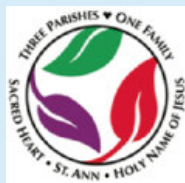


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Baraga County Catholic Community

“Three Parishes In One Family”

Today's Readings

First Reading:

“We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.” (Acts 5:32)

Psalm:

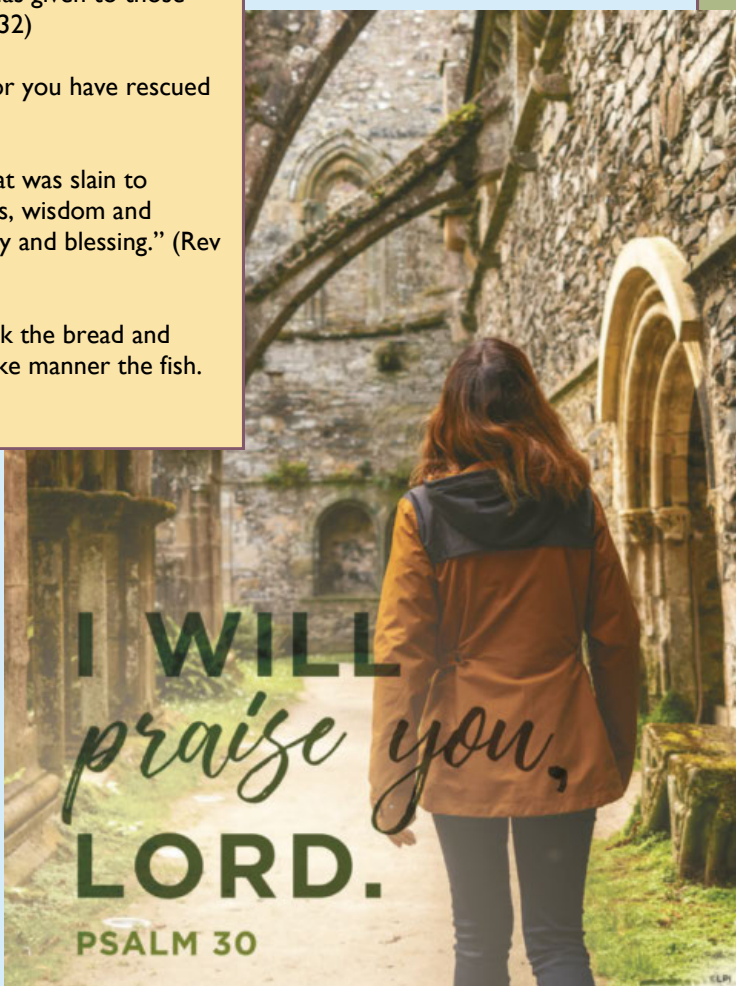
I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. (Ps 30)

Second Reading:

“Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing.” (Rev 5:12)

Gospel:

Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. (Jn 21:13)



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• OUR VISION •

We the members of Baraga County Catholic Community are three parishes in one family. We seek daily for the grace of God poured out in prayer and the sacraments to be the-best-version-of-ourselves both as individual believers and as a fellowship of the Body of Christ. We seek the lost by our hands-on outreach and unwavering evangelization efforts. Our one aim is to advance the kingdom of God by living the motto of Venerable Bishop Frederic Baraga to do all we do for the greater glory of God, which is the “one thing necessary”.

**MASS SCHEDULES † MASS INTENTIONS
† LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

(SH - Sacred Heart; SA - St Ann; HN - Holy Name)

TUESDAY, 5/3/2022:

- ◆ **5:15 pm, SA**, For Joseph and Elizabeth Chamberlin by Jacque Velmer

WEDNESDAY, 5/4/2022:

- ◆ **8:15 am, SH**, For Norma Campeau by Shirley Gustafson

THURSDAY, 5/5/2022:

- ◆ **8:15 am, SH**, For Nancy Haanpaa by Arlene Kempainen
- ◆ **12:10 pm, SA**, For NO MASS

FRIDAY, 5/6/2022:

- ◆ **8:15 am, SH**, For John and Martina Oleskie by Dorothy Rolof

SATURDAY, 5/7/2022:

- ◆ **8:30 am, SH**, For John Manderfield Family by Dorothy Rolof
- ◆ **4:00 pm, SA**, For Nathan Miron by Mom and Dad

Lector: Russ Weisinger

EMC: (Body) Art Barrett, Pat Spencer

Ushers: James Koskinen, Mike Koskinen

SUNDAY, 5/8/2022:

- ◆ **8:00 am, SA**, (Latin) For Bob Kissel by Paul, Mike and Greg

Ushers: Michael Kowalczyk, Dave Massie

- ◆ **10:00 am, SH**, For Ruth Brennan by Tim and Geneva Brennan

Lector: Truman Hagbloom

EMC: (Body) Karen Mansfeldt, John Mansfeldt

Hospitality: Karen Mansfeldt, John Mansfeldt

- ◆ **12:00 pm, HN**, For Chuck Loonsfoot by Mike and Jacque Velmer

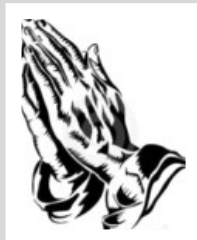
Lector: Nick Lindemann

Smudging: Bill Jondreau

Usher: Nick Lindemann

Ministers are reminded to please find replacements if you are unable to serve as scheduled. Please contact Lois at 338-2488 if you have any questions.

You can view the Mass Intentions and Candle Memorials for all three parishes on our BCCC website: Our Parish Life, Mass Intentions page.



Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Name:

Noon—6:00 pm Monday

Saint Ann:

6:00 pm Tuesday—5:00 pm Wednesday

Sacred Heart:

5:00 am Thursday—1:00 pm Friday

11:30 am to 2:00 pm Sunday

All are welcome to drop in at any time. No sign up needed.

If you are interested in signing up for an hour of adoration, please call one of these contacts:

Holy Name: Agatha Cardinal (906)201-4871

Saint Ann: Sue Massie (906)353-6349

Sacred Heart: Jacque Velmer (906)524-5307 or
(906)201-4720

There may be exceptions to these times. Please call Fr. Corey if you want to make an appointment for a different time.

Reconciliation

Saint Ann

6:00pm Tuesday (after Mass)

2:30pm to 3:30pm Saturday

Sacred Heart

11:00am to Noon Saturday

Holy Name

11:30am Sunday (before Mass)

Readings for the Week of 5/1/2022

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

Prayer Candles (4/28/2022—5/4/2022)

SACRED HEART

Sacred Heart Statue: Judy Robillard by Mary Ann Voskuhl

Under the Crucifix: Joan and James McPhillips by Family

SAINT ANN

Blessed Mary Statue: the Health of Baraga County Catholic Community

St. Joseph Statue: the Adoration Ministry

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**STEWARDSHIP RESULTS
For 4/17/2022**

Sacred Heart	\$ 3,893.25	over
Saint Ann	\$ 2,834.00	over
Holy Name	\$ 709.50	over

(totals include envelopes and loose collection)

In today's Gospel, we find the Apostles dejected and discouraged following the death of our Lord. Poor Peter decides to throw in the towel on the whole disciple thing and go back to his old way of life, declaring, "I'm going fishing." Upon hearing this, the other disciples follow him.

How easy it is for all of us to backslide on changes we have made in our lives, especially when it comes to our spiritual lives. But look how Jesus treats the disciples during their "backslide." He is right there with them in the midst of it, already waiting for them on the shore when they come back from their unsuccessful return to the fishing business (after abandoning their mission as disciples). Our Lord greets them tenderly, gives them some fishing pointers, and then prepares their breakfast. How gracious He is to them!

He is just as gracious today. When we find ourselves "out at sea" — discouraged by our failures or for squandering the gifts God has given us, or simply by a lack of progress in our faith life, Jesus is with us! He is calling to us from the shore to come back to Him without shame or embarrassment, but with hope-filled trust in His steadfast love. He never tires of offering "do-overs" if we just keep returning to Him.

This constant process of turning back to the Lord, of reevaluating our goals and priorities as we aim for Heaven, is the essence of a stewardship way of life. Let us take heart as we continue our journey today, secure in the knowledge that Jesus is beside us every step of the way.

— Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

Parishioner Update

Please pray for the soul of Francisco Jose Callejas, Eugenio's father.

Please welcome Dalyla Francois, Donovan Francois, Daniel Connor and Cara Connor who were baptized at Holy Name on April 23, 2022.

Prayer Corner

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Russell Vizina, Mari Sue Rusha, George King, Beth Allen, Megan Sprangers, Judy Robillard, Al Sirard, Robin Henry, John Juntunen, Michael Wagner, Pat Sands, Cecelia Owens, Ronald Koski, Steve Fair, Carol Eilola, Kathy Danielson

The full listing of all your prayer concerns is on our website. Names rotate off this list due to space but they remain on the website indefinitely.

Please pray for our deceased priests and deacons whose anniversary of their death is this week. Please refer to our website, Prayer Requests page, for a list of their names.

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From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph the Worker.

I would like to begin by again thanking the Knights of Columbus for allowing us to have the icon of St. Joseph in our parishes throughout this entire weekend. What a beautiful addition to this weekend's celebration of Holy Mass in honor of St. Joseph!!!

I would like to share with you this beautiful prayer composed by one of the popes that you could cut out and post somewhere as a reminder to ask the intercession of St. Joseph as you begin your daily work:

O Glorious St. Joseph, model of all those who are devoted to labor, obtain for me the grace to work conscientiously, putting the call of duty above my natural inclinations, to work with gratitude and joy, in a spirit of penance for the remission of my sins, considering it an honor to employ and develop by means of labor the gifts received from God, to work with order, peace, moderation and patience, without ever shrinking from weariness and difficulties, to work above all with purity of intention and detachment from self, having death always before my eyes and the account that I must render of time lost, of talents wasted, of good omitted, of vain complacency in success, so fatal to the work of God. All for Jesus, all through Mary, all after thine example, O Patriarch St. Joseph. Such shall be my motto in life and in death. Amen

Peace and God's blessings,

Fr. Corey Litzner



For Your Information

The **Let MI Kids Learn** petition drive is underway to promote educational justice legislation. Michigan children from low-income families would qualify for "Student Opportunity Scholarships" toward their out-of-pocket educational costs at public or nonpublic schools for tutoring, school supplies, computers, and tuition among other expenses. Donors to scholarship organizations would receive a state tax credit. Low-income parishioners and members of our community would benefit from this initiated legislation, regardless of where they send their children to school. The Catholic Bishops of Michigan support this effort. Please prayerfully consider signing the two required petitions to create the scholarships and tax credits to improve the education of Michigan's school children.

St. Ann Parish is accepting applications to rent the rectory house in Baraga. Three to five bedrooms, one full bath, two half baths. Heat and Village of Baraga utilities are included. Contact Dianne (920) 857-5553 for more details.

Retired priests of the Diocese of Marquette receive health and automobile insurance and a monthly pension from the St. Joseph Association, the diocesan priest retirement fund. Diocesan priests live independently during their retirement, and they use their pension for basic needs, such as food, housing and transportation. All parishes and missions in the Diocese of Marquette will participate in a special collection on **May 7th/8th** to help provide for our senior diocesan priests. It is essential that we ensure adequate retirement and health coverage in the years ahead for our priests, especially in these challenging times. Please return your collection envelope during next weekends' Masses or donate to the St. Joseph Association online by visiting dioceseofmarquette.org/giving.

Calling all young adults in their 20s, 30s, and 40s: Please join us for 8:00AM Mass at Saint Joseph Church in Lake Linden on Saturday, **May 7, 2022**. After Mass, we will gather at Lake Linden Park for a potluck brunch. Please bring a dish to pass. Plates, cups, utensils, and napkins will be provided. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Deacon Jeremiah Mason at 906.281.0862. Families are also encouraged to attend!

Raise hope and foster dreams. Consider being a foster parent. Call Jennifer Gransell, 906-290-1842, for more information.

Upcoming Calendar Events

Monday, 5/2/2022:

◆ **7:00 pm** — Prayer Meeting at Sacred Heart. All are welcome.

Wednesday, 5/4/2022:

◆ **6:00 pm** — Faith Formation, Sacred Heart Basement

Sunday, 5/8/2022:

◆ **4:00 pm** — Let's Eat. St. Ann's



"Solemn closing of the Council in the cathedral. This morning a collection was taken for me at St. Mary's Church which brought in \$77. At 3 p.m. I preached in this church." Bishop Baraga, May 5, 1861

April Song Fest

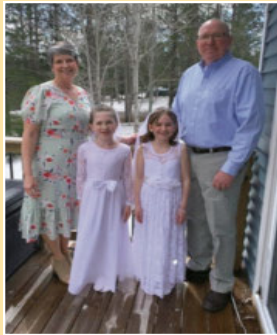
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First Holy Communion, 2022

Myra Maxson and her cousin, Chloe, received First Communion at St. Ignatius

With their grandparents, Larry and Mary Gasparich



First Communion at Sacred Heart:

Back row: Knight Dave Yonkers, Diane Richard, Jude Hagenbucher, Fr. Corey, Maev O'Leary, Sister Carolee, Knight Vern Miron

Front row: Georgia Larson, Owen Fortin, Blaise Hoehn, Thomas Carmody, Chase Chaudier



Caleb Callejas received First Communion at Holy Name



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