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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 August 9, 2020

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
 3:30—3:50 pm on Saturdays at St. Rita
 8:30—8:50 am on Sundays at St. Mary
 10:30—10:50 am on Sundays at St. Anne
 (Or call Fr. Joseph for an appointment)

CONTRIBUTIONS for July 19, 2020

		Online	
St. Anne - \$	825.50	St. Anne - \$	425.00
St. Mary - \$	768.36	St. Mary - \$	250.00
St. Rita - \$	1,005.00	St. Rita - \$	490.00

We encourage your parish giving by going onto our website: <https://ncc.weconnect.com>. Or you can mail your envelope to the parish office at PO Box 110-Boulder Junction, WI 54512. If you have any questions please call the office @715-385-2390

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
 I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at the moment receive You sacramentally, Come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.
 Amen.



19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. - Mt 14:28-29

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCC. GLP

Welcome Back , It is good to see everyone.
REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE
Wednesdays at 8:00 am—St. Mary, Sayner
Thursdays at 9:00 am—St. Anne, Boulder Junction
Fridays at 9:00 am—St. Rita, Presque Isle
Saturdays at 4:00 pm—St. Rita, Presque Isle
Sundays at 9:00 am—St Mary, Sayner
Sundays at 11:00 am St Anne, Boulder Junction
Due to the fact we are only allowed to have 25% of total occupancy, we are asking you to call the office Mon—Thurs. 8:30 to 4:30 at 715-385-2390 or email me at stannechurch@centurytel.net to preregister each week for which Mass you are attending and how many people. You are encouraged to attend our Masses through the week to help in this matter.
 We are also live streaming Sunday Mass on YouTube on Sundays. Go to YouTube, Type in Northwoods Catholic Churches , Scroll down to St Anne Mass. You can watch anytime on Sunday after 11:00 am.
 Thank you and God Bless

ALL THREE PARISHES

Special Prayer Request: Please pray for the health of Joe Lakota, Greg Shimon, Dale Muth. Our prayers also go out to all Police, Fireman, First Responder, and the active-duty men and women who are serving in the military.

If you have a special prayer request, please contact Kathy in the church office at 715-385-2390

ST. MARY PARISH

Reader For Aug 16th: Jessica Grafwallner

Lay Leadership: Trustees: Sue Kessro, Nick Chicka.
Parish Council: Jim Nellessen (Chair), Ida Nemec (Secretary) Stan Rakowski, Jessica Grafwallner

Finance Council: Ed Johnston

To add a name to the prayer chain call Peggy Tamel-ing at 715-542-3799 or Monica Fath at 715-542-2351.

The Following businesses give a percentage of their sales to our church. Camp's receipts: Mark CD3 on them and turn them into the red basket at camp's or drop them in the collection basket. Also save receipts from St. Germain Shell and turn them into the box in the front entrance of church.

Help Wanted

St Mary Church in Sayner is looking for someone to Clean the church. This is a part time job (Approximately 5hrs a week). For more details please call the office at 715-385-2390 or email me at stannechurch@centurytel.net

ST. RITA PARISH

Reader for Aug 15th: Leo Crawley

If you need help with getting groceries or anything else, we have willing volunteers. Please contact the office @ 715-385-2390

Lay Leadership: Trustees: Bob Hagen, Jerry Sanders

Parish Council: Otto Novak (Chair), Faith Newberry (Vice chair), Leo Crawley, Jim Steines, and Lisa Roan

Finance Council: Richard Schmalzer

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Anne, (1st Tues) of the Month at 5:30 pm

St. Mary, (2nd Wed) of the Month after Mass

SCHEDULE OF MASSES/MASS INTENTIONS

08/08 Sat.	St. Rita, Presque Isle	4:00 pm
	The People of the Cluster	
08/09 Sun.	St. Mary, Sayner	9:00 am
	In Memory of Rosemary Stark, by Judy Schell +Cecelia Stefanski, by Stefanski Family +Jane Ross, by David Ross Family	
08/09 Sun.	St. Anne, Boulder Junction	11:00 am
	+Judy Durand, by Scott Durand +Nancy Rufa, by Bob Ford	
08/12 Wed.	St. Mary, Sayner	8:00 am
	Eucharist Adoration after Mass +Ken Lauer, by Jim & Diane Guckenbug +Mel Fath, by Family	
08/13 Thur.	St. Anne, Boulder Junction	9:00 am
08/14 Fri.	St. Rita, Presque Isle	9:00 am
08/15 Sat.	St. Rita, Presque Isle	4:00 pm
08/16 Sun.	St. Mary, Sayner	9:00 am
	The People of the Cluster +Ed & Tess VanDenHeuval, by Jim & Diane Guckenbug	
08/16 Sun.	St. Anne, Boulder Junction	11:00 am
	The Family of Smrz, by Toni Smrz +Judy Durand, by Scott Durand	

ST. ANNE PARISH

Reader for Aug 16th: Janie Russell

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Lay Leadership: Trustees: John Ader, Therese Safford
Parish Council: Barbara Douglas-Johnson (Chair), Susie Schwanda (Vice-Chair), Dennis Aukstik (Secretary), Peter Kable, Mary Van Grinsven.

Finance Council: Tom Wierzba, Greg Van Grinsven.

Bible Study: Is not meeting at this time

Money Counters: We are looking for volunteers to count money on Mondays at 9:00am. Please contact the office.

Save Your Coontail receipts! Coontail Market will donate 1% of sales to our church. Just write the number 6 on your receipt and deposit it in the clear plastic container by the door.

Become a New Parishioner!

Circle the church of interest:

**St. Anne
Boulder Junction**

**St. Mary
Sayner**

**St. Rita
Presque Isle**

This form gives you an easy means to let the parish office know that you would like to become a member of our parish family. Please drop it in the collection basket, email it or mail it to the parish office (contact info above).

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Welcome! We are so happy your are here!

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Be still and know that I am God. Silence is sacred. Silence speaks the language of the soul and is the foundation of all life and eternity itself. Silence takes us beyond the limits of our minds and allows us to seek and to love the essence of all love, perfect love, and being. In silence, we can be non-verbally present to things and to God in ways that words cannot accomplish. We can discover, encounter, and be present to truths that our minds struggle to conceive and then set aside the boxes we put around things when comprehending them is challenging. We can know the unknowable and touch eternity when we encounter the core silence in our souls.

We can do this even on a noisy street and in the midst of the greatest distraction. Once we have made friends with silence, the rambling noise of the world no longer seems to matter, and we can carry a deep forgiving peace within us, even when physical silence cannot be found. We know that we are loved, cared for, sustained, nourished, embraced, and carried. There is nothing to fear in silence, and I can be present to myself in the same way that God is present to me. I can see myself as God sees me. All of my faults, weaknesses, imperfections, failings, and sinfulness melt away in the abundance of God's mercy. All of the worldly things we see as being important no longer are.

It is in silence that all of the barriers that divide us disappear. There is no more "yours," and "mine" but only the oneness of "ours." There is no longer a need to "figure things out," and we tap into our desire to simply let things be. Silence is creative and powerful and gives us hope. Silence is God's greatest blessing. God became one with humanity in silence. It allows us to be one with all of creation, with the moon and the stars and all of the creatures God has made. The smallest particle of creation radiates with beauty. Silence allows us to soar beyond ourselves and connect in ways that the mind can only imagine. When all is quiet, we begin to see that it is only our fear that keeps us from the Lord. It is our fear that causes us to sink and to fail. We can hear the gentle whisper that tells us to reach for God's hand. We discover that we yearn for the salvation and wholeness that only God can give to us. Be

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