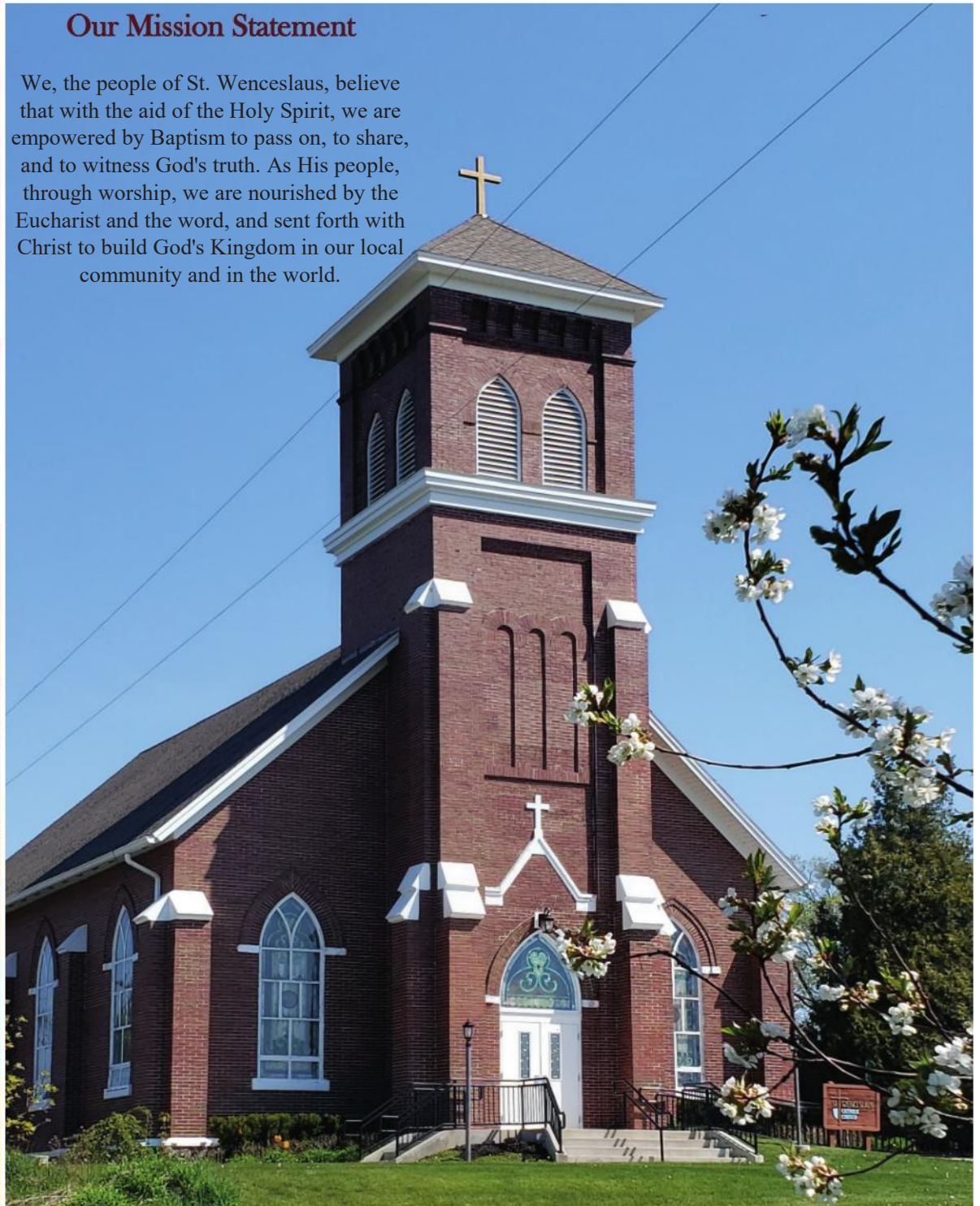




4th Sunday *of Easter*

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.



St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church

May 8, 2022

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

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Anticipating Surgery?

Please call Deacon Martin to make
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or prior to surgery.

Reconciliation

By appointment with Fr. Class S.J.
St. Mary LL on Saturdays 3:30-4:30 p.m.
St. Michael SB on Thursdays 9:00 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
SATURDAY & SUNDAY
MAY 14 & MAY 15, 2022
@ 6 P.M. & 8:30 A.M.**

Readers:

Saturday Mass:
Rachel Plamondon

Sunday Mass:
Karen Zemaitis

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SATURDAY, MAY 7 — SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022

Saturday, May 7

For Blaise Korson by Tom and Marie Korson

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 8

For Carol Korson by Jerome Korson

8:30 a.m.

Saturday, May 14

For Abe Geldhof by Terry and Jan Schmidt

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 15

For Lewis Roubal by Dan Schaub

8:30 a.m.

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Today is the Fourth Sunday of Easter. In today's Gospel, John 10:27-30, Jesus reveals Himself as the Good Shepherd. As the good shepherd, His sheep recognize His voice and are able to hear His voice. We are His sheep. We hear His voice in many ways. Through Scripture, through the Church leaders, through each other, and through God Himself. There is built into each of us the knowledge of right and wrong. This is Jesus' voice calling to us. Jesus calls us daily, to keep the relationship strong between us and Him. Our acknowledgment of His voice strengthens our relationship and makes it easier to hear His voice. The less we listen, the weaker His voice will be, to the point that if we ignore it long enough, it will be very difficult to hear over the sounds of this world. Jesus' voice is still there, but we cannot sort it out among all the other noise we have let into our lives. It is important to take quiet time to talk and listen to Jesus with an open mind. He is speaking to us.

We need to learn to place our trust in Jesus. Sometimes, He may ask us to step out of our comfort zone. He may ask us to share our story about His involvement in our life. He may present an opportunity for us to share His message of love of God and neighbor by word and deed. We may be put in a situation where we are asked to befriend someone who, perhaps, we find annoying. In all situations we are asked to trust in His guidance. We can go astray when we fail to trust. How we respond to the Shepherd's Voice depends on us. Pray on it.

Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin

Jesus died for us and gave us the sacrament of confession. Remember, God is merciful. Jesus will forgive, He will forgive you as He forgave those who crucified Him. Trust Him. Confessions are available.

By appointment with Fr. Class 1-414-788-8963
Confessions at St. Mary LL on Saturdays 3:30—4:30 p.m.
Confessions at St. Michael SB on Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, pray for yourself. Pray to know if God is calling YOU to be a priest, Deacon, Sister or Brother. Pray!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8, 2022

Monday	May 9	John 10:1-10
Tuesday	May 10	John 10:22-30
Wednesday	May 11	John 12:44-50
Thursday	May 12	John 13:16-20
Friday	May 13	John 14:1-6
Saturday	May 14	John 15:9-17
Sunday	May 15	John 13:31-33



Welcome to all who worship here. We pray you will be blessed through your participation in our liturgy.

Blessing of the Farms was done on Monday. Please sign on the clipboard in the vestibule if you wish your farm blessed and missed signing last week. Thank you.

Watch the mail for CSA information. Our target this year is \$14,830. That is \$221 per family. More information will come from the Diocese. All checks are to be made out to the Diocese of Gaylord with CSA on the memo line. Each year, the CSA reaches across parish boundaries so that, together, we can tend to the needs of our parishes, parishioners and the people of northern Michigan and beyond. Many of the programs, ministries and outreach efforts supported through our collective gifts are beyond the scope of individual parishes. **The Diocese of Gaylord exists to further God's work to connect, uplift, and strengthen parishes, parishioners, and communities in their relationship with Jesus Christ.** The diocese carries out its important role in the everyday work of the Church in many ways during both ordinary and extraordinary times.

Thanks to all who took part in the raking bee. It was a small, but enthusiastic group that got the job done and had a good time.

May Diaper Drive: Leelanau Christian Neighbors is asking for diapers especially in sizes 5, 6, 7, & 4/5 pull ups. You can take them to the main LCN building on Mondays between 8:30 a.m.—6:00 p.m. or at Samaritan's Closet, Monday through Saturday, or leave them at St. Wenceslaus Church and pick-up will be arranged. Ends May 30.

Copies of *Life is Messy* and *The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen*, both Matthew Kelly books, are available in the vestibule for your reading pleasure.

Just a reminder that the May Crowning is Sunday.

50th Anniversary Fr. James Doherty is celebrating his 50th Anniversary as a priest on Friday, May 27th at 5 p.m. at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish in Elmira (2567 Buell Rd). Friendship and catered meal after Mass. All are invited to attend. Please RSVP to montanami@charter.net by May 10th.

Family Perspective by Bud Ozar: Today's Gospel reminds us to be shepherds for our children who depend on us to be their guides and role models. Where are we leading them? When they "hear our voice" what message do they hear?

Area Happenings

Mondays: Community Prayer Group meets 6:30-7:30 p.m. at St. Mary LL.

Saturdays: *That Man is You*, a gathering of men for spiritual development, 8-9 a.m., St. Mary's Social Hall.

Please Pray For:

Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Ben Bardenhagen
Joanne & Keith Burnham
Wayne Carter
Fr. Michael Class, S.J.
Mary Ann Duperon, Kelly Endres
John Fochtman
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille
Bob Kalchik, Mark Kalchik
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby
Peggy Kolarik
Dakota Korson
Dorothy (Popp) Korson
Sarah Korson
Pete Lara, Nick Lederle
Tom Meoak
Kevin Maguire
Craig Moreland
Peter Navin
Jerry Patterson
Lucas Plamondon
Al and Marie Porter
Bob Pratt
Joshua Pressey
Joel Rivera
Ruth Schaub
Terry Schmidt
Randy Sedlacek
Debbie Shelagowski
Lauren Sineway, Helen Stimson
Jim Sullivan
Clem Suttman & Trish Suttman
Ava Valesano
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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