in Lakewood is inviting everyone to join in praying a Novena to Mary on every Tuesday and Thursday after Mass during the month of May. A leader and written handouts will guide you through the process. There is also an option to complete the Novena at home the pamphlets can be picked up at the church entrance. The power of prayer has been seen in novenas, especially in a communal setting. Special intentions and prayerful requests have been answered through novenas. For any questions, call Mary Deltgen at 920-419-4746. This is a wonderful way to honor our Blessed Virgin Mary.



St. Ambrose Parish in Wabeno is looking for help!

St. Ambrose is looking for someone to clean our church complex. Hours flexible, duties vary on an as needed basis. Minimum requirement would be for the complex to be clean prior to Sunday Mass.

Also, looking ahead for someone to operate a snowblower/snow shovel in the months of November-April. This would involve all the sidewalks/entrances to our church complex. Specific days required would be Tuesday & Sunday. Hours flexible as determined by the weather. Spreading salt/sand as needed for icy conditions. Pay would be once a month & wage/contract negotiable. Please call 715-473-2511 or email stambrose@centurylink.net



Inspiration for the Week

The phrase "being filled with the Holy Spirit" may summon forth images that are a bit too intense for some folks. They may conclude that when one is filled with the Holy Spirit that they immediately begin speaking in tongues, loudly praise God, sing alleluia from roof tops, and do other demonstrative things. In reality, being filled with the Holy Spirit means being filled with the fullness of God's life and in touch with the power and wonder of God's presence. It is the Holy Spirit that draws us together as a community of faith, inspires us with wisdom and right judgment, and turns us from the darkness of sin to the virtues that bring life. We live in a world where it is hard to discover truth. The Holy Spirit, through the ministry of the church, guides us to truth and shows us the way to be the graced human beings God made us to be. Come, Holy Spirit, and fill our hearts!

