The Catholic Parish Communities of

ST. MARY PE

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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. - Lk 3:21-22a

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3:45 - 4:15pm or by request

MASS TIMES: Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 10:00am Wednesday: 12:45pm Friday: 8:30am

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RECONCILIATION:	Sunday:	7:15 - 7:45am or by request
MASS TIMES:	Sunday: Tuesday: Thursday:	8:00am 8:30am 8:30am

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

RECONCILIATION

St. Mary.....Saturdays, 3:45-4:15pm SS. Joseph & Edward....Sundays, 7:15-7:45am

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 8 at St. Mary 4:30pm ⁺Chuck Boehm by Estelle Boehm

Sunday, January 9 at SS. Joseph & Edward 8:00am †Jayne Hruska by Marilyn Pellshaw Sunday, January 9 at St. Mary 10:00am †Loren Howarth by Jan & Jim Vandehei

Tuesday, January 11—NO MASS

Wednesday, January 12—NO MASS 12:45pm Liturgy of The Word—Deacon Chuck

Thursday, January 13–NO MASS

Friday, January 14—NO MASS Saturday, January 15 at St. Mary

4:30pm †Loren Lange by Ben & Char Duran

Sunday, January 16 at SS. Joseph & Edward 8:00am [†]Bridget, William & Dolly Martin by Bob & Karola Martin Sunday, January 16 at St. Mary 10:00am [†]Michael Tonn by John & Lisa Berth



IN REMEMBRANCE

The Sanctuary Light at St. Mary for the week of January 9-15 is

In Memory Of Bob VanVooren.

donated by Kay VanVooren

Please Pray the ST. MICHAEL PRAYER daily for

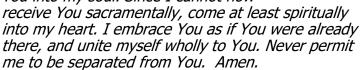
the needs of the parish and the nation.

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.



Spiritual Communion Prayer *My Jesus,*

I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now



LITURGICAL MINISTERS—January 15 & 16

Ministers of Communion					
	Fr. Robert, Deacon Chuck				
8:00am	Fr. Robert, Deacon Chuck				
10:00am	Fr. Robert, Deacon Chuck				
Ushers					
	Carl Gullicksen, Gerard Wrobel				
9:00pm	Wayne Blickhahn, Bob McQueeny				
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10,00am					
Altar	ServersServers				
	VolunteerDave Junak				
8:00am	John Lefebvre				
10:00am	VolunteerGail Nystrom				
Lectors					
	Dave Junak				
8:00am	Kevin Lynch				
10:00am	Beth Beranek				
10:00amBeth Beranek Organists & Musicians					
4:30pm	Rob Doersam, Kathy Wills Vorpahl				
8:00am.	Jill Leslie				
10:00am	Rob Doersam, Kathy Wills Vorpahl				
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Due to the increase in COVID cases, we ask you to please stay home if you do not feel well.

Wearing of masks at Mass is strongly recommended.



Covid-19: A Prayer of Solidarity

For all who have contracted coronavirus, We pray for care and healing.

- For those who are particularly vulnerable, We pray for safety and protection.
- For all who experience fear or anxiety, We pray for peace of mind and spirit.
- For affected families who are facing difficult
- decisions between food on the table or public safety, We pray for policies that recognize their plight.
- For those who do not have adequate health insurance, We pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.

For those who are afraid to access care due to immigration status,

- We pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.
- For our brothers and sisters around the world We pray for shared solidarity.

For public officials and decision makers, We pray for wisdom and guidance.

Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all.

Grant peace. Grant comfort. Grant healing. Be with us, Lord.

Amen.

OUR PARISH COMMUNITIES

YOUTH MINISTRY

Welcome, Dustin Dreifuerst! Dustin will serve the parishes of Holy Family, St. Mary and SS. Joseph & Edward as Youth Minister.

According to Dustin, "This will not be your average youth group. We will be discussing topics such as the faith being a solid foundation in a changing world, miracles, spiritual warfare, monastic prayer life, and much more."

Meeting at St. Mary on **Friday, January 14**. Details to be announced.

SAVE THE DATE

Baptismal Bib Question:

At my grandson's Baptism, the priest put a bib on the baby. I do not remember seeing this before. Why is this done? Is it something new?

Answer:

When an adult is baptized, there is a part in the ceremony when the newly baptized is vested in a white garment. It is symbolic of the changes that baptism brings in the life of the baptized as they are freed from the bonds of sin and brought into the saving grace of Christ. Realities that are so profound are symbolically presented so that we might better grasp and understand them.

Infants are often dressed in a baptismal dress, which is the baptismal garment. In some places, the bib is used as a kind of baptismal garment. At the place in the ceremony where the investiture takes place, the bib is used. Some are poncho-like and fit over the baby's head. Others are simply placed on the baby's chest. If the baby is dressed in a white garment, nothing else is needed. The prayer says it all: "See in your white garment the outward sign of your Christian dignity ... bring that dignity unstained into the everlasting life of heaven." In baptism, we are given our purpose and goal in life as believers and this is symbolized by the white garment. ©LPi

2021 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

BOTH PARISHES: If you want to receive a statement of your 2021 contributions:



SS. Joseph & Edward:

A sign-up sheet is on the table in the Gathering Area. Please check off if you want it mailed or if you will pick it up.

St. Mary:

A sign-up sheet is on the table in the back of church. Please check off if you want it mailed or if you will pick it up.

FAITH FORMATION — BOTH PARISHES

BUILDING FAMILIES OF FAITH



Faith Formation Calendar of Events

- January 12: <u>Regular Classes- All Grades</u> Grades 1-6: 6:00-7:15pm Grades 7-11: 6:00-7:30pm
- January 16: Sunday Confirmation Retreat 9:30am-7:15pm
- January 19: <u>Regular Classes- All Grades</u> Grades 1-6: 6:00-7:15pm Grades 7-11: 6:00-7:30pm
- January 26: No Classes This Week



EVERY GIVEN SUNDAY 10:00am Mass CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Meets in the St. Nicholas Room

Children ages 3 years-2nd grade can be dropped off at the St. Nicholas Room **BEFORE** Mass and <u>they will</u> <u>be dismissed back to you after the offertory gifts are</u> <u>taken to the altar</u> or you are welcome to come pick them up at that time. *CRYING BABIES* are very welcome to join us anytime!

Church Activity Totes are available and can be found hanging on our little coat rack near the St. Nicholas Room.

The St. Joseph Conference of St. Vincent de Paul

is in need of linens. Please donate new or gently used bedding and towels. A basket is available in both parishes for your donations.

PLEASE SHARE



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Please Submit Bulletin Articles By 12:00 PM Monday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Sun: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/ Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/ Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/ Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/ Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/ Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 Mon: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/ Mk 1:14-20

- Tue: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/ Mk 1:21-28
- Wed: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/ Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39 Thur: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/ Mk 1:40-45
- Fri: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/ Mk 2:1-12
- 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Sat: Mk 2:13-17
- Sun: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/ 1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- The Baptism of the Lord Sun:
- St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Thur:
- 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sun:

WALSH RUMMAGE SALE

SS. Joseph & Edward Parish will hold a rummage sale on March 25 & 26 from 8am-2pm. Start your spring cleaning early and donate to one of our big money makers.



Items that will be accepted: power tools and small appliances (must prove they are working); shoes and socks (must have a pair); gently used and clean clothes; seasonal and clean housewares.

Items that will not be accepted: large appliances, microwaves, stoves, etc.; electronics, TV, VCR, DVD, computers, etc.; mattresses; carpet or pads; underwear; items that are broken, dirty or has parts missina.

Nothing may be dropped off unless chairpersons Mary Labunski, Mary Marzu or a designated volunteer is present to sort through the items. Drop off times are 9am-10am on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays OR you may call Mary L. at 715-291-8009 or Mary M. at 715-732-1524 for an appointment to drop off at another time.

Workers are needed starting the week of January 10 on Tuesdays and Thursdays after 9am. Any amount of time you can work will help. Please sign-up to work on the sheets on the table in the Gathering Area and save us time calling everyone. Evening times are also available. Call either Mary L. or Mary M. at the numbers listed above to work a time not listed.

SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS ACADEMY

715-582-4041 Elementary Office: Middle/High Office: 715-735-7481 Web site: www.thomas-aquinas.org



Principal - Jonathon Keepers Now enrolling for Second Semester! The new semester begins on Monday, January 17. Please contact the office if you are interested.

The monthly **Board of Trustees Meeting** will take place on Wednesday, January 19 at 6pm at the STAA Elementary Campus.

BUILDING THE DOMESTIC CHURCH WHILE STRENGTHENING OUR PARISH

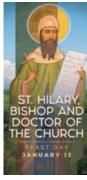
Welcome back! Join us for Progressive Bingo on Sunday, January 9 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Doors open at 4:30pm. Early Bird starts at 6:00pm. Come join in the fun!



God Bless! Matt Duffrin, Grand Knight Marinette Council 719 mattduffrin@gmail.com (906)290-4280

St. Hilary of Poitiers, **Bishop and Doctor of the Church** Feast Day: January 13 Born a pagan, St. Hilary

(c. 315 – c. 367) studied philosophy and the meaning of life, eventually making his way through the bible. He became a convert and was appointed bishop of Poitiers in 353. Sometimes referred to as the Hammer of the Arians, St. Hilary defended the Nicene Creed against a popular heresy, Arianism. He was exiled to Phrygia for opposing Roman emperor



Constantius II, who preferred the heresy which denies Christ's divinity. From Phyrgia St. Hilary fought with his pen, zealously writing against the heresy.

Eventually he was allowed to return to Poitiers, but did so by a circuitous route, preaching against Arianism all the way. St. Hilary was likely the first writer of hymns in the West, his writings on the Trinity, Psalms and Gospel of Matthew survive today. St. Hilary was created Doctor of the Church, a title given to those who provided important contributions to theology and doctrine, in 1851 by Pope Pius IX.

Welcome!

SS. Joseph & Edward Parish is happy to announce that Lucy Reynolds has joined the Parish staff as Administrative Assistant.



Welcome, Lucy! We're glad you're here!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS Sunday, January 9

Following 8:00am Mass—Take decorations down-Walsh 11:30am CCW pre-party social at Corner Grille 12:00pm CCW Christmas party at Corner Grille

Monday, January 10 9:00am Take decorations down-Peshtigo

Tuesday, January 11 6:00pm Buildings & Ground meeting in Peshtigo

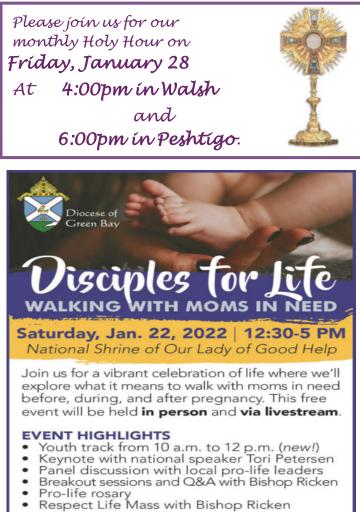
Monday, January 17 6:30pm Worship meeting in Peshtigo

Tuesday, January 18 5:00pm Finance meeting in Peshtigo

Thursday, January 20 5:30pm PPC meeting in Peshtigo

Tuesday, January 25 4:00pm SSJE Finance meeting at Peshtigo rectory 6:00pm PPC meeting in Walsh

Friday, January 28 4:00pm Holy Hour in Walsh 6:00pm Holy Hour in Peshtigo



For more details and to register: www.gbdioc.org/disciplesforlife

Office of Marriage, Family & Pro-Life Office of Living Justice

TIME TO TAKE THE TREES DOWN! SS. Joseph & Edward:



Decorations will be taken down immediately after 8:00am Mass today. We'd like your help! (There will be plenty of time to get things done before the CCW Christmas social begins.)

St. Mary:

Decorations will be taken down at 9:00am Monday, January 10.



CCW CHRISTMAS PARTY

The CCW Christmas party is happening today at the Corner Grille. The social starts at 11:30am, and the meal is at noon. **Please bring items for the food pantry.**

THANK YOU FOR SHARING WITH YOUR PARISH December 24-31, 2021

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THANK YOU FOR SHARING WITH YOUR PARISH January 1-2, 2021

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