



The Good Shepherd

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

*Amen, amen, I say to you,
I am the gate for the sheep.*

John 10:7

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If you are in need of a priest, please call
Deacon Martin and he will try and find
one for you.

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Anticipating Surgery?

Please call Deacon Martin to make
arrangements to be anointed prior to
surgery.

Reconciliation

Before Sunday Mass starting at 8 a.m.

Eucharist for the Homebound

If you are homebound, recovering from
surgery or illness and would like the
Eucharist brought to your home, please
call or email the Parish Office or call
Deacon Martin.

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, MAY 3 @ 8:30 A.M.

NO ASSIGNMENTS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Altar Server

Readers

Eucharistic Ministers

Ushers

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY, MAY 3—MAY 10, 2020

(ALL MASSES ARE PRIVATE)

Sunday, May 3

For the intentions of the Parishioners of St. Wenceslaus Church

Monday, May 4

For the intention of Howard Kalchik by Leona Kalchik

Tuesday, May 5

For the intention of Beau Korson by Jane Beaudry

Wednesday, May 6

For the intentions of the Jesuit Community

Thursday, May 7

For the intention of Frank & Mary Houdek Family by Don Garvin

Friday, May 8

For the intention of Wensel Kolarik by Anne Marie & Michael Raftshol

Saturday, May 9

For the intention of Mary Jelinek by Rita Pincumbe

Sunday, May 10

For the intention Carol Korson by Julius & Grace Kolarik

Good day to all,

I hope everyone is well. This Sunday, May 3, will be the eighth Sunday without the Mass and the Eucharist for most people. Consequently, our homes have become our domestic Churches. How we use this time will affect us the rest of our lives. How we develop a daily routine of prayer, spiritual reading, devotional practices, will change our relationship with Jesus. Now is a good time to grow closer to Jesus, if not now, when? The fourth Sunday of Easter is traditionally called the Sunday of the Good Shepherd. It is also World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The Good Shepherd calls all to holiness as part of his flock. The most fundamental call to holiness is to repent and believe in Christ, to be forgiven and to receive the Holy Spirit. Baptism is the first step in leading a Holy Life.

The call to holiness is a call to recognize Jesus as the path and source of holiness. As the Good Shepherd, He laid down His life for us, His sheep, and He gathers us back into His flock, no matter how far we've gone astray. It is comforting to know He will search us out and welcome us back. Allow yourself to be found and forgiven.

In Christ, Deacon Martin

COVID 19 has caused us to change how we do things. It has affected how our Annual Dinner will be this year. There is a need to take a look at how we will raise funds to supplement our weekly collection. Therefore, we will have a meeting of the Pastoral Council and Finance Councils, and any parishioner, who would like to attend on Tuesday night, May 5, at 7:00 p.m. on your computer. Fr. Michael Class will email you an invitation about 6:45 p.m. Open the email and follow the directions. If you have a problem, please call either Fr. Class, Buzz Steffes 1-248.497.9053, or Deacon Martin.

Finances are a challenge for all at this time. We need to think outside the box. Please share your thoughts either on Tuesday night or with Deacon Martin, by phone or email. Your idea may be the solution we are looking for. Please pray on this, thank you.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 3, 2020

Monday	May 04	John 10:11-18
Tuesday	May 05	John 10:22-30
Wednesday	May 06	John 12:44-50
Thursday	May 07	John 13:16-20
Friday	May 08	John 14:1-6
Saturday	May 09	John 14:7-14
Sunday	May 10	John 14:1-12



Happy May Birthday to Steve Duperon, Dan Schaub, Rachel Plamondon, Joshua Somero, Leah Plamondon, Dale Houdek and Louis Houdek.

Looking for exercise? The Parish grounds and cemetery are in need of raking around the scrubs and fence. Brush needs to be gathered. There will be no group clean-up this year. Choose an area. Leaves and brush can be left in piles and someone will pick them up later. Always practice social distancing. It will not be crowded. Thanks to those who have already done some work in the cemetery.

Deacon Martin will start blessing the farms this Tuesday. If you would like your farm blessed, either sign your name on the clip board in the vestibule, email or call Deacon Martin

The Parish extends a heartfelt thank you to those who have been able to support the Parish with weekly or monthly offerings. While we must follow the stay home, stay safe mandate issued by our governor, support of the Church is vital. God bless and protect all of you and your families during this time.

Please pray for priests, deacons, and pastoral administrators as they strive to navigate the COVID-19 crisis affecting the Church and the world.

Leelanau Christian Neighbors: LCN has set up a special COVID-19 Community Response fund to respond to this crisis. You can donate by mailing a check to LCN, P.O. Box 196, Lake Leelanau 49653 or by donating on their website: LeelanauChristianNeighbors.org

For those needing food, free bags of food will be brought to your car by volunteers wearing masks and gloves from 2-6 p.m., on Mondays at the LCN building at 7322 Duck Lake Rd. Lake Leelanau. The neighborhood Assistance Ministry for other needs can be reached at (231) 994-2271.

Food Relief Program: Suttons Bay Congregational Church invites you to be part of a food relief program that helps feed hungry neighbors in need while also supporting local businesses. Donations can be mailed to SBCC, P. O. Box 70, Suttons Bay, MI 49682 with "Food Relief" in the memo line. This link from the ticker describes the program. We're grateful to partner with LCN, LIFT, ShareCare, and Senior Services for this ministry. <https://www.dropbox.com/s/ktkp23sl88f42t/Food%20Relief%20Article%20%20Leelanau%20Tickerpdf?dl=0>.

Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

In today's Gospel Jesus tells us, HE IS THE WAY and warns anyone who offers "another way" to happiness is "a thief and a bandit." Strong words! Don't listen to the sales pitch of society for happiness. Look to yourself where God is present and "calls you by name and leads you to abundant life."

Word of Life

"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect."

USCCB Respect Life flyer quoting Pope Francis' "Day for Life Greeting"

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP APRIL 29-30 2020

SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$605
LENTEN ALMS	\$ 120
CEMETERY FUND	\$ 25
FOOD PANTRY	\$230



Please Pray For:

Alicia Bakara
Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Joanne & Keith Burnham
Wayne Carter
Kelly Endres
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille
Baby Rowan Hart and Parents
Larry Herman Sr. Family
Theresa Hitchens
Mark Kalchik
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
David Kilcherman
Stacey Kolarik
Art Korson
Blaise Korson
Dorothy (Popp) Korson
Pete Lara
Tom Meoak
Kevin Maguire
Craig Moreland
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Jerry Patterson
Lydia Patterson
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Bob Pratt
Joshua Pressey
Joel Rivera
Lewis Roubal
Kathryn Schaub
Ruth Schaub
Jean Sedlacek
Randy Sedlacek
Terry Schmidt
Debbie Shelagowski
Lauren Sineway
Jim Sullivan
Clem Suttman
Trish Suttman
Gery Zemaitis
...the sick and the homebound of
the Parish and their families and
caregivers.

(*NEW to Prayer List)

**Please call the Parish Office
(231-271-3574) when your loved
one no longer needs to be on the
list.**



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