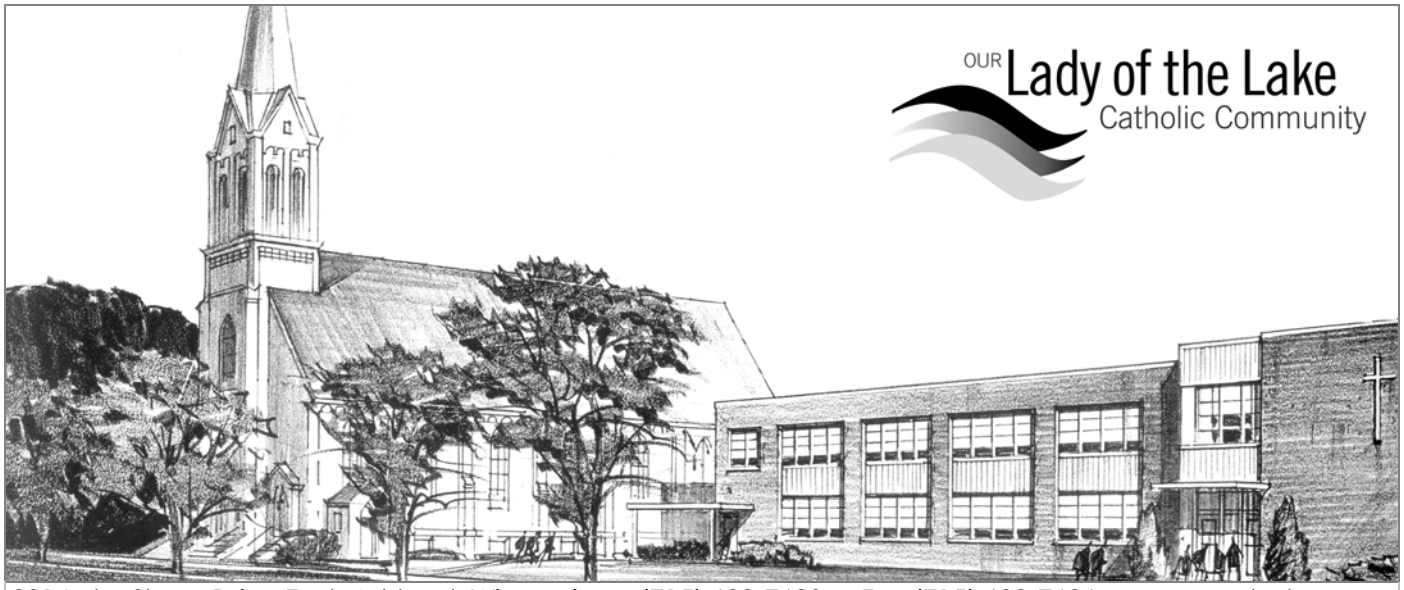

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Mass Schedule

Saturday
4:00 pm – St. Mary's
6:00 pm – OLL
Sunday
8:00 & 10:00 am
Weekday
7:30 am
Liturgy of the Hours
Monday – Friday, 7:00 am

Franciscan Friars
Fr. Paul Paré, OFM
Fr. Walter Dolan, OFM
Br. Leonard Lawrence, OFM
Br. Claver Boerner, OFM

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Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community Mission Statement
We, the people of Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community, believe we are called by God to live our faith and to bring others to Christ by our words and actions.

June 13, 2010 **Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Musings from the Pastoral Center by Deacon Owen

Your sins are forgiven.

At this time of year I usually spend a couple of weeks sampling fish out on Lake Superior aboard the U.S. Research Vessel Kiyi. This year is no exception. This annual trip takes me out of my element and my daily routine. There is little privacy or time alone aboard a crowded ship. From morning till night my thoughts and activities are directed at research and processing samples. Not surprisingly, when living and working in such close quarters, people get on each other's nerves and patience wears thin; it can bring out the best and the worst in others and yourself. And you find yourself talking too much. It is times like this that I am reminded that St. Paul's teaching to the Galatians "It no longer is I who live, but the Christ who lives in me" is difficult to live up to! These trips can test my resolve and faith.

Yet we are assured of forgiveness in spite of our failings. When confronted by Nathan the prophet of his sins, David admitted his guilt and failings "I have sinned against the LORD." And Nathan assured him "The LORD on his part has forgiven your sin: you shall not die." So despite the gravity of David's sins of murder and adultery, God forgives him and he again is holy in God's sight. He once again became God's son and was drawn by His love into a relationship that endures for eternity. Today we continue to benefit from the lessons of David's life and God's mercy nearly 3,000 years ago. Through David's repentance and God's love and forgiveness, Jesus the Messiah came to us and is with us today. He may be found in us and among us if we have faith.

Sacraments

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday - 5:15 pm and by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism
Preparation class for parents on the third Tuesday of the month at the Pastoral Center at 6:30 pm. Contact Deacon Bill Holzhaeuser to sign up at 715-682-8417 or bmjholz@mac.com. Baptisms are celebrated at one of the four weekend Masses.

Sacrament of Marriage
Contact the priest 6 months prior to the wedding.

WEEKEND MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

JUNE 2010
1ST SUNDAY – JUNE 5/6
2ND SUNDAY – JUNE 12/13
3RD SUNDAY – JUNE 19/20
4TH SUNDAY – JUNE 26/27

JULY 2010
1ST SUNDAY – JULY 3/4
2ND SUNDAY – JULY 10/11
3RD SUNDAY – JULY 17/18
4TH SUNDAY – JULY 24/25

Luke's Gospel tells us of an emotional confrontation between Jesus, a sinful woman, and Simon, an esteemed person righteous in the eyes of the people. Simon is clearly offended by the audacity of the woman, a known public sinner, when she enters his house uninvited, and begins to weep and wash his guest's feet with her tears. This woman was shunned by everyone as her sins were unforgivable in the eyes of the people. There was no one to forgive her or assure her of God's love. She lived as a person condemned to death. Jesus understands what is in her heart and grants her God's mercy and love—and life. Jesus forgives, we forgive—we are God's proxy. Just as Jesus assured the woman of forgiveness, we too are called to forgive ourselves and one another. It is the Christ in each of us that forgives, consoles, heals, and assures new life.

Forgiveness brings about the impossible, the improbable. Sinners become saints. We become liberated from the resentment and anger directed at those who have sinned against us or at ourselves because of personal failures and disappointments. We become the humanity that God desires, a people of hope, selfless love, forgiveness, and healing. We make the Kingdom of God a reality in our time. We experience peace. So here back on the ship I am reminded that no matter how trying the situation, forgiveness leads to new life, new relationships. The past no longer holds me hostage. Despite the close quarters and tensions, I can choose to be free to forgive and to live each moment anew, to be glad in the LORD and rejoice!

Whole Community Catechesis

June 13 – June 19, 2010, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gospel: Luke 7:36-8:3
Theme: She stood at his feet weeping and began to bathe his feet with her tears.
Question for Adults: How can you show compassion toward the marginalized members of society today?
Question for Youth: Jesus was able to see the faith of the woman, even though she was a sinner. Who is in need of your forgiveness, even though they have done you harm? What is one way that you can offer forgiveness to someone in the weeks to come?
Question for Children: This week, how can you welcome someone at school or in your neighborhood who is feeling left out?

Stewardship

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out the disciples to meet the needs of others. His admonition to them is the same challenge he makes to us: "The gift you have received, give as a gift."

National Concern Collection Next Weekend

Bishop Peter Christensen urges the faithful of the Diocese of Superior to respond generously to the four causes of the annual National Concern Collection. The causes are the Retirement Fund for Religious, The Catholic University of America, Catholic Campaign for Human Development and the Catholic Communication Campaign. This will be a second collection on June 19/20.

Activities

Saturday, June 12

Sunday, June 13

Monday, June 14
7:00 pm – KC 4th Degree

Tuesday, June 15
Noon – Bldg & Grds Meeting
1:30 pm – Mass at Court Manor Alzheimer Unit
7:00 pm – BINGO
Floor Workers:
Dave & Cindy Hart
Philip Livingston
Tim & Sherrel LaPointe
Concession Workers:
Jonathan & Jennifer Root
Bruce & JoAnn Honkala
Kris Lulich

Wednesday, June 16
6:00 pm – Finance Council

Thursday, June 17

Friday, June 18

Saturday, June 19

Sunday, June 20

Ashland / Bayfield County Crisis Line:
1-866-317-9362

The B.R.I.C.K: 682-7425

Gift Shop

M-F 10 am - 3 pm

We have a nice variety of children's books in our gift shop as well as bibles and the Parish cookbook. We also have some lovely instrumental CDs of religious music.

Banns Of Marriage

2nd Bann – Travis Boyle and Katie Mackey

Bay Days Raffle Tickets Sales Underway!

Our annual Bay Days Raffle ticket sales are underway! This is a fundraiser for our school, so any support you can offer is greatly appreciated. Additional tickets are available in the Parish Office. Tickets are $1 each or 6 for $5. The prizes this year are: 1st - $2000; 2nd - $1000; 3-5th - $100; and six prizes of $50.

SCRIP Introduces

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Currently, Home Depot and amazon.com are the only retailers signed up for the ScripNow! Program. Other vendors will be added as they become compliant with ScripNow! technology.

Call Kelly or Robyn with any questions you may have.

Readings and Intentions

Saturday, June 12, 2010
2 Sm 12: 7-10, 13 /Gal 2: 16, 19-21
Lk 7: 36—8: 3
6:00 pm - Kathleen Wright †
- Bernard Tarasewicz †

Sunday, June 13, 2010
2 Sm 12: 7-10, 13 /Gal 2: 16, 19-21
Lk 7: 36—8: 3
8:00 am - Arlene McAuliffe †
- Missy Washnieski †
10:00 am - Margaret & Emery Sharron †
- Intentions of the Faith Community

Monday, June 14, 2010
1 Kgs 21: 1-16 / Mt 5: 38-42
7:30 am - Michael Kehoe †
- Moose Traaholt †

Tuesday, June 15, 2010
1 Kgs 21: 17-29 / Mt 5: 43-48
7:30 am - Ann Richardson †
- Walter & Doris Jellish †

Wednesday, June 16, 2010
2 Kgs 2: 1, 6-14 / Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18
7:30 am - Arthur Pinten † BDAY
- Edgar Lajeunesse †

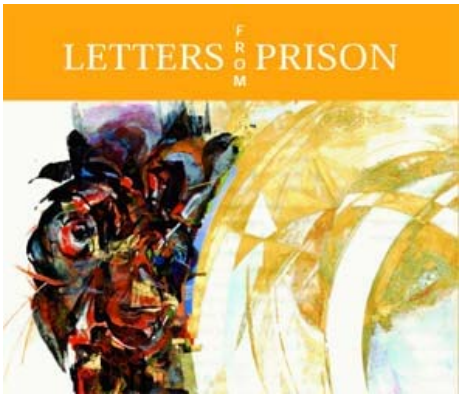
Thursday, June 17, 2010
Sir 48: 1-14 / Mt 6: 7-15
7:30 am - Living & Deceased Members of the Wright Family
- Dennis & Eleanor McGeehan †

Friday, June 18, 2010
2 Kgs 11: 1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6: 19-23
7:30 am - Mary Jane Pufall †
- Julia Muska & Rose Hieb †

Saturday, June 19, 2010
Zec 12: 10-11; 13:1 / Gal 3: 26-29
Lk 9: 18-24
6:00 pm - Shirley Huybrecht †
- Donald W. Robertson Jr †

Sunday, June 20, 2010
Zec 12: 10-11; 13:1 / Gal 3: 26-29
Lk 9: 18-24
8:00 am - Joseph Dufek †
- Intentions of the Faith Community
- Alois (Lute) Gabrus †
10:00 am - Frank Janacek †
- Margaret Shun † ANN
- Ron Johnson †

Bible Study
The Letters from Prison



- 10 week study beginning June 22 from 6:00-7:30
- Sign up at the Pastoral Center or with Deacon Bill Holzhaeuser
- Materials will be distributed at the first session.
- A $15 donation is requested.

The next Bible Study will be Paul's letters from Prison (Philippians, Colossians, Ephesians). In these letters of encouragement, correction, and instruction written from prison, Paul lovingly inspires and challenges us to greater discipleship.

Join us in this 10-week study. We will begin on June 22, 2010 from 6:00 to 7:30 pm in the conference room at the Pastoral Center.

Our Lady of the Lake

5th Tuesday Bingo Blow-Out

Tuesday, June 29, 2010

Doors open at 5:30 p.m.
BINGO starts at 7:00 p.m.

$1000 Total Prize Money

● Special Raffles ● Summer Picnic Lunch ●

Prayer Corner

Finding the Strength

O, mighty Lord, I pray that You will be my shield as I do battle against ignorance, cruelty and injustice. Through your unending love, I pray that You will grant me goodness and steadfastness, so that I might lead others to do Your will and glorify Your name.

Amen.

Praise ye the Lord,
O my soul, while I live
will I praise the Lord:
I will sing praises unto
my God while I have
any being.
Psalm 148: 1-2

Parishioner Needs Ride To Church

We have a request from a parishioner (in town) that would like a ride to church. If you would like to perhaps volunteer, please call Tina Brown at 746-2047 for further details.

Catholic Herald Online

We just wanted to let you know that there is a website for the Catholic Herald. Visit the website at www.catholicherald.org and check it out. If you're tech-savvy, you can follow them on Twitter or become a fan on Facebook. It will not replace your subscription, but it does have a lot of information available.

Community Concert

EverBlest, an interdenominational High School youth choir, will offer a concert at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on Saturday, June 19 at 7:00 p.m. The choir, a ministry of Cambridge Evangelical Lutheran Church, will present a performance of Christian choral music of varied traditions - much of it contemporary. A free will offering will be received. All are welcome!

St. Michael Church Chicken Dinner

St. Michael Altar & Rosary Society will hold their annual Chicken Dinner fundraiser on Saturday, June 19th from 5-7 p.m. in the St. Michael Parish Hall. Saturday evening Mass will be held at 4 p.m. followed by the dinner at 5 p.m. Menu includes Steve Jurkovich's open-pit BBQ chicken, real mashed potatoes, stuffing and gravy, meatballs, green beans, coleslaw, cranberries along with dessert and beverage. Cost is $8 for adults and $4 for children 6-10 and children under 5 are free. The public is welcome!

Faith In Action Fix It For Seniors

Small fix-it jobs can become a big hassle for older homeowners. Faith In Action-Ashland County takes requests from Ashland County Residents who are 60 years of age or older and are in need of help with minor home repairs. Volunteers are recruited to help with tasks such as small painting projects, installing handrails, fixing a leaky faucet, changing storm windows, or weatherizing a door. Seniors cover any costs for materials. Faith In Action welcomes new volunteers with basic carpentry or plumbing skills who would like to take on an occasional fix-it job. Filling requests is dependent upon the availability of volunteers from the local community. For more information call the Ashland County Aging Unit at 682-4414 extension 3.

Intentions of our
Holy Father
for June

That every nation and international institution may strive to guarantee respect for human life from conception to natural death.

That the Churches in Asia, a "little flock" among non-Christian populations, may communicate the gospel well and give joyful witness to their faith.

Parish Council

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Mary Jo Holzhaeuser, v. chair
Patti Skoraczewski, secretary
Paula Kollauf
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George Fall
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Betty Chambers
Dan Reinerio
Robyn Lulich
Barb Whiteaker
Fr. Paul Paré
Dan Bell, School Liaison

OLL School Corner

End of the Year

We had a very exciting end of the year. We had a Field Day sponsored by the OLL Home and School Association, 8th grade graduation, last day Mass and presentation of report cards, as well as saying good-bye to Mrs. Urling with cake and blessings.

New Preschool Teacher

Paula Witzig has accepted the position of Preschool Teacher at OLL. Paula comes to us from St. Louis Catholic School in Washburn, where she taught Kindergarten for the last 14 years. Paula has also taught Early Childhood classes for WITC. We are excited to have such a talented Early Childhood teacher join our staff. Welcome Paula!

Summer Projects

This summer, if you look down the school hallway, you'll see it full of classroom equipment. We will be waxing and cleaning all classrooms. A number of the classrooms will be getting new paint jobs, courtesy of paint grants from True Value and Benjamin Moore (Color Center). Teachers are moving classrooms, Ms. Amanda going from Preschool to Kindergarten, Mrs. Levings going from 5th to 1st, and Ms. Smith going from Kindergarten to 5th grade. We are swapping the 5th grade and music rooms. The 5th grade room has a large walk-in closet that would provide for better storage for the musical equipment – giving more space for Ms. Betzold with music/choir/band. The school office is also being moved down to the Kindergarten room right by the doors to the North entry hallway. The Site Visit Team recommended we study this and make this change to make the office the first view as people enter the school. The kindergarten room will be moved to the Speech room and the Speech and Title rooms will use the current office space. There is a lot going on and we hope to have it all done by the end of summer and to host a parish open house so you can tour the school and see what we've been up too.

Have a safe & fun summer!

Our Lady of the Lake Support June 6, 2010	
Adult Envelopes	$6310.00
Loose – Sunday	$459.00
School	$1576.00
Tuition	$6116.40
Fundraising	$417.00
Computer Donations	$27.68
National Concern	$10.00
Total Support	**$14,916.08**
St. Agnes Cemetery	$85.00
Renovation	$146.00
Roof Fund	$381.00

Roof Fund Raising	
Total Cost of Roof	$622,797.00
Loan Balance as of 5/31/10	$345,947.72
Monthly Payment	$4,000.00
Month-To-Date Roof Collected as of 6/6/10	$381.00

2010 DSA Goal	
Current 2009 DSA Goal	$28,070.00
Parishioners Paid In	$26,159.00
Total Due as of 5/31/10	$1,911.00