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Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:00 pm – St. Mary's
6:00 pm – OLL

Sunday

8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am

Weekday

7:30 am

Liturgy of the Hours

Monday – Friday, 7:00 am

Franciscan Friars

Fr. Henry Willenborg, OFM
Fr. Frank Folino, OFM
Fr. Conan Mitchell, OFM
Br. Tom Eaton, OFM
Br. Leonard Lawrence, 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 1, 2008

Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Musings from the Pastoral Center

By Fr. Henry

As we close the door on the month of May, we have taken quite a ride in terms of our Catholic faith and the many wonderful mysteries that we hold within us. May is always **a month dedicated to Mary**, and throughout the month we've had her altar adorned with flowers and candles celebrating the special role she plays as the Mother of Jesus as well as a Woman of Faith and a Model for All Believers.

Each of the four Sundays of May have invited us to ponder different facets of our lives of faith: Jesus' **Ascension** into Heaven; the coming of the Holy Spirit at **Pentecost**; the gift of the **Trinity**, and the wonderful source and summit of our Eucharistic lives: **Jesus' Presence in His Body and Blood**. Along with those, we celebrated **First Communion** for our 2nd graders; we honored all who bear the title 'Mother' on **Mother's Day**, and this weekend we honor our **Seniors** at a **Baccalaureate Mass** on their day of graduation from high school. It's been a full month.

So, now, we move back into Sunday after Sunday of **Ordinary Time**. We've actually been back in 'ordinary' time since Pentecost, but the past two Sundays we've celebrated the Trinity and the Eucharist. Such a term- 'ordinary time' -- might lead us to think that these Sundays are 'ordinary', less to think about, more relaxed in their message. But that is not really the case. 'Ordinary' refers to the word 'ordinal' – a number referring to a place in an ordered sequence. Today is the 9th Sunday in Ordinary Time; next week is the 10th, and so on. We'll be in Ordinary Time all the way through Thanksgiving.

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 6:30pm. 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.

Retreats

The next T.E.C. retreat at Our Lady of the Lake will be June 20-22, 2008. Registration forms for the retreat are in the Parish Office.

Cursillo is planning a weekend retreat at St. Louis in Washburn on October 23-26, 2008. Registration forms are in the office.

The next scheduled Pre-Cana is September 6th, 2008 here at OLL.

There's nothing 'ordinary' in the message of the Scriptures in these weeks to come. This weekend is no exception. What do we hear? This weekend we listen as Moses tells the people in the First Reading: ***'Take these words of mine - the commandments - into your heart and soul. Bind them at your wrist as a sign, and let them be a pendant on your forehead.'*** The next words that are skipped in the text for this Sunday are equally challenging: "Teach them to your children, speaking of them at home and abroad, whether you are busy or at rest. And write them on the doorposts of your houses and on your gates." (Nothing 'ordinary' about that, is there?) St. Paul tells the Church at Rome: ***"We all have sinned; we all have been freed by the redemption of Jesus."*** And as we continue through the Gospel of Matthew, we hear Jesus say: ***"Only those who 'do the will of my Father in heaven' will enter the kingdom of God."*** Jesus continues today with a striking image for us: "Everyone who listens to these words of mine and acts on them is like a wise person who **builds their house on rock.**" The caution he gives us is that not doing so is like building a house on sand. Nothing 'ordinary' about any of these readings. This is the **GOOD NEWS** for our 9th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Whole Community Catechesis

June 1 - June 7, Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Matthew 7: 21-27

Theme: Build your house on rock, not on sand.

Question for Adults: Share how you have, in the words of the Gospel, built your own house on rock. Or share how you need to do that.

Question for Youth: Jesus teaches that we will be judged by our actions—do we do what we say we believe? If someone were to watch you, would they know that you are following of Jesus? What can you do differently this week to show your faith in your actions more fully to others?

Question for Children: What teaching of Jesus do you find is most important for you to follow?

Friars Gone Week of June 8-13

Fr. Frank, Br. Tom, and Fr. Henry will be gone to St. Louis, MO the week of June 8-13 attending the Provincial Chapter of their Franciscan province. At this meeting, they will be electing new leadership for the province, as well as dealing with other issues affecting their Franciscan life. Please keep these days in your prayers. (Fr. Henry will be gone until the 20th visiting family and friends.)

On Monday, June 9 thru Friday, June 13th, several of the Lay Leaders of Prayer in our parish will be conducting Communion Services at 7:30 am. The friars from Bayfield will also be gone that week attending the Chapter. Keep that in mind for emergencies at home and at the hospital. In case of funerals, work with the funeral director in making arrangements for a priest, or someone else, to conduct services that week.

Activities

Sunday, June 1

9:30 am – Baccalaureate Mass followed by breakfast

Monday, June 2

7:00 pm – KC's

Tuesday, June 3

1:45 pm – Court Manor Mass

7:00 pm – BINGO

Floor Workers

Ken/Kathy Sande & Randy/Teresa Rusch

Concession Workers

Karen Amundson & Kristine Zambori

Wednesday, June 4

6:00 pm – 8th Grade Graduation Liturgy & Dinner

Thursday, June 5

Noon – Bldg/Grds Committee
4:00 pm – Book Study

Friday, June 6

Last Day of School

9:00 am – School Mass

Saturday, June 7

7:30 pm – ACS Benefit Performance in Social Hall

Sunday, June 8

2:00 pm – Relay for Life Benefit Performance in Social Hall

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Breakfast Farewell for Br. Thinh on June 3rd

There will be a breakfast farewell for Br. Thinh on Tuesday, June 3rd in the Social Hall after the 7:30 am Mass. Br. Thinh will be making his solemn vows in August and begin his four years of theological studies in preparation for ordination to the priesthood in the fall.

Do You Have Too Much Rhubarb?

If so, please drop it off at the Parish Office. We will certainly put it to good use. Thank you! If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 682-7620.

Prayer & Meditation

There is weekly prayer & meditation Wednesdays at 6:30 at St. Mary's in Odanah. Please feel free to join them.

Pasties...

We still have pasties available; please call Kelly at 682-7620 if you'd like to support this fundraiser! They are only \$5 each!

Relay for Life is Set For June 14th

As a parish we do not have a formal team in the upcoming RELAY FOR LIFE, but we would encourage parishioners to join in the efforts in any way they can. Parishioners can lend financial support by making donations to either of these two teams:

Angela's Angels

Bernice Benson
1416 3rd St. West
Ashland, WI 54806

Extreme Measures

Sue Kovach
28020 Hwy 137
Ashland, WI 54806

Angela's Angels Relay for Life team is also having a benefit for their team with a theatrical presentation of three short plays. The plays are being held in our Social Hall on Saturday, June 7th, at 7:30 pm and Sunday, June 8th, at 2:00 pm. Most of the casts for these plays are our parishioners. Ticket prices are \$5 in advance or \$7 at the door. For tickets and information, call 682-5991 or 682-8850.

Roof Project

The roof project is moving ahead and should begin in these first weeks of June. We'll have regular progress reports in the bulletin.

Readings and Mass Intentions

Sunday, June 1, 2008

Dt 11: 18, 26-28, 32
Rom 3: 21-25, 28
Mt 7: 21-27
8:00 am - Carl Dufek †
- Fern Morris †
9:30 am - Intentions of the Faith Community
- Lorraine & Vincent Kinney †
11:00 am - Chester Kontny †
- Michael Bigelow, healing

Monday, June 2, 2008

2 Pt 1: 2-7 / Mk 12: 1-12
7:30 am - John Endrizzi †
- Ann & Paul Saric †

Tuesday, June 3, 2008

2 Pt 3: 12-15, 17-18
Mk 12: 13-17
7:30 am - Michael Kehoe †
- Mrs. Krystyna Koziel †

Wednesday, June 4, 2008

2 Tm 1: 1-3, 6-12
Mk 12: 18-27
7:30 am - Gordon Gucinski †
- Living & Deceased Members of the Martell & McDougall Families

Thursday, June 5, 2008

2 Tm 2: 8-15 / Mk 12: 28-34
7:30 am - Mary & John Dulin †
- Living & Deceased Members of the Wright Family

Friday, June 6, 2008

2 Tm 3: 10-17 / Mk 12: 35-37
7:30 am - Ralph L. Kontny †
- Monica Pinten †

Saturday, June 7, 2008

2 Tm 4: 1-8 / Mk 12: 38-44
6:00 pm - Corky Nemecek †
- Joseph & Marjorie Dufek †
Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, June 8, 2008

Hos 6: 3-6 / Rom 4: 18-25
Mt 9: 9-13
8:00 am - Angela Schelvan †
- Addy Graham †
9:30 am - Gigi Pufall †
- Leon Schrauth †
11:00 am - Intentions of the Faith Community

Stop by the Gift Shop to browse all of the beautiful gifts we have to choose from.

Gift Shop

M-F 10am-3pm



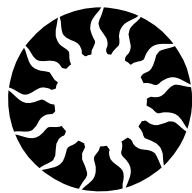
Don't forget Father's Day is June 15th! We have several great gift ideas to choose from!

Knights of Columbus Thank You

Knights of Columbus Council 832 wishes to thank everyone who purchased tickets for the statewide Wisconsin Knights of Columbus Charity Raffle. Your raffle ticket purchases help to fund the KC charities both locally and statewide. Some of the lucky winners are:

- 1st prize - \$50,000 – Danny Speltz, Rollingstone, MN
- 2nd prize – HD Street Glide or \$25,000 – Ken Marg, Neillsville, WI
- 3rd prize - \$15,000 – Patti Gazella, Oneida, WI
- 4th prize – HD XL 1200 or \$10,000 – Carol Firari, Lowell, WI
- 5th prize - \$5,000 – Edward Kaminski, Townsend, MI

A complete list of winners is posted in the display cabinets in the north entrance.



Bay Days Raffle

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. Tickets are available in the Parish Office. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

Indian Taco Sale School Fundraiser



Our Lady of the Lake will be having an Indian Taco Sale on Wednesday, June 11th from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm in the Social Hall. Tacos are available to eat-in, carryout or we will deliver to area businesses. Please call in your orders by that Monday or Tuesday if possible to 682-7620. The tacos are \$6 each and all proceeds will benefit the OLL School.

We will need volunteers – especially school parents – to help make this event successful. This is a school fundraiser that helps keep **your** tuition cost down. We'll need delivery drivers, coffee servers, and table bussers. Confirmation students...if you need hours and have a valid driver's license, please help us out with deliveries or in the hall. Call Kelly at 682-7620 to sign up.

Prayer Corner

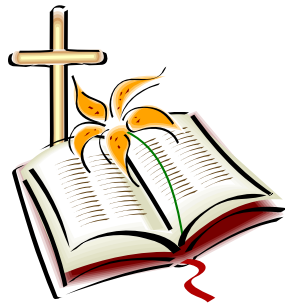
Graduation Prayer

Dear God,
Those whom you called to do great things for you were often tested first. You did so, not to frustrate them, but to bring out what you saw as the best in them.
Joseph was raised from slavery to royalty, and you gave him grace to forgive when he'd been wronged.
Solomon was raised from prince to king, and you granted him wisdom to govern his people.
Jeremiah was raised from youth to prophet, and you gave him courage to proclaim your truth.
Today begins a new chapter in the lives of these graduates. Give them the wisdom to make wise decisions, just as you gave your servants guidance in ages past. 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



An Invitation to Celebrate with Sister Margaret Ann Mason

You are invited to join Sister Margaret Ann in giving Thanks and Praise at an 11:00 am Liturgy on Saturday, August 16, 2008 at Our Lady of the Lake Church. A reception will follow in the Social Hall. This is in gratitude for 60 years as a Franciscan Sister of Perpetual Adoration and being gifted with 80 years of life. A reply by June 30th would be appreciated. You may place the RSVP section below in the collection basket. Thank you.



60th Jubilee



RSVP to Sr. Margaret Ann's Celebration

___ I/we will attend the Liturgy. # ___ of people

___ I/we will attend the Reception. # ___ of people

___ Sorry, we will not be able to attend.

Name: _____





Intentions of our
Holy Father
for June

That all Christians may cultivate a deep and personal friendship with Christ so as to communicate the strength of His love to every person they meet.

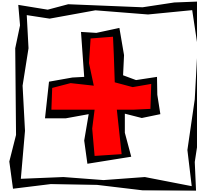
That the International Eucharistic Congress in Quebec may lead to greater understanding that the Eucharist is the heart of the Church and the source of evangelization.

Parish Council

Joe Schraufnagel, chair
Jerry Van Cleve, vice chair
Karen Hansen, secretary
Mary Jo Holzhaeuser
Kathy Mackey
Bill Mattes
Paula Kollauf
Ella Teague
Pat Vernier
Fr. Henry Willenborg

Going to College? Know Someone Who Is?

Do you know someone who is heading off to college this fall? Would you like to help them connect with people of faith when they get there? A new website of the Catholic Campus Ministers of Wisconsin can help. At www.goingtocollege.org, students coming to campus can sign up to receive information about campus ministry at their prospective Wisconsin schools, as well as an invitation to get involved. The college years can be an important time for faith development. Don't miss out on the opportunities to meet great people and experience the prayer, service, and social events that campus ministry offers. If you know someone going to college, make sure they visit [www.goingtocollege.org!](http://www.goingtocollege.org)



Life Line Screening

Life Line Screening will be here, at OLL, on Wednesday, June 18th. Life Line Screening offers up to 4 tests that will screen for stroke/carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm, peripheral arterial disease, and osteoporosis. A complete Wellness Package (all 4 tests) is only \$139. Please see the flyers in the north entrance pamphlet rack. Pre-registration is required. Call 1-800-324-1851.

Upcoming Retreats at St. Anthony's

Serenity Retreat for Recovering Alcoholics: June 6-8, 2008 Begins with 7:00 pm supper on Friday and concludes with mid-day meal on Sunday. Offering is \$140.00

Sacred Architecture Retreat: June 13-14, 2008. The theme is "Spirituality and Sacred Architecture". Have you ever experienced a connection between buildings and God? Begins with 6:00 supper on Friday and concludes with supper on Saturday. Offering is \$110.00. May stay overnight Saturday and Sunday breakfast. Offering \$150.00.

Five-Day Preached Retreat on the Eucharist: the week of June 22-27, 2008. Begins with the evening meal at 5:30 pm on June 22 and closes with the noon meal on June 27. We invite you to treat yourself to five full days of immersing yourself more deeply in the challenge to become what we receive. Offering is \$375.00.

For information on any of these or other upcoming retreats, please contact St. Anthony's Retreat Center at 715-443-2236, or by email at info@sarcenter.com or on the web at www.sarcenter.com.

T.E.C. Retreat

There will be a T.E.C. Retreat here June 20-22nd. Please contact the Parish Office or Tim Mika to sign up. This retreat qualifies as one of your Confirmation requirements.

Our Lady of the Lake Support May 25, 2008	
Adult Envelopes	\$6052.00
Loose – Sunday	\$541.65
Youth	\$5.00
School	\$20.00
Tuition	\$2300.00
Fundraising	\$570.00
Computer	\$104.11
Support-A-Student	\$235.00
TOTAL SUPPORT	\$9827.76
Renovation	\$227.00
St. Agnes Cemetery	\$2468.67

