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## MASS SCHEDULE

### TUESDAY (1st & 3rd of the month)

3:30 p.m. . . . . Meadow Lane, Bad Axe

### WEDNESDAY

11:30 a.m. . . . . St. John

### THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. . . . . St. Columbkille

### FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. . . . . St. John  
Adoration following Mass

### SATURDAY

4:00 p.m. . . . . St. John

### SUNDAY

8:30 a.m. . . . . St. Joseph  
10:30 a.m. . . . . St. Columbkille  
5:00 p.m. . . . . St. John

## RECONCILIATION

### WEDNESDAY

11:00 a.m. – 11:25 a.m. . . . . St. John

### THURSDAY

After 7:00 p.m. Mass . . . . . St. Columbkille

### FRIDAY

After 9:00 a.m. Mass . . . . . St. John

### SATURDAY

3:30 p.m. . . . . (Ask Fr. at door) St. John

## OFFICE HOURS

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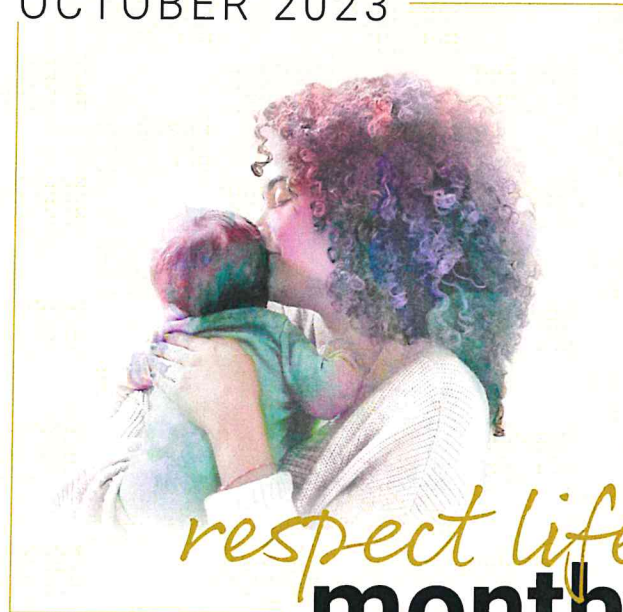
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*"Pray the Rosary  
to Protect Life"*

OCTOBER 2023



*respect life*  
**month**

## DIOCESAN MISSION STATEMENT

*Trusting in the Holy Spirit and nourished by  
the Eucharist, we, the faithful of  
the Diocese of Saginaw, are companions on  
the journey to share the love of Jesus Christ.*

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**Psalm 28:7**

**Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*October 8, 2023*

**Readings for the Week**

**Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

Jon 1:1-2:2, 11, Luke 10:25-37

**Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>**

Jon 3:1-10, Luke 10:38-42

**Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>**

Jon 4:1-11, Luke 11:1-4

**Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup>**

Malachi 3:13-20b, Luke 11:5-13

**Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>**

Joel 1:13-15, 2:1-2, 11:15-26

**Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>**

Joel 4:12-21, Luke 11:27-28

**Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>**

Isaiah 25:6-10a Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20

Matthew 22:1-14

**In This Sunday's Readings**

“The stone that the builders rejected has become the corner stone...” - Matthew 21:42

The political leaders, as well as many ordinary people, of Jesus' time rejected Him. That rejection still goes on today. Some people still reject, disregard or disrespect those who live according and obediently to their call to be loving and generous people. Living generously and with thanks for our gifts from God may not always be the most popular to some, but it is our call. And we set examples for others to follow.

**Mass Intentions for the week of:**

**October 7 & 8, 2023**

Saturday, St. John: Good Shepherd Parishioners  
Sunday, St. Joseph: +Larry Horton and Kevin Messing  
Sunday, St. Columbkille: +Ed Sweeney  
Sunday, St. John: + Caroline Maurer

**Mass Intentions for the Week of:**

**October 14 & 15, 2023**

Saturday, St. John: ~Father Nate Harburg  
Sunday, St. Joseph: +Frank Lasceski  
Sunday, St. Columbkille: +Joseph Pichla  
Sunday, St. John: Good Shepherd Parishioners

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

*We thank God for your stewardship of time and talent.*

**Counters:**

**October 10:** Norma Peruski, Rose Maikrzek, Charlotte Baker

**October 16:** Luci Kubacki, Ann Ympa, Barb Roggenbuck

**October 23:** Kathy Beaver, Marge Briolat, Luci Kubacki

**4:00pm Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> St John**

**Lector:** Marlene Bukoski

**EMHC:** Debbie Osentoski

**Altar Server:** Utah Gusa

**Sacristan:** Rose Maikrek

**Ushers:** Charlie Briolat, Bob Brahmer, John Guigar

**8:30am Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> St. Joseph**

**Lector:** Paul Deo

**EMHC:** Lori Uhl

**Altar Server:** Paul Guza

**Greeter:** Bruce Uhl

**Sacristan:** Bruce & Lori Uhl

**Ushers:** Bruce Uhl, Kerry Grifka

**10:30am Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> St. Columbkille**

**Lector:** Amy Sweeney

**EMHC:** Jerry & Valerie Fischer, Michelle Banky, Dana Irion, Kevin Romzek

**Altar Servers:** Broden Peruski, Laura Romzek

**Greeters:** Bambach Family

**Gift Bearers:** Klee Family

**Ushers:** Steve Peruski, Ronnie Irion, Aaron Bismack

**5:00pm Sunday, October 15, 2023 St. John**

Class # 2 October 14, 2023 @Uby Parish Center @2:15-3:45  
then 4:00pm Mass  
Class # 3 October 21, 2023 @Uby Parish Center @2:15-3:45  
then 4:00pm Mass  
Class # 4 October 28, 2023 @Uby Parish Center @2:15-3:45  
then 4:00pm Mass  
First Reconciliation Saturday, November 4, 2023 @Uby  
Parish Center- 2-3:45pm

## **Youth Group Meeting/Events**

The youth group meets the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month 5-8pm at the parish center in Ubyly. Dinner is at 5pm. We will be going on a pilgrimage to the Detroit Zoo & Shrines on Saturday, October 14, 2023. Carpool leaving Ubyly at 8:00 am. Vocation Awareness Day is Saturday, November 11, 2023. 10 am-1pm at the parish Center in Ubyly. All religious vocations will be discussed with presenters including a priest, a sister, a deacon, and a future lay minister. More info: contact Dawn Stewart 989 658-8824 or 989 550-4761.

## **Called & Gifted Workshop**

Did you know God gives you spiritual gifts to help you to be effective at your work and a more effective witness to your faith in the workplace? A teaching team from the Catherine of Seina Institute will offer the introductory Called & Gifted workshop on Saturday, October 28, 2023. If you wonder how you are called to be a channel of his love and provision at work or in your community, come and begin to discern your unique mission in life. Everyone is invited to participate. To register or find out more, contact Michele Mroczek at 989-635-3453 or email at [mroczek1@century.net](mailto:mroczek1@century.net).  
NEW Registration Deadline: Oct. 15

## **Good Shepherd Christian Mothers & Women**

Good Shepherd Christian Mothers & Women will be meeting Tuesday October 10, 2023 at 6:30 pm at the parish center. Interested in joining? Come check it out! Look forward to seeing you there!

## **Liturgical Minister Schedule Correction**

Luci & Martin Kubacki were put on the off till further notice list. That is not correct they are available to serve if you need a sub.

## **Knights of Columbus Ubyly/Sheridan Council #12850**

All meetings are at 7:00pm at the Parish Center on the Second Wednesday of the month. We are always looking for New Members – call Jeff Maurer @989-553-4224. Our food pantry is available for anyone in need, located in Ubyly. This is completely confidential and anonymous –  
Call Jerry @989-550-9664.  
Jeff Maurer- Grand Knight  
Ubyly/Sheridan Council #12850

## **Euchre Card Party**

Sunday, October 8, 2023 at 1pm. Annunciation of the Lord Parish St. Mary's Hall- 1709 Moeller Road, Kinde. Donation- \$10 includes a light and share the wealth. Sponsored by St. Mary's Holy Rosary Sodality. Everyone Welcome!

## **"Encountering Jesus through Praise & Worship" - Diocesan Day of Enrichment**

Encountering Jesus through Praise and Worship Event: Amongst the busyness of our daily schedules, you are invited to take time for a day of enrichment, renewal, and inspiration centered on Jesus and the Eucharist at the Encountering Jesus through Praise and Worship event on Saturday, November 4, 2023, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Join us at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish for Mass, inspirational talks, and music. Erin Looby Carlson will emcee the event which includes Fr. Joe Krupp, Tony Alonso, and Bishop Robert Gruss. Fr. Krupp is the Pastor of Church of the Holy Family in Grand Blanc, Michigan and he writes the "In the Know with Fr. Joe" column for each issue of Great Lakes Bay Catholic magazine and is very popular on social media with his Talked to the Boss reflections and Quantum Catechesis. Tony Alonso is a Cuban American Roman Catholic who is a Latin Grammy-nominated composer of sacred music and the Aquinas Assistant Professor of Theology at Emory University whose music you will surely recognize. Bishop Gruss is the seventh bishop of the Diocese of Saginaw and was installed on July 26, 2019, after previously serving as Bishop of the Diocese of Rapid City, South Dakota where he was consecrated on July 28, 2011. Erin Looby Carlson is an Emmy award winning journalist, a Gabriel award recipient, the former editor of Great Lakes Bay Catholic magazine for more than a decade and currently serves as the writer/editor for Little Books of the Diocese of Saginaw. For more information and to register for the event go to [saginaw.org/event11042023](http://saginaw.org/event11042023) or call Amy

# *who make disciples*"

neighbor. May we his fellow disciples support and protect him with our prayers and contagious faith, hope, & love, Amen!



Here's a pic of Dominic Jones celebrating his baptism day recently. His mom sent me this photo, which includes a photo of him at his baptism, his baptismal candle, stole, holy water from the font, etc. What a great example to parents of ways to celebrate their kids' baptism days! Do you know your baptism day? Celebrate it!



Dear Saint-in-the-Making,  
Happy October, month of the Holy Rosary! This month, please pray the rosary (or at least a decade) daily for parish leaders, as we meet to discuss and discern God's Vision for our parish. Thank you.

Abba Father, we thank you for sending Kelli Egglebrecht and her husband Dave (above) to share her joyful, faith-building testimony at two of our Masses and sharing her books with us. If interested in contacting her: [kellibrecht3@gmail.com](mailto:kellibrecht3@gmail.com)

Did St. Therese send you a rose on Oct. 1? She sent many unexpected roses (including one that was humorous) across my path on Oct. 1. Ask me about it sometime! A parishioner sent me this image of a rose that bloomed this Oct. and said, "Thank you St Theresa for my rose 🌹 This is a rose bush that only blooms in June! Picture taken today..."

Lord Jesus Christ, it is You who perform baptisms through Your mediator, the



## New Divine Mercy Image on Rectory Wall

*Pope St. John Paul II said that the Divine Mercy image portrays the Risen Jesus Christ bringing Mercy to the whole world. This outdoor banner was paid for by donations from a parishioner. The idea of putting it there was my own. I'm praying the image will help folks driving out of the parking lot (including myself) to encounter Jesus and lead them to pray, "Jesus I trust in You".*

*Jesus gives grace to all who see any version of the divine mercy image. He said to St. Faustina: "By means of this image I shall be granting many graces to souls; so let every soul have access to it" (Diary, 570).*

"I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish. I also promise victory over [its] enemies already here on earth, especially at the hour of death..." (Diary, 48).

"I am offering people a vessel with which they are to keep coming for graces to the fountain of mercy. That vessel is this image with the signature: Jesus, I trust in You". (Diary 327)

"...I want it to be venerated publicly so that every soul may know about it." (Diary 341)

"The two rays denote Blood and Water. The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous [baptism]. The red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls [Eucharist]. These two rays issued forth from the very depths of My tender mercy when My agonized Heart was opened by a lance on the cross. ...Happy is the one who will dwell in their shelter, for the just hand of God shall not lay hold of him." (Diary 299)

**I INVITE YOU TO INVITE**

Awareness Day Nov. 11 at Good Shepherd parish center (call office to register by Nov. 8)

Please invite adults to the upcoming Called & Gifted Workshop at Good Shepherd parish center (call Michele Mroczek (989) 635-3453 to register by Oct. 15, or call our office)

Please invite adults to the Michigan March for Life November 8th at the Michigan State Capitol. There will be a FREE charter bus leaving from St. Columbkille at 7:00am. Please arrive by 6:45am. To reserve your free seat on that charter bus email Amy at [rtlsanilac@gmail.com](mailto:rtlsanilac@gmail.com). Fr. Nate Harburg will be offering Mass for an end to abortion at 6:15am prior to departure.

## PRAYER FOR RESPECT LIFE MONTH

Please pray this prayer from the US Bishops often in October, Respect Life Month. Join it to your daily rosary:

*O Blessed Mother, at the angel's word you went in haste to the aid of your cousin Elizabeth. Although pregnant yourself, you placed her needs before your own. By your example of radical solidarity, teach us to reverence and protect those in need, without conditions or expectations. Ask your Son to give us unfailing determination to witness to the profound dignity of every person, at every stage and in every circumstance. In that first Eucharistic procession, you carried Jesus to Elizabeth in her time of need. Obtain for us the grace to bring Christ to any expectant mother who is alone and afraid. May our support help them to find hope and strength in the Lord. Amen.*

**members and pastors are invited to a pilgrimage!**

RSVP Dawn Stewart: [dstewart@goodshepherd.diosag.org](mailto:dstewart@goodshepherd.diosag.org) or (989) 551-4761

**RSVP DEADLINE is OCTOBER 11**

Carpool: we plan to borrow a van, but need some parents  
\*preferably with large vehicles\* to drive people

The pilgrimage will start off with a few hours at the Detroit Zoo. Then we'll check out the St. Joseph Shrine, then a tour of the Solanus Casey Center, and finally a beautiful Chaldean Vigil Mass at the breathtaking St. Joseph Chaldean Catholic church!



## Youth Vocations Awareness Day

November 11, 2023 (Veteran's Day)

11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. (including lunch- please RSVP)

**Where:** Good Shepherd Parish Center (1935 Hamilton St. Ubly MI 48475)

**Why:** The goal is to help young people, middle school, high school, young adult, to discern their vocation.

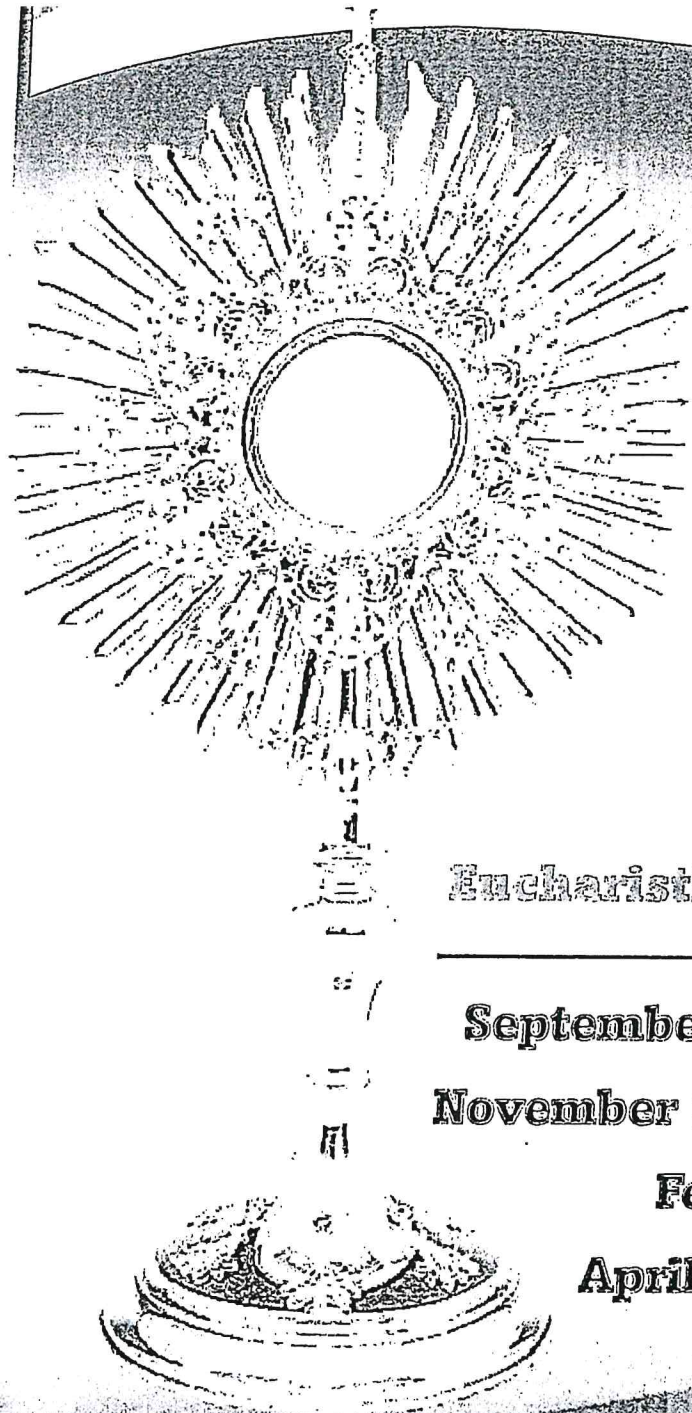
**Cost: FREE**

For lunch count please RSVP to our Coordinator of Faith Formation and Youth Ministry,  
Dawn Stewart: [dstewart@goodshepherd.diosag.org](mailto:dstewart@goodshepherd.diosag.org) (989) 551-4761

**RSVP DEADLINE is NOVEMBER 8**

This fun day will feature various speakers: a permanent deacon, a single person in training for lay ecclesial ministry, a priest, and a religious sister. They will share about discerning their respective vocations, and their "vocation stories"!

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK



# **Eucharistic Revival Nights**



Preaching by Fr. Stephen Blaxton

Eucharistic Adoration w/Praise & Worship

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September 22 - 7pm @ St. Joseph, Sandusky

November 16 - 7pm @ St. Elizabeth, Marlette

February 15 - 7pm @ St. John, Peck

April 25 - 7pm @ St. Joseph, Sandusky

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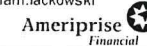
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