

The Roman Catholic Community of Brownville and Dexter and St. Andrews



Immaculate Conception

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Saturday 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.

ST. ANDREW'S

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.



St. Andrew, Sackets Harbor

Pastoral Team

Rev J. Michael Gaffney

Director of Faith Formation

Mrs. Christina M. Corey

Deacon Assistant

Deacon Norman Hunneyman
St. Andrews

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Immaculate Conception: Saturday, 5-5:30 p.m. or by appointment.
St. Andrews: Saturday. 3:30-4 p.m. until mass or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Arrangements may be made during a pre-baptismal meeting with the Pastor.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements must be made a least six months in advance. Contact the rectory to arrange for interviews, reserve the date, and to plan a Pre-Cana Conference.

New Parishioners:

Please introduce yourself to the Pastor or call the rectory.

Rectory, Priest Residence

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St. Andrew's

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(2/20) Saturday — 4:00 PM — St Andrew Pastor Fr. Edwin Kennedy 1964-1970 by a Parishioner (SA)

(2/20) Saturday — 5:30 PM — Jim Monroe by Bev and Girls and Families (IC)

(2/21) Sunday – 9:00 AM – For the People of Our Parish (IC)

(2/21) Sunday - 10:30 AM - John Erardi by the O'Connor Family (SA)

(Monday – Noon— All Souls (IC)

Tuesday – 9AM — Alice Austin and Family by Her Estate (SA)

Wednesday – 9:00 AM – All Souls (IC) **Ash Wednesday**

Thursday – 9:00 PM - John Erardi by the O'Connor Family (SA)

Friday – 9:00 AM — All Souls (IC)

(2/27) Saturday — 4:00 PM — Michael Brockmann Jr. by the Altar and Rosary Society (SA)

(2/27) Saturday — 5:30 PM — Jeff Shannon by Richard and Kathy Burns (IC)

(2/28) Sunday – 9:00 AM – Barb Nadelen by Clifton and Linda Snyder (IC)

(2/28) Sunday - 10:30 AM—For the People of Our Parish (SA)

10:30AM: L – EM – N/A (SA)

****FAITH FORMATION—Brownville & Dexter****
Faith Formation Classes...

If you'd like information on our at-home faith formation program, Pflaum Gospel Weeklies, please call Mrs. Corey at (315)788-7240 or email her at FaithFormation13615@gmail.com.

February 21, 2021

1st Sunday of Lent

St. Oscar Romero said, “Aspire not to have more, but to be more.” These powerful words provide the perfect framework for a conversion oriented Lenten experience. God is giving us this Lenten sign to stop being concerned about what you have and focus on who you are. This requires that we create a desert space and listen more attentively for God to reveal His presence. It is all so wonderfully simple on the one hand and so incredibly challenging on the other. The message is simple: love God, neighbor, and self. Those simple words make great sense, but we struggle translating them into reality. Our attachments, compulsions, obsessions, addictions, routines, and busyness all anchor us to the “idol of the self,” keeping us mired in our compulsive need for self-aggrandizement. It’s not about us! God vowed, long ago, to nurture, sustain and protect the relationship He has with His people. He called us into being, nurtures us in being, and sustains us in being. Without the Loving Divine Presence, all life would cease. Once we slow down a bit and clear away some of the clutter, we can see how the journey of our life is unfolding. We can see what brings us in and out of tune with God’s love and how we can better imitate God’s loving fidelity in our relationship with Him. In short, we will see our myopic short sightedness and figure out how we can better share the Divine Fire within with others. Lent isn’t just about giving stuff up for forty days and indulging again at Easter. We need to push things much farther and wrestle with the question of how we can be more. “Being more” means becoming more fully alive and in touch with the holiness of life and the divinity that lives in and empowers all beings and things. It is realizing that the “quality” of our presence is crucial to being an effective witness and herald of God’s unconditional love. ©LPi



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS .all who are sick especially

Paul Shannon, Richard Baker, Bob Chavoustie, Elyse Prow, Donnie Altmire, Rob Nichols, Kari -- Aubertine, Ryan Jenness, Dale Siver, Ricky Murtha, Sandra Middlestate, Barb Nadelen, Jan Piche, Barbara Paige, John Murtha, Jannell Pickeral, Jean Baker, Dan Siver, Melanie Branche, Dick Gorman, Noah Moore, Howard Sears, Baby Josephine Aubertine, Sharon Greco Redden, Bev More, Patti Dillenback, Connie Nichols, Donna Cloud, Chelsea Holt, Mary Myers, David Timerman June Paprocki, Roscioli Family, Brenda Hunneyman, Bob Jackson, Shannon O'Brien, Varian Howell, Deborah Murtha, Allison Maryhugh, Beatrice Crane, Mary Upton, Vickie Watson Mason, Diana Gillbert Smith, Linda Sariano, Paula Foster, Tricia Ault Richardson, Adrian Jenness, Emmett Jakubowski, Richard Boulton, Terry Carlin, Sally Parker. **If you know anyone who should come off the list or needs to go on it please call the Rectory at 782-1143.**



Feb 27 & 28

Saturday

4:00PM: L – EM – N/A (SA)

5:30PM: L – Kathy Tepfenhart EM— N/A S – Volunteer MH – N/A (IC)

Sunday

9:00AM: L – Volunteer EM – N/A S – Alayn & Hayley

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION

LAST SUNDAY IC - \$2969.00 2/7/21

LAST SUNDAY SA - \$1813.00 2/7/21

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Monday 5:45PM: Rosary Prayer Group at IC

Wednesday 9:00AM: Mass and Holy Hour

Friday 4:00PM: Station of Cross with Adoration (mask/distancing) (SA)

Friday 9:00AM: Stations of Cross with Mass at IC

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SA COFFEE HOUR

Please consider helping where only one person is signed up. Thank you!

SA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

K of C has cancelled their meetings through the end of the year for 2020. Any questions or concerns call Tom Perkins (GK) at 315-646-2169.

SA ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Altar and Rosary has cancelled meetings until November 2020. We will continue to recite the rosary the 3rd Sunday at 10:00. Any questions or concerns call President Olla Assid at 315-788-5212.

FREE NATIONAL CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE!

Join thousands of Catholic Men from across the nation as we gather to explore the question: What does it mean to live out the Catholic Faith in everyday life?

Whether you're a single man, a father, a husband, or grandfather, God has something to give to you at this event, and it just might change your life.

- Learn how to approach the challenges of our day with courage

- Gain a clearer vision of God's plan for your life

- Learn practical and immediately applicable steps to growing as a Catholic man

- Learn how to be the spiritual leader in your home

The conference goes Friday-Sunday on February 19-21, 2021.

Hear from more than 30 national presenters like: Chris Stefanick, Matt Fradd, Fr. Larry Richards, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, MLB star Mark Teixeira, and more.

Register on your own, or plan a watch party with a small group. This is going to be a powerful gathering.

Wow! It's Ash Wednesday again.

Last year as we were into the first week of Lent, our churches closed. A great deal has happened since then. We are getting vaccinated against COVID. We have learned a lot about it, and how to slow it down. The 40 days of Lent have taken on a deeper spiritual meaning for all of us who prepare once again for our greatest feast, the PASSION, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus.

IN OUR PARISHES OF IC AND SA WE HAVE TWO MASSES ON ASH WEDNESDAY, ONE IN EACH PARISH. AT WEDNESDAYS MASSES AT IC WE WILL HAVE A HOLY HOUR WITH THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSED ON THE ALTAR. ON FRIDAYS AT IC WE WILL HAVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT THE BEGINNING OF MASS. AT SA ON FRIDAYS AT 4PM. WE WILL HAVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND A HOLY HOUR WITH THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSED ON THE ALTAR. HAVE A BLESSED LENT.

Food Pantry

If you know of someone in the Sackets Area that is in need of food or personal hygiene products please let them know of St. Andrew's Food Pantry. It is open every Thursday 11am-1pm unless a holiday and 3rd Monday of each month 4-6pm. Further information call Cec Perkins 315-559-1516.

BULLETIN

If you can't make it to church to grab a bulletin or just forgot to pick one up you can find it online at www.immaculateconceptionbrownville.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Are we ready for this season of deepening our relationship with the Lord and our dear neighbors including all of creation? These past months of pandemic have changed the way we see things, i.e. our interconnectedness and interdependence upon each other. My simple action does affect my family and families around the world. Jesus tells us that new wine needs new wineskins. How can this new awareness touch the ways we embrace this holy Season of Lent? How does this awareness challenge me to be a better steward of all of resources of the earth? Spend some time with the Lord this week on how He may be calling you to spend this Lenten season.

DYNAMIC CATHOLIC BEST LENT EVER:

Sign up for the daily reflections, videos and inspiring stories.

The theme this year is "It's Who You Become".

There will be a Lenten journal available at the entrance to the Church. Please take one home and journal along with the daily reflections. To sign up for the daily reflections go to Dynamiccatholic.com/bestlentever. May your journey this lent bring you closer to God and give you deep faith in our Catholic religion.

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