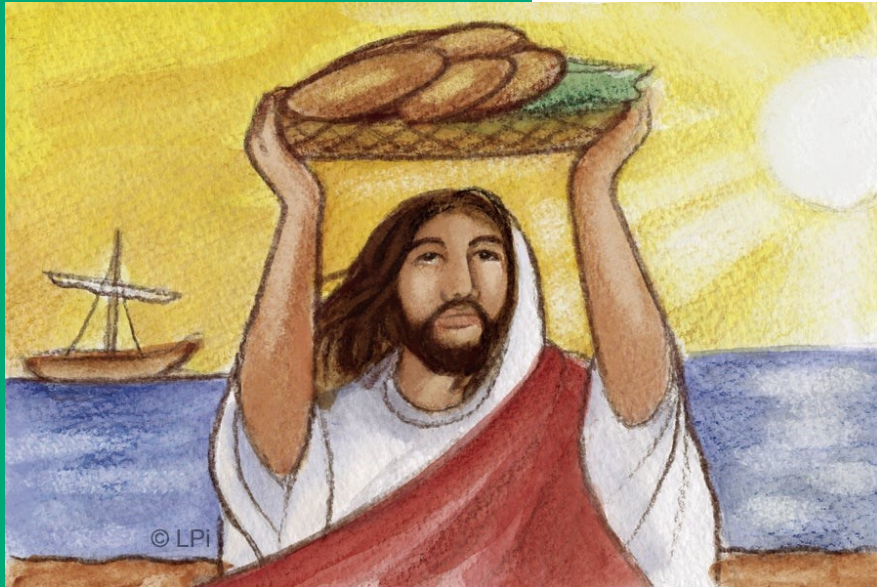


# St. Mary's of the Lake



**July 25, 2021**  
Seventeenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

Jesus said, "Have the people recline." Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number. When they had had their fill, he said to his disciples, "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted."  
- Jn 6:10, 12

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

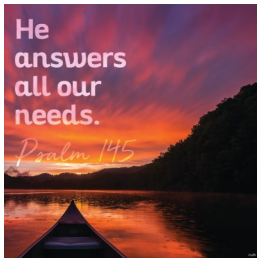
Mass at 8:30 am  
Exposition from 9:00am - 10:00am  
Reconciliation from 9:00am - 10:00am  
Benediction at 10:00am

## 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!

A warm and cordial welcome to all! Your presence is a blessing to us and we are happy that we can all join together in worshipping our Lord. Lift up your hearts with joy and thanksgiving.

## Prayer Requests . . .

For healing and good health of mind, body, and spirit:

Ken Kesner, Gary Wagner, Isabelle Brennan, Adam Napier, Barb Mainczyk, Lonnie Jackson and Logan Schmidt

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

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



## Mass Intentions



Saturday, July 24, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Ron & Alyce Viaene✘

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

Sunday, July 25, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: Rich VanWychen✘

9:00am Lakewood: Bob Mainczyk✘

Tuesday, July 27, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Deb Evers✘

Wednesday, July 28, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: George Steed Jr.✘

Thursday, July 29, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: A Special Intention for Greg & Lara Schroeder & Family

Friday, July 30, 2021

8:30am Lakewood: Frank Mainczyk✘

Saturday, July 31, 2021

4:00pm Lakewood: Dan Nendza✘

5:30pm Silver Cliff: Deceased Members of the Schneider Family

Sunday, August 1, 2021

7:30am Crooked Lake: Bill Albers✘

9:00am Lakewood: The People of St. Mary's & St. Ambrose

Prayer Shawls available please contact the parish office.



## 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

### Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lakewood.....	\$3953.45
Silver Cliff.....	\$320.00
Crooked Lake.....	\$504.00
Total.....	\$4777.45
Maintenance Collection.....	\$70.00
Missionary Collection.....	\$50.00

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

## New Offering Envelopes!

Your offering envelopes for the new church year are available for pick up in the back of church. They are in alphabetical order. If you do not have envelopes and wish to receive them, please call the parish office.



## Bakers Needed

The Arts & Crafts Sale is August 7th and that means a BAKE SALE for the Christian Women. Now is the time to show off your talent. We would appreciate any great tasting item you wish to share. Bakery items can be

dropped off at church by 4:00 p.m. on August 6th. This is a project all can take part in. Thank you!

## Car Parkers Needed



The Holy Name Society is looking for people to help park cars during the Arts & Craft Show August 7th. There is a sign up sheet by the elevator entrance if you are able to help. For questions call the parish office at 715-276-7364.

## Parish Web Site

[www.stmarys-lakewood.com](http://www.stmarys-lakewood.com)

**ATTENTION!**

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

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

Below is Part of Pope Francis' Message at the General Audience July, 2021 on Rest and Compassion

Dear brothers and sisters, *buongiorno!*



Jesus's attitude that we observe in the Gospel of today's liturgy (Mk 6:30-34) helps us to grasp two important aspects of life.

1.- THE FIRST IS REST. To the Apostles returning from the labors of the mission who enthusiastically begin to relate everything they had done, Jesus tenderly directs this invitation to the Apostles: 'Come away by yourselves to a **lonely place, and rest a while**' (v. 31). An invitation to rest. In so doing, Jesus gives us a valuable teaching. Even though he rejoices on seeing his disciples' happiness due to the wonders of their preaching, he does not spend time giving them compliments or asking questions. Rather, *he is concerned about their physical and interior tiredness*. And why does he do this? Because he wants to make them aware of a danger that is always lurking there for us too: the danger to be caught up in the frenzy of doing things, to fall into the trap of activism where what is most important are the results that we obtain and the feeling of being absolute protagonists. How many times this happens in the Church: we are busy, we run around, we think that everything depends on us and, in the end, we risk neglecting Jesus and we always make ourselves the center. This is why He invites His disciples to rest a bit with Him on their own.

2.- Nonetheless, the Gospel tells us that Jesus and his disciples could not rest as they had wished. The people find them and flock to them from all sides. At which point, he is moved with compassion. This is THE SECOND ASPECT: COMPASSION, which is God's style. God's style is to draw near, compassion and tenderness. How many times we find this phrase in the Gospel, in the Bible: 'He had compassion on them'. Touched, Jesus dedicates himself to the people and begins to teach again (cf. vv. 33-34). This seems to be a contradiction, but in reality, it is not. In fact, only a heart that does not allow itself to be taken over by hastiness is capable of being moved; that is, of not allowing itself to be caught up in itself and by things to do, and is aware of others, of their wounds, their needs. *Compassion is born from contemplation*. If we learn to truly rest, we become capable of true compassion; if we cultivate a contemplative outlook, we will carry out our activities without that rapacious attitude of those who want to possess and consume everything;

☆ And now, let us pray to the Madonna, who cultivated silence, prayer and contemplation and who is always moved with tender compassion for us, her children.

## Parish Meetings - Everyone Welcome

### Crooked Lake Christian Women

Monday, August 2nd at 1pm at the Chapel

## Celebrate the Assumption of Mary!

The Holy Name Society will be sponsoring an Outdoor Mass on Sunday, August 15th on the stage at the Lakewood Pavilion at 10am. (No 9am Mass that day) Gregg Tallier will play for the Mass. After Mass we will have burgers, brats, ice cream, soda and water and continued music by Gregg Tallier until 1pm. Everyone is welcome!



## Lifting of the Dispensation for Mass

As life begins returning to a sense of normal after the pandemic, Bishop Ricken will be lifting the dispensation to attend the Sunday Mass from the weekend of August 15, the Feast of the Assumption of Mary. Bishop would like to invite you to read his column on lifting the dispensation. What is a dispensation? Who has it applied to? Does this mean that if I care for someone who is sick or cannot go to Mass because of my own illness I am now obliged to go to Mass on Sunday? Please visit [www.gbdioc.org/BacktoMass](http://www.gbdioc.org/BacktoMass) for Bishop's column and an accompanying video which explains the lifting of the dispensation and how it applies to you.

## The Jesus Prayer

Lord, Jesus Christ, have mercy on me. Make haste to help me. Rescue me and save me. Do your will in my life. I place my entire being into your healing care. Amen.



## MinisTree Program

Through Catholic United Financial the MinisTREE program is designed to identify and meet some of the volunteer needs in our parish. "Leaves" can be filled out for some of the following activities: cleaning the sacristy, watering flowers, bringing in food pantry items, sewing supplies, food for a funeral or helping at a funeral meal. Any Parish activities you volunteer at can be reported. Some of the cards are already printed with an activity such as "food pantry donation" or "cleaning" printed on them. Other cards are blank and things like "worked at funeral" or "food for funeral", etc. can be written on them. "Leaves" (activity cards) are available on the bulletin board in the back corner of the church. When you have completed an activity fill out one of the cards and put it in the manilla envelope marked Completed MinisTree Cards.

Each completed card will earn \$5 for the Religious Education Program. Any questions please contact Deb Kruger at 715 276-7404.

