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MISSION STATEMENT: St. Anthony Parish is a community of diverse cultures. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and responding to the call of Jesus, we strive to proclaim the Good News, build a community of love, celebrate the Liturgy, and serve each other.

27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 8, 2023



Please contact the parish office or Fr. Maria Joseph Kodiganti to become a member or for any of the following:

Sacraments: Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Communion, Marriage, Confession and Anointing of the Sick.

Homebound: For anyone going to the hospital, wishing to receive communion, or home visits.

Religious Education: Classes begin at the pre-k level and go through High School and Confirmation.

Marriage: Six months advance notice is required.

RCIA: Classes are available for those who wish to become Catholic or adult Catholics who have not yet received First Communion or Confirmation.

Funerals:

Mass Schedules for the Cluster

Our Lady Queen of Peace—5610 S. Hwy 51, P.O. Box 325, Manitowish Waters 54545—Phone 715-543-8428

St. Isaac Jogues & Companions—5214 N Lakeview Ave, P.O. Box 373, Mercer 54547—Phone 715-476-2697

Reconciliation

St. Isaac Jogues –Tuesday 9 – 9:30 am

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Wednesday 4 – 4:30 pm

St. Anthony – Saturday 3 – 3:30 pm

Weekday Masses

St. Isaac Jogues – Tuesday 8:30 am

St. Anthony – Wednesday 8am

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Wednesday 4:30 pm

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Thursday 8:30 am

St. Anthony – Friday 8 am

Saturday Mass

St. Anthony – 4 pm

Our Lady Queen of Peace – 5:30 pm

Sunday Mass

Our Lady Queen of Peace – 8 am

St. Anthony – 9:30 am

St. Isaac Jogues – 11 am

1st Friday Mass & Adoration

St. Anthony – 8 am Mass followed by Adoration

OLQP Nov 3, 2023 –10:30am Mass followed by adoration



Please pray for: John & Marcia Bardos, Barb Borroughs, Gene Baumgartner, Gloria Benedict, Jackie Benson, Jesse Bouldin, Billie Brever, Kay Brossmer, Sue Budjac, Collyn Burgess, Russell David, James Titus David, Robert Deitrich, Jan Jensen Deizell, Dorothy Dowling, Gary Elskamp, Michael Firkus, Tracey Forquer, A. Gammon, Larry Gisiakowski, Andrea Hinkle, Trevor Horne, Diane Korinek, Marty Kramer, Bernie Kramer, Terry Mantor, J. Roche, David Hitztaler, Phillip Hemling, Sherry Hitztaler, Ann Hollrith, Paul Hollrith, Pat

Horter, Sandy Kusay, Dan Leonardi, Tom Meurett, Janet Peters, Ann Peterson, Debra Ramsey, Camille Smigaj, Chris Stayer, Josh Stone, John Smigaj, L. Fischer, Geri Schwind, Easton Senovaske, Sr. Pat Sevcik, David & Julie Sharp, Michael Sharp, Eugene Vogel, Casey Wies, M. Wilson, Gary Zavada.

Bulletin Deadline is Monday at 10 am

PARISH STAFF

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Mimi Miklautsch, Secretary/Bookkeeper
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Phone: (715) 588-3148; Please leave a message
Office Hours: This Week: Thurs: 1:00-6:00,
Fri: 9:00-4:00, Sat: 9:00-3:00

Debra Ramsey, Coordinator of Religious Education
Phone: (715) 588-3148
Darlene Machel, Organist
Ryan Lefeber, Janitor

PARISH MEETINGS SCHEDULED

Women's Club: To be announced

Men's Club: To Be Announced

Knights of Columbus: Wed, Oct 11, 2023 @7:00

Parish Council: Tues, Dec 12, 2023 @ 6:30pm

Finance Council: Tues, Dec. 5, 2023 @ 6:30pm

Liturgy Committee: To Be Announced

Prayer Shawl: Thurs, Oct 12, 2023 @ 1:00pm

MASS SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

Wednesday, Oct 11th:

8:00am Mass for +Stella & Harry Lubawski by James & Kathleen Lubawski

Friday, Oct 13th:

8:00am Mass for +Ryan Kretlow Family by Mary Kretlow

Saturday, Oct 14th:

4:00pm Mass for +Jeff Zanski by The Children

Sunday Oct 15th:

9:30am Mass for Our Three Cluster Parishes

Many dates are still available this year for Masses to be offered for a particular intention. Mass intentions are allocated on a first come basis. If you require a particular date, submit a request as early as possible. Please contact the office to make arrangements. Thank you.

KNOW YOUR COUNCILS

Trustees: Steve Jelinski and Kim Strasburg

FINANCE COUNCIL

Paul Kosin (Chair)

Kathleen Wieck

Sue Forbes, Barb Draeger

Mark Mehling

PARISH COUNCIL

Nancy Labecki (Chair)

Owen Phelps, Robin Chess

Jim Strasburg, Ryan Lefeber

Sharon Mehling, Pam Smylie

COLLECTIONS: Oct 7 – Oct 8

Adults Envelopes	
Loose	Not available at time
Candles	of printing; Please
Maintenance	see next week's bulletin
Utilities	
GRAND TOTAL	

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING GENEROSITY

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2023-2024

Our Parish Goal	\$22,083.00
Received to Date	5,795.00
Sent Direct To Diocese	
Left to Raise	\$16,288.00

MASS ATTENDANCE

Oct 7, 2023

N/A

Oct 8, 2023

N/A

WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

	Sat, October 14	Sun, October 15
Eucharist Minister	Kim Strasburg	Sharon Mehling
Reader	Jack Stayer	DJ Lindsay
Server	Jack Stayer	Jim Strasburg
Money Counters (Tues. Oct 10)	Nancy Labecki Joanne Szalewski	

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Dick & Sandy Weiss 10/ 1/60

Joe & Joanne Ruffie 10/ 8/60

Kit & Ellen Deubler 10/10/81

Jack & Chris Stayer 10/11/75

CSA

The 2023/2024 Catholic Services Appeal is now in progress. Our goal this year is \$22,083.00. Today we have received \$5,795.00 leaving a balance of \$16,288.00. The appeal is an opportunity for us, as a faith family, to join together to do the work of the Lord. We ask for your continued generosity as we kick off our 2023/2024 campaign. Let's meet our goal again this year.



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WHY IS ARTIFICIAL CONTRACEPTION GRAVELY SINFUL?

The Catechism of the Catholic Church calls artificial contraception “intrinsically evil” because it is against life and against the natural design of God for sexuality. However, the Catholic Church is not against natural family planning based on ‘Billings Method’ and Rhythm Method. But it is against most of the artificial and chemical methods mainly because they cause abortion. What are not acceptable to the Church are artificial methods such as the condom, abortion causing pills, spermicides etc. For example, the ‘morning after’ pill is not accepted by the Catholic Church because it is more abortive rather than contra-ceptive in that they prevent the implantation into the womb of an already fertilized egg. The official judgment of the teaching authority of the Church (Magisterium) that contraception is gravely sinful matter goes back to the Encyclical Casticonnubii of Pope Pius XI of 1930, where we find it’s most solemn and clear-cut formulation. The essentials of this teaching are expressed in these words: “No reason, however grave, can make what is intrinsically contrary to nature to be in conformity with nature and morally right. And since the conjugal act by its very nature is destined for the begetting of children, those who in exercising it deliberately frustrate its natural power and purpose are acting against nature, and are doing something that is base and intrinsically immoral”. The same encyclical states its seriousness in these words: “The Catholic Church raises her voice as a sign of her divine mission, and through my mouth proclaims anew: any use of marriage exercised in such a way that through human effort the act is deprived of its natural power to procreate human life violates the law of God and of nature, and those who commit such an action are stained with the guilt of grave sin”.

FR. MARIA JOSEPH KODIGANTI

ADVERTISING IN BULLETIN

Please contact Mimi in the office; 715-358-3148, if you would like to have an ad in our weekly bulletin. We are always looking for new businesses to help promote their businesses. We are in the process of updating our advertising and inviting new advertisers. It’s a great way to advertise for a reasonable amount of money

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Please use the sign-up sheets in the back of church to mark all times you are available in October, November, and December. If you have any questions please contact Mimi in the office; 715-588-3148. We appreciate your support when volunteering. We hope that Robin is feeling better soon.

MEN’S CLUB RAFFLE WINNERS

There were three lucky raffle winners whose names were drawn at the pancake breakfast Sunday September 3rd, 2023.

- 1st Place, \$1,000.00: Valerie Bohr
- 2nd Place, \$500.00: Chuck & Susan Pollack
- 3rd Place, \$100.00: Janice Rippenger

GRIEF SHARE

On Monday Sept 11, 2023 a new 13 week session started from 2:30 to 4:30pm @ Holy Family Catholic Church. The program offers encouragement to those who have experienced the death of a spouse, life partner, child, family member, or friend. There is a \$35 onetime fee. Questions, please call Mimi: 715-588-3148.

CELEBRATION TIME

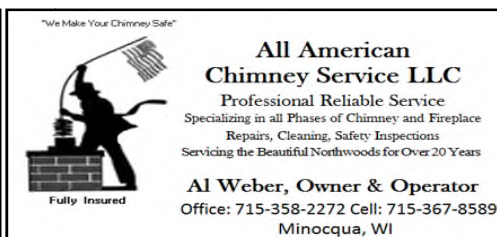
On Sunday October 8th after the 9:30, our parishes celebrated two very deserving parishioners; **Deacon John and Marcia Bardos**. The event was enjoyed by all who were able to attend. Thank you to everyone that helped make the day an awesome experience. Deacon John celebrated his 25th Diaconate on that day, which made it even more memorable.

EUCCHARIST & ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you are sick, in the hospital, or having surgery please contact Fr. Maria Joseph. He can be reached at 715-614-8058. If he doesn’t answer please leave a message and he will return your call. If you would like to set up a funeral mass or service, you MUST call Fr. before any funeral arrangements at the church will be made.



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