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St. Joseph Church Corner of Carney & Stanton Marinette, WI Our Lady of Lourdes Church Corner of Taylor & Park Marinette, WI

Mass Times

	11100	
Saturday	4:00pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Sunday	8:00am	St. Joseph
Sunday	10:00am	Our Lady of Lourdes
Tuesday	5:30pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Wednesday	8:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes
Thursday	8:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes
Friday	8:30am	St. Joseph

4th Sunday of Lent March 27, 2022

Sacramental Celebrations

Baptism: Parents attend a preparation class at least one month prior to the Baptism date. Call the Parish Office to register.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 10:00-10:30am at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, or by appointment with the pastor.

Marriages: Contact Parish Office at least six months prior to planned wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: Individual arrangements can be made with the pastor. Call the Parish Office.

Staff

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Adoration Chapel

Websitehttps://godthefather.weadorehim.com/en



4th SUNDAY OF LENT

<u>Joshua 5:9a, 10-12</u> - In the three-year cycle of the Sunday readings, we only read from the book of Joshua two times: On this Sunday of Lent, and then on the twenty-first Sunday of year B. Joshua was Moses' successor in leading the Israelites to their promised land. The book of Joshua deals with the success of the Israelites in conquering the land that was promised to them. God's faithfulness to his people is the key message from the first reading. Israelites have entered the Promised Land.

There is the Passover celebration. God wants to enter into an intimate relationship with his people. Our reading also records the first celebration of the Passover since the Israelites left Egypt. They could not celebrate the Passover while they were in the desert. This celebration of their first Passover in the promised land implies that they now have the fruits of the land and they do not have to eat quail and manna. It is a celebration of a new life.

<u>2 Cor 5:17-21</u> - Paul mentions the new creation (see also Is 65:17; 66:22; Jeremiah 31:31; Ezekiel 36:26), and the old, gives way to the new (Isaiah 43:18). He develops an argument of how God reconciles sinners to himself through the death of Christ. He contrasts (1) the present age of alienation with the age to come; (2) the age of fulfillment and the age of union with God. Reconciliation is the main theme's teaching in this reading.

Reconciliation ends enmity with God. Paul is an agent of this reconciliation. His ministry (diakonia or service) of reconciliation is also his proclamation of the word.

<u>Lk 15:1-3, 11-31</u> - The prodigal Son. Often times when people read/hear this gospel, the first reaction is to think of the unfortunate situation of the bad boy, and possibly to condemn him. But there is much more for reflection. Paul, and all those who are involved in the work of evangelization, are messengers of this work of reconciliation. In a special way the first ambassadors of this reconciliation are the bishops and priests who administer the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

There are three main characters in the reading: the loving father, the prodigal son who goes away from home but returns, and the other son who stays at home. The prodigal son asks for his would-be inheritance. He gets it and goes to live a life of wastefulness. Then he suffers hunger and comes to his senses so much so that he repents of his actions and decides to come home and asks for forgiveness. He acknowledges his mistakes. On return, he is well received by his father who prepares a feast for him. The father is happy that his long-lost son has come home.

The second son stays at home, obediently working. But when he hears that his brother has returned, he refuses to go in the house to welcome him. He does not even recognize him as his brother, but refers to him as "that son of yours." He does not seem willing to forgive his brother. Even his father pleads in vain for the boy to come and feast with the others. The father! He is loving and does everything to please both boys. He loved the prodigal son and gave him the inheritance he asked for. Now he loves him, forgives him, and makes a feast for him. He also tries to reconcile the two boys, even though without success. He does anything to make his sons happy in all situations.

Now, which of those characters best represents me? Do I behave like the prodigal son? When I realize my mistakes, do I ask for forgiveness? Am I like the boy who stayed home, but I am never ready to forgive those who have done me wrong? Do I reject reconciliation with others? Am I like the father? Always willing to give, to help, to welcome, to reconcile? Do I listen?

THEME: Homecoming - People of God entered the Promised Land, and there, they kept the Passover. The prodigal son came home, and was received by the father: they reconcile.

Fr. Celestine Byekwaso cb5office@yahoo.com

Parish Life



Saturday & Sunday, March 26 & 27

- * World's Poor Collection, All Masses Monday, March 28
- * 6:30pm Special Needs Bible Study, HFPC Tuesday, March 29
- * 10:00am Bible Reflection, JPII
- * 6:00pm Pastoral Council Meeting, HFPC

Wednesday, March 30

* 5:45pm Faith Formation, STAA

Thursday, March 31

* 6:00pm Choir Practice, OLOL

Friday, April 1

* 5:30pm Stations of the Cross, SJ

Sacrif	icial	G	iving
March	14 -	20,	2022

March 14 - 20, 2022	
Total Income	\$ 7,846
Restricted Contributions* *Improvement Fund *Improvement Fund - St. Joseph *Good Samaritan *Flowers	\$ 20 \$ 40 \$ 72 \$ 195
Year to Date Budgeted/Envelope Collection	\$ 343,462
Year to Date Actual vs Budgeted Collection	\$ 1,186
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Early Bulletin Deadlines

Articles for April 10 bulletin due March 31 Articles for April 17 bulletin due April 6

PARISH BOOK CLUB

The Parish Book Club will have their next meeting on Monday, April 4, at 5:00pm (just for April) in the Holy Family Parish Center. We will be reading The Midnight Library by Matt Haig. For more information contact Jacki Hass at (715) 732-0063.

MEETING REMINDER



Our next meeting is **Thursday, April 7** at 6:00pm in the Holy Family Parish Center. The co-chairs for this meeting are Kathy Herning and Sue Proft.

HOLY FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Hi Faith Formation Families!

Please note the Faith Formation class schedule for the remainder of the year:

March 30 - Regularly Scheduled Class

April 6 - Regularly Scheduled Class

April 13 - NO CLASS (Holy Week)

April 20 - Regularly Scheduled Class (Last Class)

Jeri Keepers

Faith Formation Coordinator Phone: (715) 735-9100 Ext. 105 Email: jeri@holyfamparish.com

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School Office: (715) 735-7481 Office Hours: 7:30am - 3:00pm, M-F Principal - Jonathon Keepers



UPCOMING EVENTS:

(all events will be in the STAA High School Gym)

March 27 – Pancake Breakfast 8-11:30am

March 29 - Red Cross Blood Drive 9am-1:30pm April 3 – **40**th **Annual Auction** – Donations being

accepted now at the STAA Marinette Campus.

Call Kathy at (715) 923-0372 with guestions.

April 8 – *Fish Fry* 5-8pm April 15 – *Fish Fry* 5-8pm

Fish Fry Prices - \$15 (Perch), \$12 (Walleye)

40th Annual Auction takes place Sunday, April 3 in the STAA High School Gym. Doors open at 11am. Spring Raffle Tickets are available at both school offices, drawing takes place at the close of the Auction. Tickets are \$20 each or 6 for \$100. First prize is \$1,000. All proceeds benefit Tuition Assistance for our students.

WORLD'S POOR COLLECTION **MARCH 26 & 27**

This weekend is the World's Poor collection for one or all of these organizations. Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Pastoral Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa, and Peter's Pence.

Please designate your financial support on your envelope. Checks should be made payable to "Holy Family Parish." Your gift will give hope. dignity and opportunity to the poor and marginalized. Please give generously and continue to keep them in your prayers.

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 27, 2022

4th Sunday of Lent Sunday: April Fools' Day Friday:

Saturday: St. Francis of Paola, Hermit

Next Sunday: 5th Sunday of Lent

READING FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 27, 2022

Jos 5:9a, 10-12/

Sunday:

2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3. 11-32

Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54 Monday: Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16 Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47

Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30 Friday:

Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53 Saturday:

Next Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

Join us for Progressive Bingo on Sunday, March 28 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Doors open at 4:30pm. Early Bird starts at 6:00pm. Come join in the fun!

Knights of Columbus Charity raffle tickets are available from Knights members, ValuCare Pharmacy and Applejacks restaurant. 1st Prize \$50,000 or 2022 Ford F-150 XLT Supercab pickup truck!



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All donations for Easter flowers should be submitted to the office no later than Sunday, April 10.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

April 2 & 3, 2022

4:00pm 8:00am 10:00am

Readers/Proclaimers

Mary Falkenberg Kim Duffrin Viki Palid

Ushers & Greeters

Shirley Felch Matt Duffrin Jason Koenigs Jeff Stodola Dan Klarich **Eric Stauss** Volunteer Volunteer Reggie Stauss Andy Walters Volunteer Volunteer



Saturday, March 26

4:00pm (V-OLOL) †Helen Lund (Children)

Sunday, March 27

8:00am (SJ) †Dennis Wendel

(Patti Olsen & Tom

Lesperance)

10:00am (OLOL) †Living & Deceased Members

of Holy Family Parish

Tuesday, March 29

5:30pm (OLOL) †Deacon Jerome Thetreau

(Sharon Enderby)

Wednesday, March 30

8:30am (OLOL) †Bob Cisco

(Steve Waugus)

3:00PM (Ren) † Residents & Staff of

The Renaissance

Thursday, March 31

8:30am (OLOL) †Joan Meyer

(Richard & Dorothy Shaver)

Friday, April 1

8:30am (SJ) †John Peters

(Steve & Kathy Herning)

Saturday, April 2

4:00pm (V-OLOL) †Agnes Sauve

(David & Patty Vieth)

Sunday, April 3

8:00am (SJ) **†**Terry Hurley

(Jerry & Sandy DeBruin)

10:00am (OLOL) †Fran Stauss

(Stauss Family)

V - Vigil OLOL - Our Lady of Lourdes SJ - St. Joseph's

ATTENTION BAKERS

The Pie Booth at the 40th Annual Auction needs pies! Any flavor, any specialty, homemade or purchased and baked at home. Please bring pies to donate to the STAA Gym (1200 Main Street) on Saturday, April 2nd from 9 to 3 or Sunday April 3rd from 8 to 10. Thank you for your support and we hope to see you there!

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April 1

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Alexis Hayes
Amy Kretz
Beverly Parrette

April 2

Nancy Burns Dave Schutt

April 3

Chloee Bulin
Mariah Chenier
David Denby
Bob Jarentowski
Jeri Keepers
Scott Wahl
Colin Wortner

April 4

Richard Ahrens Hannah Anderson Marilyn Sahr

April 5

Macy Hermanson Jane Sutton

April 6

Elizabeth Kopish Eric Powers

April 7

Anna Harding Patricia Vieth

April 8

Alani Brzycki William Sedlar Gail Wanek Judith Williams

April 9

Pauline Erdman Susan Stenzel

April 10

Stephanie Stauss

April 11

Lisa Fernstrom Shirley Pisani Margie Reiswitz Dolores Rynning Bette Stodola

April 12

Nancy Cegelski

April 13

Sally Cholka Michelle Peters Mary Staudenmaier

April 14

Donna Enderby
Madalyn Fermanich
Jerome Haines
Kathleen Jansen
Julie Sauve
Beth Wettstein

<u> April 16</u>

Corey Cayemberg Sandra Evans Ron Johnson

April 17

April Keller Elaine Sevener

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April 18

Warren Gamelin Jr.
Dillon Hebert
Vicki Heinz
Carol Jensen
Bill Johnson
Addison Laurens
Judy McKenney

April 19

Cody Clifford Richard Schreiner

April 20

Linda Dugre Denise Flynn Rose Miron John Nault Julie Overman

April 21

Ann Heider

April 22

Mary Genisot Kathy Herning Chloe Seymour Braden Slater Matthew Wood

April 23

Bruce Barrette
Jerry DeBruin
Weston Harbick
Mildred Marcusen
Cameron Reiswitz
Madeline Reiswitz
Emily Schacht
Tracy Slater
Colton Stauss



April 24

Dane Borths Mary Reinke

April 25

Sally Casselbury Mare Hare Laura Hulce Heidi Sahr

April 27

Keegan Polomis

April 28

James Botkin Matthew Hardy

April 29

Kelly Borths Richard Waloway

April 30

Alison Ceranski Brad Gustafson Eli Menor Lynn Seils

Is your name missing or is someone on this list who moved away?

Please contact the parish office with any changes to help keep our information up-to-date!

Thank you!

Calendar of Events for April 2022



AK	Fri Sat	8:30am Mass, SJ 10:00am Confession 5:30pm Stations of & Adoration, OLOL the Cross, SJ 4:00pm Mass, OLOL	8:30am Mass, SJ 10:00am Confession, 5:30pm Stations of the Cross, SJ 4:00pm Mass, OLOL	15 Good Friday 1:00pm Service, OLOL Parish office closes at Noon Holy Land Collection Holy Land Collection FRIDAY Faster Fight	23 8:30am Mass, SJ 10:00am Confession, OLOL 4:00pm Mass, OLOL Bread Sunday	8:30am Mass, SJ 10:00am Confession, OLOL 4:00pm Mass, OLOL
•	Thu	1 8:30 5:30 the	7 8:30am Mass, OLOL 6:00pm Altar Society Meeting, HFPC	7:00pm Mass, OLOL 1:00pr OLOL Polor Clo Holy L	21 8:30am Mass, OLOL 8:30	28 8:30am Mass, OLOL 8:30
	Wed		6 8:30am Mass, OLOL 3:00pm Mass, WS 5:45pm Faith Formation, STAA	3:00pm Mass, CC 5:30pm Mass, OLOL 6:00pm Lenten Rosary Event, OLOL	20 8:30am Mass, OLOL 3:00pm Mass, LH 5:45pm Faith Formation, STAA	27 8:30am Mass, OLOL 3:00pm Mass, Ren
	Tue	LH = Luther Home OLOL = Our Lady of Lourdes REN = Renaissance SJ = St. Joseph STAA = St. Thomas Aquinas Academy SVdP = St. Vincent de Paul	5 10:00am Bible Reflection, JPII 5:30pm Mass, OLOL 6:15pm Liturgy Committee Meeting,	9:30am Mass, OLOL 10:00am Bible Reflection, JPII	19 10:00am Bible Reflection, JPII 4:00pm Finance Council Meeting, HFPC 5:30pm Mass, OLOL	26 5:30pm Mass, OLOL 6:00pm Pastoral Council Meeting, HFPC
	Mon		4 5:00pm Book Club Meeting, HFPC	6:30pm Special Needs Bible Study, HFPC	18 Parish office closed	25 6:30pm Special Needs Bible Study, HFPC
	Sun	Key CC = Cottages Care FrC = Fr. Courtney Rm FrH = Fr. Hogan Rm HFPC = Holy Family Parish Center JPII = John Paul II Rm KC = Knights of Columbus	3 5th Sunday of Lent 8:00am Mass, SJ 10:00am Mass, OLOL	10 Palm Sunday 8:00am Mass, SJ 10:00am Mass, OLOL	17 Easter Sunday 8:00am Mass, SJ 10:00am Mass, OLOL 11:00am Easter Egg Hunt, OLOL	24 Divine Mercy Sunday 8:00am Mass, SJ 10:00am Mass, OLOL 2:00pm Confessions, OLOL 2:45pm Chaplet 3:00pm Divine Mercy Sunday Mass OLOL 2:45pm Chaplet 3:00pm Divine Mercy Sunday Mass OLOL 2:45pm Chaplet S:00pm Divine Mercy

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Please prayerfully consider becoming part of the parish council. The council meets once a month to discuss what we can do to grow the parish, bring people back to Mass, increase the Catholic faith in our community and provide programs for children, young adults and families. We need your input! Please contact Lori Paul at (715) 587-0009 or lapatwork@yahoo.com for more information or to discuss how you can be involved.



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