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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 stwenceslausgp@gmail.com

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 SUNDAY APRIL 28, 2024 @ 8:30 A.M.

READER Chris Ready EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS Kim & Matt Prisk

<u>USHERS</u>

Jim & Philip Plamondon

ALTAR SERVERS
William & Louis Ready

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday, April 21 — Sunday, April 28, 2024

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Rosary 8:00 a.m. Mass for Randy Sedlacek by St. Wenceslaus Altar Society 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 28

Rosary 8:00 a.m. Mass for All St. Wenceslaus Parishioners 8:30 a.m.

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Today we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Easter. In John 10:11-18, Jesus tells His disciples that He is the good shepherd. That He knows His sheep and they know Him, and that He is willing to lay down His life for them, not just for His sheep but for others as well.

We know what Jesus will do for us. But He also says that His sheep know Him. That they will recognize His voice and come to Him. The sheep have to learn to respond to the shepherd. They have to trust in their leader that he has their best interest at heart, that he will lead them to green pastures. The sheep have a big responsibility to connect with the shepherd.

We are not like cattle that need to be driven, but like sheep who need to be lead. We are the sheep, Jesus is the good Shepherd. Jesus will always do His part. We have to do our part. We have to learn the sound of His voice. We have to listen for His voice. We have to respond to His voice in a positive way. He will lead us to green pastures. We need to trust and follow Him. We have our part to do as well.

Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin

Today, April 21, is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Please pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

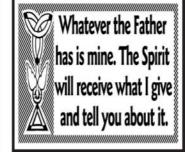
Our CSA goal has been set at \$16,852 this year. That comes out to about \$241 per family. Collection will begin in May. Watch for CSA information in the mail.

The Rosary is prayed every Sunday at 8:00 a.m., before the 8:30 a.m. Mass, led by John Kohler and Jan Schmidt. We thank them for their dedication in doing this. Please plan to join in. It is another opportunity to pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

Stewardship by the Book: Jesus says, "I came that they may have life and have it to the full. Good stewards are grateful for the gift of life and joyfully share their abundance with others."

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 21, 2024

| Monday | April 22 | John 10:1-10 |
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| Tuesday | April 23 | John 10:22-30 |
| Wednesday | April 24 | John 12:44-50 |
| Thursday | April 25 | Mark 16:15-20 |
| Friday | April 26 | John 14:1-6 |
| Saturday | April 27 | John 14:7-14 |
| Sunday | April 28 | John 15:1-8 |



Thanks to all who helped on the Sedlacek funeral luncheon. To those who shopped, set up, worked in the kitchen, brought a dish to pass, served, packed food for the family, stayed to clean up, or washed the towels, thank you.

Funeral dishes are in the basement on the serving table and on the pie rack for you to pick up and take home. The collection is growing. Some of these have been here for quite a while and may be put into the Yard Sale if no one claims them. We are very grateful for the donations you bring, but please, in the future put your name on your dish so that we can more easily return it to you.

There will be a yard sale this summer. Linda Kohler has agreed to chair that event. Please save your clean, gently used, unwanted treasures. Please do not bring computers, large appliances, TVs, or clothes.

We thank Leah Plamondon for leading the singing of the Chaplet of Mercy so beautifully at the Holy Hour on Mercy Sunday.

Area Happenings

April 23, 30 & May 7: Holy Rosary Books & Gifts Extra Gift Shop hours for 1st Communion/Confirmation will be on Tuesdays from 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. in addition to the regular hours of Saturdays 9 a.m.-noon and Sundays 9am-9:30 a.m. & 12:20 p.m.-1:00pm. Large assortment of religious & sacramental gift items & cards.

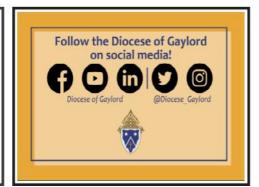
April 21: St. Mary K of C Pancake Breakfast from 9:00 am.—11:30am. Pancakes, sausage, coffee, juice, donuts and more, in the St. Mary Social Hall. April 27-28: Adrian, Michigan, are you or is someone you know discerning whether God is calling you to vowed religious life or a lay association? The Adrian Dominican Sisters offer the opportunity to pray and share experiences with other seekers during their Learn, Pray, Share, Celebrate Weekend, beginning with lunch on Saturday, April 27, 2024, and concluding at 2:00pm. Sunday.

<u>April 27</u>: Angel Celebration. St. Mary's celebrates its benefactors and donators, special guest, Bishop Walsh, \$85 per ticket, 6-9pm., 6-7pm. cocktail hour. This year St. Wenceslaus Parish will be honored.

May 11-12 or May 13-18: Discern & Learn for single Catholic women ages 18-25. Come for a Discernment Weekend at no cost for those exploring religious life. For those opting for a broader experience, add to the Discernment an Environment Leadership Experience for \$250. Reservations by May 3 tdeyonker@adriandominicans.org

<u>Saturday</u>: That Man is You, a gathering of men for spiritual development, 8:30—9:30am. in the St. Mary Lake Leelanau Social Hall. All men are welcome. <u>Sunday</u>: Euchre at St. Michael's, 2-5pm. The \$5 entry fee covers prizes and refreshments. No partner needed. Bring dimes to cover euchres. The last Euchre party will be April 28.

| PARISH STEWARDSHIP | | |
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| APRIL 14, 2024 | | |
| PARISHIONERS: | \$ | 1,719 |
| CONTRIBUTORS: | | 398 |
| FOOD PANTRY: | \$ | 100 |
| UTILITIES: | \$ | 60 |
| OPERATING EXPENSES: | | 100 |
| FEBRUARY 2024 | | |
| INCOME: | | 8,416 |
| EXPENSES: | | 7 425 |



Please Pray For:

Barbara Brady
Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Ben Bardenhagen
Keith & Joanne Burnham
Wayne Carter
Mary (Houdek) Denouldped

Mary Ann Duperon

Kelly Endres

John Fochtman

Kevin Giangiolbe

Tracy Grille

Doug Iseri

Mark Kalchik

Steve & Kathy Kalchik

Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby

Chuck Korson

Dorothy (Popp) Korson

Nicole (Jason) Korson

Sarah Korson

Pete Lara

Kevin Maguire, Tom Meoak Craig Moreland, Peter Navin

Jennifer Patterson

Jim Plamondon, Lucas Plamondon

Al & Marie Porter .

Bob Pratt

Joshua Pressey

Joel Rivera

Debbie Shelagowski

Cecilia Sella, Helen Stimson

Jim Sullivan

Clem Suttmann

Ava Valesano

Jim Wenstrup

Gery Zemaitis

Diane Zande

Dolores Houdek

Panta Leon

...the sick and the homebound of the Parish, their families and caregivers. All those suffering from the effects of

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(*NEW to Prayer List)

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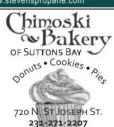
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