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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish, Clarks Mills, and St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Whitelaw, in union with the Roman Catholic Church, inspire all to grow as followers of Jesus Christ through the sacraments, faith education and social outreach to our members and the wider community.

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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 4, 2020

Mass Schedule

ST. MARY

Saturday: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 8:30 AM (Confessions 7:45-8:15)
Tuesday & Thursday: 8:15 AM

ST. MICHAEL

Saturday: 4:00 PM (Confessions 3:15-3:45)
Sunday: 10:30 AM
Wednesday & Friday: 7:00 AM

Confession also available upon request

St. Mary Parish – 775-4365

For Emergency – (920) 629-9770 – Fr. Dick's cell
Parish Secretary: Casey Braun - 775-4365
Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 11-3
St Mary/St Michael Principal: George Smith 775-4366
Director of Religious Education:
Grades 1-8: Teresa Pederson – 775-4876
Parish Council Chair: Lisa Sherman - 775-4460

St. Michael Parish – 732-3901

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Grades 1-8: Teresa Pederson – 775-4876
Parish Council Chair: Lois Kiel – 973-0290

GETTING MARRIED? Please call the parish office soon after you are engaged to begin the marriage preparation process, which is geared for your married life together, not simply the wedding day. Preparation is to begin at least nine months before the wedding, according to diocesan policy.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Parents are asked to begin preparing for their child's Baptism early. Please contact Fr. Dick for an appointment to facilitate the preparation.

COMMUNION/VISITS FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Please contact the parish office to arrange for Communion to be brought to the homebound and for regular visits by Fr. Dick.

PLEASE USE SCRIP: Available – St. Mary: At all weekend masses; in the school office: Mon.- Fri. 8:00-3:00. For large or special orders call Jean Shimon at 758-2276 by Saturday evening. Order form is available on website.

St. Michael: ½ hour until 10 minutes before weekend masses and after mass; in the parish office Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9-noon; or by contacting Colleen at 732-3115. Order form is available on website.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE October 3-11

Saturday, October 3

4:00 PM (SM) Kathleen Brunner

5:30 PM (IC) Diane & Tyler Schmidt & the Living & Deceased of St. Mary's Parish

Sunday, October 4

8:30 AM (IC) Dolores Dietrich

10:30 AM (SM) Andy Ebert & the Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish

Tuesday, October 6

8:15 AM (IC) Fr. Donald Rose

Wednesday, October 7

7:00 AM (SM) An End to Abortion/Infanticide

Thursday, October 8

8:15 AM (IC) Papa Tom Haelfrisch & all other Grandparents in Heaven

Friday, October 9

7:00 AM (SM) Gerald Rabideau, Walter & Betty O'Connell, George & Lu Charles

Saturday, October 10

4:00 PM (SM) James & Leona Vogel

5:30 PM (IC) Harold & Betty Koerner

Sunday, October 11

8:30 AM (IC) Dolores Dietrich

10:30 AM (SM) Robert Grall & the Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish

IC – St. Mary SM – St. Michael

MINISTRIES OCTOBER 10-11

Lectors:

4:00 PM (SM) Eileen Krcma

5:30 PM (IC) Kay Marsicek

8:30 AM (IC) Linda Luedtke

10:30 AM (SM) Mark Herrmann

Extraordinary Ministers:

4:00 PM (SM) Eileen Krcma

5:30 PM (IC) Deacon Randy

8:30 AM (IC) Terry Pederson

10:30 AM (SM) Phyllis Dvorachek

Servers:

4:00PM (SM) Ken Brunner

5:30 PM (IC) Drew Skyberg, Noah

Lemberger

8:30 AM (IC) Cassidy & Gloria Walesh

10:30 AM (SM) Joey & James Resch

October Ushers:

4:00 PM (SM) Jeff Vogel, Bob Schuh

5:30 PM (IC) Ed Salm, Frank Thone

8:30 AM (IC) Bob & Brian Staudinger

10:30 AM (SM) Norb & Vicki Baumann, Jason & Shawn Schwoerer

Public Mass is Opened at St. Michael's and St. Mary's. Our regular weekday and weekend Mass schedule will be in place. As you arrive, be aware of the following safety guidelines that are in place effective Saturday, August 1, 2020:

- Your temperature will be taken, if it exceeds 100.4 degrees you will be asked to go home.
- You are to wear a mask. If you do not have a mask, one will be offered to you.
- Social distancing should be observed at all times.
- Use hand sanitizer as you enter and leave church.

St. Mary's Parish is gearing up for the annual chicken and pork dinner that takes place in October. There will be some changes this year due to Covid-19. We will be doing a **drive-thru chicken dinner on Sunday, October 18 from 11am to 2pm** or until the food is gone. The cost will be \$11. The menu items are: chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, dressing, sauerkraut, carrots, dinner roll and dessert. If anyone is able to help you may donate any potatoes, carrots and onions, bake a cake and bring uncut to school on Saturday, October 17 from 8am-noon. Food prepping is needed to peel potatoes and carrots at 8am on Saturday, October 17. Dishwashers are needed at 1pm the day of the event until close. We could also use donations anywhere from \$5-10 to defray the cost of the food. Any help given would be much appreciated! You may volunteer by phone or sign-up sheets in the church entrance. Please contact Deb Klingeisen at 901-4116, Diane Preston 860-3046 or Jean Shimon 973-6741 with any questions.

Confirmation Candidates: Please remember the following students in your prayers as they prepare for the Holy Sacrament of Confirmation: Maddie Ebert, Ava Geraldson, Drew Skyberg, Jared Valleskey and Gretchen Zipperer.

Thank you to everyone who contributed various sanitation products for St. Michael's church. A special acknowledgment to the anonymous family that donated \$250 for hand sanitizer. These product are used to sanitize hands, pews, railings and doors after each service to help keep one another safe for those attending Mass each week.

Each month, the **Reedsville Knights of Columbus Council 5798** selects one parish family that models Christian family values and visibly lives them every day. We proudly announce the recipient for August is the Betty and Dennis Hove Family. Their family is now eligible for Diocesan Family of the month. Congratulations to them!

St. Michael's Scrip: Is available only on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 8am-1pm.

Welcome Back

As we return to church, the following safety guidelines are in place. If you are experiencing any of the following, please stay home or return home and take care of yourself: Cough, Fever, Shortness of Breath, Sore Throat, Loss of Taste or Smell, Have been in contact with anyone diagnosed with or suspected to have COVID-19 in the past 14 days (without proper use of personal protective equipment)

Bulletins are published online. To go directly do the bulletins visit <https://www.stmarystmichael.com/bulletins> to view. Church website: www.stmarystmichael.com and school website www.school.stmarystmichael.com

Virtual Prayer and Fasting Conference: October 12-20, 2020. Heaven's Weapons of Warfare for Victory. 9 days of Mass, Rosary, Prayer, Fasting, Adoration and Inspirational speakers. Register today at www.iwopf.org

2020 Disaster Relief Giving: Dear Friends, Our prayers go out to families who have lost loved ones, homes and businesses due to the devastating impact of Hurricane Laura and the wildfires in the West. At the request of the USCCB, Bishop Ricken is asking all parishes to have a voluntary special collection to support the USCCB Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund. Parishioners should make their checks payable to your parish and memo for Bishops Disaster fund. Credit card donations can be made by calling the Catholic Foundation at 920-272-8121 or online at www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give The need is great to provide assistance and pastoral outreach to those in need and to the church itself. Blessings to you and those you serve. -Cindy St. Aubin World Mission Services Director. Collection will be taken the week-end of October 10/11, 2020.

Fall Decor: If you are looking for fall flowers or decor we have scrip available for Hartman's, Menards, Fleet Farm and Lowe's. Braun Acres is now open on Saturday from 9:00am to 3:00pm and on Sunday from 10:00am to 3:00pm featuring perennials and mums.

54-Day Miracle Novena: Please join us for a very special 54-Day Miracle Novena from August 15th through October 7th, 2020. We will be praying for God's peace and blessings surrounding the coming election. For more information please visit: <https://queenof-peacemedia.com/fifty-four-day-novena/>

Eucharistic procession and rosary to be held Sunday, October 11 at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, 140 S. Monroe Ave., 2pm. The procession is open to the public, and all are encouraged to attend. The event is part of a nationwide movement titled, "Unite Our Nation." Bishop David Ricken will take part in the procession. "Designed to help bring peace and prayer to Green Bay and healing to our nation, (the procession) is being planned by local organizers," according to a press release from Unite Our Nation. "We want to bring our Lord and the Blessed Mother out of the church and into the streets during these challenging times," said event organizer Tom Fassbender. Ample parking is available at the cathedral. Email Tom for more details at tafassbender@gmail.com

RESPECT LIFE

Our Little Victims Are Americans: Years ago, the Nazi regime in Germany committed terrible atrocities in the concentration camps, killing six million Jews and non-Jews. Today in Africa there are terrible atrocities going on in Darfur by the leaders in Sudan, and over 70,000 people have been reported dead so far. And in 1994 there was a 'blood bath' in Rwanda. We are appalled by the genocides of the past and present in other countries.

What about the terrible atrocities going on in abortion clinics? Why can't we wake up to the genocide of our unborn here in the United States? Our own government is guilty of the slaughter of over 62 million babies since Roe vs. Wade legalized abortion in 1973. We should hang our heads in shame! These 'victims' are helpless innocents and this 'slaughter' is far greater than all other atrocities combined and the little 'victims' are Americans. If only we could surround the little unborn babies with our love and compassion and put an end to abortion, what a better world this would be. - *Ruth Weber, Davenport Iowa*

SCHOOL NOTE

We have some exciting news at SM/SM School this week. We now have web cameras in all the classrooms. This means students who are learning at home due to Covid can now be with their teacher and classmates virtually during the school day! In other news, this year as a school we are learning about the Fruit of the Spirit. In Paul's letter to the Galatians he mentions nine attributes of a person or community living in the way of the Holy Spirit. They are love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Each month we will focus on one of these fruits and do a service project that demonstrates that fruit. Our focus for September was kindness, and all of our students showed their kindness by writing letters to people who are living in nursing homes in the area. We look forward to hearing back from them and possibly forming some pen pal relationships. From everyone at SM/SM School, have a blessed week.
Mrs. Michele Arnold - 1st and 2nd Grade Teacher

If anyone is looking to **donate any vegetables** the **school** will gladly take them off your hands. We do have the farm to school policy in place so we are able to take produce from people. Please contact DeLaine Reis. Thank you so much.

The fall fundraiser for St. Mary/St. Michael School is "CharityMania". Game cards sell for \$20 each, with \$14 coming back to the school as profit. Cardholders are entered in a weekly sweepstakes for the entire NFL season where they can win \$1000's in cash prizes based on the results of the sports teams printed on their Sweepstakes Game Cards. If you would like to get tickets to sell, please contact Mrs. Walesh awalesh@stmarystmichael.com or 973-9988.

This week's winners from *Football Charity Mania* are Julie Risse who won \$400 and Richard Vraney who won \$25. Congratulations! Is Week #4 your time to win?

THINGS TO DO

St. Gregory Parish Rummage Sale: Friday, October 9, 9am-5pm and Saturday, October 10, 8am-noon.

Location: 115 S 3rd Avenue, St. Nazianz.

Items available include, but not limited to: Foosball table, Air hockey table, 2 matching lamps with shades, Sofa, loveseat & chair set, Wall hangings, Hunting apparel, Drapes, Vintage glass windows, Little Tikes toys, and many other kids toys.

Photos available on Facebook page: St Gregory Parish

ST. MARY CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS: WEEK #40 – 09/27/20-10/03/20: \$50 WINNERS: Paul Pritzl, Manitowoc, and Jane Resar, Valders; \$25 WINNERS: Seth Leist & Krystall Shaw, Hopkinsville, KY; Shawn Luedtke, Brillion; Bruce Riesterer, Reedsville; Jamie Hernke, Greendale and Beth Miller, Green Bay.

From the Pastor's Desk

This Sunday is Respect Life Sunday and the entire month is meant to have Christians responding to the call to respect life from the moment of conception until the day that God calls us to eternal life when we die. The right to live is the most fundamental of all human rights. The U.S. Bishops focused on this theme this year. As this is an election year this must be given serious consideration for every level of public office as we vote. The month of October is also observed by the Catholic Church as the month of the rosary. Continue to seek the intercession of Mary to preserve and protect the dignity of human life. If the habit of praying the rosary has not been part of your prayer life, I strongly encourage you to pray a daily rosary. It is not simply my wish. It is the request of Mary, Mother of God, herself. Let us join in honoring her and worshiping her Son in prayer. Thank you.

ST. MARY September 27, 2020	
Support	\$3,215.00
Offertory	239.10
Online Giving	110.00
Living Faith Books	15.00
Missionary Corp. Plan	5.00
Holy Land Collection	125.00
	<u>\$3,709.10</u>
 Weekly Avg. needed	 \$4,680.00 437.75
 Scrip Sales	 \$3,410.00
Profit	121.60
 ST. MICHAEL September 27, 2020	
Support	\$1,544.00
Offertory	265.10
Candles	28.01
Daycare Utilities	473.47
	<u>\$2,310.58</u>
 Weekly Avg. needed	 \$4,300.00 (1,989.42)
 Scrip Sales	 \$4,440.00
Profit	161.74

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Christian Stewardship takes a positive view on money. It sees money not only as a medium of exchange but as a symbol of the person who has it. The way we require it, use it, and share it; we are revealed in those actions.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ST. MARY & ST. MICHAEL

Saturday, October 3

Confessions 3:15-3:45pm at St. Michael's;
4:00pm Mass at St. Michael's and 5:30pm
Mass at St. Mary's

Sunday, October 4

Confessions 7:45-8:15am at St. Mary's;
8:30am Mass at St. Mary's and 10:30am
Mass at St. Michael's

Monday, October 5

Holy Hour 2:00pm at St. Michael's

Thursday, October 8

Blessing of the Pets starting at 8:00am
followed by 8:15am Mass

Saturday/Sunday October 10/11

Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund Relief
Collection

Saturday, October 10

Confessions 3:15-3:45pm at St. Michael's;
4:00pm Mass at St. Michael's and 5:30pm
Mass at St. Mary's

Sunday, October 11

Confessions 7:45-8:15am at St. Mary's;
8:30am Mass at St. Mary's and 10:30am
Mass at St. Michael's

Monday, October 12

Holy Hour 2:00pm at St. Michael's

Church Cleaning Families –October 10/11

St. Mary: Patrick & Michelle Linsmeier, Rose Linsmeier & John Linzmeier

St. Michael: Kate Jungwrith

(Please call the office or Janet Braun at 732-3936 for phone numbers)

Scrip Sellers-St. Michael: Saturday, October 10; Sharon Reindl and Sunday, October 11; Vicki Baumann.