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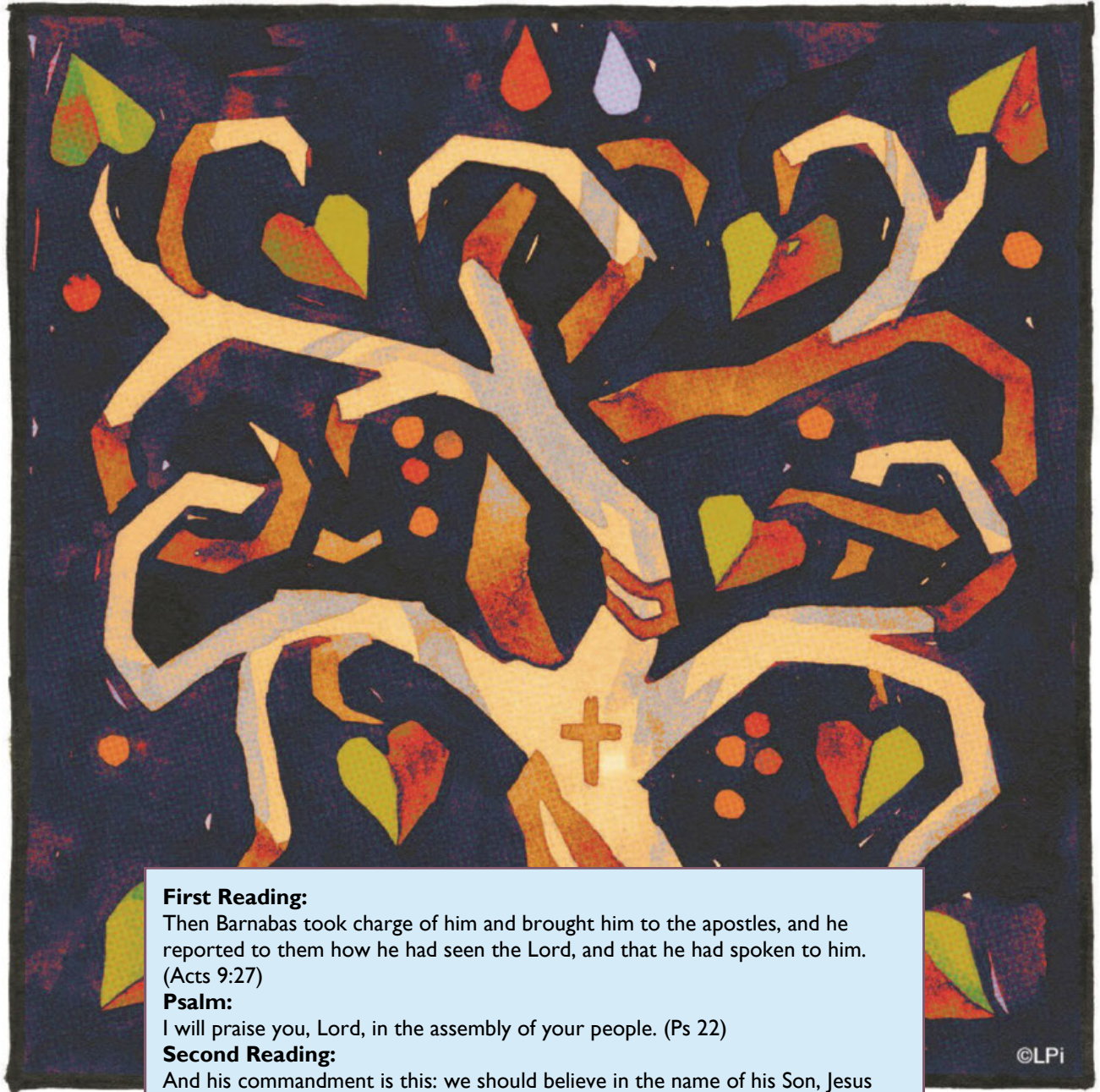
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Baraga, Michigan

Most Holy Name of Jesus/
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Baraga County Catholic Community

“Three Parishes In One Family”



First Reading:

Then Barnabas took charge of him and brought him to the apostles, and he reported to them how he had seen the Lord, and that he had spoken to him. (Acts 9:27)

Psalm:

I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people. (Ps 22)

Second Reading:

And his commandment is this: we should believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another just as he commanded us. (1 Jn 3:23)

Gospel:

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.” (Jn 15:5)

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

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

TUESDAY, 4/30/2024:

- ◆ **5:15 PM, SA**, For Dennis Connor by Barb Sirard and Family

WEDNESDAY, 5/1/2024:

- ◆ **8:15 AM, SH**, For Those Consecrated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
- ◆ **10:30 AM, Bayside**, For Boodie Schneider by Ann Nelson
- ◆ **12:30 PM, HN**, For Sara by Your Godmother

THURSDAY, 5/2/2024:

- ◆ **8:15 AM, SH**, For Ed Karainen by Mari Sue Rusha and George King
- ◆ **12:10 PM, SA**, For Joe Tembreull by Joe and Janet Brisson

FRIDAY, 5/3/2024:

- ◆ **8:15 AM, SH**, For August and Rose La Casse by Mary Hofbauer Evans
- ◆ **5:30 PM, SH, First Friday**, For Pam Brogan by Lynn and Tom Gibson

SATURDAY, 5/4/2024:

- ◆ **8:30 AM, SH, First Saturday**, For Dr. Karl and Joan Hill and Family by Joan Hill
- ◆ **4:00 PM, SA**, For Ron Fedie by Dick and Mary Ann Guenthardt

Lector: Russ Weisinger

EMC: (Body) Mary Brodbeck, Sharon Kent
(Blood) Richard Brodbeck, Sally Koskinen

Altar Servers: Richard Brodbeck, Isaiah Mervar

Ushers: Bob Koskinen, Mike Koskinen

SUNDAY, 5/5/2024:

- ◆ **8:00 AM, SA**, For Albert Goodreau by Kathy and Bob Acton

Lector: Sue Skytta

EMC: (Blood) Pat Spencer

Altar Servers: Wayne Schwartz

Ushers: Dave Massie, Volunteer

- ◆ **10:00 AM, SH**, For the People of the Parish

Lector: Ann Nelson

EMC: (Body) Wendy Hiltunen, Karen Mansfeldt
(Blood) Truman Hagbloom, John Mansfeldt

Altar Servers: Caleb Callejas, Francisco Callejas, Sam Callejas, Truman Hagbloom, Clifford Nankervis

Hospitality: John Mansfeldt, Karen Mansfeldt

- ◆ **12:00 PM, HN**, For John Dault by Jo

Lector: Nick Lindemann

EMC: (Blood) Volunteer

Altar Servers: Risto Wakeham

Usher: Nick Lindemann

The full Liturgical Schedule is on our website at baragacatholic.org/liturgy-schedules.

Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Name:
Noon—6:00 pm Monday

Saint Ann:
6:00 pm—11:00 pm Tuesday
6:00 am—5:00 pm Wednesday

Sacred Heart:
5:00 am Thursday—1:00 pm Friday



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

Reconciliation

Saint Ann
6:00pm Tuesday (after Mass)
2:30pm to 3:30pm Saturday

Sacred Heart
11:00am to Noon Saturday

Holy Name
11:00 am Sunday (before Mass)

There may be exceptions to these times. The calendar on our website, baragacatholic.org/calendar, will show if there will be confessions. Please call Fr. Jins if you want to make an appointment for a different time.

Prayer Candles (4/25/2024—5/1/2024)

SACRED HEART

Sacred Heart Statue: Deceased Members of Our Parish
Under the Crucifix: Special Intentions of Our Parishioners

SAINT ANN

Blessed Mary Statue: Vickie and April by Joe and Maggie
St. Joseph Statue: Terry Kent by Robert and Sharon Kent

HOLY NAME

For Alice Jondreau Hadden by Her Grandchildren

Prayer Corner

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Mike Cielinski Sr., Jennae and Jimmie, Kathy Erickson, Lavon Owen, Linda Schwab, Rita Hoffman, Dan Danaher, Claudia, Louie Roy, Trista Francois, Rachael Velmer, Joel Dompier, Rich Schneider, Joyce Hoskins, Sue Sullivan, Jordanne Pekkala, Dan Verbanac, Roland Clisch, Louis McRae, Amy Roy, Cheryl Marinich, Janine Barrett, Jeanette Wirtz

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

Please pray for Pope Francis and Bishop Doerfler. Also pray for our deceased priests and deacons whose anniversary of their death is this week. Please refer to our website for a list of their names.



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We generally submit orders on Tuesdays by noon and receive in on Friday. Thank you for considering your giving options with our school!

Sacred Heart School is hosting an Ignatian Press Virtual Book Fair the week of Mary 6-10. There will be a limited number of books available for viewing at the school on Tuesday, May 7, from 4-6 pm. Links to the virtual catalog and order site will be posted on our Facebook page and in the bulletin next week.



STEWARDSHIP RESULTS
For 4/14/2024

	Budget	Actual	
<u>Sacred Heart</u>	\$3,269.23	\$3,832.00	over
<u>Saint Ann</u>	\$2,081.15	\$1,332.00	under
<u>Holy Name</u>	\$733.65	\$963.50	over

(totals include envelopes and loose collection)

Our readings today teach us what it means to bear fruit as disciples of Christ. We hear in each of our readings that it is from the Lord that good effects will be produced in our lives.

In our first reading, we hear about disciples that were preaching the Good News and defending the faith. The work they were doing was "with the consolation of the Holy Spirit." It was not their work alone, but the work of God.

We must ask ourselves, 'how is God bearing fruit in my life?' and 'have I invited the Holy Spirit to work in me?' The more we try to produce good effects in our lives, the more we will become disappointed if all we are relying on is our own efforts. It is only by inviting the Holy Spirit into our everyday moments that we will see goodness poured out.

Jesus clearly tells us how to do this in our Gospel. He says, "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit." We can remain in Christ by staying faithful to His commandments and frequently receiving the sacraments. And our day to day moments should be a reflection of those commitments.

That could mean opening our day with a prayer of thanksgiving, smiling at those we see on the street, asking God for help as we begin our workday, praising God in moments of trial, taking time to listen to our spouse after a long day. To remain in Christ means, in all that we do, we do it with the Lord.

When we live a life like that — as a branch never separated from its vine — God will produce bountiful fruit in our lives.

— Stewardship Reflections by [Catholic Stewardship Consultants](#)

Readings for the Week of 4/28/2024

- Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26
- Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a
- Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8
- Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11
- Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14
- Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21
- Next Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

• **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".

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From Your Pastor

“The Lord Be with You”

This liturgical greeting expresses the profound reality of God’s life dwelling within our souls by virtue of our baptism. With these words, the priest is praying that the divine life we received may continue to grow within us. From a scriptural perspective, the words “the Lord be with you” remind us of the high calling we each have. As God’s children, we each have a particular mission to fulfill in the father’s plan. **When we hear these words, we should realize that we are standing in the footsteps of Joshua, Moses and many others who received a special calling from God.** We may not be called to defend God’s people from pagan oppressors or to confront wicked dictators like Pharaoh, but each of us has a role that no one else can play- in our life, marriages, our work, our friendships, our parishes, and our communities.

Do you ever feel stretched or overwhelmed with the demands of life? Do you ever feel like Moses – inadequate for the mission God has entrusted to you? If so, the words at the beginning of the liturgy, “the Lord be with you” can both inspire and encourage you.

In essence, "The Lord be with you" encapsulates the essence of the Mass: a sacred encounter between God and his people, a moment of communion and consecration, a celebration of faith and hope. As we enter into this divine dialogue, let us do so with reverence and anticipation, opening our hearts to the transformative power of the Holy Spirit and the abiding presence of Christ among us.

By greeting the people with the words “The Lord be with you,” the priest expresses his desire that the dynamic activity of God's spirit be given to the people of God, enabling them to do the work of transforming the world that God has entrusted to them.

May these words, spoken at the threshold of worship, resonate within our souls and guide us through the sacred journey of the Mass, inspiring us to live out our faith with courage, compassion, and love.

In Christ’s Love,
Fr Jins Joseph

For Your Information

Gentlemen, please join us for the April Catholic Man Night, Monday April 29, starting at 6:30 PM in the garage at 216 North Florida Street in Laurium.

Young adults in their 20s, 30s, and 40s: Please join us in building up and enjoying Catholic culture and community in the Copper Country at First Saturday Mass at 9:00AM on May 4, 2024 at Church of the Resurrection, Hancock. The Mass will be a Novus Ordo Mass celebrated in Latin, with readings and homily in English. After Mass, please join us in the church hall for a potluck brunch. Coffee, water, plates, and utensils will be provided. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Jeremiah Mason at 906.281.0862. Families are also encouraged to attend!

Our Totus Tuus dates have been confirmed. The team will be at Sacred Heart on July 22-26 to share God’s message with our young people. Mary Gasperich has agreed to coordinate this event, so you may be hearing from her — we need volunteers. There will be Mass during this week every day at 11:15 am.

On Good Shepherd Sunday, our parish and all parishes and missions throughout our diocese took up a special collection to support our priests’ retirement fund, known as the St. Joseph Association. We truly appreciate your support. If you were unable to donate last weekend, you may still support our retired priests by returning your envelope marked for the benefit of the “Good Shepherd Collection” in today’s collection or by dropping it off at the parish office.

St. Ann's will be losing three valued council members this June. Please prayerfully consider filling one of those positions and contact Father Jins or any member of the council with questions or an offer to serve.

Our bulletins are printed at no charge to us by LPi. They are paid through the ads purchased by businesses for the back page. Rolando Mararac from LPi will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. Please respond to his call and help our community , as well as promote your business.

Upcoming Calendar Events

Monday, 4/29/2024:

- ◆ 10:00 am — Rosary for Life, SVdP Pantry
- ◆ 6:30 pm — Adoration for Youth, Sacred Heart
- ◆ 7:00 pm — Prayer Meeting at Sacred Heart. All are welcome.

Tuesday, 4/30/2024:


- ◆ 6:30 pm — Teen Group, Holy Name

Wednesday, 5/1/2024:

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

Sunday, 5/5/2024:

- ◆ 9:00 am — Sacred Heart Choir Practice
- ◆ 2:00 pm — *The Chosen* at Holy Name



On April 27, I had to be in Cincinnati at the Provincial Council. Therefore, I set out on the journey immediately after Easter and went on snowshoes from here to Mackinac, and from there partly on foot, partly on a dog sled, a journey of five days towards the south to Alpena.
--Bishop Baraga, Sault Ste. Marie



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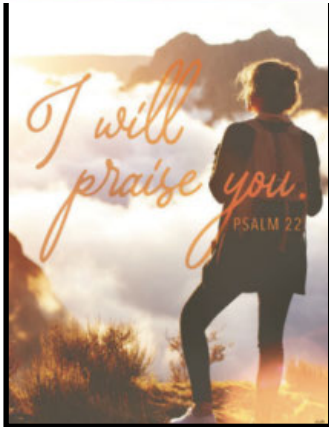
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