

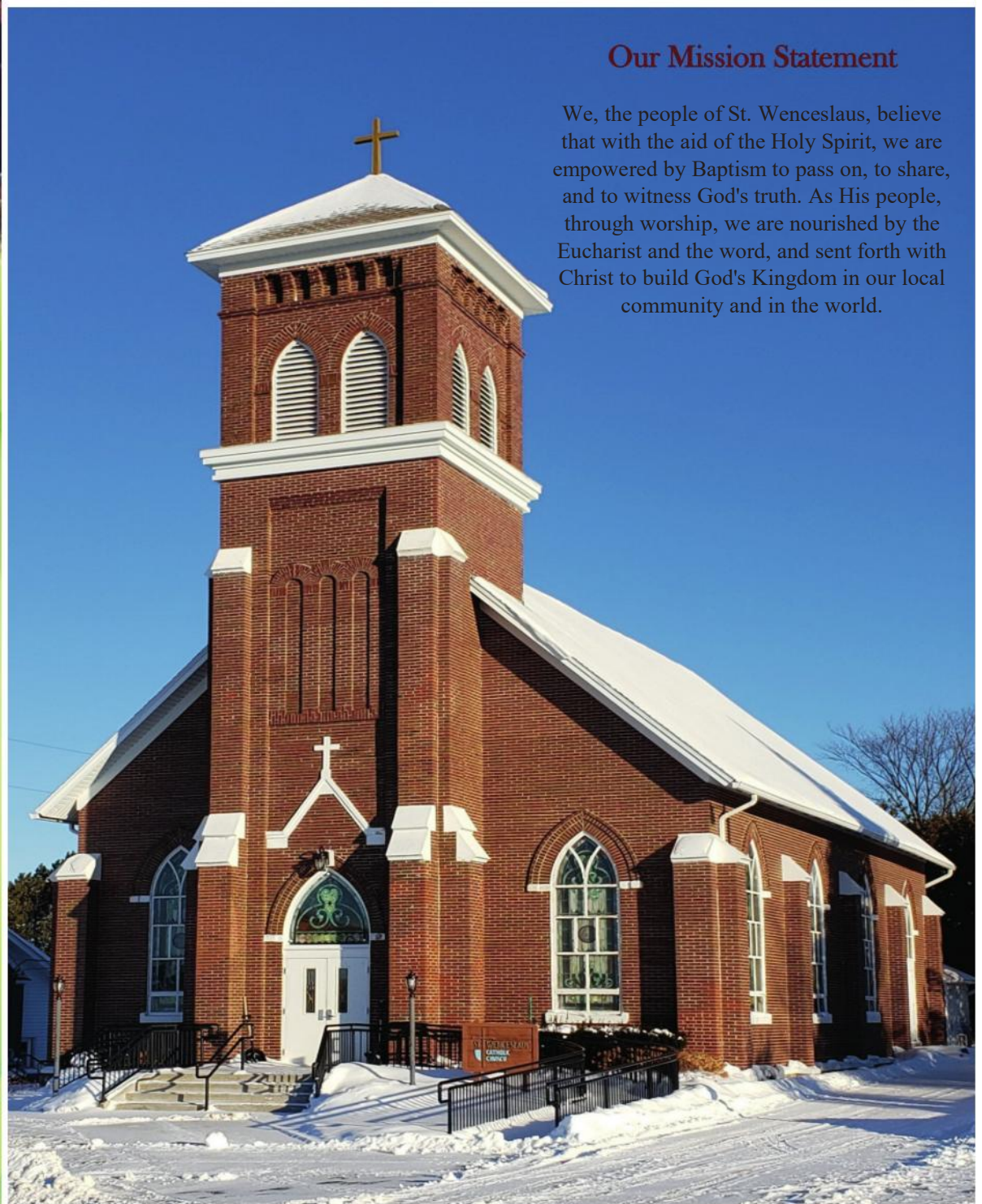
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

He said to them,
“Come after me,
and I will make
you fishers
of men.”

At once they
left their nets
and followed him.

Matthew 4:19-20

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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

January 22 2023

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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)

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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
JANUARY 28 & 29, 2023
4:00 P.M. & 8:30 A.M.**

READERS: EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Saturday Mass

Rachel Plamondon Mary Leon
 & Jan Schmidt

Sunday Mass:

Mary Ann Kolarik Matt & Kim Prisk

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, January 21 — Sunday, January 29, 2023

Saturday, January 21

4:00 p.m.

For Carol Korson by Jerome Korson

Sunday, January 22

8:30 a.m.

For Joseph Sella by Cecilia Sella

Saturday, January 28

4:00 p.m.

For Nicholas Lederle by The Family

Sunday, January 29

8:30 a.m.

For All St. Wenceslaus Parishioners

Dear fellow Parishioners,

Today we celebrate The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time. In today's Gospel, Matthew 4:12-23, John the Baptist is arrested. Jesus moves to Capernaum. From that time on, Jesus began to preach and say, "Repent, for the Kingdom of heaven is at hand." He was walking by the Sea of Galilee when He saw men attending their nets; Simon, Andrew, James, and John. He asked them to join Him, and they immediately followed Him. Jesus did not start His mission alone.

These men were disciples of John the Baptist. They had known Jesus before. They were at the wedding in Cana, where Jesus changed the water into wine. They were not strangers to Jesus. They knew He was someone special. So when they were invited by Jesus, they felt honored to do so. They knew not what they were being asked to do.

Jesus went to these men where they were. He met them in their everyday life, a midst the humdrum of the good and the bad. He walks into their environment, he walks into our environment. He meets us where we are. His invitation is for all of us to follow Him, to be part of His mission, the building the Kingdom of God. Jesus does not work alone. He needs our help. Will we leave our old life behind and follow Jesus?

Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin

We welcome and thank Father Wayne for celebrating Saturday Mass. Fr. Don Geyman will celebrate Mass next Saturday, January 28.

There will be Holy Hour and Confessions January 27, 5-6 p.m. with Fr. Ben.

Mark your calendar! There will be coffee and rolls in the Church basement after Mass on Sunday, February 5th to discuss fundraisers for the Parish. Come and share your ideas or just enjoy refreshments and listen. The Parish Council needs more ideas. They are looking for less labor intensive projects.

Please keep the Jim Plamondon Family in your prayers as he recovers from a shattered leg and ankle. Thank you for your generous donations.

If you have any ideas for a Lenten program, please contact Deacon Martin.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2023

Monday	January 23	Mark 3:22-30
Tuesday	January 24	Mark 3:31-35
Wednesday	January 25	Mark 16:15-18
Thursday	January 26	Mark 4:21-25
Friday	January 27	Mark 4:26-34
Saturday	January 28	Mark 4:35-41
Sunday	January 29	Matt 5:1-12



Sunday, January 22 is Human Life Sunday, a day for Americans to focus on the value of each and every human life. It is celebrated every year close to the Supreme Court's decision Roe vs Wade & Doe vs Bolton. The decisions were overturned in Dobbs vs Jackson Women's Health Organization on June 24, 2022. In many states, including Michigan, abortion is still available on demand. On this day, focus your attention on the sanctity of life. Information available at rtl.org/sohls/.

There are several items available in the vestibule; religious calendars, donated through the generosity of the Martinson Funeral Home; **envelope boxes** for weekly collections, arranged in alphabetical order; **a Matthew Kelly book** available to all parishioners, take one for family and another for friends. Lastly, there are a few copies of **"The Word Among Us"** for you to take home.

Another area where the Parish needs help is the Housekeeping Ministry. This entails parishioners taking a month at a time to clean the Church, dusting, sweeping, and vacuuming. Couples can work together. The basement and the hall are cleaned several times a year and help is requested of parishioners for work bees.

Live Carmelite Spirituality in a Catholic Community of Men and Women

Do you desire a deeper prayer life, a deeper spirituality, a deeper union with God? Have you heard the call of Pope St. John Paul II to "Come into the deep?" The Discalced Secular Carmelite Community of the Infant Jesus of Prague meets monthly at the Carmelite Monastery in Traverse City. For more information, contact Kathleen (231) 889-4404, or Amy (231) 287-0785 by February 11. Their meeting dates are February 12, March 12, and April 16 (interview).

Thanks to the many who helped to take down the Christmas decorations in the Church. The job went very fast with so many to help.

There will be a yard sale this summer. As you find things in your homes that you no longer need, please think about the Church yard sale. You can put your boxed items in the Rectory garage. Keep cloth items at home. Please, no computers, large appliances, or clothing. Thank you.

Area Happenings

Sunday: St. Michael's SB, **Euchre** at 2 p.m., \$5.00 covers prizes and refreshments. Come early to sign up and pay.

Saturdays: That Man is You, 8:30-9:30 a.m. A weekly gathering of men for spiritual development, St. Mary Social Hall.

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

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

JANUARY 15, 2023

PARISHIONERS	\$ 1,223
CONTRIBUTORS	\$ 436
FOOD PANTRY	\$ 30
FIRST OFFERING	\$ 27

DECEMBER 2022

INCOME	\$18,225
EXPENSES	\$18,772

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Please Pray For:

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Beth Britt
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Keith & Joanne Burnham
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Fr. Michael Class, S.J.
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Kelly Endres
John Fochtman
Marilynne Gauthier
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille
Bob Kalchik Family
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
Mark Kalchik
Steve & Kathy Kalchik
Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby
Dakota Korson
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Sarah Korson
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Debbie Shelagowski
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Jim Sullivan
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...the sick and the homebound of the Parish, their families and caregivers.

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

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