

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:

April 16th, 2023

Our permanent Mass schedule is on the front of the bulletin. Here you will find any cancellations or changes.

Wednesday: April 19th Cancelled
Thursday: April 20th Cancelled
Friday: April 21st Cancelled

Readings for the Week

Easter Monday, April 17th

Acts 4:23-31 John 3:1-8

Easter Tuesday, April 18th

Acts 4:32-37 John 3:7b-15

Easter Wednesday, April 19th

Acts 5:17-26 John 3:16-21

Easter Thursday, April 20th

Acts 5:27-33 John 3:31-36

Easter Friday, April 21st

Acts 5:34-42 John 6:1-15

Easter Saturday, April 22nd

Acts 6:1-7 John 6:16-21

Easter Sunday, April 23rd

Acts 2:14, 22-33 1 Peter 1:17-21
Luke 24:13-35

In This Sunday's Readings

**Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them,
"Peace be with you." John 20:19**

Being welcoming is not always easy and sometimes it does not come naturally. With a new colleague or a new neighbor – or even a new family or individual at our parish – it is easy to stay in our own little groups and not make the effort to welcome others. Making sure that others do not feel excluded is part of our call.

Graduation Mass

May 20th St. John

May 21st St. Columbkille

Please register with office by

May 17th, 2023

Weekly Stewardship of Treasure - Let Us Give Thanks!

Weekend Collection - \$5914.00

Loose - \$1020.84

Easter - \$3177.00

650 Parish Families– 117 envelopes used

Mass Intentions for the Week of:

April 9 - April 16th 2023

Saturday: St. John: +Sandra Peplinski

Sunday: St. Joseph: Good Shepherd
Parishioners

Sunday: St. Columbkille: +Michael Sweeney

Mass Intentions for the Week of:

April 17th – April 23rd, 2023

Saturday, St. John: +Jean Smithers

Sunday, St. Joseph: +Tony Grifka

Sunday, St. Columbkille: Good Shepherd Parishioners

LITTLE WHITE BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE AT ALL CHURCH ENTRANCES

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Counters:

April 17: Carol Beaudin, Rose Maikrzek, Luci Kubacki

April 24: Diana Briolat, Barb Roggenbuck, Ann Ypma

May 1: Kay, Evelyn & Geraldine Peruski,

4:00pm Saturday Mass April 22nd St John

Lector: Martin Kubacki

EMHC: Luci Kubacki

Altar Server: Maze Gusa

Sacristan: Luci Kubacki

Ushers: B. Brahmer, V. Briolat, J. Osentoski, R. Trepkowski

8:30am Sunday Mass April 23rd St. Joseph

Lector: Shirley Catalano

EMHC: Denise Kubacki

Greeter: Bill Izydorek

Sacristan: Bill & Edie Izydorek

Ushers: Bill Izydorek, Gordon Farrelly, Bruce Uhl

10:30am Sunday Mass April 23rd St. Columbkille

Lector: Kathy Cregeur, Katie Sweeney

EMHC: Kevin Romzek, Jerry Sweeney

Altar Servers: Laura & Sarah Romzek

Greeters: Kubacki Family

Gift Bearers: Courtney & Ryan Kempisty, Paige Sweeney

Ushers: Mathew, Rob & Jack Kubacki

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Faith Formation

The Faith Formation education program of Good Shepherd
St. John Ubly: 5:30-7pm
Sheridan Corners: 6-7:30pm

Youth Group

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



Archbishop Vigneron

A Knights of Columbus Respect Life Dinner on April 19th (barring pastoral emergencies). This will be a great evening, and we would love to see you there! If you have not registered, you can at the link below. We already have over 400 people RSVP'd so for those of you who have registered, you should have received an email. Let's make this the biggest dinner yet!

Link to get more information and RSVP:
<https://rtl.org/event/k-of-c-respect-life-annual-benefit-dinner/>

Youth Group Door to Door Outreach:

Sunday, April 23 5-8pm, weather permitting
Come join in our effort of evangelization
in our local community
a door-to-door outreach to houses in Ubly
Contact the office or youth group for details

Prayer Ministry Weekends

On the 3rd Weekend of the month beginning April 15 & 16, we will have Prayer Teams available after Masses. Jesus asked the blind man, "What would you like me to do for you?" and He asks each of us the same question. You may ask the Prayer Team for anything, such as spiritual, physical, or emotional healing, or to receive prayer for someone else's healing (stand as proxy); you may ask for an experience of God's personal love, an outpouring of the Holy Spirit in your life, etc. After asking what you'd like prayer for, the team will briefly pray over/with you.

Scripture Study

We will be studying the Letter of St Paul to the Romans. Ignatius Press. The entire study will be an Introduction with 16 Sessions. We will break it up into three sections. The book is \$14.00. We will be gathering at the St. Columbkille site on Mondays, 6:30-8:00 PM. Resume on Apr. 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15.

Easter Flower Donations:

In memory of Ann Messing, by Paul & Kathy Zeleski
In memory of John Peruski, Jeni Kedding, Nick & Agnes Heleski, John & Delphine Peruski, by Evelyn Peruski
In memory of Kevin Osentoski, by Jim & Rita Osentoski
In memory of Henry & Lorraine Austin & family, by William & Jean Phillips
In memory of Joseph Pichla, Dennis Hagen, Nick & Agnes Heleski, John & Madelene Pichla, by Beatrice Pichla
In memory of Louise Ashmore, Val Izydorek, Ann Hull, Ray Hull, by Charles & JoAnn Izydorek

EUCHRE PARTIES



ST. JOSEPH ALTAR SOCIETY EUCHRE PARTY

Sunday, April 23, 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

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA CIRCLE 608

Sunday April 23, 2023 at 1:00 pm
Bad Axe Senior Center on Nugent Road
Admission \$8.00

Benefit: Our Lady of Lake Huron School Tuition Fund.
Cash Prizes and light hot lunch provided

K OF C – 4TH DEGREE – Ruth EUCHRE PARTY DATES

Come to play: April 16, 2023
Admission is \$6.00 Begins at 1:00 pm
K of C Hall in Ruth
Includes a light hot lunch
Sponsored by: Bishop Babcock Assembly
Questions contact Don at 989-975-7378

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Beloved Son or Daughter of our Heavenly Father,
Happy Divine Mercy Sunday!
He is Risen Indeed!



Faith Formation Holy Week Retreat- Jesus (through our catechists) washing the feet of the students; students re-enacting Easter Vigil passing of the light of Christ; a student showing his jumping skills during egg hunt; robotics students from Detroit Catholic Central bringing Jesus to the Sheraton Hotel in Saginaw (I led stations there on Good Friday); Easter Vigil blessing of the Easter fire and Paschal Candle (thank you Heavenly Father for great weather!)



L-R: from our Easter Vigil: Newly baptized Kyle & Jaclyn Gucwa, Gregory Keller, Grant Gucwa (newly confirmed). Please pray for them and their sponsors to be shining examples of love for Jesus. Thank you to Dana Irion, our OCIA Coordinator, and to their sponsors, for preparing them to encounter Jesus in the sacraments! Below: beautiful Easter deco at St. John (please say a Hail Mary for all our decorators at our churches, and for everyone who sacrificed their time to prep our Holy Week/Easter services!)



Prayer a parish family member emailed me:

"Jesus, I'm making a resolution to remember that You're in my heart. Nevertheless, I'm afraid that I'll soon forget that You're there.

Well, I'm going to start smiling as soon as I finish this meditation, and that's a sign to You that I love You. People may wonder why I'm smiling, but You'll know for sure. And when I have to stop smiling, or forget to smile, remember that I was smiling for You. And give me gentle reminders to smile for You

throughout the day, because I want to cheer You up. At least remember my smile now, and don't be sad, because I love You."

Praise Report: A parish family member said to me, "Adoration and Benediction... am so glad you have brought it... It brings me closer to Jesus." Another said she was "so thankful for the Catholic faith, and that it will hopefully lead me to see God in his shining glory!"

Outreach/Evangelization Action Step:

In our database there are many adult children registered under their parents as still living at parents' home, even though they've moved out, either have or have not joined another parish, and still consider themselves members of our parish (whether or not they join us at Mass). As their pastor, I want to make sure, even if they don't live in the area, that they receive:

1. The Great Lakes Bay Magazine (a joyful way to nourish Faith, attract people to encounter Jesus in the sacraments, and see what God is doing throughout the diocese, etc., funded by Christ's Mission Appeal)
2. Occasional email from pastor
3. Important parish mailings

If you have children that fit the description above, please encourage them to register at the parish, by emailing/texting them this link: <http://goodshepherdubly.com/parishioner-registration/>


***Joyful, Blessed Easter
to you and yours!***


*Until we meet again, in this life or the next...
God loves and thirsts for you; I love and pray
for you, please pray for me! -Fr. Nate*

The East Region Council of Catholic Women will hold their Spring Meeting on Wednesday, May 10, at St. Elizabeth Church in Marlette. Registration & refreshments will begin at 9:30 a.m.; the meeting will begin at 10 a.m. The morning speaker will be Beth Bauer from the Respect Life Office of the Diocese. She will address the topic of the Walking with Moms in Need project. Mass will be celebrated, and lunch will be served. The afternoon speaker will be Verene Goulette who will tell of her experience in assisting Ukrainian refugees. Cost is \$12. All women of the Diocese are invited! Please RSVP to Vivian Janes at 989-635-7798 before May 5.

Eucharistic Adoration Since the Vatican Council: All are invited to hear award-winning author and celebrated preacher, Father Ed Foley, OFM Cap., present on Eucharistic Adoration based on his book, Eucharistic Adoration Since the Second Vatican Council. The seminar will be comprised of presentations, lunch, and opportunity for Midday Prayer with Bishop Gruss. All are welcomed and encouraged to attend on April 29 (Saturday) at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish (Saginaw), from 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM. To help with lunch planning, registering using the following link is strongly encouraged:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/eucharistic-adoration-since-the-second-vatican-council-tickets-604003289097>

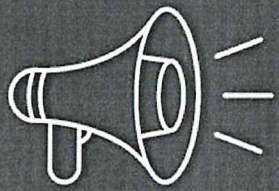
Abortion Apologetics 101






Haili Gusa
Training Coordinator
Protect Life Michigan

St. Columbkille Church
3031 McAlpin Rd
Ubly, MI 48475
Sunday, April 23
11:45 AM - 1:15 PM



Our Lady of Lake Huron
School
413 S. First St
Harbor Beach, MI 48441
Monday, April 24
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM



You will learn how to...

- Defend your beliefs on abortion
- Have loving and truthful conversations
- Increase your confidence when discussing abortion

All are welcome!
Recommended for ages 12+

Please email
haili@protectlifemi.org with questions.

Schedule

- 45-minute: Presentation
- 30-minute Q & A Session with Haili
- 15-minute Mingling and Refreshments

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MATTER OF BALANCE FOR FALLS PREVENTION

WHEN:

4 week program
Mondays & Wednesdays
May 8 - June 7, 2023
9 - 11 am

DATES:

<u>Mondays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>
5/8/23	5/10/23
5/15/23	5/17/23
5/22/23	5/24/22
No class on 5/29 and 5/31/23	
6/5/23	6/7/23

WHERE:

St. John's Evangelist Parish
1935 Hamilton St.
Udly, MI 48475

COST: Free!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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A MATTER OF BALANCE

MANAGING CONCERNS ABOUT FALLS

PROGRAM SUMMARY:

Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. This program teaches practical ways to manage falls.

You will learn to:

- Set goals for increasing activity
- Exercise to increase strength and balance
- Make changes to reduce fall risks at home
- View Falls as controllable
- Make changes to reduce fall risks at home

Who Should Attend?

- Anyone interested in increasing balance, flexibility and strength
- Anyone who is concerned about falling
- Anyone who has fallen in the past
- Anyone who has restricted activities because of falling concerns

To register please call:

St. John's Evangelist Parish Center: 989-658-8824

or

Huron County MSU Extension: 989-269-9949