

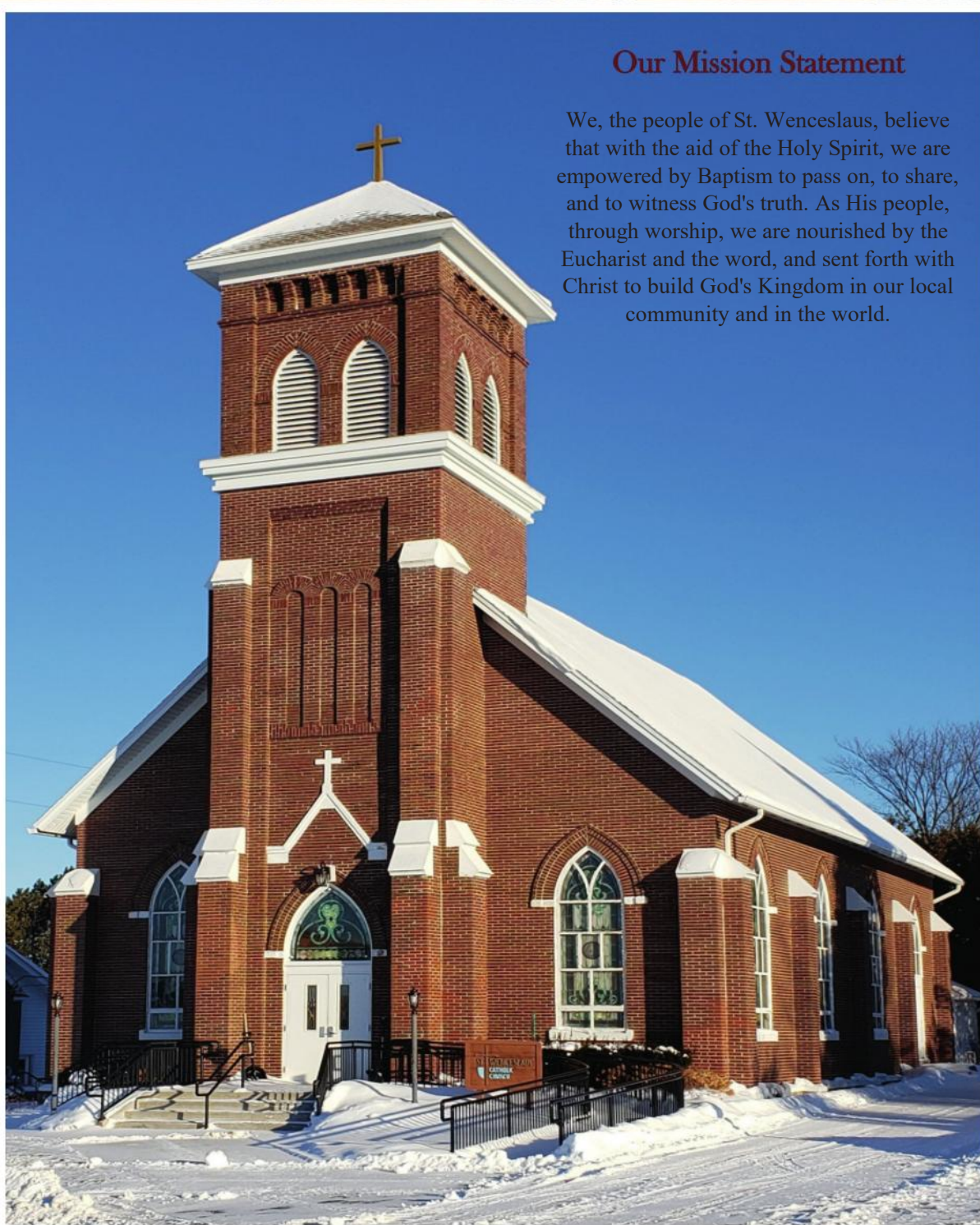


YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

MATTHEW 5:14

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

February 5, 2023

There will be Blessing of Throats on February 4, the Feast of St. Blaise.

Ministry Needs: Like most of the parishes in Northern Michigan, St. Wenceslaus is an aging parish. Many of our parishioners are in their late eighties or above. Many of these are our prayer warriors. Yet, they need our prayers, cards, visits, calls, and the Eucharist. We know that many of you do make an effort to visit and call. But more are needed to take the Eucharist to the homebound.

Roberto is still looking for more singers in the Choir for both Saturday night and Sunday morning.

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).

There will be a yard sale this summer. When you do your Spring cleaning and find those unused treasures, please consider the Church yard sale. You can put your boxed items in the Rectory garage. Keep cloth items at home to protect them. Please help to make the yard sale a success. No computers, large appliances, or clothing. Thank you.

Notes of thanks:

To our parish family,

Words cannot express just how grateful we are for your overwhelming care, concern over these past several weeks. Thank you for your prayers, get well cards, visits, phone calls, text messages, meals. Homemade cookies and very generous donations. We are so thankful. We're truly blessed to be part of such a caring, compassionate, and caring community.

With sincere gratitude, Jim, Rachel, Leah, Lucas, and Phillip Plamondon

Dear Martin and Wenceslaus Church Members,

Thank you for the most recent donation of \$414. The support of all of you mean a great deal to the success of LCN to serve the neighbors in need. Regards, Mary Stanton

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. You do not need to bring a partner.

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

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

JANUARY 29, 2023

PARISHIONERS	\$ 830
CONTRIBUTORS	\$ 133
FOOD PANTRY	\$ 112
UTILITIES	\$ 25

DECEMBER 2022

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

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Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Ben Bardenhagen
Keith & Joanne Burnham
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Kelly Endres
John Fochtman
Marilynne Gauthier
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Tracy Grille
Bob Kalchik Family
Elmer & Millie Kalchik
Mark Kalchik
Steve & Kathy Kalchik
Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby
Dakota Korson
Dorothy (Popp) Korson
*Deacon Martin Korson
Sarah Korson
Pete Lara
Kevin Maguire
Tom Meoak
Craig Moreland
Peter Navin
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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 the effects of
COVID

(*NEW to Prayer List)

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