

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME February 5, 2023

Wed. February 8 11:30am Parish Center Chapel Thur.February 9 7:00pm St. Columbkille site Fri. February 10 9:00am St. John site Followed by ALL DAY ADORATION until 4:00pm

Sat. February 11 4:00 pm St. John site Sun. February 12 8:30 am St. Joseph site Sun. February 12 10:30am St. Columbkille site

Confessions this Week

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

Readings for the Week

Monday, February 6

Genesis 1:1-19 Mark 6: 53-56

Tuesday, February 7

Genesis 1:20-2:4 Mark 7:1-13

Wednesday, February 8

Genesis 2:4-9, 15-17 Mark 7:14-23

Thursday, February 9

Genesis 2:18-25 Mark7:24-30

Friday, February 10

Genesis 3:1-8 Mark 7:31-37

Saturday, February 11

Genesis 3:9-24 Mark 8:1-10

Sunday, February 12

Sirach 15:15-20 1 Corinthians 2:6-10 Matthew 5:17-37

In This Sunday's Readings

"... your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." Matthew 5:16

Good works and generosity are noticed – and others often are inspired to do similar things. When we serve others through our stewardship of our gifts of time and treasure, we model a generous and grateful lifestyle to others. However, we are not to call great attention to our generosity, but rather give of ourselves as recognition of the gifts God gave us. Others will recognize genuine generosity and humility.

Let Us Give Thanks! Weekend Collection \$2562.00 Loose - \$216.00 650 Parish Families (297 Family envelope holders) 84 envelopes used

Mass Intentions for the Week of: January 30 – February 5, 2023

Saturday: St. John site: Good Shepherd Parishioners Sunday: St. Joseph site:+ Frank Lasceski Sunday: St. Columbkille site:+ Micheal Thomas Sweenev

Mass Intentions for the Week of:

<u>February 6 – February 12, 2023</u> Saturday: St John site:+Cliff Jablonsky Sunday: St Joseph site: +Mildred McInnis Sunday: St Columbkille site: +Barb Harburg

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Counters:

February 6: Charlotte Baker, Carol Beaudin,

Kathy Beaver

February 13: Diana Briolat, Luci Kubacki, Barb

Roggenbuck

(Tuesday), February 21: Rose Maikrzek, Judy

Messing, Ann Ypma

4:00pm Saturday, February 11th St John

site

Lector: Del Czewski **EMHC**: Judy Messing Altar Server: Utah Gusa Sacristan: Del Czewski

Ushers: Charlie Briolat, Mike Briolat, John Guigar

8:30am Sunday, February 12th St. Joseph

site

Lector: Lori Uhl **EMHC:** Lori Uhl **Greeter:** Bruce Uhl Sacristan: Bruce & Lori

Ushers: Chuck Izydored, Bruce Uhl, Kevin

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10:30am Sunday, February 12th St.Columbkille site

Lector: Lori Osantoski

EMHC: Jacie Tyrrel, Zoe Tyrrel

Altar Servers: Luke Roth, Brynnleigh Bambach

Greeters: Clare & Maria Roth **Gift Bearers:** Osantoski Family

Ushers: Ray Maurer, Terry Sweeney, Jeff Maurer



Father Nate and his family are grateful for all the cards & prayers for his mother, Barb Harburg, who passed away January 31.

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Christian Mother's Announcements

- Looking for monetary donations to help with the Haiti project.
- Dress kits are available for anyone interested in sewing at home.
- Please save items for our upcoming rummage sale in the summer.

BINGO - Come and enjoy the day! Christian Mothers

.....will be holding a Bingo on Sunday, February 19, starting promptly at 1 pm at the parish center, 1935 Hamilton St. located behind St. John Church in Ubly. All are welcome to enjoy an afternoon of Bingo with a light lunch served after.

<u>Plastic Bag Workshop</u> is in need of more plastic bags for plastic mats. They would appreciate if you could flatten them out first. They will accept bags until February 12th. Thank you!

EMHC CERTIFICATION TRAINING

A session has been scheduled for Vicariate 2 as follows:

March 16, 2023 (THURSDAY)

Parish: Blessed Trinity (Frankenmuth)

Location: in the church Address: 958 E. Tuscola St. Frankenmuth, MI 48734 Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM

Contact: Karen Smith (Pastoral Associate)

e-mail: ksmith@btmuth.org phone number: (989) 652-3259 Facilitator: Fr. Jim Bessert

Knights of Columbus

Ubly/Sheridan Council #12850
Next Meeting: We will meet at 7:00pm at the Parish
Center on Wednesday, February 8. We are always
looking for New Members – call Jeff Maurer @ 989-5534224. 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-Ubly/Sheridan Council-12850



Join us for the Rosary 20 minutes before each weekend Mass 3:40pm at St John site 8:10am at St Joseph site 10:10am at St Columbkille site

Faith Formation

The Faith Formation education program of Good Shepherd Parish will meet on February 8th and 15th Adoration will also be on held on February 15th Ubly site, Wednesdays 5:30-7pm Sheridan Corners site, Wednesdays 6-7:30pm

Youth Group

We will be meeting 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month 5-7:00 pm in the Parish Center Youth group is for all 7-12th grades & there is no cost.

Thumb Veterans Organization Pancake Breakfast

February 5, 2023 8:00am-12:00pm
T.V.O. HALL 2153 Bingham Street, Ubly, MI
Adults - \$8.00, Children (6-12) \$4.00, 5 & under free
Take outs available – call Steve 989-315-1226
Proceeds to support area veterans
"Help us help them"

Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s)

Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging in the New Year? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the St. Francis Retreat Center, in DeWitt, MI (10 miles north of Lansing), on Feb 24-26, 2023. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$215 for meals and a single room. Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, e-

mail <u>reflect.michigan@gmail.com</u>, or call (586) 770-1772 for details.

Written by THE FAITHFUL

February 5, 2023

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 58:7-10 | 1 Cor 2:1-5 | Mt 5:13-16

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

It's amazing how one interaction can brighten an otherwise gloomy day. I love a nice sunrise on a wintry morning or a crackling fire on an autumn night. But whatever the weather, nothing quite lights up my day like a shared laugh with a friend, a snippet of real conversation with my teen son, or a hot cup of coffee delivered by my husband. In today's reading, Jesus continues the Sermon on the Mount, telling the disciples: "Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." We, too, can be light for others – through good deeds large and small, ordinary and extraordinary. As we go about our days, we can ask the Lord to show us how to serve others. We will have days when we don't feel up to the task but, like St. Paul, we can ask the Holy Spirit to light the way.

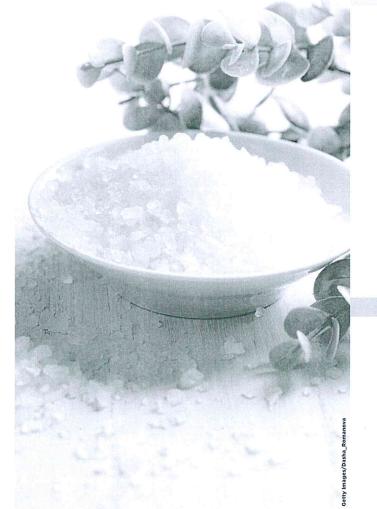
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You are the salt of the earth, you are the light of the world."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus used images that resonate with us as much as they did with his followers 2,000 years ago: salt and light. Salt serves many purposes, preserving our food and giving it flavor, for example. And of course we cannot live without light. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells the disciples: "You are the salt of the earth ... You are the light of the world." Like the disciples we, too, can be salt and light for others by giving witness to our faith. What that involves will be different for each of us. For ideas, we can turn to today's reading from Isaiah, which calls us to share our bread, shelter the oppressed and clothe the naked. In doing so, our light "shall break forth like the dawn."



ACTION We all know people we'd call "the salt of the earth." Who are those people in your life? Make a list of the characteristics they exhibit or actions they take that you can learn from and try to imitate. Ask God for the grace to see and do likewise for his glory.

Lay Ecclesial Ministry Application Period

February 1 – May 15 - Do you want a deeper relationship with God? Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith? Do you feel you are being called to more? Have you felt a need for some Adult Faith Formation? Perhaps God is tugging at your heart. The Lay Ecclesial Ministry Formation may be the answer to your call! The application period for the 2023-2024 academic year for Lay Ecclesial Ministry Formation is from February 1 through May 15. Seminars meet monthly, September through May. The seminars are on Friday evenings and all-day Saturday, one time per month, so it is perfect for most working people. We also offer over-night lodging. For more information and any questions, please contact the Coordinator of Lay Ecclesial Ministry Formation, Deb Popielarz, at dpopielarz@diosag.org or call 989.797.6660.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Walking with Moms in Need

Due to the passing of Proposal 3 to legalize abortion up to the moment of birth, the fight to protect the dignity of life has intensified. Walking with Moms in Need Ministry is active in several parishes in each of the 5 Vicariates throughout the diocese. The most important task of the ministry is to accompany women as they face pregnancy, helping them to feel supported, loved, and welcome, and in creating a list of community resources that will be available when a woman in crisis needs help and support. These resources provide assistance to women making the decision to choose life for her child. For more information to begin Walking with Moms in Need in your parish, please contact Beth at 989.797.6655 or bbauer@diosag.org or visit the website: https://saginaw.org/moms.

Right to Life Youth Award

Michigan Educational Fund will award a \$500.00 scholarship to a high school senior. You must write a 300-400 word essay. If interested please call 616-532-2300. Deadline March 24, 2023. Also Huron County will award a \$500.00 scholarship to a local winner. Deadline March 17, 2023. More information HURONRTL@gmail.com

Diabetes Path

Diabetes Path is a self-management workshop where you learn tools to manage diabetes. Register Online: https://events.anr.msu.edu/DPATHFeb2023KL/
Tuesdays February 7, 14, 21, 28, March 7, 14 2023
Classes online via Zoom, No cost – Free
Contact: Laura Anderson, ander359@msu.edu
Kris Swartzendruber swartze6@msu.edu

EUCHRE PARTIES



Daughters Of Isabella Circle

Sunday February 5, 2023 at 1:00pm Bad Axe Senior Center on Nugent Road Admission \$8.00

RUTH K OF C EUCHRE PARTY

Sunday, February 12, 2023 at 1:00pm Ruth K of C Hall Admission \$6.00

ST. JOSEPH ALTAR SOCIETY EUCHRE PARTY

Sunday, February 26, 2023 at 1:00 pm St. Joseph Church hall in Argyle Admission \$8:00 Includes a light lunch and prizes Share the Wealth raffle will also be held 1 ticket for \$1.00 or 6 tickets for \$5.00

K OF C – 4TH DEGREE – BAD AXE EUCHRE PARTY DATES

Come to play: Feb. 19 & Mar. 19
Admission is \$6.00 Begins at 1:00pm
K of C Hall in Bad Axe
Includes a light lunch
Sponsored by: Bishop Babcock Assembly
Questions contact Don at 989-975-7378

All euchre parties Include a light lunch and prizes (Must be present to win) Come out for a fun afternoon!