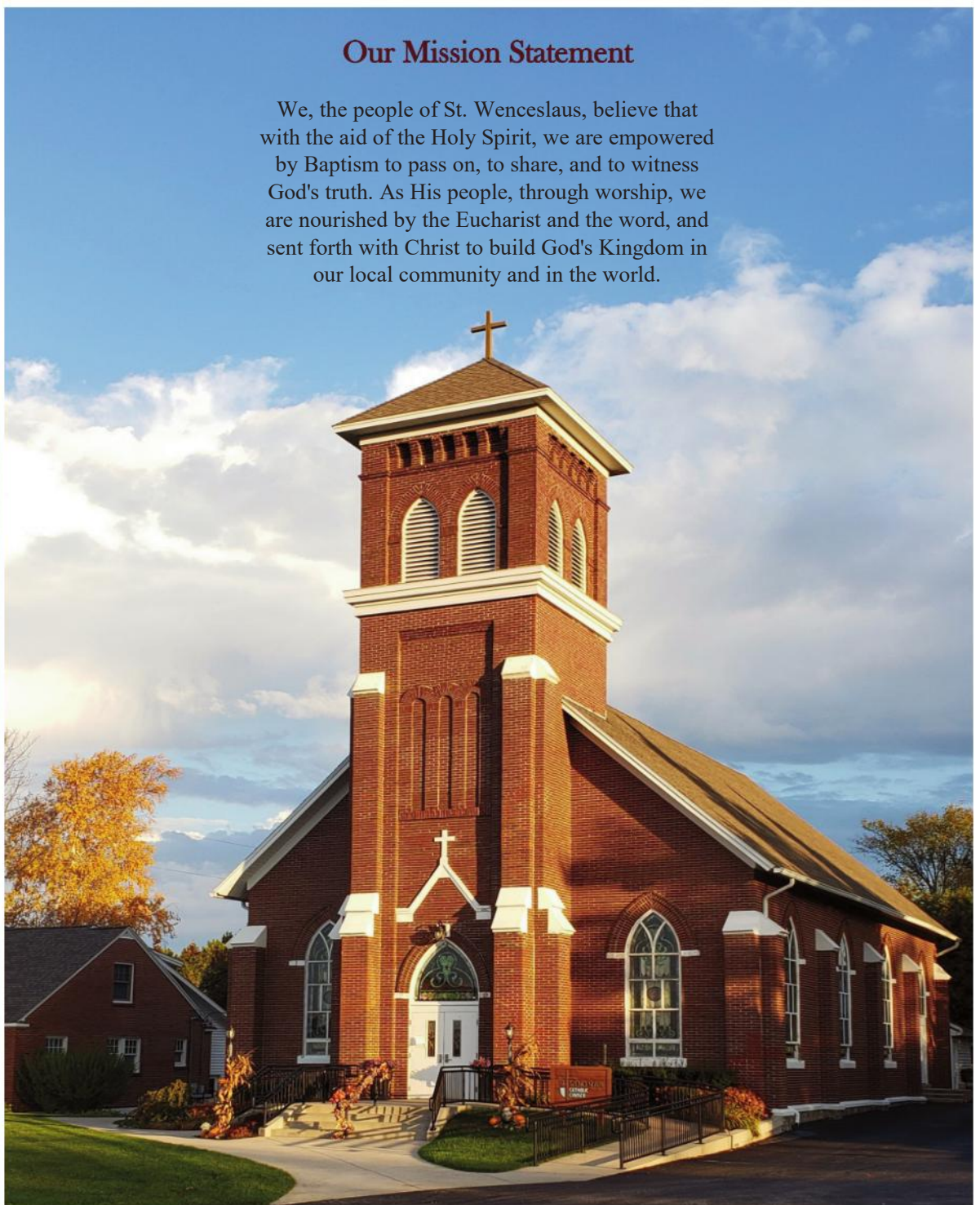


Hope Advent

Our Mission Statement

We, the people of St. Wenceslaus, believe that with the aid of the Holy Spirit, we are empowered by Baptism to pass on, to share, and to witness God's truth. As His people, through worship, we are nourished by the Eucharist and the word, and sent forth with Christ to build God's Kingdom in our local community and in the world.



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If you are in need of a priest, please call
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(Wednesdays 9A-12P)

Jacqueline Bunek
stwenceslausgp@gmail.com

Anticipating Surgery?

Please call Deacon Martin to make
arrangements to be anointed in sickness
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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
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
DECEMBER 4 & 5, 2021
@ 6:00 P.M. & 8:30 A.M.**

Readers:

Saturday Mass:
Rachel Plamondon

Sunday Mass
Marita Somero

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27 — SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2021

Saturday, November 27

Wencil Kolarik by Tom Kolarik

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 28

All St. Wenceslaus Parishioners

8:30 a.m.

Saturday, December 4

Beau Korson by Lara and Joel Sweitzer

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 5

Howard Kalchik by Leona Kalchik

8:30 a.m.

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Today we celebrate the First Sunday of Advent. Jesus tells His disciples that the powers of the heavens will be shaken. On earth, nations will be in dismay. Things as we know them will no longer be as they were. Do not become drowsy from carousing and drunkenness and the anxieties of daily life and that day catch you by surprise. This day will assault everyone that lives on the face of the earth. Be vigilant at all times and pray for the strength to escape the tribulations that are imminent and to stand before the Son of Man.

Jesus is telling us that there will be many changes on earth, in the heavens, and in the universe. Do not get too attached to the things of this world, they will not always exist. There will be turmoil in the world. Do not deal with your anxieties by drowning them with drunkenness and carousing, and things of this world. But be vigilant at all times and pray. Be consciously aware of Christ's coming. For He will come. Be ready.

Advent is the time to prepare for His coming, not to look at all that will be lost in time, but to look for what is to come. We have only to look back a year or two and know how life in this country has changed. Nothing stays the same. We can not change the past, we can prepare for the future, the coming of the Son of Man, Christ. Our future with Christ is what we can control. Take action to be prepared and ready for His coming.

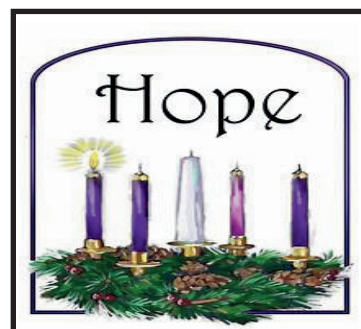
Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin

Confession is a place and time to reflect and prepare for the coming of Christ. This can be a time when we look at our preparation for the coming of Christ. To prepare for the future. Be ready when He comes. Please take advantage of the opportunities to prepare for His coming by going to confession, Jesus waits for you there. Go to confession at the times that are available, or make an appointment.

Fr. Michael Class by appointment 1-414-788-8963
St. Mary LL, Saturdays 3:30-4:30 p.m. and Tuesdays 5:00 p.m.
St. Michael SB, Thursdays 9:00 a.m., after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 28, 2021

Monday	November 29	Matt 8:5-11
Tuesday	December 30	Matt 4:18-22
Wednesday	December 1	Matt 15:29-37
Thursday	December 2	Matt 7:21, 24-27
Friday	December 3	Matt 16:15-20
Saturday	December 4	Matt 9:35-10
Sunday	December 5	Luke 3:1-6



The annual Parish Christmas Party a breakfast potluck, will be immediately after Mass next Sunday, December 5, 9:30-11, in the Church basement. Please bring potato and egg dishes, sweet rolls and fruit. Meat, juice, and coffee will be provided.

The Pastoral Council will meet Monday, Dec. 6, in the Church basement, at 7 p.m.

Happy Advent in this time of waiting and preparation for the coming of Christ.

Thanks to all those who have returned raffle tickets and stubs. If you have unsold tickets, please return them so that they can be sold. Give tickets to Mary Leon or put in the collection basket. The quilt drawing will take place at the Christmas party.

Copies of *The Word Among Us* and *The Little Blue Book, Advent and Christmas Seasons, Six-minute reflections on the Advent/Christmas season weekday Gospels*, are available for your Advent reading, in the Church vestibule. Take a copy home.

The Knights of Columbus is having its annual Sweatshirt Drive. They collect new, hooded, unwrapped sweatshirts in sizes L-XXXXL with either a pro, college or sports logo. They also collect hats, scarves, and mittens. A box is in the vestibule. The collection ends on Thanksgiving weekend. See the Church Bulletin Board for more information. *Note, the **Knights of Columbus** will not be selling Christmas cards this year.

Happy December Birthday to Gery Zemaitis, Mark Kalchik, Ben Bardenhagen, Sherri Patterson, Holly Suttman, Mary Ann Kolarik, Jerome Kolarik, and Deacon Martin.

Area Happenings

Dec.1: Online Auction, for the Ed and Irene Education Fund,

www.FleisEducationFund, early bidding and auction preview now open, register at www.FleisEducation.com, 75 items open for bidding.

December 3, 4: First Friday and Saturday Mass at St. Michael, SB at 8:30 a.m.

Dec. 4: At Holy Rosary 'Advent Retreat' following the 8:15 a.m. Mass and Rosary Procession. Have a hot breakfast at 9 a.m. Fr. Ben Martin, Fr. Lawler, and Fr. Libby will give special talks. Confessions will be available throughout the morning. The retreat ends with Adoration and Benediction. Kid's crafts/and daycare are available during the morning talks. For more information about this free event or to register, please email Julie Witkowski at juleswitkowski@gmail.com by November 27th.

Until Dec.8: Exhibit on St. Joseph. For more info, visit MARIANCENTER.ORG.

DEVELOPMENT OFFICE ASSISTANT: St. Mary School is accepting applications for a part-time (15-20 hours) year round Development Office Assistant. Applicants must have experience in Microsoft Office, graphic design software and social media platforms. Attention to detail and a passion for Catholic education. Please send resume to Debbie Heitzman, St. Mary School, PO Box 340, Lake Leelanau, MI 49653 or submit to dheitzman@stmarysll.org.

Please Pray For:

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Beth Britt, Ben Bardenhagen
Joanne & Keith Burnham
Wayne Carter
Mary Ann Duperon
Kelly Endres
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille
Bob Kalchik
Mark Kalchik
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
David Kilcherman, Phyllis Korson
Stacey Kolarik, Dakota Korson
Dorothy (Popp) Korson,
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Al and Marie Porter
Bob Pratt
Joshua Pressey
Joel Rivera
Kathryn Schaub
Ruth Schaub
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Terry Schmidt
Debbie Shelagowski
Lauren Sineway,
Helen Stimson
Jim Sullivan
Clem Suttman & Trish Suttman
*Holly Suttman
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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)

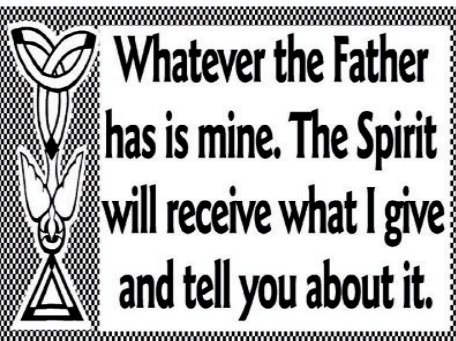
**Please call the Parish Office
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one no longer needs to be on the
list.**

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