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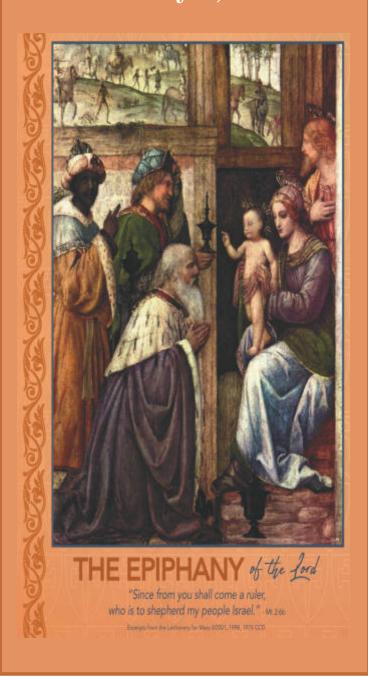
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Our Roman Catholic Faith Community is centered on Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior.

We come together in the love of Christ around the table of the Lord trying to be his family.

We welcome all to join us. Our belief in the Scripture, the Sacraments, the teaching of the Catholic Church, and our compassion for others enables us to live the Gospel message.

January 2, 2022



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday 7:00pm, Wed. 8:15am, Thursday 8:15am, Friday 8:15am

Confessions:

Saturday 4:00pm, Thursday 8:45am-9:30am First Fridays 8:00pm, 2nd Saturday 12:00pm, and by Appointment

Adoration:

Thursday 8:45am - 12:00pm First Friday 8:00pm - Saturday 8:00am

Rosary:

Tuesday before the 7:00pm Mass Wednesday—Friday before the 8:15am Mass 2nd Saturday of the Month at 12pm

FIRST FRIDAY

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



JANUARY 7-8, 2022 8:00 pm – 8:00 am

Sign up on bulletin board outside sacristy

*Reconciliation available in Multi-Purpose Room, 8:00-9:00 pm f

Now check us out on Facebook St. Mary Port Huron

If you are looking for help or opportunities to volunteer

(extension numbers are from the church main line 982-7906)

Church staff:

Pastor - Father Zbigniew Zomerfeld ext 100
Deacon - Rev. Mr. John Fitzmaurice ext 157
Church Secretary - Karen Gamalski ext 101
Business Office Manager - Cindi Dortman ext 103
Religious Education Office - Mary Shoudy ext 155
Faith Formation Assistant - Barb Patchett ext 102
Youth Ministry - Laurie Elliott ext 156
Music Ministry - Suzanne Doherty 810-300-0435
Sacristans - Sue Kearns, John Derler, Janine Dionne
& Jeff Szostek

RCIA - Rev. Mr. John Fitzmaurice 982-7906

St. Mary/McCormick Catholic Academy Office:

Principal - Anthony Reed Ext 106 Admin Assistant - Diane Foglesong Ext 105 Maintenance - Robb Petty Ext 148

Ministries:

Altar Servers - Rev. Mr. John Fitzmaurice 982-7906

Funeral Lunches -

Jeannie Lewandowski 810-824-7124

Prayer and Support Team

Pat Isaacson 810-956-6040

St. Vincent de Paul - 982-7906 ext 5

Knights of Columbus #11756 -

Tony Paladino - 810-434-5582

Belles of St. Mary - Lynn Assaf - 810-334-0223

Ushers - Ray Stone 810-434-1781

Head of Facilities Management Committee Tony Paladino - 810-434-5582

Soup Kitchen

Jeannie Lewandowski 810-824-7124

For Parish Registration, Baptisms, Weddings or Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact the parish office 982 - 7906

Readings for the Week January 2, 2021

The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church

Sunday: Is 60:1-6 / Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13 / Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Mt

2:1-12

 ${\it The Most Holy Name of Jesus}$

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22—4:6 / Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a

Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10 / Ps 72:1-4, 7-8 / Mk 6:34-44

St. John Neumann, Bishop

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18 / Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13 / Mk 6:45-52

St. André Bessette, Religious

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19—5:4 / Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a

St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13 / Ps 147:12-15, 19-20 / Lk 5:12-16 Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/ Ps 149:1-6a, 9b / Jn 3:22-30

The Baptism of the Lord

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 / Ps 29:1-4, 9-10 / Acts 10:34-38

Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

or Year C

Is 40:1-5, 9-11 / Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30 / Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7

Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

IF IT FITZ...

If you use a google search, then you will find that January 2nd is a holiday in many countries. The celebrations of a new year continue. Our celebration of the Christmas holiday continues today with the Epiphany. We still have one week left of celebration until next Sunday. It's great being a Catholic!!! Today's first reading from Numbers while it reads much like an Irish blessing, is not the original. But, it is still very beautiful.

And now....

Why aren't koalas actual bears?

They don't meet the koalafications.

Christmas Memorials

Richard Vandenbossche by the Vandenbossche Family



Erica McClelland and Ryan Roach

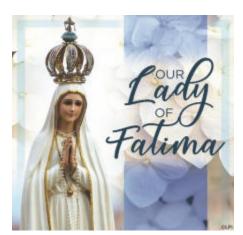
SVDP & High School Youth Group

St. Mary Youth Group helped St Vincent DePaul with their Christmas giveaway December 18th! Thanks for braving the snow!!





Monthly Devotion to Mary Rosary, Devotion and Confessions



Come and Join Us on **January 8th** 12:00pm - 12:30pm (2nd Saturday of the Month)

CLOSED DUETO WEATHER

Reminder:

Electronic Donations:

When the school is closed due to weather, the parish office is closed and Mass is cancelled as well. Stay safe!

Weekly Stewardship

December 19, 2021

	Amount Received						7/1/21 - Current Budget YTD		(Shortfall)	
Sunday Collection*	\$	11,464.61	\$	8,990.39	\$	231,306.75	\$	224,759.75	\$	6,547.00
Capital Improvement	\$	170.00	\$	288.46	\$	5,110.00	\$	7,211.50	\$	(2,101.50)
* Envelopes and Fled	tronic		0,						755	

BW Food Depot: 898.00 Immaculate Conception 1,279.00 St. Vincent de Paul: 176.00

Prior week envelope use:

# Contributions:	180	# Contributions:	45
# Families:	123	# Families:	36
# Registered Families	959		

St. Mary McCormick Catholic Academy

CONTEST ANNOUNCEMNET

Fr. William F. Welch Council No. 11756 of the Knights of Columbus to Sponsor Youth Free Throw Championship

All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 2022 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held Sunday, January 23, 2022, at St. Mary/McCormick Academy Gym, in Port Huron.

The Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship is sponsored annually with the winners progressing through local, district, and state competition. International champions are announced by the K of C international headquarters based on scores from the state-level competitions. All boys and girls 9 to 14 years old are eligible to participate and will compete in respective age divisions. Last year more than 120,000 sharpshooters participated in 3,600 local competitions.

All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in the event. Participants are required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. For entry forms or additional information contact:

Edward Taylor at (810) 987-9270.

The Knights of Columbus is an international Catholic family fraternal service organization with more than 1.8 million members in more than 15,000 local councils. Last year, Knights donated 70 million volunteer hours and \$170 million to charitable and benevolent causes, sponsoring projects to benefit their church, council, community, families and youth.



Employment Opportunity

Our Preschool class at St. Mary/McCormick is looking for an individual to assist in our program starting right away. The hours needed are 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays. This is a paid position.

You must be 18 years or older, willing to take Protecting God's Children online class, first aid and CPR training, be fingerprinted and complete 16 hours of training annually.

If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please contact Mrs. Sue Hartfil at 810-982-7906 ext. 108.



Classes will resume on January 3rd. This month, students attended the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. I want to give a special thanks to Heather Wright for taking all of the flowers that the students had brought in, and arranging them in wonderful bouquets and arrangements.

Additionally, special thanks are in order to Mrs. Volz for working diligently to create such a wonderful Christmas pageant, the songs and acting were a special blessing for SMMCA. A final thanks to all of the parents that helped to clean and put away chairs at the end of the concert, it made light work of a very heavy job. I know Brad, our night custodian, said that the parents deserved

"a thousand thank you-s" for all the help.

Each of these acts of service is also a great reminder that SMMCA is a community centered in the virtues of our faith; such as charity, which includes the fruits of kindness and generosity. Thank you all.

January 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1. 4pm Confession 5pm Mass
2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
9:00am Mass 10:00am Religious Education 11:00am Mass	No Mass 6:30-7:30pm Bible Study CR2 School back in session	6:30pm Prayer Service 7:00pm Mass	8:15am Mass 6:30pm 1st Reconciliation & 1st Communion Parent/Child Mtg. 7:00pm Mass 7:00pm R.C.I.A.	8:15am Mass 8:45am-9:30am Confession 8:45am-Noon Adoration 9:30am Bible Study 6:30pm K of C Business Mtg./	8:15am Mass First Friday Adoration 8pm - 8am Saturday with Confessions from 8-9pm	12pm-12:30pm Fatima Rosary Devotion w/ Confession 2pm Wedding 4pm Confession 5pm Mass
				followed by Officer Mtg.	Officer	
9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
9:00am Mass 10:00am Religious	No Mass	5:30pm SVdP CR3	8:15am Mass 10:00am	8:15am Mass 8:45am-9:30am	8:15am Mass	9am-12pm Youth Service Project
Education 11:00am Mass	6:30-7:30pm Bible Study	6:30pm Prayer Service	Babies & Tots 7:00pm	Confession 8:45am-Noon	No School—	4pm Confession 5pm Mass
12pm –1pm HSYG	CR2	7:00pm Mass 7:30pm 4th Degree K of C Mtg.	Confirmation Junior High Mtg. 7:00pm R.C.I.A.	Adoration 9:30am Bible Study	Records Day	6pm K of C Clergy Appreciation Dinner – Social Hall
16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.
9:00am Mass	No Mass	6:30pm Prayer	8:15am Mass	8:15am Mass	8:15am Mass	4pm Confession
10:00am Religious Education 10:00am St. Mary Parish Ladies Auxiliary	6:30-7:30pm Bible Study CR2	Service 7:00pm Mass	10:00am Babies & Tots 7:00pm R.C.I.A.	8:45am-9:30am Confession 8:45am-Noon Adoration		5pm Mass
Mtg./ Social Hall 11:00am Mass				9:30am Bible Study		
23.	24.	25.	26.	7pm Choir Rehearsal 27.	28.	29.
9:00am Mass	No Mass	10:00am	8:15am Mass	8:15am Mass	8:15am Mass	4pm Confession
10:00am Religious Education	6:30-7:30pm Bible Study	Education Commission	10:00am Babies & Tots	8:45am-9:30am Confession		5pm Mass
11:00am Mass	CR2	5:30pm SVdP	7:00pm Jr. High	8:45am-Noon		
12:00pm K of C Free Throw		CR3 6:30pm Prayer	Religious Ed. 7:00pm R.C.I.A.	Adoration 9:30am		
1:00pm March for Life		Service 7:00pm Mass	1	Bible Study 7pm Choir Rehearsal		
2:30pm Prayer Service				•		
30.	31.					
9:00am Mass	No Mass					
10:00am Religious Education	6:30-7:30pm Bible Study					
11:00am Mass	CR2					
12:00pm K of C Church						

Let us Remember...



Tuesday, January 4, 2022 7:00pm

Bernard Niester

by the McEachin family

Wednesday, January 5, 2022 8:15am

Rose Allen

by Dawn & Robert Allen

Thursday, January 6, 2022 8:15am

Loretta Driver

by the McEachin family

Friday, January 7, 2022 8:15am Mass

Bob Stanley

by the McEachin family

Saturday, January 8, 2022 5:00pm

St. Mary Parish

Sunday, January 9, 2022 9:00am Mass

Mary F. Warren

by the Taylor family

John J., Pauline & Mary Beth Steinborn

by the Steinborn family

11:00am Mass

Patrick & Catherine Cowhy by their family

Frances Kuschel

by Robert & Audrey Eppley

Gloria Kearns

by John Hanchon, DDS

Gay Huston

by Barbara Teller

USCCB WORD OF LIFE

"Perhaps one of your friends has become pregnant unexpectedly. ... Your support might be the only support she receives. Even if we never know how, the smallest things we do can change someone's life."—

"10 Ways to Support Her When She's Unexpectedly Expecting" - USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

May our prayers bring peace & comfort to those who are ill at this time.

1=first week; 2=second week; 3=third week; 4=fourth week; P=Permanent

Teri Allen P Dave Arenz P John Arenz P Thelma Assaf P Mildred Badgley P Mary Kay Baribeau P Bob Beacom P Rick Berg P Jessie Breuier P Donna Brindley P Linda Broomfield P Burns /Robertson Family P Thomas Carmichael P Christofferson P

Dolores Callens P Julie Christofferson P Maria Diez Camille Clark P Hazel Clark P Tara Clark P Carolyn Cluney P Bill Corkins P Jason Coryell P Dorothy Crimmins P Maria DeLuca P Bob Desrochers P Frances Desrochers P Christine Dimmick P Diane Downey P Mary Lyn Dunn P Theresa Dwyer P John Else P Rosemary Embo P Norman Erdody P Kathryn Foucha P Joan Francis P Jackie Fredendall P Lexie Fullgrapp P Victoria Garcia P Lori Gersten P Randy Gersten P Marcel Gervais P Kavlee Greaux P

Jose Gonzalez P

Theresa Gonzalez P

Honey Graziadei P

Naoma Haslock P

Daniel Heilman P

Duane Herbert P

Jeanette Hinkle P

Carol Hawley P

Dale Hendra P

Don Hoag P

Velna Hoag P

Betty Kelley P

Paul Kenney P

Greg Klais P

Jacob Klaus P

Angela Klein P

Rachel Kolar P

Brenda Knowles P

Lynn Kloc P

Haley Groff P

Ted Harvey P

Dominic Graziadei P

Sharon Koppinger P Manuela Kotz P Marilyn Kovach P Val Kraft P Sarah Krantz P Nicholas Lester P Huntyr Lopez P Andrew MacFarland P Darcy Macke P Floyd Marcinkowski P Anne Bonadio McFee P Beatrice McMahan P Karen McNabb P Laurie McNeice P Jacob Miller P Leonard W. Miller P Kevin Moore P Savannah Moore P Sandra Morales P Erin Mouland P Andrea Munro P Joe Napolitan P Raffaela Nardi P Theresa Nicholson P Trina Northrop P Jacqueline O'Neil P Mary O'Neil P Jim Pence P Jason Pennington P Judy Phillips P Josh Pierson P Debbie Plaut P Jim Quinlan P Ethan R. P Kristin R. P Avery Raab P Teresa Radatz P Dr. Michael Raftery P Gerald Rankin P Rosemarie Reneau P Marci Rhodes P Margaret Schroeder P Jovce Shalast P Jason Shanks P Tyler Shoudy P Dennis Smith P Trov Smith P Ryan Spencer P Gerri Stracenrider P Cameron Stewart P Debra Stoecklin P Preston Schroeder P Lita Tatoris P Yvonne Tenniswood P Calom Troy P Athena Walker P Florence Wessel P Harold Wheelihan P Kristi White P Amber Ready Withey P Dick Wyllie P Norma Jean Zatorski P Mitchell Zebrowski P Bill Zgieb P

Krystyna Zomerfeld P

Let us remember those serving in the **Armed Forces:**

PFC Brian Dev

U.S. Army Fort Leonard Wood, MO

Samantha Peters

U.S. Coast Guard

Austin Dziubinski

U.S. Marines

Gage M. Rummel

Air Force

MacDill Air Force Base Tampa, Florida

Michael Billette

U.S. Navv

Madeline Lewandowski

U.S. Navv

PFC Derek VanDeWarker

U.S. Marines, Japan

Master Sergeant Trevor McFarlane

U.S. Air Force

Staff Sergeant David Starasinich

Fort Hood, Texas

Staff Sgt. Nina Caluya

U.S. Army Fort Meade, MD

Michael Pinkney

USMC-3/8 Marine Regiment Afghanistan

Staff Sergeant Ryan Schmidt Green Beret

TSgt. Julius Caluya

U.S. Air Force Charleston, SC

Sgt. William P. Zgieb U.S. Army

God bless these men & women.



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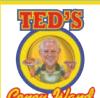




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