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Blessed Virgin Mary

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Welcome back LSSU Newman Center (NC) Students and Families!

We warmly welcome the college students and their families with the beginning of the 2021/22 school year!

The LSSU Newman Center is a college Catholic Center. It is a great Catholic hangout space to pray, study, and grow in your faith. We are located across the road from Crawford Hall on Easterday Avenue.

The first Mass for the 2021/22 school year at LSSU's Newman Center (NC) will be held today Sunday, August 15th at 6:00 p.m.

Kick-off Week Events: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 8/17-18/21. Movie Night: 8/19 at 8 p.m. Game Night: 8/20 at 8 p.m. Beach Day at Monocle Lake : 8/21 depart at 10 a.m. Sunday night Mass at 6 pm with dinner to follow.

24 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

A twenty-four hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be hosted in the NC chapel at 517 W. Easterday to pray for all of the students, faculty, and staff on campus. A 7:00 p.m. Mass has been scheduled on Tues., August 17th with Adoration to begin at 8:00 p.m. and ending on Wednesday, August 18th at 8:00 p.m. To close the 24 hour Adoration, an 8:00 p.m. Mass will be held.

Parishioners are invited to sign-up for a one hour or more time slot. Please click on the attached QR Code to register.



Newman Center's Soup Sunday is back for the Fall Semester!

It has become a tradition to offer a simple soup supper each Sunday after the celebration of the 6:00 p.m. Mass. Our LSSU Newman Center will continue to offer this lovely meal which is called Soup Sunday for the LSSU students following the weekly Sunday NC Mass.

If you are interested in making soup for the students this year, click on the attached QR Code to sign up. The first Soup Sunday has been scheduled for August 22nd at 6:00 p.m.

Anthony has informed us many slots have been filled, however, still hoping for the August slots to fill-up. If you have any questions please email: newmanlakerstudents@gmail.com.

Thank you for your support!



Chippewa County Right-to-Life Call for Volunteers

The CC Right-to-Life will be hosting a pro-life informational booth in the Exhibit building at the Chippewa County Fair. Duties include giving away free pro-life materials and balloons. Please consider volunteering for a couple of hours or more.

Please call Rosalie Morrison at 906-440-4141 if you are interested in helping or have any questions. Donations are also accepted and can be mailed to: Chippewa County Right-to-Life, PO Box 5, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783.

Scheduled times to be filled:

Tues., Aug 31	4:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 1	11:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
Thurs., Sept. 2	11:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 3	11:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 4	11:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
Sun., Sept. 5	12:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
Mon., Sept. 6	10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

If you are at the Fair, please stop by to say, "Hello!"



Thrift Shoppe Volunteers are Needed

The Thrift Shoppe is seeking volunteers for the Monday and Friday shifts. Morning shift is from 11 until 1 and the afternoon shift is from 1 until 4. Substitute volunteers are also needed.

We will also be holding a Bag Sale from August 17 through August 26. Anything you can fit in a bag is only \$3 or \$5. Two bag sizes are available.

Please give prayerful consideration to becoming a part of this wonderful mission of our Parish. Thank you to those who reached out for our previous requests.

Contact the Parish Office if you are interested in helping.



Children's Liturgy of the Word Leaders are Needed

Leaders/Helpers are needed to teach the Children's Liturgy of the Word this Fall. If you are interested in becoming a Leader or Helper please call the Parish Office for more information!

Open Positions & Wish List

Needed: Sixth Grade Teacher at St. Mary's Catholic School. Campus Ministry Leader for LSSU Newman Center

Musicians/Singers: We are looking for musicians and singers who are willing to play once or twice a month for our Saturday 5 p.m. Mass or once a month at our Sunday 10 a.m. Mass. These are paid positions.

Video Technician needed to livestream our Masses onto the big screen in our Parish hall for those who are still social distancing and want to continue to be connected and receive communion. Possibly during Sunday's 8 a.m. Mass.

Email Father Mike if interested or you would like to make a recommendation.

Carmelite Monastery Silver Tea Saturday, Sept. 18, 2021 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. CST

The Sisters of the Discalced Carmelite Monastery of the Holy Cross will be holding their annual Silver Tea Fundraiser located at the Junction of US2 and M95 in Iron Mountain, MI

Tickets are being sold at the Parish office or at any Catholic Parish in the Diocese of Marquette. Suggested donation: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

Prizes:

- 1st: Kayak w/paddle & vest
- 2nd: Big screen TV
- 3rd: Gas grill
- 4th: Diamond earrings
- 5th: Baby stroller/car seat combo
- 6th: Handmade quilt

Need not be present to win. Stop in the office to purchase tickets.

Mass Schedule

Friday, August 13: 5:15 p.m.

For Elsie Davies by Sheila Williams

Saturday, August 14: 5:00 p.m.

+For Dan & Germaine Rose by Diane Glaz & Family

Sunday, August 15:

8:00 a.m.: +For Debbie Verrett by Tom & Susan Brown

10:00 a.m.: For the Parishioners of St. Joseph's Parish

6:00 p.m.: +Nancy Jones by the Family

Masses to begin at LSSU Newman Center

Monday, August 16: No Mass

Tuesday, August 17: 7:00 p.m. Newman Center

Mass followed by 24 hour Adoration

Wednesday, August 18:

4:00 p.m. Parish: +For Evelyn Trumbley by Ken & Nora Izzard

8:00 p.m. LSSU Newman Center Mass

End of 24 hour Adoration

Thursday, August 19: 12:10 p.m.

Friday, August 20: 5:15 p.m.

Saturday, August 21: 5:00 p.m.

For the Parishioners of St. Joseph's Parish

Sunday, August 22:

8:00 a.m.: +For Debbie Verrett by Susan & Tom Brown

10:00 a.m.: For Dennis & Pauline Mesnard by Charlotte Mansfield

6:00 p.m. : LSSU Newman Center

Friday's Mass at 5:15 p.m. is intended for those most vulnerable to COVID-19. All who attend MUST wear a mask. Thank you for your consideration.

Remembrance Candles



August, 2021

Table of the Lord

In Memory of Gary P. Artley, Sr. by the Artley and Trumbley Families

Tabernacle

In Thanksgiving to Sister Peggy for her 60 years of Religious Service by Bob and Lin St. Peter

Word of God

In Memory of Ginny Tetzlaff by the Tetzlaff Family



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults or RCIA

Meet & Greet:
Sunday, Sept. 12th at
6:30 p.m.

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or completing your sacraments, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the program for you!

St. Joseph's will be starting this program on September 19th from 6:30-8:00 p.m. We are inviting anyone who is interested in joining the Catholic Faith, completing your sacraments, or would just like to be a volunteer in the program.

Interested?! Please contact the Parish Office, or RCIA Coordinator, Josie Benoit, at 906-635-1281.

Complete the form and place in the collection box. Watch the bulletin and Flocknotes for updates.

RCIA Form

Please check the boxes that apply:

_____ I am interested in joining the Catholic Faith.

_____ I would like to complete my sacraments.

_____ I would like to help with the program.

_____ I would like more information.

Name

Phone number

Email

Child-Care: We are looking for child-care during the RCIA sessions. There is a short training and background check involved. Email Josie at jsife@hotmail.com if interested in applying.

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