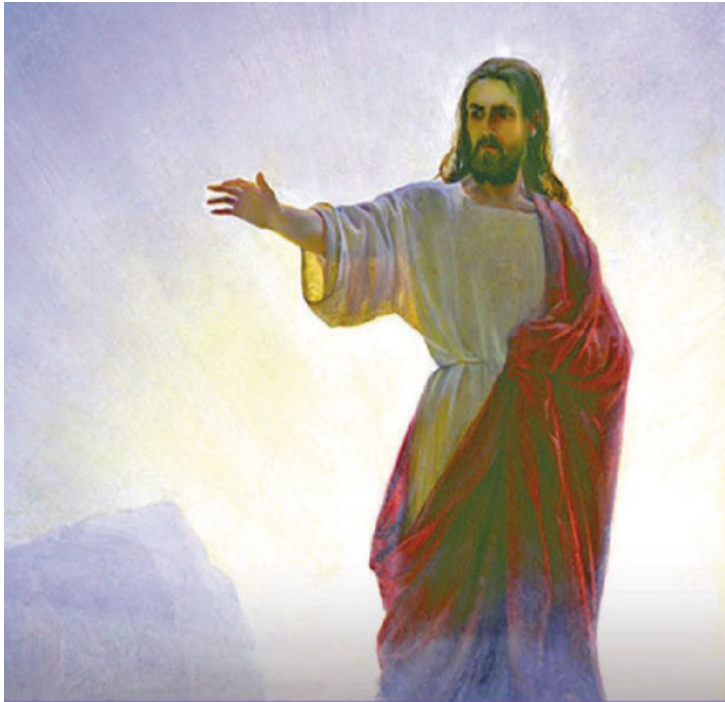




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Please submit bulletin notices to bulletin@our-lady.org by noon on Monday.



29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?” - Lk 18:7-8

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Deacon Thomas C. Anderson • dcn.anderson@our-lady.org

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8am–3:30pm • Friday: 8am–12:00 noon
Scrip is available for purchase during parish office hours.

PARISH STAFF

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jsievers@our-lady.org
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reoffice@our-lady.org
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Maintenance & GroundsPaul Richmond
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Sacristan.....Karen Pagel

CONFESSION

Saturday: 8:30am–9:30am and 3:00pm–3:50pm
First Friday: 8:30am–9:30am with Eucharistic Exposition
• Any time by appointment by contacting the parish office.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Please contact the parish to schedule a baptism meeting and request a date for the celebration of baptism. Parents are encouraged to attend before the birth of their child.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Couples requesting the celebration of Marriage should contact the parish at the time of formal engagement or at least six months prior to the anticipated date of marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In case of emergency only, when someone is dying, please call the pastor's emergency line at 715-629-9952. This number is for emergencies only. Those who are seriously ill or have been sick for a long time should receive the Sacraments. Please call the parish to make arrangements or to schedule a non-emergency visit for those who are sick or homebound.

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NEW PARISHIONERS

All new families are most welcome to the parish and are kindly asked to register at the parish office as soon as possible. A registration form may be downloaded at www.our-lady.org/contact. Current parishioners are kindly asked to inform the office of any address, telephone, or family status changes.

UPCOMING BAPTISM CLASS

The next baptism preparation class will be held on **Tuesday, October 18th at 5:30 pm**. The class fee is \$20. Parents should be registered in the parish. Practice of the faith by parents is expected. Please contact the parish office to register.

PARISH BOOK OF PRAYER

Prayer requests may be written in our Parish Book of Prayer which is located in the gathering area by the offices. A general petition for all prayer requests written in the book is offered at all Sunday Masses.

PRAYER CHAIN: Please call **Mary Kobza** at 715-421-0447 with your intentions.

SUNDAY EVENING MASS

A deanery-wide Sunday evening Mass is held each Sunday night at 5:00 PM at St. Lawrence Parish.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING FOR OCTOBER 9, 2022



General	\$7,036.00
Plate	\$912.25
Building Maintenance	\$107.00
Total	\$8,055.25

LECTIONARY READINGS

Readings for the week of October 16, 2022

Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8
Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145/Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33/Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

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The Sanctuary Candles burn the week of October 15– October 21 in memory of

Living & Deceased Members of Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish

Baby Bottle Collection

Please return the baby bottles to the parish by **October 22/23**. Thank you

Operation Christmas Child

Shoe boxes are on the table in the gathering space. There are also informational sheets on what items are to be included. Please return the boxes by **November 15th**. They are also taking donations of money to cover shipping costs. Thank you!!

What's interesting on Formed.org for October

Therese - October 1 is the feast day of Saint Therese of the Child Jesus. With a soundtrack composed by a cloistered Carmelite nun, this film is a beautiful retreat into the world of a St. Therese of Lisieux, an ordinary girl with an extraordinary soul.

The 13th Day - Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, and many thousands of independent eye-witness accounts, The 13th Day dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady between May and October 1917, which culminated in the final prophesied Miracle of the Sun on October 13.

True Worship - In this Podcast, Fr. Mike Schmitz talks about the highest form of worship—the Mass. Through this vibrant presentation, Fr. Mike makes sure that you will have a deeper and more profound experience of the Mass.

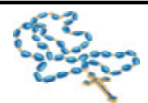
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CALENDAR

Thursday, October 27: All members and ladies, including those of area councils, are invited to honor our priests, deacons and deacon's wives by attending the Clergy & Religious Appreciation Dinner at Our Lady Queen of Heaven cafeteria starting with the Social Hour at 5:30 pm and the Dinner at 7:00 pm. Tickets are required and can be purchased from Ron Lorbeck at (715) 213-6758, Bill Plante at (715) 421-1698 and Len Schilesman at (715) 423-1296.

A **Pro-Life Rosary** will be said on Monday, November 14th at 4:00 pm along Eighth Street. All are welcome to join us. We will gather in Grace's parking lot at 3:45.



Mission Rosary Makers—The next date is Wednesday, October 19th. Please join us in the cafeteria from 1:00 to 3:00 pm.



Religious Formation Program

October 19 - Religious Ed Grades 1-10

October 26 - Religious Ed Grades 1-8

- 6th grade trip to Calvary. (a parent or guardian is required to attend).

October 28 - Middle School Youth Night

(Halloween Night) at Assumption HS

October 30 - High School Mission Night at Assumption HS

Adult Confirmation

Catholics out of high school who want to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation are invited to join our sessions starting in October. To register go to our website www.our-lady.org/confirmation

RCIA


Our lives sometimes go through seasons of change; of closeness to God and distance from Him. Yet God the Father's love is steadfast and ever-present to those who seek with a sincere heart, no matter what sins or situations have caused separation. If you have thought about becoming Catholic and beginning a new "season" in your life, contact Rebecca Zalar at reoffice@our-lady.org or call 715-423-1251.

"We are collecting books for a book sale to benefit AHS Campus Ministry. You can drop off books in the AHS front office, just inside the entrance to the SSPP parish office, or you can contact Jenna at 715-781-5254

or jenna.lynn@assumptioncatholicschools.org

If you need someone to come to your house to pick them up. We thank you for any books you might be able to contribute to this sale!"

"Mark your calendars! There will be a Book Sale November 10th-12th in the SSPP gym. All proceeds will benefit AHS Campus Ministry. Times for the sale will follow."



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AMENDED dates and times.

2022 Bingo Dates:
Oct 2 & 16 - doors open at 3:00PM, start time at 4:00PM
Oct 9, Nov 6 & 20, Dec 4 & 18 - doors open at 12:00PM, start time at 1:00PM



Proceeds Benefiting:
Assumption Catholic Schools Royal Parents and weekly individual ACS groups.

BINGO CARDS

Cost to play 10 games:
6 card sheet—\$10.00 (60 cards)
9 card sheet - \$13.00 (90 cards)

Cost to play 19 games:
6 card sheet—\$20.00 (114 cards)
9 card sheet—\$26.00 (171 cards)
Blackout cards included.

BLACKOUT BINGO

Additional Blackout card:
3 card sheet for \$0.50
6 card sheet for \$1.00

Location: Assumption High School gymnasium.

19 regular games will be played.
(Games 1-10 session, 10 minute intermission, Game 11-19 session)

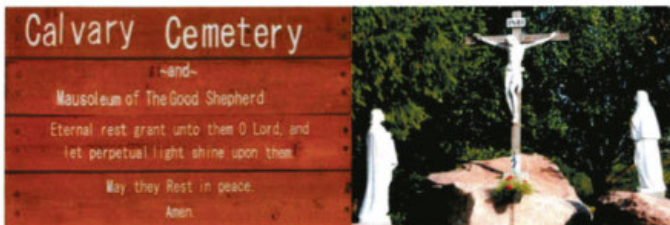
ALL cards must be purchased prior to the start of the first game.

Game #20 is Blackout.

Prizes: \$20.00 minimum per game. If multiple winners per game; winners will split the prize.

Blackout Prize: \$50.00 minimum jackpot

Any questions? Please contact Jill Vuwink, ACS Royal Parents President @ 715-252-3451 or email jilvuwink@gmail.com



17th Annual All Saints Prayer Vigil

Monday, October 31, 2022 at 8:00 PM

Calvary Cemetery, Hwy 54 E, WI Rapids
(across from Angel Gardens Floral & Design)

Meet near the Mausoleum and Pray for Souls on All Hallows' Eve

The evening will include:

- Evening Prayer, Litany of the Saints, Night Prayer
- Exposition, Eucharistic Procession, Benediction
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Greetings from the Social Justice Committee:

Thank you for your contributions to the food pantry in the last couple of weeks.

We are looking for a couple of new members. We focus on helping people in the community. We meet in person 3 - 4 times per year and work on projects the rest of the year. If interested or have any questions, call Mary at 715-424-4670.



In planning for the upcoming winter, we are having a Coat Drive for **the month of October**. The donated coats should be in good shape, with no holes, and the zippers or buttons should be working so the coat can be closed to keep people warm. If you wouldn't wear them, we shouldn't ask someone else to wear them. Coats can be any size, men's, women's or children's coats. The knitting group is working on some hats, mittens and scarves to go with the coats.

Please place any donated items in the bins near the front and side doors to the church. Thank you for sharing your gifts.

SWEPS food pantry is in need of a few items. They are having trouble getting jelly, dry pasta (elbow macaroni, or any noodles), cereal, canned soups, dish soap and shampoo. Also they can use paper grocery bags. If you place your donations in the bins near the exterior doors, we will make sure it gets delivered to the food pantry. Thank you.

Nov. 13 Fall Chicken Dinner at St. Michael Parish - Junction City. Drive thru only Serving from 11am to 1pm. Chicken dinner with chicken soup and all the trimmings for \$12

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Enjoy a variety of buffet items! Beverages available for purchase.
Limited seating.
Tickets are non-refundable. See you there!

Televised Mass on Spectrum Ch. 985 or Solarus Ch. 3, OLVH Mass at 9:00 AM on Wednesday. Diocesan Mass at 6:00 AM on Sunday.

UPCOMING MASSES & EVENTS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2022 ST IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH
8:00 am Morning Prayer & Communion Service

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2022 ST LUKE
9:00 am Children's Mass † Gail Seefeldt by: Mom & Dad
5:30 pm Baptism Class

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2022

STS. JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES
8:00 am Mass Collective Intentions
† Jack Carrigan by: The Family
† Clarence & Evelyn Keller by: The Family
† Jim Schmutzer by: Ryan, Heidi & Mason Hackman
† Wally & Janet Anderson by: Jeff & Martha Clavin
† Agnes Fuehrer by: John & Rosemary Hokamp
† Living & Deceased Members of the Romanski & Hamm Families
6:00 pm Religious Education Classes Grades 1-10

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2022

ST PAUL OF THE CROSS
9:00 am & 6:00 pm Bible Study
5:00 pm Mass † Terry, Francis & Mike Cherney
by: Pat & John Dekarske

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2022

8:00 am † Stan Bossenbroek by: Doug & Karen Pagel

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2022

8:00 Mass † Barb Tork by: The Family
8:30 am Confessions
3:00 pm Confessions
3:30 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Mass † Eleanor & William Slattery by: The Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2022

MISSION SUNDAY
7:30 am Mass † Matthew Smith by: Mom & Dad

10:00 am Mass † Beverly O'Donnell by: The Family

GREETERS



Saturday—October 22

4:00 pm Mark & Jeri Ann Reichl

Sunday—October 23

7:30 am Deb, Fran, Shirley Eron

10:00 am Gary & Kathi Wierzbicki

LECTORS



Saturday—October 22

4:00 pm Carol Dean

Sunday—October 23

7:30 am Deb Eron

10:00 am Mike Mancl

TWO OPPORTUNITIES FOR MUSICIANS

We are excited to announce that the **choir** at Our Lady will be restarting in September! If you enjoy singing in a group, you are cordially invited to join us. We welcome new members to give us a try. You'll be glad you did.

We are also looking for adults or high school students who would be willing to **cantor** for weekend Masses. Cantors are musical leaders who sing with the congregation. Instruction would be provided to individuals who are interested in doing this.

For more information regarding both of these opportunities, please contact Mary Englert at menglert@our-lady.org



PASTORAL THOUGHTS...

Supernatural Powers

Quite recently, I have been working with the Dead Theologians Society, a monthly middle and high school program about the saints at SS Peter and Paul Parish. At our last meeting, I was struck by St. Faustina's vision of Hell. In the vision, she recounts how most of the damned had never even believed in the existence of Hell, yet they were nonetheless there. This vision struck me because it points out a dangerous tendency in our human condition: we tend to take the supernatural with a super laxness. Magic or sorcery is a notable example; many today dismiss actual magic as not real, when in fact there is real and dangerous magic. Charms and healing crystals are another common example; people wear them with the thought that they are harmless superstitions, when in fact they call upon supernatural and unknown powers (CCC 2117). Demons are extremely intelligent beings, and one of their tactics today is subtlety. They can get a pathway to our lives by making us disbelieve them and their many ways of calling upon their power.

To many reading this article, this all might seem a bit too superstitious or like medieval simplicity. Let me assure you, I have met enough exorcists to know that demonic powers are real and quite dangerous. The stories of demonic problems can often start with innocent intent, and then superstitious activity coupled with mortal sin make for a scary time. For the sake of clarity, none of this is to awaken interest in these practices; I write these things to deter you. Please stay away from charms, sorcery, witchcraft or any practice that claims to call upon supernatural forces. Your best defense, as most exorcists have recommended to me, is the sacrament of Confession and the life of grace. Ten exorcisms cannot pretend to have the power of one good Confession, for devils cannot live in a house of light and grace.

In Christ, Fr. Weller

Dear Fellow Pilgrims,

Join me on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan from January 26 to February 6, 2023, leaving directly from St. Lawrence in Wisconsin Rapids. The price for this once-in-a-lifetime trip is \$3,400, with a down payment of \$1,500 due by November 9 (required to reserve your place). For a full itinerary, please contact St. Lawrence Parish office at [715-421-5777](tel:7154215777) or email me at friktrips@gmail.com. I hope you can join me on this special pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan, a special place for all of us.

Sincerely, Fr. Janusz Kowalski

ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NEWS

**"Let all that you
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1 Corinthians 16:14**



Did you know that October is National Bullying Prevention Month? Both Our Lady Queen of Heaven and St. Vincent De Paul schools use the *Second Step* program to teach our K-5 students important skills for getting along with others and doing well in school. The *Second Step* program also helps our school be a safe, respectful place where everyone can learn.

OLQH St. Francis Day Pet Blessing



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New FaceBook Page for the Parish

Check out our Lady Queen of Heaven's new FaceBook page. Our new page name is OLQHWisconsinRapids.

World Mission Sunday

NEXT WEEKEND we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Envelopes are on tables in church and are also included in your monthly envelopes.

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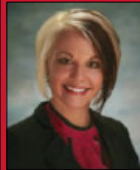
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