

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

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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
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Anticipating Surgery?

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

Reconciliation

By appointment with Fr. Class, S.J.
St. Mary LL on Fridays 8:30 a.m.
and 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
OCTOBER 15 & 16, 2022
@ 6:00 P.M. & 8:30 A.M.**

Readers: **Eucharist Ministers:**

Saturday Mass:

Mary Leon John and Lori Phillips

Sunday Mass:

Karen Zemaitis Matt and Kim Prisk

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 — SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2022

Saturday, October 8

For Nicholas Lederle by Linda Kohler

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 9

For Andrew Schofield by Chip and Rubi Schaub

8:30 a.m.

Saturday, October 15

For Patricia Wallace by Bruce and Lynn Dunn

6:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 16

For Doug Couturier by Martin and Phyllis Korson

8:30 a.m.

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Today we celebrate The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time. In today's Gospel, Luke 17:11-19, Jesus encounters ten lepers who ask Him to have pity on them. He tells them to go show themselves to the priest. On their way they were healed. Only one returns, a Samaritan, to thank Jesus. Jesus tells him his faith has saved him. The one leper who came back to thank Jesus is praised for his gratitude. We can almost hear the sadness in Christ's heart at the lack of gratitude in the other nine. It is not that Jesus needs our gratitude, but that we need to show it for our own well being and the health of our soul.

To show gratitude to God is to acknowledge that every thing we have is a gift from God: creation, life, talents, opportunities, hope in heaven, the grace that helps us persevere in doing what is right. We do not create ourselves.

Lack of gratitude causes us to turn into our selves. Gratitude opens us up to God and neighbor. It directly contradicts self-centeredness, self indulgence, and self absorption. It builds bridges, unites communities, and softens hearts. It counteracts depression and releases anxiety. It is good for us.

The Gospel is the road map to happiness, both here and for all eternity. It is sad, that it is so seldom used. **Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin**

Confessions: Fr. Class by appointment 414-788-8963
St. Mary LL on Saturdays 3:30 — 4:30 p.m., Fridays 8:30 a.m.
Fr. Leonard at St. Michael SB, Thursdays 9:00 a.m.

We welcome Fr. Ray Cotter at the Saturday evening Mass and thank him for celebrating Mass with us.

The Saturday evening Mass will continue with guest priests for the next two months. Deacon Martin is looking for priests to continue the Mass.

Family Perspective: Everyone needs "A Round Tuit." The lepers in today's Gospel probably meant to thank Jesus. Excited about being cured they didn't get 'around-to-it. We get caught up in our own interests and fail to appreciate what we have or to say what is in our hearts. This week get yourself a "Round Tuit."

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 9, 2022

Monday	October 10	Luke 11:29-32
Tuesday	October 11	Luke 11:37-41
Wednesday	October 12	Luke 11:42-46
Thursday	October 13	Luke 11:47-54
Friday	October 14	Luke 12:1-7
Saturday	October 15	Luke 12:8-12
Sunday	October 16	Luke 18:1-8



This weekend the Knights of Columbus will have their annual **Tootsie Roll Drive** to help the mentally challenged. Suggested donation is \$1.00.

There are still a number of dishes, left from funerals, in the church basement. Please check them out and take your dish home. Please put your name on any dish you bring to the Church.

If you know of anyone, or organization who is in need of assistance, please contact the parish office or Deacon Martin who will pass it on to the tithing committee.

Fall Clean-up: A clean up of the church grounds, focusing on the rectory area is scheduled for Tuesday, October 11, from 4 – 8 p.m. Bring rakes, pruners, shovels, and gloves.

There will be a Cleaning Bee to prepare the Church basement for the winter activities on Thursday, October 20th from 6—8 p.m. Please come and help.

The Parish is in need of more Altar Servers for both the Saturday and Sunday Masses. There is no age limit, but servers must have made First Communion.

The Parish extends its condolences to Dave and Chris Dzubinski. Dave's mother recently passed away. In your kindness, please pray for the repose of her soul and comfort for her family and friends.

Eternal Rest grant unto her O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon her

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, 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary LL Social Hall.

This Sunday: Rosary Coast to Coast, rosary /chaplet at St. Mary's Church LL by the Blessed Mother statue at 3:45 p.m., rain or shine. Contact Maria Putt for more information at 515-388-6152 or See flyer on the Church bulletin board.

Proposal 3: The Catholic bishops and dioceses in Michigan are calling on all Catholics to vote NO on Proposal 3 on the November election ballot. The proposal would create a constitutional amendment to allow for unlimited, unregulated abortion throughout all of pregnancy. It also would allow any person to perform an abortion—not just doctors or physicians—and would remove any legal consequences for anyone who conducts a botched abortion. For more information about the proposal and how to help defeat it, please visit dioceseofgaylord.org/defeatproposal3 for more information on how to connect with the official "Vote NO" campaign.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

OCTOBER 2, 2022

SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$	1,190
FOOD PANTRY	\$	30

SEPTEMBER 2022

INCOME	\$	6,482
EXPENSES	\$	6,178

Follow the Diocese of Gaylord
on social media!



Please Pray For:

Anonymous
Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Ben Bardenhagen
Joanne & Keith Burnham
Wayne Carter
Fr. Michael Class, S.J.
Mary Ann Duperon
Marilyn Dzubinski
Kelly Endres,
John Fochtman
Marilynne Gauthier
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille, Bob Kalchik,
Mark Kalchik
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby
Dakota Korson
Dorothy (Popp) Korson,
Sarah Korson
Pete Lara
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.

All those suffering from COVID
(*NEW to Prayer List)

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