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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

September 22, 2024

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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

Fr. Michael Class, S.J. by appointment
St. Mary LL on Fridays at 9:00 a.m.
and on Saturdays 3:30 — 4:30 p.m.
St. Michael SB on Thursdays at 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

SAT, SEPT. 28, 2024 @ 5:30 P.M.

<u>READER</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
Mary Leon	Lynn Dunn & Susann Lederle

USHERS

Jim & Phillip Plamondon

ALTAR SERVER

Lucas Plamondon

SUN, SEPT. 29, 2024 @ 8:30 A.M.

<u>READER</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
Chris Ready	Kim & Matt Prisk

USHERS

Jim Atkinson & Julius Kolarik

ALTAR SERVER

Will Ready

THE 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 — SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2024

Saturday, September 21	5:30 p.m.
For Terry Schmidt by Scott & Pat Bardenhagen	
Rosary	8:00 a.m.
Sunday, September 22	8:30 a.m.
For Ken Belanger by Martin & Phyllis Korson	
Monday, September 23	No Mass
Tuesday, September 24	No Mass
Wednesday, September 25	No Mass
Thursday, September 26	No Mass
Friday, September 27	No Mass
Saturday, September 28	5:30 p.m.
For Jane & Dick Beaudry by Tom & Maggie Gavin	
Rosary	8:00 a.m.
Sunday, September 29	8:30 a.m.
For All St. Wenceslaus Parishioners	

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Today we celebrate The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time. In today's Gospel, Mark 9:30-37, Jesus was making His way through Galilee. He was teaching His disciples about His death and His resurrection in three days. They did not understand and were afraid to ask. When they reached their destination, He asked them what they had been arguing about. They remained silent for they were discussing who was the greatest.

Jesus called the twelve aside and said to them; "If anyone wishes to be first he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child and placing him in their midst, He said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in My name, receives Me; and whoever receives Me; receives not Me but the one who sent Me."

Jesus is giving us a lesson in humility. The greatest task for every Christian isn't to achieve fame and fortune, popularity, power, and worldly success. Rather, it is the same task that Christ Himself undertook. To serve others, to make others happy, to reach out to those who are weak and in need. Like little children; greatness in Christ's Kingdom is equated with humility. An attitude of the heart that puts the good of others ahead of one's own preferences. It's self-giving, not self-getting.

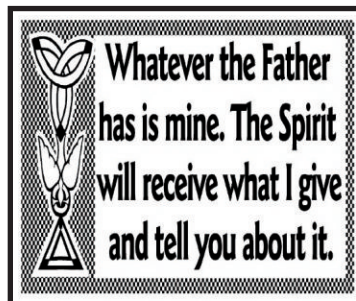
Jesus points out where true, lasting, fulfilling greatness lies. It is in loving one's neighbor as Christ has loved them. We are the happiest when we share with others. That's why we have parties. Jesus is the Servant-Lord. His faithful disciples are called to follow in those footsteps. How are we doing?

Your servant in Christ, Deacon Martin

Please pray for the safety of all our politicians.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

Monday	September 23	Matt 16:24-27
Tuesday	September 24	Luke 8:19-21
Wednesday	September 25	Luke 9:1-6
Thursday	September 26	Luke 9:7-9
Friday	September 27	Luke 9:18-22
Saturday	September 28	Luke 9:43-45
Sunday	September 29	Mark 9:38-43, 45



We welcome all our guests, visitors and parishioners. We thank you for worshipping with us. We are delighted that you are here to celebrate Mass with us. We pray that you will find welcoming peace, and joy here as we pray together.

The priests are on retreat this week. There will be no Masses at St. Wenceslaus or in any of our local Churches. If you need a priest, check with Deacon Martin as there are a couple of retired priests who did not attend, who may be available.

The feast of St. Wenceslaus is next Saturday, September 28th. In honor of this event, the Altar Society will host a dinner after the 5:30 evening Mass. Ham, scalloped potatoes, rolls, and beverage will be provided. Cards, \$3 after the meal. We need someone to oversee the card games, deal with prizes, etc., tell Phyllis if you will do this. Parishioners are asked to bring a dish to pass, vegetable, salad, or dessert. Help will be needed serving and cleaning up after.

Missing: Family History, Korson/Kolarik in a bright yellow folder, and a 3 or 4 inch blue 3 ring binder with pictures and stories. Last seen in St. Wenceslaus basement. See Deacon Martin or Phyllis if you have seen these, thank you.

Area Happenings

Saturday: That Man is You, a gathering of men for spiritual development, 8:30—9:30 a.m. in the St. Mary Lake Leelanau Social Hall. All men welcome.

October 5: DCCW Leadership Conference, 8:30 a.m.—2:30 p.m. \$30 per person includes lunch, at St. Augustine Church, Hillman. See flyer on Church bulletin board.

October 5 & 6 or 19 & 20: You are personally invited to attend a **WELCOME/CRHP** Experience this October 5-6 for MEN and October 19-20 for WOMEN at Christ the King Church. Come experience the joy and impact WELCOME can have in your life as it deepens your Faith and draws you closer to Christ and the Sacraments. To register use the QR code or visit www.tccrhp.org and click the event title.

October 6: Life Chain 2:30-3:30, this is a prayerful protest against abortion. Since the regular area of protest is under construction, we are waiting for more information on where protesters will stand.

October 7: Focus on Life Dinner at the Grand Traverse Resort in Acme, featuring guest speaker, Seth Dillon, CEO of Babylon Bee, the world's most factually accurate news source. More information to follow.

October 12: 2024 Wedding Anniversary Mass. The Most Reverend Bishop Jeffrey J. Walsh cordially invites married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries of 10, 25, 50 and 60+ years in 2024 to a celebration of marriage. This special event will include Holy Mass and a blessing by Bishop Walsh, followed by a light reception in the parish hall, St. Mary Cathedral, Gaylord. Please RSVP at DioceseofGaylord.org/marriage by October 7, 2024.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

PARISHIONERS:	\$ 1,511
CONTRIBUTORS:	\$ 570
CEMETERY MAINTENANCE:	\$ 50
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:	\$ 20

AUGUST 2024

INCOME:	\$ 13,113
EXPENSES:	\$ 9,248

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Barbara Brady
Alicia Bakara, Ruth Blink
Beth Britt
Ben Bardenhagen
Keith & Joanne Burnham
Wayne Carter
Mary Ann Duperon
Kelly Endres
John Fochtman
Kevin Giangiolbe
Tracy Grille, Doug Iseri
Mark Kalchik
Steve & Kathy Kalchik
Alexandra Kannenberg & Baby
Dorothy (Popp) Korson
Nicole (Jason) Korson
Sarah Korson
Pete Lara
Kevin Maguire
Tom Meoak
Craig Moreland
Peter Navin
Jennifer Patterson
Lucas Plamondon
Al & Marie Porter
Bob Pratt
Joshua Pressey
Joel Rivera
Debbie Shelagowski
Cecilia Sella
Jim Sullivan
Clem Suttman
Ava Valesano
Gery Zemaitis
Dolores Houdek
Panta Leon, Angela Nicotti
Stephen Erickson
(Baby) Clyde Baker
Helen Galla

...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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