



St. Al's (Houghton) & St. Anne's (Chassell)

Combined Summer Bulletin



6th Sunday of Easter
May 9, 2021

Entrance Antiphon for the 6th Sunday of Easter
Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth;
The Lord has freed his people, alleluia. *cf. Is 48: 20*

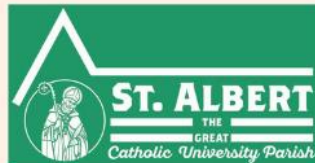
Mass Readings

- Mon. MAY 10**
Acts 16:11–15
Jn 15:26—16:4a
- Tues. MAY 11**
Acts 16:22–34
Jn 16:5–11
- Wed. MAY 12**
Acts 17:15, 22—18:1
Jn 16:12–15
- Thurs. MAY 13**
Acts 18:1–8
Jn 16:16–20
- Fri. MAY 14**
St. Matthias, Apostle
Acts 1:15–17, 20–26
Jn 15:9–17
- Sat. MAY 15**
Acts 18:23–28
Jn 16:23b–28
- Sun. MAY 16**
Ascension of the Lord
Acts 1:1–11
Eph 1:17–23
Mk 16:15–20

Thank you Allie!

We thank Allie Ripplinger for her four years of service at St. Al's as a FOCUS missionary!

Allie, her husband Thomas, and daughter Lucille will be missed!



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St. Anne's Mass Times: Sat. 5:30 pm // Sun. 7:45 am & 9 am // Tues. 5:30 pm // Thurs. 9 am

Parking Lot Confessions: Saturday 4:30 - 5:20 pm

St. Al's Mass Times: Sunday 11 am & 5 pm (parking lot) // Wednesday & Friday 5:30 pm

Outdoor Confessions: Tuesday 8-9 pm, Wednesday & Friday 5 pm (NW Balcony & Side Entrance)

Baptisms: Please make arrangements with pastor at least one month in advance.

Confirmation & First Communion: Please notify the parish office of your need ASAP.

Marriages: Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: Upon request when suffering from serious illness or before surgery.



St. Anne Catholic Church

41903 Willson Memorial Dr. Chassell, MI 49916

stannechassell.org & facebook.com/st.anne.chassell

Sat.	May 08	5:30 pm	† Janice Caudle & Lois Durish	By Bob Soumis	Masses
Sun.	May 09	7:45 am	For all the Deceased Clergy of the Diocese	By the Parish	
Sun.	May 09	9:00 am	For the People of St. Anne's & St. Al's	By the Parishes	
Tues.	May 11	5:30 pm	Deceased Members of the Karvako Family	By William Daavettila	
Thurs.	May 13	9:00 am	Living & Deceased Members of St. Anne's Altar Society	By St. Anne's Altar Society	
Sat.	May 15	5:30 pm	† Patti Vanlerberghe	By Nancy Courchaine	
Sun.	May 16	7:45 am	† Lawrence & Elaine Monette	By Richard & Mary Ellen Colombe	
Sun.	May 16	9:00 am	† Pierre Houle	By Marlene Houle	

FAITH FORMATION & PRAYER

Book Study: Join Fr. Tom and Sr. Jacqueline for a book study of *Back to Virtue* by Peter Kreeft. Three ways to participate: St. Al's, St. Anne's or by Zoom. Classes begin May 19 and continue through July 8. To register, contact sisterj@mutcatholic.org or 906-231-6862.

Summer Liturgy Schedules Please note the significant shifts in our liturgy schedules as we move to our summer times.

Summer Morning Adoration at St. Al's Adoration from Tuesday - Friday at St. Al's from 7:30 to 8:30 am. On Mondays, Adoration at 4:30 pm preceding the 5:30 pm Mass.

Totus Tuus 2021 We're hoping to host Totus Tuus in person at St. Al's in early June! This will be for K-12. Stay tuned!

Steubenville 2021 Virtual Stay tuned for more details, but we're hoping to host the Steubenville Conference locally using their virtual material along with in person liturgy, prayer, and small group discussion.

PARISH EVENTS

Please return your LOC Baby Bottles this week! This fundraiser supports the good work of the Life Outreach Center, our local crisis pregnancy center. Please return your bottle in the collection or to the parish office this week.

Dispensation from the Sunday Obligation to end Per Bishop John's recent letter, the dispensation from attending Mass on Sunday will end on Pentecost weekend, May 22/23 in the Diocese of Marquette. This is timely due to increasing vaccination rates, the effectiveness of our simple safety protocols, and our great need to receive the Eucharist! Please contact Fr. Ben if you have questions.

Mass for Families w/ Little Kids suspended It was a blessing to be able to celebrate this Mass over the past months, but attendance and interest seem to have waned. Thank you to the families who were able to come on Saturdays at 9 am.

Vicariate Corpus Christi Procession Save the date! We'll be starting at St. Al's at 2 pm on Sunday, June 6th. Come out and show your devotion to the Blessed Sacrament!

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Sacred Heart Catholic School in L'Anse will offer bus service to the Copper Country starting next fall. The school is purchasing a larger, newer bus, which will provide both morning and afternoon bus service. The drop-off and pick-up location will be the parking lot at St. Anne's in Chassell. Parents who are interested in sending their children to Sacred Heart School next year can call 906-524-5157 or secretary@sacredheartlanse.org to start the admissions process and to be considered for scholarships.

Parking Lot Mass at St. Al's

Sundays at 5 pm! Watch Mass from the big parking lot, hear the Mass through your phone, receive communion from in your car.

Basic Pandemic Safety Reminders

- If you have a **positive COVID test or COVID symptoms**, please do not come to Mass.
- Please wear a **mask** in church.
- Please **sanitize** your hands when you arrive, and before communion in the pew, if you can.
- Please observe **social distance spacing**: every other pew is blocked, a spot for one or two people at each end. If you're a family of three or more, please take a whole pew.
- Bishop John encourages everyone to receive **communion in the hand**, and please **stay spaced** out in the line.
- No collection: but please put something in the basket up front if you can! **We are grateful for your support!**

Words of Wisdom from Bp Frederic Baraga



"O Mary...you wish to help us always and bestow your favors on us...intercede for us before God..."

Rice Bowl Results Thank you to everyone who gave this year!



St. Anne's: \$1,272.06
St. Al's: \$292.84
Total: \$1,564.90

This will help feed the hungry!

St. Anne's CONTRIBUTIONS

Give to St. Anne's online: stannechassell.org/give-online

	May 1 st & May 2 nd , 2021	Year to Date
Envelopes	\$3,680.00	\$91,777.50
Loose	\$98.00	\$10,436.29
Children	\$0.00	\$0.00
Holy Days	\$75.00	\$4,531.00
Initial Offering	\$0.00	\$161.00
Heating/Cooling	\$0.00	\$2,005.00
Total	\$3,853.00	\$108,910.79
Budgeted	\$2,436.55	\$107,208.20
Overage/(Shortfall)	+\$1,416.45	+\$1,702.59



10% of our parish income is tithed to ministries that directly assist those in need.



St. Albert the Great University Parish



Michigan Technological University

411 MacInnes Drive / Houghton, Michigan 49931
 mtucatholic.org + www.facebook.com/stagmtu



Sun.	May 09	11:00 am	In Honor of the Virgin Mary & all Mothers	By Betty Radke	Masses
Sun.	May 09	5:00 pm	For the Life Outreach Center	By Mark Cavis	
Wed.	May 12	5:30 pm	For the Special Intention of Trisha Mattson	By the Merkel Family	
Fri.	May 14	5:30 pm	For Vocations to the Franciscan Community	By the Franciscan Sisters	
Sun.	May 16	11:00 am	† George Sanders	By Paul & Jen Sanders	
Sun.	May 16	5:00 pm	For the People of St. Al's & St. Anne's	By the Parishes	

Liturgical Ministers	Mass	Usher	Lector
	5:30 pm Wed, May 12		Help Needed
	5:30 pm Fri, May 14		Help Needed
	11 am Sun, May 16	J. Juras	Maria Kwesiga
	5 pm Sun, May 16	Parking Lot: Help Needed	Parking Lot: C. Bryan

From the desk of Fr. Ben... 9 May 2021



Congratulations to Jane Filpus on making her First Communion this past Sunday at St. Anne's! Congratulations too for her family, and her catechists! It is a great joy to see our young men and women receiving the sacraments!

I am very grateful to Sr. Jacqueline and all our catechists and parents. We have a few more weeks of faith formation, and it's been a very challenging year! I'm excited for Totus Tuus this summer, as well as our tentative plans to host a local Steubenville using virtual content and in-person liturgy and small groups.

We're also beginning to talk about plans for faith formation at St. Anne's in the fall. **We're seeing increased numbers of students in recent years, praise God.** Looking at the littles, we have 6 3-year-olds as well as 6 First-Graders for the fall, and we're trying to figure out where to put everyone! God-willing, we'll be back to a much more normal rhythm of life!



The school year wrapped up for MTU on April 30, and we had our end of the year **Spring Camping Trip** this past Sunday to Tuesday. It was a little cold and damp, but we had a great trip with about 30 people participating! It has been a grace-filled year with many challenges, but also many blessings. We'll be shifting to a different rhythm as we move into the summer. I am full of gratitude to everyone who gave so much of themselves this year at St. Al's!

God Bless, Fr. Ben

Please pray for:

Christian Flagstadt & Brandon Yanni,
to be ordained deacons on Friday, May 14th,

& Dcn. Ben Rivard,
to be ordained a priest on Friday, June 4th.

May God prepare them to serve His Church!

Catholic Book Study

Choice of 3 ways to join us:

In Person on Wednesdays (6:30 pm in St Al's Hall)

In Person on Thursdays (10 am in St. Anne's Hall)

ZOOM session: Thursdays at 7 pm

Register: contact Sr. Jacqueline at sisterj@mtucatholic.org

Join Fr. Tom Merkel and Sr. Jacqueline Spaniola for a book study May 19/20 to July 9/10, 2021

St. Al's CONTRIBUTIONS			
May 1 st & May 2 nd 2021		Year to Date	
Envelopes	\$865.00	\$40,649.20	
Loose	\$473.00	\$11,565.00	
Holy Day	\$.00	\$2,277.94	
Fuel	\$.00	\$1,193.00	
Total	\$1,338.00	\$55,685.14	
*Budgeted	\$1,432.70	\$63,038.80	
Overage/ (shortfall)	-\$94.70	-\$7,353.66	
To give online: mtucatholic.org/donate			
10 % of our parish income is tithed to charities and ministries that directly assist the poor and the needy.			

St. Al's & St. Anne's

Summer Schedule

Sunday	7:45am	Mass (St. Anne's)
	9 am	Mass (St. Anne's)
	11 am	Mass (St. Al's)
	5 pm	Parking Lot Mass (St. Al's)
Monday	4:30 pm	Adoration (St. Al's)
	5:30 pm	Mass (St. Al's) when a priest is in town
Tuesday	7:30 am	Adoration (St. Al's) one hour
	4:30 pm	Holy Hour (St. Anne's)
	5:30 pm	Mass (St. Anne's)
	8 pm	Holy Hour & Confessions (St. Al's)
Wednesday	7:30 am	Adoration (St. Al's) one hour
	5:00 pm	Confessions (St. Al's) outside entrances
	5:30 pm	Mass (St. Al's)
Thursday	7:30 am	Adoration (St. Al's) one hour
	9 am	Mass (St. Anne's)
Friday	7:30 am	Adoration (St. Al's) one hour
	5:00 pm	Confessions (St. Al's) outside entrances
	5:30 pm	Mass (St. Al's)
Saturday	4:30 pm	Parking Lot Confessions (St. Anne's)
	5:30 pm	Public Mass (St. Anne's)

St. Anne's Church is open for your prayer daily!

St. Al's is open for prayer 24-7!

Post-Abortion Healing Resources

Project Rachel: hopeafterabortion.com

Rachel's Vineyard: rachelsvineyard.org

Silent No More Campaign: silentnomoreawareness.org

Porn Kills Love! Eliminate Porn in your Life!

Basic Resources for individuals, couples, parents:

Integrity Restored: integrityrestored.com

Fight the New Drug: fightthenewdrug.org

Also, pick up a copy of the books *Delivered* and/or *Restored*, which we keep by the church entrances.

Are you or a loved one experiencing homosexual attractions and looking for answers?

Courage, an apostolate of the Catholic Church, ministers to persons with same-sex attractions and their loved ones. It also has an outreach called **EnCourage** which ministers to relatives, spouses, and friends of persons with same-sex attractions.

Visit couragerc.net for more information.



Life Outreach Center

Think you're pregnant?

Not sure what to do?

We listen. We care. We can help. There is hope.

906-482-8681 lifeoutreachhoughton@gmail.com

lifeoutreachcenter.org

300B Quincy St. Hancock, MI 49930

Hours of Operation: (or by appointment)

Creighton Model System training is available at St. Anne's!

A natural family planning system, Creighton is highly effective and supports the church's call to responsible parenthood without the use of contraceptives or artificial reproductive technologies.

Applicable for: Avoiding pregnancy, achieving pregnancy, gynecological health monitoring, and infertility

Contact Kylie Hoehn,
kylie@mtucatholic.org to learn more.



Looking for a new show to watch?

Go to Formed.org!

