Parents of candidates for Baptism are expected to be registered, participating members of a parish. Contact either office three months in advance to schedule a date. The paperwork must be submitted to the office 2 weeks in advance of the scheduled date. Parent instruction class is required before baptism.

Candidates for Marriage are expected to be registered, participating, contributing members of the parish. Please make an appointment with the priest at least 6 months in advance. The paperwork must be submitted to the office 2 weeks in advance of the scheduled date. Parent instruction class is required before baptism.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday-3:30pm Lena, Sunday-8am Coleman or by appointment. When there is a visiting priest, there will be no Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Communion for the Homebound Home bound individuals who would like to receive Holy Communion on First Fridays of the month, please call the parish office to make arrangements. 920-829-5222

Mass Schedule

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*To schedule Masses you may call either site*
Let us see the truth so far in this parable for this Sunday.

It should never have been called the parable of the Prodigal Son, for the son is not the hero. It should be called the Parable of the Loving Father, for it tells us rather about a father's love than a son's sin. It tells us much about the forgiveness of God. The father must have been waiting and watching for the son to come home, for he saw him a long way off. When he came, he forgave him with no recriminations. There is a way of forgiving, when forgiveness is conferred as a favor.

This is one of Jesus' most beautiful parables, which teaches us once more that God is a kind and understanding Father. It expresses the essence of the divine mercy in a particularly clear way. We should also consider that if God has compassion towards sinners, He must have much more towards those who strive to be faithful to Him. We have to be humble enough to recognize that we need God's forgiveness to be whole.

**Eucharistic Liturgy**

**Monday, September 16, 2019**

*1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9 [6]/Lk 7:1-10*

No Daily Mass

**Tuesday, September 17, 2019**

*1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6 [2]/Lk 7:11-1*

8:30am People of the Parish

**Wednesday, September 18, 2019**

*1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 7:31-3*

8:30am People of the Parish

**Thursday, September 19, 2019**

*1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50*

8:30am + Deceased Members of the Bellow Family

**Friday, September 20, 2019**

*1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3*

8:30am + Don, Marlene & Dean Jagiello

**Saturday, September 21, 2019**

*Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13*

4pm + Norman Hodkiewicz & Deceased Members of the Hodkiewicz Family

6pm People of the Parish

**Sunday, September 22, 2019**

*Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 [cf. 1a, 7b]/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-1*

8:30am + Dean Mongin

10:30am + Kyle Hodkiewicz, Bud & Erik Tousey

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**Events of the Week**

**Monday, September 16, 2019**

Punt, Pass & Kick Contest: 3:30pm L

**Tuesday, September 17, 2019**

Food Pantry 10-11am & 6-7pm

**Wednesday, September 18, 2019**

RE Class (Coleman 6th No Class-Camp)

Friends Meet 1pm C

**Thursday, September 19, 2019**

No Events

**Friday, September 20, 2019**

No Events

**Saturday, September 21, 2019**

Maintenance Collection

**Sunday, September 22, 2019**

Maintenance Collection

Lena Knights of Columbus Punt, Pass & Kick

Monday, September 16th

3:30pm Behind Lena High School

Ages 8-12

Boys & Girls

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**Church Support**

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**RE NEWS**

Our RE year has officially started. Thank you to everyone that attended Opening Mass. Please keep our RE program in your prayers. This Sunday is Catechetical Sunday, a sincere thank you goes out to all our Catechists and aides for their time and faith, and the countless ways they support our youth through our RE program. If you see one of these amazing people please thank them for the service they are doing for our church—and our youth!

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**Upcoming Events:**

- **9-18:** First RE Class
- **9-25:** Class
- **9-28:** Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help-ALL 10th Graders 7:45am-3pm
- **10-2:** Family Night-6pm Coleman-ALL Students & Families

**KC CORNER**

Brother Knights: Please remember that our new year began August 1st. Please commit to attending our monthly meeting on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Your help is needed for us to continue our program Special Olympics was a great success again. 43 Olympians participated and 7 council were represented: Coleman, Lena, Oconto Falls, Oconto, Marinette, Crivitz & Niagara. Thank you to the Larry & Lucas Meyer Family for coordinating this program. We have added 15 new bricks to our Memorial Walk. The latest are Mariana Meissner, Mike & Kat Meissner, and Cary & Elaine Meissner. This is a great way to be remembered or to remember someone who has touched your life. We will be adding a small stone, 24”x30”x18” to remind us to “pray for the unborn”.

**SAVE THE DATE/VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

It is that time again, we will be updating our picture registry. Picture dates will be November 6th-9th and 13th-16th. **Looking for volunteers for a Program Coordinator, Photography Days Scheduler and people to check in on the photography days.** Please call either parish office to let us know if you can help. Watch for more information and to sign up!

**PARISH MISSION PLANNING**

We are looking for members for our Parish Mission Planning Committee. We are missionary disciples striving to lead all people to the Kingdom of God. As friends and followers of Jesus, we are devoted to fostering households and communities of discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.

**RED MASS**

Red Mass—September 19th, 2019 at 5pm, St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, 140 South Monroe Ave., Green Bay. All Faiths are welcome! During this Mass, all members of the legal community and those who hold public office, including judges, governmental officials, attorneys, legal staff, paralegals and law school faculty, are reminded of the importance of their vocations and ask for God’s guidance in administering their office or position with wisdom, justice, fortitude, compassion and counsel. All members of the public, Catholic and non-Catholic, are invited to Mass to join in prayer.

**THANK YOU**

A big heartfelt thank you goes out to all of our volunteers that help make our church run smoothly. It takes many hands to make sure our daily and weekend masses, funerals, weddings, baptisms, Religious Ed program ...and our church events like Booyah, Parish Breakfasts, raffles, etc...run as effortlessly as they do.

**Stewardship Sign-Up Weekend is coming up October 5th and 6th!** Please prayerfully consider signing up to help out in one or more of the ministries.

**Activities Committee**

The Activities Committee brings the parish family together by arranging celebrations of special occasions and social activities such as the church breakfast/raffles, polka masses, booyah and food stands. They coordinate, plan, find volunteers, volunteer themselves and clean up after the parish fundraisers.

**LENA OFFICE CLOSED**

The Lena Office will be closed Tuesday, September 17th in the morning. I will be in for a while in the afternoon.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 4PM LENA
READER: Jenni Shallow
MUSICIAN/SONG LEADER: Karen
BODY OF CHRIST MIN: Father, Shirley Kushava
BLOOD OF CHRIST: Jeanie St. Louis, Cel Dantinne
SERVERS: Logan & Tyler Shallow
USHERS: Darrell Kushava, Mike LaFave

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 6PM COLEMAN
READER: Hailey Ziemer
MUSICIAN/SONG LEADER: Terry
BODY OF CHRIST MIN: Father
BLOOD OF CHRIST MIN: Fran Giese & Volunteer
SERVERS: Mackenzie Nowak
USHERS: Kathy Bader, Don Stank, Jim Nowak

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 8:30AM COLEMAN
READER: Jerry Haske
MUSICIAN/SONG LEADER: Terry
BODY OF CHRIST MIN: Linda Haske, Delores Jarosinski, Art Rouse
BLOOD OF CHRIST MIN: Marilou Stillings, Walter Jarosinski, Kris Baenen, Annette Earley
SERVERS: Madison Woulf
USHERS: Jim Perreault, Marty Woulf, Larry Meyer, Jim Rothlesberger
GREETERS: Ann Perreault

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 10:30AM LENA
READER: Julie Aubry
MUSICIAN/SONG LEADER: Marie
BODY OF CHRIST MIN: Father, Ed Patenaude
BLOOD OF CHRIST: Teresa Young, Brenda Hurning
SERVERS: Kaelyn & Kyler Cook
USHERS: Tim Young, Kelby Cook

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