

St. Mary Catholic Church

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... since 1860

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VISION:

Love God, Love others, and form disciples for Jesus.

MISSION:

To build a Catholic Community that discovers Jesus, follows Jesus, worships Jesus, and shares Jesus with others.



OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." - Jn 18:37

November 21, 2021

Call Parish Office For Sacramental Prep

Baptism • Marriage • RCIA

(920) 487-5005 Ext #100

Confessions according to schedule

and Confessions and Sacrament of Anointing
anytime by request.

Contact Father Amadi (920) 487-5005 Ext #3

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Parish Access
Code:

C3F6DM

Parish Website:

[https://
stmaryalgoma.com](https://stmaryalgoma.com)

St. Mary Mass Schedule



Saturday, November 20

4:00 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, November 21

7:45 am [Rosary](#)

8:15 am † Wallace Englebert

Tuesday, November 23

8:05 am † Quirin & Jeanne Braam

Wednesday, November 24 St. Andrew Dung-lac and
8:05 am For the People of the Parish Companions(M)

Thursday, November 25 Thanksgiving Day

9:00 am For the People of the Parish

Friday, November 26

No Mass

Saturday, November 27

4:00 pm † Leonard & Marie Feuerstein

Sunday, November 28

7:45 am [Rosary](#)

8:15 am For the People of the Parish

This Week at St. Mary

Sunday, November 21

8:15 am Mass - Livestream

<https://www.facebook.com/Stmaryalgoma/live/>



RETREAT INVITATION FOR WOMEN OF ALL AGES

Dec 9-12, 2021

The Jesuit Retreat House, Oshkosh, offers a place of rest and spiritual nourishment for women at the Women's Advent Retreat, beginning the evening of Dec 9 to noon on Dec 12.

Our retreat director, Fr. Jack Treloar, SJ, will help us understand the work of God and our place in His work during these turbulent times.

Come and join us. Welcome to a time and place of peace and rest.

Retreat House registration www.jesuitretreathouse.org or 920-231-9060 or 1-800-962-7330.

For information:

Coordinators: Marcie -920.923.2446

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LISTEN

"Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

JOHN 18:37



Readings for the Week of November 21, 2021

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/
Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56
[52b]/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61
[59b]/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62,
63, 64, 65, 66, 67 [59b]/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73,
74 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80,
81/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/
Lk 21:34-36

Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12-4:2/
Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 [1b]/Lk 21:25-28,
34-36

Mark your calendars:

Saturday, Dec. 11 & Sunday, Dec. 12 St. Mary Rosary
Society bake sale after both Masses.

Sunday, Dec. 12th after Mass -- cinnamon roll social.
A gift to the parish from the Rosary Society.



St. Mary School Stocking Stuffer

Holiday Craft and Vendor Sale

December 4, 2021

9 am - 3 pm

Located in the school gym & main floor

Help Needed!



St. Mary Parish/School is looking for an individual that would be interested in the responsibility for snow removal of the parish and school sidewalks.

This is a paid position at the rate of \$13 a hour.

No benefits are included.

Call the Parish office if you are interested. 920-487-5005



Parish Support



	Nov. 13 & 14	
Stewardship	\$ 5,056.35	
School Support	\$ 0.00	
Building & Grounds	\$ 10.00	



Saint Mary Parish Lights

Nov. 21 - 27

Steeple Light

Virgil Romdenne

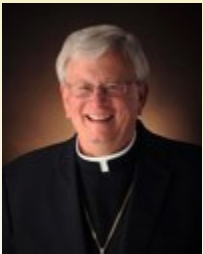
Tabernacle Light

Bob Wagner

Celebrating the Solemnity of Christ the King

By Bishop David Ricken

November 2, 2021



My brothers and sisters, on Nov. 21, we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of the Universe. That day is the last Sunday of the liturgical year, with the following Sunday beginning the Season of Advent and a new year in the liturgical calendar.

The Feast of Christ the King is a very important feast day. Traditionally, intercession to Christ the King is called upon during times of great turmoil and upheaval with pleas for his special intervention. Impassioned appeals are made to him during times like these, begging for his special intervention in the situations of the world, of families, of dioceses, of parishes and especially for civil and governmental leaders.

In the Our Father we pray these words of Jesus: "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Jesus has directed us to pray this prayer to the Father and we do so regularly.

So what is God's Kingdom like?

Scriptural references to the Kingdom of God abound. It is compared to a mustard seed, a pearl of great price and a wedding feast, and each of these images help us better understand a particular aspect of the Kingdom of God. But we must remember that, above all these images, the Kingdom of God is just what it says it is, God's Kingdom. And that means that God is Sovereign Lord of all of creation, of the universe, of each and every nation.

The good news is that God's reign is not about ruling with an iron fist. No, God is the best ruler we could possibly have and, when he returns to earth, he will fully establish his Kingdom of love, respect, peace, joy and fullness of life.

In the meantime, we must entrust ourselves to him and ask for the grace to be faithful to him in difficult times, which it seems are on the horizon more and more. We must be ready every day, brothers and sisters, for trials and sufferings and sacrifices, unlike anything we have faced in our lives previously. We must persevere through these trials and keep our eyes focused on Jesus.

It is obvious that our nation is under great trial now with the aftereffect of the pandemic, as well as social, economic and political divisions that seem to grow each day. Countries with great antipathy to the United States are beating the drums of domination as they flex their muscles in many ways. There are even divisions in the church about fundamental moral questions, which are creating stress in the Body of Christ. In the midst of all this upheaval, brothers and sisters, we must remember that Jesus is our King.

So, this year, on the Feast of Christ the King, at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, I will be entrusting all of you, our diocese, our state and our nation to Christ the King of All Nations. I have asked the priests and the parishes to do the same by praying a special litany prepared for this day.

Friends, this is a time for fervent prayer and fasting, for calling one another back to Jesus, for committing or recommitting ourselves to living as disciples of Christ. Let us not delay, for we know not the day nor the hour of the Lord's coming. I urge each of you to join me in entrusting your life to Christ the King and praying for our diocese, our state and our nation. With God as our King, we know that no evil can overcome us!

God bless each and every one of you!