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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.

May 23, 2010

Pentecost

Musings from the Pastoral Center by Fr. Paul

The Dogmatic Constitution on the Church (1964), one of the Vatican II documents, begins its first four paragraphs with references to the Holy Spirit. The Council Fathers are gathered "in the Holy Spirit." A gathering inspired by and through the workings of the Holy Spirit among God's people. The contemporary bonds of humanity are influenced by the social, technological, and cultural developments of this age. It is the Holy Spirit, through these developments which unites us into the Body of Christ.

Through the "outpouring of the Holy Spirit" on the first Christians, the Church as we know it was established. This formation is part of God's "mysterious design of wisdom and goodness." A plan being developed in the history of humanity from the time of Eve and Adam, the Israelite experience, the birth of Jesus Christ, and the end of time. This historical movement in humanity finds its purpose and end in the ultimate gathering with God the Father.

God the Father journeyed with our first parents and the Israelites, their decedents, in what we now refer to as the narratives of the Old Testament. In the fullness of time, "God sent his only Son, Jesus Christ" (Gal 4:4) to begin the New Age, which we know as the narratives of the New Testament. As a Human Being in all things but sin, Jesus Christ had to die and leave this world. However, as promised, the Church would continue to be guided and sanctified by the Holy Spirit. The Spirit lives in our hearts and in the Church empowering us to fulfill the mission Jesus left for us. A mission which implements all the gifts, talents, potentials, possibilities, and accomplishments, both unknown and divinely mysterious. Through the Spirit, there is a newness in the development of human history in such a way, that the Church keeps "a freshness of youth" as part of its character and involvement in the world.

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 normally celebrated at one of the four weekend Masses or, under special circumstances, by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the priest 6 months prior to the wedding.

WEEKEND MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

MAY 2010

4TH SUNDAY – MAY 22/23

5TH SUNDAY – MAY 29/30

JUNE 2010

1ST SUNDAY – JUNE 5/6

2ND SUNDAY – JUNE 12/13

3RD SUNDAY – JUNE 19/20

4TH SUNDAY – JUNE 26/27

The power of the Holy Spirit infiltrates our every day activities, whether we are aware of this grace or not. It is the force that makes "all of creation groan" (Rom 18: 23) in anticipation of its completion. The drive we have to achieve our goals is the Spirit working in us, when the desired results are for the good of all people. We celebrate this Feast of the Holy Spirit in recognition of God's goodness and design for us as the people of God, in union with Christ, living in the Spirit. "Come, Holy Spirit and renew the face of the earth."

Whole Community Catechesis

May 23 – May 29, 2010, Pentecost Sunday

Gospel: John 20: 19-23

Theme: Receive the Holy Spirit.

Question for Adults: Even as working Disciples of Christ, we are given the gift of peace. How do you experience this gift, and how do you share it with others?

Question for Youth: St. Paul tells us that we all have unique gifts for the good of others. What is special about you? How can you use those gifts to help others – friends, family, strangers?

Question for Children: Jesus tells us that we need to forgive to have peace. Name one way that you can forgive a friend or classmate.

Stewardship

In the second reading today, St. Paul reminds the Corinthians, "There are different ministries but the same spirit; there are different ministries but the same Lord." How am I using my gifts "for the common good"?

Monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We have decided to stop the monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. The basic reason is that the number of people attending is very low during the day and at Benediction itself. It is required that at least one person be present when the Blessed Sacrament is exposed. There have been many times when no one is in church while the Sacrament is exposed, which means we are not fulfilling the requirement.

There is no difference in being in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament whether exposed or in the tabernacle. We are fortunate that during each day of the week, our church remains open so as to accommodate people who would like to be in the presence of the Sacrament. Most parishes keep the church doors locked when there is no liturgical function.

We are planning to replace all-day Adoration with four to five days of recollection during the year. These periods of recollection will be scheduled at various times of the day so as to accommodate more people and their schedules. Thank you for your understanding. Fr. Paul

Welch's Joins BoxTops For Education

Beginning this summer, you will find BoxTops For Education on Welch's Jams & Jellies. Don't forget to start collecting the BoxTop from these items for OLL School!

Activities

Saturday, May 22

Sunday, May 23

Monday, May 24

Tuesday, May 25

1:30 pm – Hi-Rise Mass

7:00 pm – BINGO

Floor Workers:

Francis Urinko

Kim Galligan

Victoria Soulier/Phil Livingston

Concession Workers:

Candice Brown

Luanne Wiggins

Chris & Mary Grubisic

Wednesday, May 26

9:00 am – School Mass

Thursday, May 27

4:30 pm – Book Study

Friday, May 28

6:00 pm – Snow White play

Saturday, May 29

Sunday, May 30

10:00 am – Baccalaureate

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

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

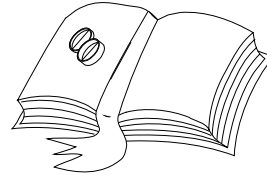
Gift Shop

M-F 10 am - 3 pm



Stop by the Parish Gift Shop For Graduation Gifts!

We have several graduation themed gift ideas and don't forget SCRIP cards are available too!



Banns Of Marriage

2nd Bann – Matthew Robinson and Miranda Haugli

2nd Bann – Jason Luebs and Ann Kriskovich

3rd Bann – Luke Korpela and Jessica Bretting

Address For Sr. Margaret Mason

Sr. Margaret would like to thank everyone for the prayers and calls. Anyone wishing to send her get-well thoughts may send them to:

Sr. Margaret Mason, FSPA
Villa St. Joseph
W2658 State Road
La Crosse, WI 54601-2625

SCRIP – iTunes “14 Days of Free Orders”

Starting May 15, 2010 for for each day through May 29, 2010, iTunes will pay for one lucky family's ShopWithSCRIP.com order up to \$1,000. **To be eligible for this iTunes giveaway, families need to purchase at least one iTunes \$15 or \$25 Gift Card in their ShopWithScrip family order.** One family winner will be randomly chosen each day, from May 15 – May 29. See ShopWithScrip.com for further details.

Parish Offering Envelopes

Due to the changes in Mass schedules in both the Ashland/Odanah and Washburn/Bayfield parishes, many people are opting to go to each other's parishes for the weekend. You may turn in your envelopes at any of these parishes and we will forward them to your respective parish. You are always welcome to contribute to both parishes as well!!!

Campbell's Label Points Sheets

If you have any Campbell's UPC points, please turn them in by May 26th to the PC or school offices. There is a deadline for bonus points that we will be sending in. Thank you to everyone who has been turning in the pages of Campbell's UPC labels. It is extremely convenient for us to have them already attached to the pages, and by doing so we get extra points. If you are in need of more of these sheets, they are available in the pamphlet rack in the north entrance. Please notice that there are separate sheets for the 1 and 5 point values.

Readings and Intentions

Saturday, May 22, 2010

Acts 2: 1-11 / 1 Cor 12: 3b-7, 12-13
Jn 20: 19-23

6:00 pm - Agnes Matyas †
- Bernadine Chmielak † BDAY

Sunday, May 23, 2010

Acts 2: 1-11 / 1 Cor 12: 3b-7, 12-13
Jn 20: 19-23

8:00 am - Pearl Kollauf †
- Intentions of the Faith Community
10:00 am - Felix Schmidt †
- Patricia Aschbacher †

Monday, May 24, 2010

1 Pt 1: 3-9 / Mk 10: 17-27

7:30 am - Gordon Gucinski †
- Living & Deceased Members of
the Robert Wright Family

Tuesday, May 25, 2010

1 Pt 1: 10-16 / Mk 10: 28-31

7:30 am - Carl Hambuch Sr †
- Helen Caskinette †

Wednesday, May 26, 2010

1 Pt 1: 18-25 / Mk 10: 32-45

7:30 am - Gregory Hebert Jr †
- Kathleen Wright †

Thursday, May 27, 2010

1 Pt 2: 2-5, 9-12 / Mk 10: 46-52

7:30 am - Tony Jellish †
- Jean M. Houtary †

Friday, May 28, 2010

1 Pt 4: 7-13 / Mk 11: 11-26

7:30 am - Jane Hnath †
- June Grosjean † BDAY

Saturday, May 29, 2010

Prv 8: 22-31 / Rom 5: 1-5

Jn 16: 12-15

6:00 pm - Shirley Huybrecht †
- Helen Nemec † Family

Sunday, May 30, 2010

Prv 8: 22-31 / Rom 5: 1-5

Jn 16: 12-15

8:00 am - Violet Bitzer
- Intentions of the Faith Community
10:00 am - Gordon Gucinski †
- Frank Janecek †

St. Agnes Cemetery and Shrine

It has been a slow and methodical process concerning the care of the cemetery and the Shrine. At this time, we need a small group of people to volunteer to maintain the daily needs of the Shrine. This includes opening & closing of the Shrine in the morning and evening, replacing the candles and removing the candle offerings daily, sweeping and possibly dusting on a regular basis. Since this is a 7-days a week ministry, a small group is needed so that not one person is committed every day of the week.

The cemetery care and maintenance is a ministry, a corporal works of mercy: "to bury the dead." Over the years, this ministry has become a professional industry that makes things easier for us. Funeral Directors facilitate the care, burial, and hosting both the visitation times and the liturgical rituals associated with our loved ones' passing. The clergy and other church ministers at these rituals are also involved. We need to remember, that when one passes away, the whole parish community is involved as well, with their prayers, words of sympathy, and presence to the family in various ways. Furthermore, those who dig the graves and maintain the cemetery property are also a significant part of this ministry. A ministry which involves so many of us, a ministry of care and concern, a ministry of being the compassionate Christ at one of our most vulnerable times in our lives: losing a loved one.

As your pastor, I am assuming full responsibility for the long time it has taken us to ensure that what is described above becomes a reality. We needed to make changes in the cemetery maintenance beginning with a year ago in January 2009. Since January 2009, we tried several ways to replace the service that existed for many generations. Some things worked out, some did not. I need to thank all those who were part of this process last year. We are presently attempting to ensure that the ministry of "burying the dead" becomes truly a ministry of our parish community. I empathize with those of you who have been frustrated and impatient in this matter. So have I! I also support and am grateful for those of you who been patient. Thank you. Fr. Paul, ofm

**We will have the traditional Memorial Day Mass at the cemetery on
Monday, May 31st at 7:30 a.m.**

Prayer Corner

Prayer of St.
Ignatius Loyola

Take Lord, and
receive all my liberty,
my memory, my
understanding, and
my entire will, all that
I have and possess.
You have given all to
me.

To you, Lord,
I return it.

All is yours.

Dispose of it wholly
according to your
will. Give me your
love and your grace,
for this is
enough for me.



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

Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women 60th Annual Convention June 21-22, 2010

The Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women invites all women, priests and religious of the Superior Diocese to the 60th Annual Convention. Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland, Wisconsin and women of the Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will host the convention.

Monday, June 21st will be the SDCCW Board Meeting at the Hotel Chequamegon. A social hour will be at 5:00 pm, followed by the banquet and Pax Christi Award presentation by Bishop Peter Christensen. The Entertainment is to be provided by Shunka and Waka Sakuda (Okinawa Dancers). Banquet Cost is \$25.00 with a choice of Chicken or Beef au jus.

Tuesday, June 22nd is Convention Day at Our Lady of the Lake. Registration will begin at 8:00 am. Cost of the Convention and lunch is \$20.00. The morning speakers will be Sr. Marla Lang, FSPA and Sr. Elizabeth Aaman, OP from Marywood Spirituality Center. They will be speaking on **Mega-Trends Affecting Catholicism Today**. Eucharistic Liturgy celebrant will be Rev Gerard Willger, Moderator SDCCW. Included in the afternoon will be the Presentation of the Pax Christi Candidates, Vote on a change to Amendment X, Installation of SDCCW Officers; Scholarship Presentations; Presentation by SDCCW Moderator, Fr. Gerard Willger.

Registrations are to be made payable to SDCCW and are to be mailed by June 4th to Mary Shafer, Treasurer, 1423 Grandview Drive, Hudson, WI 54016. If you would like an email copy of registration form please contact: Yvonne R. Glonchak, Secretary SDCCW glonchak@nnex.net.

In Recognition of Dedicated & Outstanding Service To Our Lady of the Lake School...



Everyone is invited to join us this Sunday
at the 10:00 a.m. Mass to
honor Mrs. Sheila Urling
in gratitude for her 33 years of teaching our students.

There will be refreshments in the Social Hall after Mass!



Intentions of our Holy Father for May

That the shameful and monstrous trafficking in human beings, which sadly involves millions of women and children, may stop.

That priests, religious women and men, and lay people involved in apostolic work may understand how to bring missionary enthusiasm to the communities they serve.

Parish Council

Ella Teague, chair
Mary Jo Holzhaeuser, v. chair
Patti Skoraczewski, secretary
Paula Kollauf
Pat Vernier
George Fall
Russell Kramolis
Tom Bouchard
Randy Rust
Fr. Paul Paré

Finance Council

Mike Masterson, chair
Charlie Singler
Pat Onderak
Betty Chambers
Dan Reinerio
Robyn Lulich
Barb Whiteaker
Fr. Paul Paré
Dan Bell, School Liaison

OLL School Corner

New Landscaping

We would like to thank the Rowley's (school family) for all the work and donations they made to the front of the elementary school. The 5th – 8th graders also helped with digging and planting. This project started when I asked Mrs. Rowley what could be done to help the flower garden and she came up with the wonderful design that we now have.

Ms. Amanda – Preschool

We've been talking about Spring and rainy weather and the new life it brings. We were very excited to be able to do an Easter Egg Hunt on the day before Easter break due to the gorgeous weather we had. We have been busy working on letters R, S, T and working with themes of Easter, the Circus, Spring and Life at the Pond. Many of the preschoolers are getting excited for Kindergarten as they were able to attend our Kindergarten Readiness Day! We are gearing up for our Preschool Graduation to happen at the end of May.

Mrs. Urling – 1st Grade

Have we ever been busy in first grade! With the Easter themes of new life and spring, along with Earth Day, we've done a lot. Units on butterflies, the forest, spring rain and plants, have kept us busy with science. We are also each growing a potato plant that we can take home! Currently we are in a bird unit and are learning some calls of favorite backyard birds. Even Jesus taught about the birds when he said, "Look at the birds of the air.... they neither toil or spin, yet their Heavenly Father feeds them." Matt. 6:26

We love to take timed math facts tests and try to beat our fastest time. We also think it's so cool to add and subtract two digit numbers. And there are only three more stories left in our reading books!! We have been busy and happy readers---- and writers. School is so much fun!

Mrs. Newago – 2nd Grade

We had seven students make their First Holy Communion on Sunday, April 25th! It was a great day! Ed Monroe took the pictures for us. Thanks Ed!

May 12, our class went to MMC for the annual second grade Kids' Day. It was a fun learning experience for the children.

In Math, we are well into subtracting two- digit numbers with regrouping. In Reading, we will be starting our 6th and last theme. We'll be learning more irregular verbs and lots of phonics. In Science, we are learning about weather. Some art projects we'll be doing will be for May Day, Cinco de Mayo, and our May quilt squares to go with the books The Great Kapok Tree, and The Umbrella.

Our Lady of the Lake Support May 16, 2010	
Adult Envelopes	\$6610.15
Loose - Sunday	\$379.00
School	\$22.00
Tuition	\$5355.25
Fundraising	\$465.70
Support A Student	\$100.00
Computer Donations	\$98.54
Total Support	\$13030.64
Roof Fund	\$840.00
Renovation	\$213.00
St. Agnes Cemetery	\$30.00

Roof Fund Raising	
Total Cost of Roof	\$622,797.00
Loan Balance as of 4/30/10	\$348,473.96
Monthly Payment	\$4,000.00
Month-To-Date Roof Collected as of 5/2/10	\$1,576.00

2010 DSA Goal	
Current 2009 DSA Goal	\$28,070.00
Parishioners Paid In	\$26,159.00
Total Due as of 4/25/10	\$1,911.00

