

#### Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time August 7, 2022

Wed. August 10<sup>th</sup> 11:30am St. John
Thur. August 11<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm St. Columbkille
Fri. August 12 9:00am St. John
With Adoration following Mass until 10:30am

Sat. August 13<sup>th</sup> 4:00pm St. John
Sun. August 14<sup>th</sup> 8:30am St. Joseph
Sun. August 14<sup>th</sup> 10:30am St. Columbkille

Confessions for this Week

Wednesday 11:00-11:25am St. John Thursday after 7pm Mass St Columbkille Saturday 3:30pm (ask Fr.at door) St. John

#### Readings for the Week

Monday, August 8th

Ezekiel 1: 2-5,24-28c Matthew 17:22-27

Tuesday, August 9th

Ezekiel 2: 8, 3: 4 Matthew 18: 1-5,10,12-14

Wednesday, August 10th

2Corinthians 9: 6-10 John 12: 24-26

Thursday, August 11th

Ezekiel 12: 1-12 Matthew 18: 21, 19: 1

Friday, August 12th

Ezekiel 16: 1-15,60, 63 Matthew 19: 3-12

Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup>

Ezekiel 18: 1-10, 13b,30-32 Matthew 19: 13-15

Sunday, August 14th

Jeremiah 38: 4-6,8-10 Hebrews 12: 1-4 Luke 12: 49-53



#### Rosaries

At 3:30 @ St. John Church At 8:10am before Mass @ St. Joseph Church and prior to 10:30 Mass at St Columbkille on Sundays

#### Let Us Give Thanks!

Weekend Collection - \$3921.00 Loose - \$502.10 Building Fund - \$120.00 Mission Appeal - \$639.00 650 Parish Families (297 Family envelope holders) 123 Envelopes used

#### Donations:

In Memory of Marion Rutkowski by Darlene Rutkowski

In memory of Carol Lemke by Darlene Rutkowski

# Mass Intentions for the Week of: August 1-7, 2022

Saturday St. John: + Sandy Peplinski Sunday St. Joseph: Good Shepherd Parishioners Sunday St. Columbkille: + Delphine McEachin

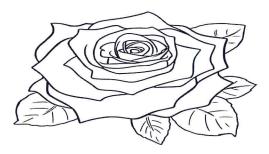
# Mass Intentions for the Week of: August 8-14, 2022

Saturday St. John: + Jean Smithers Sunday St. Joseph: Good Shepherd Parishioners Sunday St. Columbkille: + Eric Osantowski

#### In This Sunday's Readings:

"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." - Luke 12:34

The world and the culture in which we live tells us that worldly things are our treasure and that we should work to build and accumulate "things." But Jesus tells us that heaven is our real treasure. It is easy to focus on material rather than spiritual treasures. Take time to think about and evaluate how much time and energy that you put into accumulating worldly treasure versus heavenly treasure. What can you change in your life to help you focus more on the things of heaven?



#### Faith Formation

Please pray for all who come together for our programs. Have a great summer and we'll see you in the fall.

#### Knights of Columbus

Ubly/Sheridan Council #12850

Next Meeting: Wednesday we will meet at 7:00pm at the Parish Center on August 10. We are always looking for New Members - call Jeff Maurer @ 989-553-4224. Our food pantry is available for anyone in need, located in Ubly. This is completely confidential and anonymous - call Jerry @989-550-9664. Jeff Maurer Grand Knight of Ubly/Sheridan Council-12850

#### Grief Facilitator Training

On Saturday, September 17, a training will be offered for anyone interested in becoming a facilitator or team member for the Grief Support Series offered throughout the Diocese in different parishes. The requirement is that you have or will attend a Grief Support Series prior to the September 17 date. This will be an all-day training from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., with lunch provided, at the Diocesan Offices. To register, please contact Beth Bauer at (989) 797-6655 or bbauer@dioceseofsaginaw.org.

#### <u>Haiti Sewing Project</u>



Once again we are asking for your help. We will meet August 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, at the Parish Center. That is Monday thru Friday from 9a.m. until 4:00p.m. Please join us - 1 day or all 10 days - whatever works for you. Bring a sack lunch, beverages will be provided. We need cutters, pressers and sewers. We could use any color of thread. Thank you! Questions call, Diane Smalley at 989-658-8277.



August 15<sup>th</sup> - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - there will be a Mass at 7pm at St John church, Ubly. Office will be closed.

#### **VOLUNTEERS' SCHEDULE:**

#### Counters:

August 8: Diana Briolat, Marge Briolat, Mary Jane Zurek

Tuesday, August 16: Barb Roggenbuck, Ann Ypma,

Rose Maikrzek

August 22: Kay Peruski, Evelyn Peruski, Geraldine

Peruski

#### 4:00pm Saturday Mass August 13th St. John

Lector: Beth Bauer EMHC: Del Czewski Altar Server: Kylie Keller Sacristan: Del Czewski

Ushers: Allen Peruski, Jim Czewski, Jim Osentoski &

Whitey Pawlosky

#### 8:30am Sunday Mass August 14th St. Joseph

Lector: Shirley Catalano EMHC: Shirley Catalano Greeter: Bill Izydorek

Ushers: Kerry Grifka, Chuck Izydorek, Bill Izydorek

#### 10:30am Sunday Mass August 14th St Columbkille

Lector: Debbie Powell
EMHC: Zoe & Jacie Tyrrell

Altar Servers: Sarah & Laura Romzek

Greeters: Rawlings Family

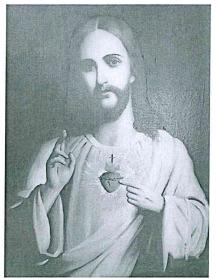
Gift Bearers: Joel & Kenley McDonald

Ushers: Nathan Peruski, Todd Gingrich, Ray Maurer

#### Day of Reflection

"Freely you have received, freely give." Matt 10:8 Friday, September 16, Ave Maria Parish - St Mary Church, Port Sanilac Begins with 10:30 am Mass, followed by two conferences, light lunch included. Speakers: Dr Dan Osborn, Diocesan Theologian, Don Buchalski from the Center for Ministry. Please RSVP by Monday, Sept 12 (so we can prepare lunch) to Ave Maria Parish Office-St Mary 810-622-9904, ext 2.





## Jesus Cries, "I Thirst!"

Will you quench His thirst for love?
- Fr. Nate's Update -

Fellow Saint-in-the-Making, Happy Lord's Day!

[Painting of the Sacred Heart by a parish family member's deceased relative; Below: congrats to Jeff Maurer and Adrainne Keller! Heavenly Father, may they be strengthened to lay down their lives for one another, in imitation of Christ, through the sacramental graces of Matrimony celebrated on July 16, 2022]

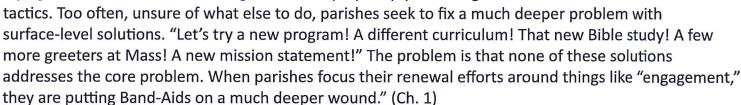
Some Holy Humor: Feeling overworked and overwhelmed just a month

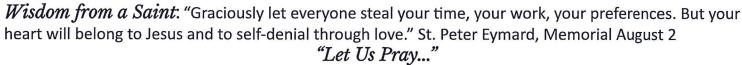
after taking a new position, the assistant pastor accused his superior of misleading

him about the workload. "I specifically asked whether the hours were long, and you said no," he griped. "They aren't long at all," said the pastor with a smile. "Just the standard 60 minutes apiece!"

Air Conditioning at St. John: I adjusted all the AC units to make sure that the louvers blow horizontal rather than down on people. Also, I set them all to "low" speed so they're not as noisy.

Highlight from Made for Mission: Parish leaders are reading this book by Tim Glemkowski and will be discussing it in order to discover God's Vision for our parish. You are invited to get the book and read it with us. Here's a highlight, "I have personally seen too many parishes trying to stem the tide of declining membership by simply tweaking





(Pope's July Intention): We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

(Bishop Sheen's Spiritual Adoption Prayer): Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of [name], the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.

(Prayer for Vocations) Heavenly Father, we "beg for laborers for the harvest." Raise up vocations to holy matrimony, priesthood, permanent diaconate, consecrated life, missionary life, and ecclesial lay ministry from Good Shepherd Parish. Help married couples to discern Your Will regarding openness to life, including through foster care and adoption. Amen.

God loves you and thirsts for you. I love you and pray for you. Pray for me. -Fr. Nate





"People ask me: 'What will convert America and save the world?' My answer is prayer. What we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer." -St. Teresa of Calcutta

Eucharistic Adoration is praying in the "Real Presence" of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. It is a loving response to Jesus' words, "Could you not watch one hour with Me?" (Matthew 26:40). It quenches His thirst for our love, and our thirst for His love.

Where: St. John Church, 4470 N. Washington St., Ubly, MI 48475 When:

Every Friday: Adoration begins with Exposition following the 9:00am Mass on Fridays and continues until Benediction at 10:25am. First Fridays: Adoration continues after Mass until 4:00pm. Join us for the *Divine Mercy Chaplet* at 3:45pm followed by Benediction.

First Friday Adorers Needed: Our goal is to have at least two people interceding before our Lord each hour, praying for our parish families, for their prayer requests, for parish leaders, for the conversion of sinners, an end to the war in Ukraine, abortion, poverty, etc. Three adorers are needed currently to fill three of those hour slots. To sign up, please call Lori Uhl 586-709-8391 or the office 989-658-8824.

Never been to Adoration? Stop in to visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament for five minutes, and let Him love you!





August 7, 2022

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Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

Wis 18:6-9 | Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12 | Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

#### GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

I remember the first time I moved: A suitcase or two fit in the back of my dad's lime-green Delta 88 as my parents dropped me off at college. Four years later, it took that plus a large black chest. The next move required a U-Haul; then came marriage, a family, and a moving van. I may not store my treasure in barns like the man in last week's readings, but at times it feels that way. It's natural to accumulate more "stuff" as we grow older. But in today's Gospel, Jesus reminds us that we won't take any of it with us when we make the move to our final destination. Rather than focus on our possessions, he encourages us to be vigilant, remain faithful, and live in service to others. In doing so, we will store up "an inexhaustible treasure in heaven that no thief can reach nor moth destroy. For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."

#### GO EVANGELIZE

#### PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Few things throw me into a panic like unexpected company. I have taken to at least cleaning the kitchen counter and bathrooms before going on a trip so the house will look presentable should something befall me and others have to come in with food or aid! We truly do not know the day or the hour, and the Gospel today encourages us to apply a little of that spring cleaning to our souls. Each day presents a new opportunity to prepare for the day we meet Jesus. If we've been out of touch, we can get reacquainted through prayer. If we feel weighed down by things we've done or said, we can bring them to the Lord through the sacrament of reconciliation. We can witness to our belief in God's promise of eternal life by putting people above possessions and supporting one another as we seek to live as Jesus taught us.

**ACTION** Today's psalm response is: "Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own." Count your blessings and write a few of them down, giving thanks to God for each of them.



### Knights on Bikes Saginaw Diocese

## FIRST ANNUAL



# Blessing of Bikes

& Charitable Ride With Bishop Gruss

# Saturday, Aug 13, 2022

Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption 615 Hoyt Ave, Saginaw, MI 48607

Mass at 8:00am Blessing at 9:00am





\$20.00 Per Bike \$10 Per Passenger 50/50 Raffle Poker Run \$100 for Best hand



Questions & Info - Kirk Dupuie (989)280-2141 or kdupuie@yahoo.com

## Proceeds go to Think Adoption Not Abortion

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