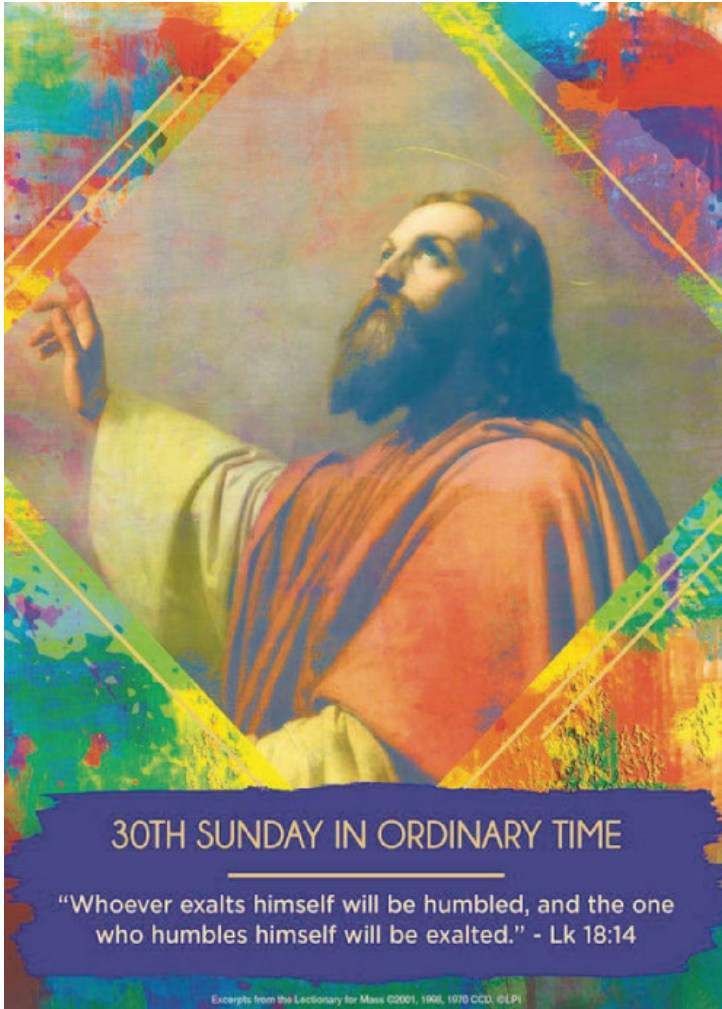




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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." - Lk 18:14

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8am–3:30pm • Friday: 8am–12:00 noon
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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, November 29th 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 16, 2022



General	\$8,972.00
Plate	\$948.60
Building Maintenance	\$220.00
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Total	\$17,314.60

LECTIONARY READINGS

Readings for the week of October 23, 2022

Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 342 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/
Lk 18:9-14

Monday: Eph 4:32—5:8/Ps 1/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144/Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19/Lk 6:12-16

Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/
Lk 19:1-10

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The Sanctuary Candles burn the week of October 22– October 28 in memory of

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CALENDAR

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.

Religious Formation Program

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

November 2 - Religious Ed All Souls' Mass Grades 1-10 (Go Straight to Church)

RCIA Inquiry Session

RCIA is an acronym that stands for "Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults." The first period of RCIA, called the "Inquiry" period and is open to anyone who is honestly seeking. This period requires **no commitment and imposes no obligation to join the Church**. Join us on Sunday October 30 at 11:15pm at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Cafeteria.

Middle School Youth Night (Grades 6-8)

Join us on October 28 for our welcome to "Edge" Halloween Party from 6:00-8:00pm at Assumption High School. This will be a night of food, music and games. To RSVP please email Rebecca at rzalar@our-lady.org.



All Souls Day—Remembering our deceased loved ones the weekend of October 29/30, during all of the Masses. We will be reading the names of all who have died from the parish during the last year and lighting a candle for them. We would also like to remember all of our family members and friends who have gone before us by placing a picture display by the statue of St. Francis. Please bring in a picture (framed or unframed— of all your deceased loved ones and place it on the table. Please make sure that you have put your name on the back so it can be returned. During the month of November we will offer a petition prayer at the Sunday Masses for the repose of their souls. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

All Saints Day

Tuesday, November 1st

Holy day of obligation

NO anticipated Mass Monday Evening

Mass Times Tuesday: 9:00 am & 5:00 pm

"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.lynych@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."

The Saint Challenge is launching on All Saint's Day, November 1st. It is a year-long series of challenges based on the saint of the day. In 90 seconds you'll learn a little fact about the saint of the day, and be given a challenge inspired by that saint. It could be a corporal or spiritual work of mercy, or something to improve your interior life and your relationship with God and neighbor. The Saint Challenge is free, and you can find more information and find ways to sign up at www.thesaintchallenge.com. Let's be saints!

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

OLQH Knitting and Crocheting Group



The knitting and crocheting group will meet again on **Friday morning November 4th at 9:00 AM** in the gathering area at church. We have been meeting every other month. If you are not able to make the meeting, we will work on winter items such as hat or mittens and lap blankets or prayer shawls for the nursing homes. You may drop off any knitted or crocheted items in the bins at church and I will pick them up. Thank you to everyone who has been bringing hand made items to church. Hope to see you at the next meeting.

"You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord." You are invited to a Day of Reflection on Saturday, Nov. 5 at St. John's-Marshfield, beginning with Mass at 8 am and ending at 3pm. \$10, including lunch. Sponsored by the Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites, Marshfield. Please call Caren Alsidis 715-897-1900 for more information.

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Greetings from the Social Justice Committee:

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.

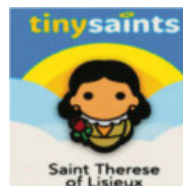
SWEPS food pantry is in need of a few items. They are having trouble getting jelly, dry pasta (elbow macaroni, or any noodles), cereal, canned soups, dish soap and shampoo. Also they can use paper grocery bags. If you place your donations in the bins near the exterior doors, we will make sure it gets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

The Rosary Group would like to thank everyone who purchased their items. They would also like to thank you for any donations made at their rosary display. All of the funds are used to purchase more supplies. It is all greatly appreciated.

Tiny Saints...With more than 200 saint charms and keychains at just \$5.00 each, Tiny Saints offers simple, affordable gifts and collectibles that are guaranteed to bring a smile. Supporters can enjoy shopping for their favorite saints, patron saints, and even learn about others for the first time while browsing! 20% of your purchase will go to support projects at Assumption Catholic Schools for purchases through October 31st. All shoppers at www.tinysaints.com will have the option to select Assumption Catholic Schools from a dropdown menu during checkout to support our fundraiser. There's no heavy lifting for parents, family and friends.

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



UPCOMING MASSES & EVENTS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2022 *ST ANTHONY MARY CLARET*
8:00 am Morning Prayer & Communion Service

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022

9:00 am Children's Mass † Living & Deceased Members of the Dekarske & Cherney Families by: John & Pat Dekarske

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022

8:00 am Mass Collective Intentions

- † Dick & Mary Amagost by: The Family
- † Barb Tork by: The Family
- † Douglas Borre by: Mom & Dad
- † Richard Schmutzer by: Sy & Ellen Schroeder
- † Tim Ebacher by: Family & Friends
- † Mike Hasenohr by: Karen Pagel

6:00 pm Religious Education Classes Grades 1-8
6th Grade—Trip to Calvary Cemetery

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2022

9:00 am & 6:00 pm Bible Study

5:00 pm Mass † Richard Obermeier by: The Family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2022 *STS SIMON & JUDE*

8:00 am † Doug Wettstein by: Bernie Ladick
NO School

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022

8:00 Mass † Wally & Janet Anderson by: Jeff & Martha Clavin

8:30 am Confessions

3:00 pm Confessions

3:30 pm Rosary

4:00 pm Mass † Mike & Mary Walloch by: The Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2022 *PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY*

7:30 am Mass † Charles & Alice Ashbeck by: Ron & Karen Tlachac

10:00 am Mass † Judy Van Beck by: The Tauschek Family

GREETERS



Saturday—October 29

4:00 pm John & Peg Wasshausen

Sunday—October 30

7:30 am Statz Family & Sue Basler

10:00 am Jim & Mary Krause

LECTORS



Saturday—October 29

4:00 pm Therese Miller

Sunday—October 30

7:30 am Diane Moss

10:00 am Deanna Probandt

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...

*“BEFORE I FORMED YOU IN THE WOMB
I KNEW YOU.”*

We are now just a few months past the overturning of Roe', turning the direct killing of a child in the womb, back to each individual state. The Catholic Church has been in the forefront in their pro-life stance. For that stance the Church has seen brutal attacks on pro-life centers, vandalism and defacing of many Catholic Churches. The onslaught of the cancel culture continues to demand that an innocent child in the womb of life, can be deliberately murdered, canceled, right up unto birth, for any reason. For two thousand years the Church has spoken out about the intrinsic evil of abortion. (Which means this act of murder is always evil). Catholic Principles of Morality- "Any direct attempt on an innocent life as a means to an end is unlawful." Pius XII

"Every human being, in the mother's womb has a right to life...hence there is no man, no science, no medical, eugenic, social, economic, or moral indication, that can produce a valid judicial title to a direct disposal of an innocent life."

"You shall not kill by abortion the fruit of the womb and you shall not murder the infant already born."
Apostles 90 A.D.

"To prevent birth is anticipated murder. It makes no little difference whether one destroys life already born, or does away with it in its nascent (growing) state, the one who will be a man is already one."
Tertillian A.D. 150-240

"But the man or woman is a murderer...who takes medicine to procure an abortion." St. Basil A. D. 374

"Some...with child, use drugs to procure abortion...laden with guilt of adultery against Christ, and child murder." Saint Jerome.

"Why then do you abuse the gift of God...and make the chamber of procreation a chamber for murder."
St John Chrysostom A.D. 391

Let us all continue to pray for all life, for all life is so sacred, and all life matters. The Catholic Church continues to spread the message of truth. Continue to have that moral courage to stand up for the rights of the unborn, and say no to any perceived law that *deliberately kills an innocent child in the womb, the womb of life.*

“BEFORE YOU WERE BORN I DEDICATED YOU.”
Deacon Tom

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** or email me at frjktrips@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

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Commission for sponsoring, at each of our schools, the in-school assembly, *Energy Endgame*, performed by The National Theatre for Children. During this assembly, our students learned about energy, energy conservation, and renewable resources.



The environment is God's gift to everyone, and in our use of it we have a responsibility towards the poor, towards future generations and towards humanity as a whole. . . "

-Pope Benedict XVI, *Charity in Truth* [Caritas in Veritate], nos. 48, 51

SVDP School is IN IMMEDIATE NEED of a morning child care professional. Hours are negotiable, but will definitely need to start at 6:45 a.m. Please contact Pam Fochs @ 715-422-0960 or pfochs@assumptioncatholicschools.org

Guest teachers needed for grades K-12-Flexible schedule, fabulous coworkers, and fantastic kids... what more could you ask for? Come join the family at Assumption Catholic Schools. You choose the grade level and the days you are available. Contact Michele Hass at 715-422-0904 for an application packet.

New FaceBook Page for the Parish

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

Today is World Mission Sunday

We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call – to bring the Gospel to all! The collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity

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