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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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THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 15, 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 - 629-0013

St. Michael Parish – 732-3901

For Emergency – (920) 629-9770 – Fr. Dick's cell

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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

November 14-22

Saturday, November 14

4:00 PM (SM) Anton & Grace Lemberger; Vernon Lemberger

5:30 PM (IC) Herman & Vivian Sprang; Adam Sprang & the Living & Deceased of St. Mary's Parish

Sunday, November 15

8:30 AM (IC) Jerry Dietrich
10:30 AM (SM) Richard & Mary Herrmann & Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish

Tuesday, November 17

8:15 AM (IC) Harold & Mabel Bodart; Paul Gehrig

Wednesday, November 18

7:00 AM (SM) Lois Schroeder

Thursday, November 19

8:15 AM (IC) Allen Kenwick
6:30 PM (SM) Deceased Christian Mothers

Friday, November 20

7:00 AM (SM) Vernon Lemberger

Saturday, November 21

4:00 PM (SM) Leland Fischer

5:30 PM (IC) An End to Abortion/Infanticide & the Living & Deceased of St. Mary's Parish

Sunday, November 22

8:30 AM (IC) Dale Preston
10:30 AM (SM) Jamie & Julianne Sauer & the Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish

IC – St. Mary SM – St. Michael

MINISTRIES NOVEMBER 21-22

Lectors:

4:00 PM (SM) Eileen Krcma
5:30 PM (IC) Kay Marsicek
8:30 AM (IC) Terry Pederson
10:30 AM (SM) Judy Ebert

Extraordinary Ministers:

4:00 PM (SM) Lois Kiel
5:30 PM (IC) N/A
8:30 AM (IC) Annette Haupt
10:30 AM (SM) Judy Ebert

Servers:

4:00 PM (SM) Jim Krcma
5:30 PM (IC) Oliver Riederer, Drew Skyberg
8:30 AM (IC) Caitlyn Herring, Abby Schultz
10:30 AM (SM) James & Joey Resch

November Ushers:

4:00 PM (SM) Ron & Kathy Braun, Dick Shavlik, Ken Brunner
5:30 PM (IC) Jeff & Abbey Slager
8:30 AM (IC) Dan Sabel Family
10:30 AM (SM) Jim & Phyllis Dvorachek, Jim Muench

Confirmation Candidates: Congratulations to the following who have received the Holy Sacrament of Confirmation this past week: Maddie Ebert, Ava Geraldson, Drew Skyberg, Jared Valleskey and Gretchen Zipperer!

St. Mary's/St. Michael's Parishioners: We just started selling our 2021 calendars. This has been our major fundraiser for the past 32 years for St. Mary's and it would be greatly appreciated if everyone would either buy or sell some. There are 365 winners for this raffle. Thank you in advance for your help and efforts to make this fundraiser a success!

The Purgatorial Society: November is the month set aside to remember the Poor Souls in Purgatory. St. Michael has had a special Purgatorial Society for 36 years. In recent years, St. Mary has also participated. A \$2.00 donation for each loved one will renew or begin membership. Special masses are celebrated throughout the year and perpetual vigil candles burn at both parishes in remembrance of loved ones. Membership in the Purgatorial Society is open to everyone, parishioners and non-parishioners. Please put your donation in an envelope and list your intentions: send it or put it in the collection basket. The names are put on a list and kept near the altar for the rest of the year in remembrance.

I believe in the Holy Catholic Church: Virtual event from St. Norbert College hosted by Susan K. Wood on Tuesday, November 17 from 6:30-7:45pm. Susan will explore the next segment of the creed, "the holy catholic Church." This lecture is free and open to the public, but requires a reservation. snc.edu/pilgrimforum or 920-403-4034.

St. Michael's - When giving Parish Support, please put your name on the envelope. We received \$30.00 cash in parish support and do not know who to give the credit to. Thank you.

St. Michael's Scrip: Has Dunkin' Donuts in \$10 cards. \$25 cards are available for order if requested. Baskin-Robins is not available at this time.

St. Mary's Parish: Will start accepting donations for our upcoming Christmas flowers and decorations. We are asking \$10 for a Poinsettia.

Mass will be celebrated at **St. Michael's Parish** for the intention of the deceased Christian Mothers on Thursday, November 19 at 6:30pm. Everyone is invited to come and pray.

St. Michael's Parish would like to thank the Jim & Audrey Ebert Estate for the generous donation to pay for this year's missalettes for church.

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 access the Church website visit: www.stmarystmichael.com and to access the school website www.school.stmarystmichael.com

*If you have bookmarked the website, you may have to re-add the website again.

RESPECT LIFE

St. Michael's Parish would like to plant a tree in memory of Fr. Richard Heymen. If you would like to donate towards this tree, please drop off your donation at the rectory or put in the collection basket. Thank you.

St. Michael's is updating the Homebound and Nursing Home information. We would like to send out cards to them during the holidays. If you have anyone who would like to receive cards, please call Dorothy McCulley at 732-3163. A group will be addressing cards this Monday at 10:30 am at St. Michael's Rectory. Thank you.

Food for the Poor will be collected weekends and delivered to Faith Lutheran Pantry every Monday. This will be an ongoing mission. There are around 200 families that are in need of food in our area. Thank you and God Bless.

Giving Tree: We will once again be helping 20 people have a nice Christmas. This is a little earlier this year so people who want to shop on-line have the time. All gifts must be at church immediately after the 8:30am Mass on **Sunday, November 29**. Please take a card from the tree and buy gifts for that individual. There are suggestions of what to buy in the card. It is recommended to spend \$50 for each person. This may seem like a lot, but if you buy a clothing outfit and a toy you will likely spend that much. Feel free to share a name with someone else to help spread the costs. Please wrap the adults gifts, but **DO NOT** wrap the children's gifts. Please secure the card or name and number on each gift when you return it. If you want to help, but cannot shop or spend that much please make a contribution to the SCRIP person and we'll put all the donations together to help a family. Please sign your name on the sheet in the folder by the tree so I know who to call if there is a missing gift. If you have any questions please call me at 973-3495. Thank you, Linda.

Manitowoc County Human Services Department is in need of more foster parents in our county. The homes we have are filling to capacity. Covid-19 has complicated our situation even more with some of our homes going under quarantine. Please help us spread the message that foster parents are needed. For more information call 683-4230. **Crisis Respite Providers Needed** who can provide temporary care to children ages 0-18 on an emergency basis at our crisis respite home located in Manitowoc. Individuals and couples are welcome to apply. Candidates should be 18 years of age or older. Compensation and training will be provided. For more information contact Karen Zahn at 683-4095 or karenzahn@co.manitowoc.wi.us

#JerichoMarch is a new movement based on Joshua 6.15 that is happening every single day at every State Capitol in the USA, and especially in the key states with "irregularities" that caused the election results to be uncertain. There is no formal organization coordinating this. People gather on the sidewalks at 11:45am and begin at noon to circle the State Capitol seven times in prayer that the uncertainty about the election is legally resolved and we can move forward in peace. You may find more about it here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G2ChYBxqvhw>

WORD OF LIFE: "We can't imagine loving a child whom we conceived more than we love Andrew. It is amazing how he fits our personalities so well... Adopting Andrew has made us more aware of God's power and of his love for us. We realize that he always has a perfect plan for our lives." - *USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "An Adoption Love Story" (respectlife.org/adoption-love-story)*

SCHOOL NOTE

It is hard to imagine we are through one whole quarter of school, and staying strong! The kids have been so happy to be in school and be with their friends to learn. I am personally thankful for all of you parishioners, by praying and supporting our wonderful, small Catholic school. We are a strong family in faith and hope, striving to become closer to God. In science class, the 6th-8th grade used their creativity and imagination to build an experiment that showed potential and kinetic energy. They had so much fun! The 5th grade are learning all the ways that plants reproduce, and are using our microscopes to explore further. Thank you so much and God Bless!

Mrs. Amanda Walesh – 5th & 6th Grade Teacher

This week's winner from **Football Charity Mania** is John Mueller who won \$100. Congratulations! Is Week #10 your time to win?

"A" Honor Roll SM/SM Students: 4th Grade: Hadyen Bartel, Sophia Berceau and Samuel Krajna; 5th Grade: Ben Staudinger and Gloria Walesh; 6th Grade: Levi Welch; 8th Grade: Peyton Hofmeyer, Nicholas Van Dyke and Hannah Welch.

"B" Honor Roll SM/SM Students: 5th Grade: Braydan Hofmeyer and George Krajna; 6th Grade: Emma Bodwin and Jesse Jetton; 7th Grade: Oliver Riederer, Abigail Schultz, Ethan Staudinger and Cassidy Walesh; 8th Grade: Makayla Dallas, Kaytlyn Riesterer, Marcie Risse and Maya Warren.

From the Pastor's Desk

Due to the concerns of controlling the spread of the Covid-19 virus, the Religious Education Penance Service for the 3-8 graders is canceled. However, I do want to be available for those who would like to receive the sacrament of reconciliation before Christmas. Therefore, I will be available at St. Mary's Parish on Wednesday, November 18, from 6:30-7:30pm. Also during Advent at St. Mary's Parish I will be available on Sunday mornings from 7:45-8:15am. And at St. Michael's Parish I have a scheduled Penance Service on Wednesday, December 16, at 6:30-7:30pm for high school students. This service is now open to younger students and to adults from both parishes. Hopefully, this will not need to be canceled. Will keep you informed. During Advent, beginning Saturday, November 28, I will be hearing confessions from 3:00-3:45pm at St. Michael's Parish. Let us pray for physical and spiritual healing.

ST. MARY November 8, 2020

Support	\$3,540.00
Offertory	91.00
Online Giving	305.00
Purgatorial Society	25.00
Clergy Congress	45.00
	\$4,006.00

Weekly Avg. needed \$4,680.00
(674.00)

Home Mission 723.30

Scrip Sales \$4,348.93
Profit 147.49

ST. MICHAEL November 8, 2020

Support	\$1,999.00
Online	605.84
Offertory	336.10
Mass Stipends	80.00
Candles	68.00
Purgatorial Society	74.00
Reimburse St. Mary	659.75
James Ebert Estate	624.00
	\$4,446.69

Weekly Avg. needed \$4,300.00
146.69

Home Missions 805.50

Scrip Sales \$5,947.14
Profit 226.49

Church Cleaning Families –November 21/22

St. Mary: Richard & Terry Pederson, James & Eugenia Peterson & Chad & Diane Preston

St. Michael: Jane Mueller, Katherine Miller & Mary Muench

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

Scrip Sellers-St. Michael: Saturday, November 21; Sharon Reindl and Sunday, November 22; Vicki Baumann.

ST. MARY CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS: WEEK #46 – 11/08/20-11/14/20: \$50 WINNERS: Lucy Vallard, Anoka, MN, and Declan Schneider, Golden Valley, MN; **\$25 WINNERS:** Randy Meidl, Whitelaw; Dylan & Shelly Leonhard, Valders; Jessica Feck, Green Bay; Lynn Cherney Reedsville and Dan Linzmeier, Manitowoc.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

*As we practice
Stewardship, we find
that we grow spiritually
and that our faith is
deepened.*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ST. MARY & ST. MICHAEL

Saturday/Sunday November 14/15

Capital Campaign Collection

Saturday, November 14

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, November 15

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, November 16

Disciples on the Way Holy hour 6:00pm at
St. Michael's

Tuesday, November 17

School Board Meeting 6:00pm at SM/SM
School

Thursday, November 19

Disciples on the Way Holy hour 10:00am at
St. Mary's
Christian Mothers Mass 6:30pm at St.
Michael's
Finance Council Meeting 7:00pm at St.
Michael's

Saturday, November 21

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, November 22

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, November 23

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