



Our Lady of the Lake & St. Ann

P A R I S H C O L L A B O R A T I V E

AUGUST 22, 2021 | TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PASTOR: FR. RAJ J. NATHAN



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Jesus then said to the Twelve,
"Do you also want to leave?"
Simon Peter answered him,
"Master, to whom shall we
go? You have the words of
eternal life. We have come to
believe and are convinced
that you are the Holy One
of God." - Jn 6:67-69

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WELCOME

Mass Times: Our Lady

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 8:00 am & 11:00 am

Daily Masses:

9:30 am: Mon. - Wed. - Fri.

6:30 pm: Tuesday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sat. 3:30 - 4:00 pm

30 min. before weekday Mass

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Parish Office: 269-445-3000

Mass Times:

Sunday & Tuesday 9:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

30 min. before weekday Mass

*Reaching up to God, reaching out to one another,
through prayer, service and friendship.*

Bulletin Deadline for both Parishes: 9 am on Monday | submit to cantos2@comcast.net

FR. RAJ SHARES

Dear Parishioners,

Greetings of peace and prayerful wishes from Fr. Raj. At the outset, I thank everyone for your prayerful support during the week of my retreat which was on the theme of MISSION. The retreat was indeed informative and inspiring. The retreat talks were focused on how one needs to carry forward the mission entrusted by Jesus to His apostles and thereafter to each one of us. Today, in the given situation of the world of pandemic filled with fear and anxiety, many of us have lost the track with the Lord. Many of us must have heard others saying that "many have not returned to the church." No doubt that the pandemic has kept us away from the Lord and now it is high time that we need to fight the pandemic through prayer and come back to the Lord and to His church.

In the first reading Joshua exhorts people of Israel in this way: "If it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide whom you will serve, the gods your fathers served beyond the river or the god of the Amorites in whose

country you are now dwelling. As for me and my household we will serve the Lord."

The response of the people is still inspiring "Far be it from us to forsake the Lord, for it was the Lord our God who brought us and our fathers up out of the land of Egypt, out of state of slavery. He performed those great miracles before our eyes and protected us along our entire journey and among the peoples through whom we passed. Therefore, we will also serve the Lord for He is our God." I wish that we would translate the above passage into our life and take charge as missionaries for God to bring people back to Him because the church is the body of Christ.

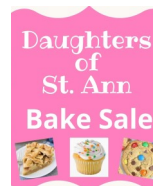
I also wish to thank in a very special way all those who participated in the Bishop's Annual Appeal. I am pleased to announce that St. Ann has reached their goal and Our Lady is getting closer to their goal. Thanking and praying for all, I remain,

-Fr. Raj



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Do you have a love of your faith and a desire to share that faith with others? Would you like to help nurture the faith of our youngsters and help them to grow in their love of Jesus? This will be a good ministry for any parishioner or parent who wants to grow in their faith and help others explore what it means to be a Christian disciple. If you would like to help with the religious education program at Our Lady, please contact Karen Ronnebaum at religiouseducationlol@gmail.com. Thank you.



BAKERS NEEDED AT ST. ANN

The Daughters of St. Ann are looking for bakers for their upcoming Labor Day Bake Sale. If you would like to bring a baked treat, please sign up at the back information table or call the office at 269-445-3000. We hope everyone will plan to support the Daughters of St. Ann by baking or purchasing a delicious treat on Sunday, September 5th after the 9:30 am Mass.



DIOCESAN 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION FOR PARISHIONERS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2021

The Diocesan 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration is a very special and esteemed event. This year, we are happy to announce that we are planning to resume the in-person celebration on Sunday, October 3rd. If you or someone you know is celebrating 50 years of marriage anytime in 2021, we ask you to let the parish office know if you wish to attend or would like to receive a personal invitation from Bishop Bradley.

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 21

4:30 pm | Milo Shuttleworth

Sunday, August 22

8:00 am | Montgomery Family

11:00 am | Robert Warnock, Jr.

Monday, August 23

9:30 am | John Moen

Tuesday, August 24

6:30 pm | Emil A. Zernick

Wednesday, August 25

9:30 am | All Souls in Purgatory

Friday, August 27

9:30 am | Mike Krol

Saturday, August 28

4:30 pm | Cyril DeSchepper

Sunday, August 29

8:00 am | Denise Ramsey

11:00 am | Elaine Matthews

This Week at Our Lady

Saturday, August 21

3:30 pm Confession

Sunday, August 22

9:30 am Women of Our Lady Meeting

Monday, August 23

9:00 am Adoration/Confession

Tuesday, August 24

6:00 pm Rosary/Confession

7:15 pm Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday, August 25

9:00 am Adoration/Confession

Friday, August 27

9:00 am Adoration/Confession

Saturday, August 28

9:00 am Altar Server Training

3:30 pm Confession

After Mass Hospitality Weekend

Sunday, August 29

After Masses Hospitality Weekend

ST. ANN MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 22

9:30 am | Sylvester & Tessie Kaminski

Tuesday, August 24

9:30 am |

Sunday, August 29

9:30 am | Daniel Dries, DDS

This Week at St. Ann

Tuesday, August 24

9:00 am Adoration/Confession

10:15 am Rosary

Thursday, August 26

7:00 pm Right to Life Dinner Meet

Sunday, August 29

After Mass Birthday Celebration

ST. ANN PRAYER LIST

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Erica Almack, Tony Brooks, David Covert, Kim Fitzgerald, Fr. Bob Flickinger, Mary Fosdict, Adelyn & Evelyn Herman, Cornell James, Frank & Vickie Kalina, Jacky Kelly, Paula Kelly, Beverly Kuemin, Dennis Kuemin, Melissa DeGrazia Johnson, Samantha Maynard, Carla Novotny, John Palmer, Mike Petersen, Tim Richard, Tony Rosser, Jeanie Brady Schaefer, Bud Scheibelhut, Bob Smith, Julie Terry, Liz Tangenmann

OUR LADY PRAYER LIST

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Tim Ackerson, Vicenta Baker, Virginia Bazner, Pat Bellaire, John Braniff, JoAnne Burrows, Lenore Cassady, Tom & Joan Clauss, Rich Chakan, Christopher Cobb, Christine Cobb, Marilyn Cobb, Lenni DeGraene, Maryann Dobransky, Edward Drone, Beverly Dykema, Fr. Bob Flickinger, Kim Hartman, Jack & Carol Hayes, Eva Jenkins, David Keck, Diane Konneck, Bill LaBre, Trey Lax, Rocky Lozano, Brendan McDougal, Melvin Monette, Larry Nagy, Jamie North, Thomas Oesterling, Vickie Quinlan, Erin Rans, Donald Rospopo, Kathryn Schenk, Lora Spaulding, Gail Vogel, Richard Wood, Ann & Todd Ziegert

WOMEN OF OUR LADY

Sunday, August 22 at 9:15 am
Social Hall

All Women of Our Lady are invited to join the WOOL for their monthly meeting in between Sunday morning Masses beginning at 9:15 on August 22, 2021.



OUR LADY FINANCES

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

Assumption of Mary - August 15, 2021	
.....	\$3,910.00
Budgeted Weekly Amount	
.....	\$7,480.00
Weekly for August 15	
.....	\$1,827.50
Budgeted Weekly YTD	
.....	\$37,400.00
Total Actual Year To Date	
.....	\$45,271.39

<https://ourladyedwardsburg.org/donations-1>

Bishop's Appeal Goal	
.....	\$83,593.00
Pledged as of August 10, 2021	
.....	\$75,060.44
Shortfall	
.....	\$8,532.56

ST. ANN FINANCES

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

Assumption of Mary - August 15, 2021	
.....	\$1,8370.00
Budgeted Weekly Amount	
.....	\$2,520.00
Weekly for August 15	
.....	\$870.00
Budgeted Weekly YTD	
.....	\$15,120.00
Total Actual Year To Date	
.....	\$17,847.91

Give at: stannccass.com

Bishop's Annual Appeal

St. Ann has reached their Bishop's Appeal pledge goal of \$23,397.00. We thank everyone for their support.



TOP TEN REASONS TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER!

- 1) Opportunity to serve God
- 2) Become more involved in Parish Life
- 3) Grow in respect and understanding of the Mass
- 4) Make great friends
- 5) Strengthen your relationship with Jesus
- 6) Learn valuable life skills
- 7) Opportunity for leadership
- 8) Learn more about vocations
- 9) It's always fun when there's fire and smoke (LOL)
- 10) Best seats in the house!



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Saturday, Aug. 28
9 am - 10:30 am

John and Sylvia Dillon will host a gathering for all new and returning altar servers at Our Lady on Saturday, August 28 from 9:00 am - 10:30 am at the church. This will be an opportunity to not only train the new altar servers, but to re-orient our returning altar servers to some of the procedures and guidelines that have evolved during this past year. We ask all new and returning altar servers to attend this important session. Breakfast refreshments will be served. Please contact John or Sylvia Dillon, if you have not already done so, to let them know your child is interested in being part of this training/orientation session. dillonsolol@gmail.com.

“Let us not forget that the Eucharist is meant to nourish those who are weary and hungry along the way....

a Church with open doors, that gathers and celebrates around Christ, is a large room where everyone—everyone, the righteous and sinners—can enter.”

— POPE FRANCIS —

PARISH DIRECTORIES

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE

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HOSPITALITY GATHERING AFTER MASSES AT OUR LADY AUGUST 28 AND 29

After all Masses on the weekend of August 28 and August 29, you are invited to stop in the narthex for some pastries and refreshments. As we all return from our summer schedules and travels, this is an occasion to greet fellow parishioners and to hopefully meet new families who are part of our parish community. A Religious Education table will be featured where parents can drop off their Religious Education Registration Forms and seek more information about the program for the coming year. We look forward to seeing you on Hospitality Weekend.



**August 22, 2021
21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"If it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide today whom you will serve...As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."
JOSHUA 24:15

When we commit to serve the Lord, we must be willing to become a disciple in the work of the Lord. A disciple is a person who spends time in prayer every day, joyfully participates in charitable works and generously supports their local parish and Church mission. If we say we serve God, we must actually do something and not merely talk about it!

RIGHT TO LIFE DINNER PLANNING MEETING

Thursday, Aug. 26
7:00 pm at St. Ann

On Tuesday, October 12 St. Ann Parish will have the honor of hosting a fundraiser for Cass County Right to Life. A dinner at 6:00 pm will be followed by a presentation by Randy Royston, Development Coordinator for Michigan Right to Life. Your ideas and participation at the planning meeting, Thursday Aug. 26 at St. Ann parish, are most welcome. For further information contact Sue Peterson or the parish office.



Care Notes are available in the Narthex at Our Lady of the Lake. These wonderful booklets cover an array of issues including anxiety, grief, depression, suicide prevention, loss and many more. Stop by the information table and check them out!



ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

- ...Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- ...Was baptized Catholic, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity called *RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)* to come together in a small group for discussion and dialog to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on teachings, rituals, and traditions of the Catholic Church. Candidates celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil Mass.

To inquire and learn more about RCIA, please contact John or Sylvia Dillon at 269-699-5870, or e-mail at dillonsolol@gmail.com.

STEWARDSHIP AROUND THE PARISH

St. Ann would like to thank a few of their parishioners for all they do to keep the grounds, inside plants and flowers looking so nice. Peggy Long and Sue Peterson take great care in keeping everything watered while Ron Grzeskiewicz maintains the shrubs and grotto area. Ron and Peggy also donated and planted some beautiful rose bushes recently. We appreciate their continued support around the parish. Here at St. Ann everyone's stewardship of time and talent is greatly appreciated. If you would like to get involved in any way please call Margaret at the office 269-445-3000.



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