



## St. Cyril Church

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### Parish Staff:

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### Phone Numbers:

**Parish Office** (989) 862-5270  
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### Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday & Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  
*(Bulletin items need to be in by 4:00 pm Tuesday prior.)*

### Liturgical Schedule:

**Saturday @ St Peter\*** 4:30 pm  
**Sunday @ St Peter\*** 8:30 am  
**Sunday** 10:30 am  
\* St. Peter Parish, 404 S. Wood Street, Chesaning

### Weekday Schedule:

**Word & Communion Every Third Friday:** 9:00 am  
**Wednesday Mass:** 9:00 am  
**Thursday Mass @ St Peter** 8:00 am  
**Sunday Rosary prayed in Chapel** 10:00 am

### Sacraments:

**Reconciliation:** Sunday, 11:30 am

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please contact the parish office.

**Baptism:** Please contact Margaret Horak at 862-5027 to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Engaged couples must contact the priest at least six (6) months prior to anticipated date of marriage. Weddings are not celebrated during the Lenten Season.

**Sick or Homebound:** If someone in your family or neighborhood is *Sick or homebound*, please contact the Parish Office. When entering a hospital, please register as a member of Saint Cyril Parish and notify the parish office.

**New Parishioners:** Welcome to Saint Cyril Parish! There are registration forms at all entrances of church. You may also stop by the parish office to register for our parish family.

**Sun Nov. 17**  
10:30 am People of St. Cyril/Frank Winkler, Sr. by Gerry & family

**Mon Nov. 18**  
No Mass

**Tues Nov. 19**  
No Mass

**Wed Nov. 20**  
9:00 am Helen Fabus by James Sedlarik

**Thu Nov. 21**  
No Mass  
**The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Fri Nov. 22**  
No Mass  
**St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr**

**Sat Nov. 23**  
No Mass

**Sun Nov. 24**  
10:30 am **Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
People of St. Cyril/Martin Galecka, Jr. by Agnes & family

### † Tithes & Gifts † November 10, 2019

57-Envelopes	\$1,755.00
Loose:	243.00
Children:	.00
3- Special Needs:	30.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$2,028.00</b>
Amount needed each week . . . . .	\$2,020.00
+/- For Year Ending 6/30/20. . . . .	<b>(\$1,500.00)</b>

<b>Greeters for November</b> John & Marilyn Sopocy	<b>Greeters for December</b> David & Joann Forgarty
<b>Money Counters</b> November 19 Marilyn Kuchar & Sheila Hanus	<b>Ushers for November</b> John Sopocy, Jim Stehlik Kevin Sopocy, Tom Hedrich
<b>Family of the Month-November</b> Helen Ann Malachowski family	<b>Knight of the Month-Nov.</b> Paul Remenar

**Altar Servers:** November 24-Christa & Rachel Fornusek

**Sacristans:** November 24 –Sonja Homer and Tamara VanHaun

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:**  
November 24-Diane Kusnier, Terry Loznak and Ellie Bowles

**Lectors:**  
November 24-Margaret Horak and Theresa Sopocy

**Stewardship Message:** Today's readings paint a somewhat frightening picture of the end of time. But the Gospel ends with the assurance to faithful stewards that those who persevere will be saved.

**Catholic Service Appeal (CSA) 2019-20:** The CSA assessment is \$21,173. We have received \$18,105.00 which is 86% toward our goal. The balance owed is \$3,068. There is still time to make a contribution. Envelopes are also available at the entrances of church.



**Faith Formation:** For all children pre-school-8th grade will take place on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 9 am. The next class is Sunday, December 1 . .

**Switching Out Songbooks:** We will need volunteers after Mass on Sunday, November 24th, to help remove the old songbooks and insert the 2020 songbooks. If you are able to help it will be greatly appreciated.



**School Closings/Delays:** Now that we have had a first taste of winter, just a reminder that when Ovid-Elsie Schools are closed/or delayed due to weather we also will be closed. This includes week day Masses, all activities scheduled for that day and the parish office. Please check your local stations for any school closings.



**Updating Usher's List:** We are updating the Usher's list so if anyone would like to be added or taken off, please call Jim Korienek at 989-224-7717.

**St. Peter Parish Advent Reflection:** You are invited to attend the 7th Annual Advent Reflection (tea) on Tuesday, December 3rd from 6:15-8 pm at St. Peter Parish hall. The evening will begin with instrumental Advent music and social time complete with homemade desserts. Kellie Deming will speak on the topic of "Waiting in Holiness." There will be a gift basket raffle with all proceeds to CAER in Chesaning. Food donations will be accepted for CAER as well. All are welcome!



**St. Peter Holiday Craft Bazaar:** Come on out to the St. Peter's Holiday Craft Bazaar on Friday, November 29th, 10 am-5:00 pm and Saturday, November 30th, 10 am-4 pm in the parish hall. There also is a tasty lunch available. Get a head start on your Christmas shopping!



**Please Pray for Our Sick & Shut-Ins:** Jim Porubsky, Donna Merignac, Gene Schoendorf, Helen Slowinski, Frank Klasek, Terry & Frank Seffl, John Kusnier, Jr., Audrey Schneider, Edward Chapko, Rose Chapko, Carole Custer, Jeff Wadell, Clara Cermak, Jim Korienek, Shelby Porubsky, Larry Pesda, Shirley Tesarik, Linda Boring, Trevir Kral, John Chvojka, Rose Wolfe, Kevin Sopocy, Jerry Horak, Frank Kral, Gale & Marcella Baese, Ron Betts, Mary Galko, Joe Batora, Tillie Bohil, Ann Luznak, Joanne Sisco

**Roof Replacement Funds:** We have received an estimate for replacing the hall roof at \$24,945. So far \$14,979.00 has been donated toward this project. They have begun working on the roof. Please continue to use the monthly ivory envelopes to make a contribution to this fund. Finance Council



**Ashley North Pole Express Café:** Stop by the Ashley North Pole Express Café the weekend of Saturday, December 7th and Sunday, December 8th to grab a bite to eat. A percentage of the proceeds from that weekend comes back to St. Cyril. We'll see you there!

**The Polar Express:** The Polar Express will once again be coming to the Village of Ashley for an old fashion country Christmas. The Knights have been asked to assist with trash and snow removal during the 5 weekends. Please volunteer for a time on one of the signup sheets located at the Knight's table. This is the perfect opportunity to bring the family, enjoy the festivities and provide a community service, all at the same time.

**Coffee Social:** Please join us for a coffee social after Mass today, Sunday, November 17th, in the parish hall.



**Christmas Boxes 2019:** St. Cyril Christian Service is working with our local communities to provide household essentials and gifts for families in need in our area for Christmas. Please see the enclosed flyer for the items that St. Cyril parishioners are asked to help with. Boxes will be placed in front of St. Joseph's Altar. Gift cards or monetary donations can be given to Karen Wooley, Annie Mikulka and Margaret Horak for Elsie and for Ashley schools Denise Denovich. Thank you!

**Christmas Wafers:** Are available in the sacristy for our parish families. They will be in a basket.

### *The Bookmark Prayer of Teresa of Avila*

*Let nothing trouble you.*

*Let nothing scare you.*

*All is fleeting.*

*God alone is unchanging.*

*Patience.*

*Everything obtains.*

*Who possesses God, nothing wants.*

*God alone suffices.*

*St. Teresa of Avila 1515-1582*