



Our Lady of the Lake & St. Ann

PARISH COLLABORATIVE

MAY 4, 2025 | THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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*Reaching up to God, reaching out
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Mass Times: Our Lady

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 8:00 am & 11:00 am

Daily Masses:

8:30 am: Wednesday & Friday

5:30 pm: Tuesday

First Fridays of Each Month:

Holy Hour/Benediction &
Reconciliation after Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

3:00 pm Saturday

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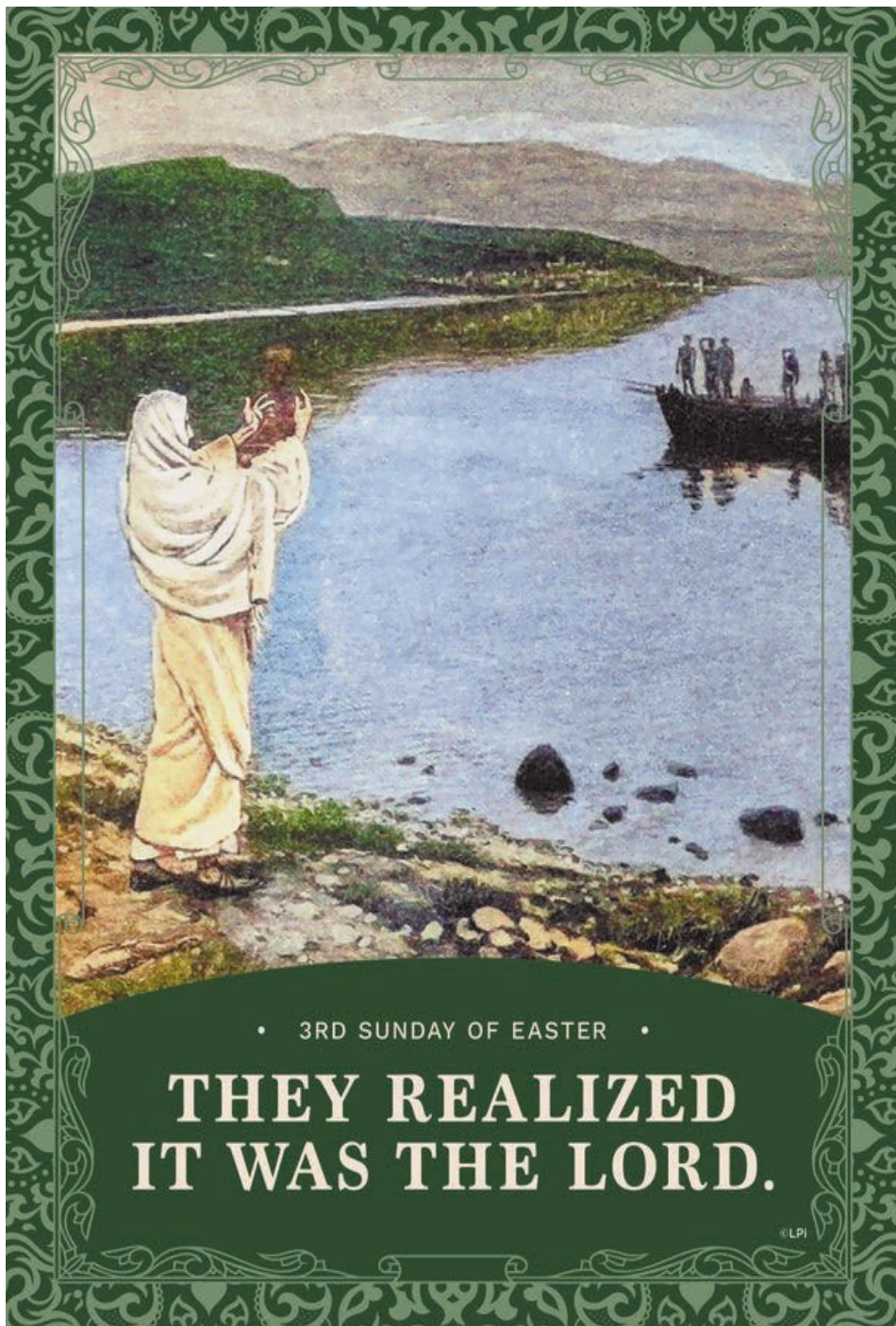
Parish Office: 269-445-3000

Mass Time: Sunday 9:30 am

Daily Mass: Thursday 9:00 am

Adoration and Reconciliation:

Thursday 9:30 - 10:30 am after Mass



• 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER •

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Welcome Visitors & New Parishioners

Bulletin Deadline for both Parishes: 9 am on Monday | submit to bulletineditorolsa@gmail.com

The Coming Papal Conclave: What to Expect Following Pope Francis's Death

The Catholic world now enters a period of mourning and transition following the death of Pope Francis, who served as the 266th leader of the Catholic Church since his election in March 2013. His passing marks the end of a papacy characterized by efforts toward Church reform, environmental advocacy, and outreach to marginalized communities. As the Church grieves this loss, the ancient process of selecting a new pope has already begun with Cardinal Giovanni Battista Re, as Dean of the College of Cardinals, summoning cardinal electors to Rome for the upcoming conclave.



The current College of Cardinals reflects Pope Francis's significant reshaping of the Church's leadership during his pontificate. With 137 cardinal electors under age 80 eligible to vote (as of April 2025), the group represents Francis's global vision, with many appointees coming from the Global South, particularly Latin America, Africa, and Asia—departing from the historically European-dominated conclaves of the past. These cardinals, many personally selected by Francis, will now gather in the Domus Sanctae Marthae before processing into the Sistine Chapel, within 15-20 days of Francis's death, as prescribed by the apostolic constitution *Universi Dominici Gregis*. The Conclave will begin on May 7th.



Black Smoke....no new pope!

The conclave will take place amid significant challenges facing the Church, including ongoing clergy abuse scandals, declining religious participation in Western countries, doctrinal debates over issues like the role of women in the Church, and questions about continuing Francis's reform agenda. Cardinal electors will be considering whether to choose someone who will maintain Francis's pastoral emphasis and openness to dialogue or select a candidate who might take a different approach. Key figures mentioned as potential successors include Cardinals

Luis Antonio Tagle from the Philippines, Matteo Zuppi of Italy, Jean-Claude Hollerich of Luxembourg, and several Latin American cardinals who share Francis's vision for a "Church of the peripheries."

As the world watches, the conclave's outcome will be signaled by smoke from the Sistine Chapel chimney. A successful election requires a two-thirds majority—at least 92 votes in the current college. Once elected, the new pope will be asked "Acceptasne electionem de te canonice factam in Summum Pontificem?" ("Do you accept your canonical election as Supreme Pontiff?"). Upon acceptance, he will choose a papal name, be dressed in the white papal garments, and shortly thereafter appear on the central balcony of St. Peter's Basilica following the announcement "Habemus Papam." This new pope will inherit leadership of a global Church with over 1.3 billion members at a pivotal moment, facing the task of both honoring Francis's legacy and charting his own course for Catholicism's future in an increasingly complex world.



White Smoke....new pope!

Please Pray For the Conclave of Cardinals and the Catholic Church

*"It is by God's mercy that we are saved. May we never tire of spreading this joyful message."
~ Pope Francis*

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH



OUR LADY PRAYER LIST

Janice and Tim Ackerson, Vicenta Baker, Jacob Brown, Marilyn Cobb, Dale Deditch, Theresa Fox, Peggy Gibney, Jeanne Hauser, Cindy Hruska, Betty Jo More, Bud Rose, Annlee Ziegert, *and all those in our prayer intention book!*

OUR LADY FINANCES

GIVE ONLINE AT:

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

Easter Contributions
Budgeted Easter.....\$6,500.00

Actual Easter.....\$7,689.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Lenten Matching Grant Challenge

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Edwardsburg Food Pantry's (EFP) Matching Gift Challenge during Lent. Including the \$11,000 Matching Gift, the Pantry received \$34,680 to help families in our community with food, utility payments, gas and grocery vouchers. We will also be able to continue our Weekend Food Program with the children who are in need in the Edwardsburg School District.

BISHOP'S
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DIocese of Kalamazoo

**Our Lady of the Lake
Parish Goal**

\$66,238.00

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 3

4:30 pm | Raymond Thomas Hutnik

Sunday, May 4

8:00 am | John Raab

11:00 am | For the Parish

Tuesday, May 6

5:30 pm | Tom & Shirley Jacobson

Wednesday, May 7

8:30 am | Jim Johnson

Friday, May 9

8:30 am | **NO MASS**

Saturday, May 10

4:30 pm | Mother's Day Novena

Sunday, May 11

8:00 am | Mother's Day Novena

11:00 am | Mother's Day Novena

This Week at Our Lady

Saturday, May 3

3:00 - 4:00 pm - Confessions

Saturday, May 10

9:00 am - Men's Breakfast

9:30 am - Knights Meeting

3:00 - 4:00 pm - Confessions

Thank you to all of our catechists for generously serving our parish. After nine years of teaching religious education Nicole Linton is passing the baton. We appreciate all she has done for our children and wish her all good blessings. As our parish is in need of more catechists, we invite you to prayerfully consider offering yourself to this very important ministry.



There is now available a complete list of all books in the library. Check the web-site for an electronic version. There is also a hard copy at the library desk.

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OUR LADY OF THE LAKE

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A Loving Invitation from the Women Of Our Lady (WOOL)

During this beautiful month of May, the Women Of Our Lady (WOOL) invite you to enter into a deeper spirit of love and devotion to our Blessed Mother, Mary. May is a time to reflect on her perfect example of discipleship, her unwavering faith, and her tender care for each of us.

Throughout this month, we encourage you to draw closer to Mary through prayer, the Rosary, and small acts of love and sacrifice. Our statue of Mary will be adorned and honored all month long, creating a special space for quiet reflection, prayer, with her. To help you deepen your connection with our spiritual Mother, you will find a list of prayerful ideas and suggestions available nearby.

We especially invite you to join us on Tuesday, May 13th, the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, when WOOL will lead a special flower procession immediately following 5:30 pm Mass, in honor of our Queen and Mother. May Mary, who leads us always to her Son, Jesus Christ, renew our hearts with grace, peace, and joy during this holy month. All are welcome — come and be embraced by her tender love!

SAINT ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH



ST. ANN PRAYER LIST

Alice Boulanger, Shirley Ellis, Dan and Kim Fitzgerald, Mary Fosdick, Frank and Vicki Kalina, Carla Novotny, Bud and Maryanne Scheibelhut, John Palmer, Mike Petersen and all those in our prayer intention book.

ST. ANN FINANCES

GIVE ONLINE AT:

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Easter Contributions
Budgeted Easter.....\$3,000.00

Actual Easter.....\$3,587.00

Thank you for your generosity!

JOIN ST. ANN'S STAFF

St. Ann Parish is seeking a dedicated individual for a part-time sacristan position. The role includes responsibilities on Thursdays, Sundays and Holy Days. Candidates should have a general knowledge of the Catholic Mass and basic computer skills. To learn more or apply, please contact the parish office.

ST. ANN MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 4

9:30 am | For the Parish

Thursday, May 8

9:00 am |

Sunday, May 11

9:30 am | Mother's Day Novena

This Week at St. Ann

Sunday, May 4

9:30 am - RE Mass and Class

Thursday, May 8

9:30 - 10:30 am Adoration/Confession

Sunday, May 11

10:30 am - Second Sunday Social

Second Sunday Social Coffee & Donuts

Join us for fellowship and refreshments at our **Second Sunday Social!** After the 9:30 am Mass on Sunday, May 11, enjoy coffee, donuts and good conversation with fellow parishioners. We look forward to seeing you there!

A Blessing and a Gift for Women/Girls

On Sunday, May 11, during the 9:30 am Mass, St. Ann Parish will celebrate and honor all women/girls with a special blessing. As a token of appreciation, each lady will receive a small gift shared by Daughters of St. Ann. We invite everyone to join us in this meaningful recognition of the invaluable presence and contributions of each of them in our community. Enjoy coffee and donuts after Mass at our May Social.

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HONORING MARY THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF MAY



May is a special month dedicated to honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary. At St. Ann Parish, we celebrate this devotion in several

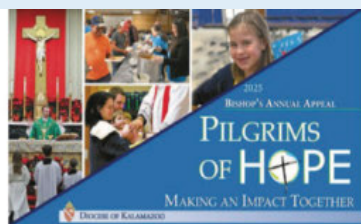
ways. Join us for the **Rosary**, prayed every Thursday at 10:30 am, as we seek her intercession in prayer. Each week, **fresh flowers** will be placed before Mary's statue, a beautiful tradition of love and reverence. Additionally, a **Rosary-making** opportunity will be available after the 9:30 am Mass on May 18th. We invite all to participate in these meaningful acts of devotion.

**BISHOP'S
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St. Ann Parish Goal

\$25,412.00

DIocese of Kalamazoo



Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

I write this letter to invite you join me in support of the 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal themed, "Pilgrims of Hope: Making an Impact Together." We are called together to action, to reflect the light of Christ in the love and good works that we offer others.

My friends, the Bishop's Annual Appeal is one opportunity to exhibit discipleship, to participate personally in the many good works of our Church in communion with fellow Catholics. I ask you to join me, and come together, in support of the good works of our Catholic Church. Our contributions

are put to work, right away, in a multitude of ministries to offer direct assistance to individuals and families and to parishes, Catholic schools, and Catholic Charities agencies.

Please prayerfully consider making a Bishop's Annual Appeal contribution this year. To make a Bishop's Annual Appeal gift via credit card or electronic funds transfer from a bank account visit <https://www.osvhub.com/diocesefkalamazooappeal/giving/funds>. In pew envelopes will also be provided at liturgies on Bishop's Annual Appeal Commitment Weekend, this weekend, May 3 & 4 or you can fill out and mail in your personalized pledge card that you will receive in the mail.

I am confident each parish can reach their goal. Once we reach our goal, 100% of any contributions received, over and above our parish goal, will be returned to our local parish.

Thank you for your generosity. Be assured of my prayers for you and your loved ones.

Yours in Christ,

~Father Rob



Each year, letter carriers across the country head out on their routes on the second Saturday in May (May 10) to collect donations of non-perishable food items to benefit local food pantries. Since launching in 1993, the National Association of Letter Carriers' annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive has grown into the nation's largest one-day food drive, helping to fill the shelves of food banks in cities and towns throughout the United States.

The need is great, but you can help. We invite you to join letter carriers and our partner organizations in the fight to end hunger in our communities by participating in the annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive.

Simply leave your donation of non-perishable food in a bag near your mailbox on May 10th, and your letter carrier will do the rest.

Helping Hands in Cassopolis and The Edwardsburg Food Pantry benefit greatly from this collection.



Catholic men of St. Ann Parish and Our Lady of the Lake Parish are invited to join the Brother Knights for a morning of faith, fellowship, and purpose.

On Saturday, May 10th at 9:00 AM in the Social Hall at Our Lady of the Lake, we will gather for a hearty brunch and fellowship. Afterwards, Council 14729 will assemble for its monthly meeting. Come strengthen our brotherhood with your presences and be a part of this mission!

MAKING A REPORT OF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

The Diocese of Kalamazoo has and will continue to cooperate with the Michigan Attorney General's investigation and encourages anyone with information related to misconduct to call the reporting number set up by the Michigan Attorney General's office at (844) 324-3374. The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBAR) has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation. To make a report, visit ReportBishopAbuse.org or phone (800) 276-1562. When a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential.

STAY CONNECTED

WEBSITES:

Don't forget you can always "check us out" on the internet at:

www.stanncass.com

www.ourladyedwardsburg.org

At our parish websites, you will be able to find the parish calendars, Mass times, and other parish news.

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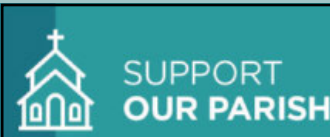
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