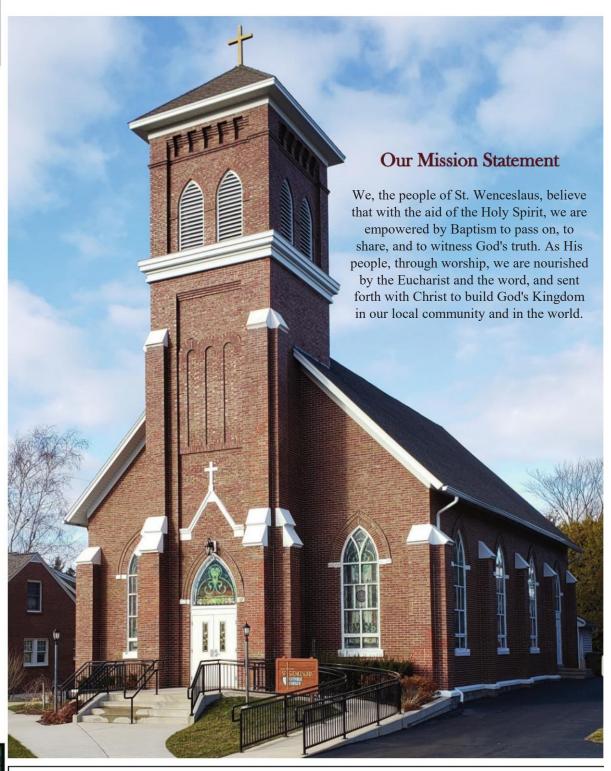


# **ORDINARY TIME**

Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon the son of John; you will be called Cephas" – which is translated Peter.

Jn 1:42



St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church

January 17, 2021

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#### **Pastoral Administrator**

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#### **Sacramental Minister**

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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.

## Secretary (Wednesdays 9A-12P)

Jacqueline Bunek stwenceslausgp@gmail.com

#### **Anticipating Surgery?**

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

#### Reconciliation

Father will hear confessions by appointment.

#### **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, JANUARY 24, 2021 @ 8:30 A.M.

#### **Readers:**

### Saturday Mass:

Mary Leon

#### **Sunday Mass:**

Mary Ann Kolarik

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SATURDAY, JANUARY 16—SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2021

Saturday, January 16 6:00 p.m.

For Lewis Roubal by St. Wenceslaus Altar Society

Sunday, January 17 8:30 a.m.

For Rita Radecki by Jane Beaudry

Saturday, January 23 6:00 p.m.

For Linda Avis by Kathryn Schaub

Sunday, January 24 8:30 a.m.

For Carol Korson by Jerome Korson

#### May the peace of Christ be with you all!

Today we celebrate the Second Sunday in Ordinary time. In today's Gospel, John the Baptist watched Jesus walk by, and said, "Behold the Lamb of God." John's two disciples left immediately and followed Jesus. They spent most of the day with Him. One of the disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, went and found Peter, told him. "We have found the Messiah," translated Christ. He brought Peter to Jesus who said, "You are Simon the son of John; you will be call Cephas", which is translated Peter.

The Words John used to describe Jesus, "Behold the Lamb of God", are the same words the priest says at Mass when he presents the consecrated host and wine to us. This is the same Jesus that Andrew recognized as the Messiah, our savior. This is the same Jesus that he followed, the same Jesus who he brought his brother, Peter, to meet. Andrew got up and did something, He shared what he believed with his brother.

Do we recognize Jesus when we receive Him in Communion? Do we spend time with Jesus as Andrew did? Do we hasten to bring others to Jesus? Are we eager to share the good news with others? Do we believe enough and trust enough in Jesus to do something? To be a disciple of Jesus, we are called to action, to share what we have.

Then we, too, can say, "Behold the Lamb of God".

#### In Christ, Deacon Martin

**On January 22,** all are welcome to participate in the *Mass For Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life*, which will be celebrated by Bishop Walter A. Hurley, Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Gaylord, at St. Mary Cathedral in Gaylord at 12:15 p.m. The livestream will be available at:

www.dioceseofgaylord.org.

#### **Vocation View:**

A good Vocation Prayer to say every day, from the time we are ten years old until we are ninety years old, is found in today's First Scripture Reading: "Speak, Lord for your servant is listening." Just try it with sincerity starting today.

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 17, 2021

Monday	Jan 18	Mark 2:18-22
Tuesday	Jan 19	Mark 2:23-28
Wednesday	Jan 20	Mark 3:1-6
Thursday	Jan 21	Mark 3:7-12
Friday	Jan 22	Mark 3:13-19
Saturday	Jan 23	Mark 3:20-21
Sunday	Jan 24	Mark 1:14-20



The Parish has been blessed to have Tillie Garvin as our Pianist. Her husband, Tom Meoak, has accompanied her for about 6 years as a singer and as cantor during the COVID crisis. Martin Korson hired her as a "temporary" pianist until he could find someone permanent. After a while, she graciously accepted the position and now, after 21 years of Music Ministry, she recently approached Deacon Martin with a request to proceed to find a replacement, as she and Tom would like to retire. They will stay on for a while, but we do need to find another pianist. We thank Tillie and Tom for serving the Parish. They have blessed us with music and we ask God to bless them.

If you know of anyone who would be a good candidate to serve as pianist, please let Deacon Martin know.

Deacon Martin has received permission from Bishop Walter Hurley to have Scripture-Communion Services. More details on this will be coming.

**Thanks to all who stayed to take down** the Church Christmas decorations. There were about 15 very helpful people and the job went very fast. The Christmas bulbs have been placed in a box, name up, and placed in the vestibule. You can now take your own bulb home. Please continue to pray for fellow parishioners, especially those you have not seen for a while

Living Faith, devotionals for January, February and March and Calendars through the generosity of Martinson Funeral Home, are available in the vestibule.

**Boxed sets** of parishioner envelopes are also in the vestibule.

Pray the rosary daily for our country.

#### **Stewardship Reflections**

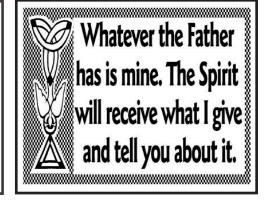
"Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, 'What are you looking for?'" - John 1:38

++What are you looking for? Are you wasting your time looking for the material comforts of the world? Or, is your heart longing for something deeper that can only be found by spending time with God? Take time, each day, in silence and ask the Lord what it is that He wants you to do.

#### **Area Happenings**

St. Mary School Cash Calendars: Join the fun for 2021! Each calendar is only \$10 and you have chances to win \$20-\$40 each month! Must be 18 to purchase the cash calendars. Calendars can be purchased at the St. Mary Parish or Development Office 231-256-9670 or buy now at www.StMarysLL.org. Thank you for supporting this FUNdraiser!

#### PARISH STEWARDSHIP JANUARY 10, 2021 \$ 1,171 **SUNDAY COLLECTION** FIRST OFFERING 10 UTILITIES 20 **FOOD PANTRY** 25 **DECEMBER 2020** INCOME \$11.889 **EXPENSES** \$ 9,158



#### **Please Pray For:**

Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink Beth Britt, Ben Bardenhagen Joanne & Keith Burnham Wayne Carter Mary Ann Duperon **Kelly Endres** Kevin Giangiolbe Tracy Grille Theresa Hitchens Mark Kalchik Elmer & Millie Kalchik David Kilcherman Stacey Kolarik Art Korson, Dakota Korson Dorothy (Popp) Korson \*Phyllis Korson Pete Lara Tom Meoak Kevin Maguire Craig Moreland Peter Navin Jerry Patterson, Lucas Plamondon Bob Pratt Joshua Pressey Jan Ready, Joel Rivera Lewis Roubal Kathryn Schaub Ruth Schaub Jean Sedlacek Randy Sedlacek Terry Schmidt Debbie Shelagowski Lauren Sineway Jim Sullivan Clem Suttmann Trish Suttmann Rich Thompson **Gery Zemaitis** ...the sick and the homebound of the Parish, their families and caregivers. Parish priests and administrators

as they navigate the restrictions of COVID-19

(\*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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