

# ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

CATHOLIC PARISH

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## Pastoral Staff

### Pastoral Leader

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### Permanent Deacon

Deacon Ken Banker

### Priest Celebrant - Moderator

Fr. Scott Valentyn

## Parish Trustees (2-yr.term)

Tom Melchior ..... (Term 2 ends 2024)  
Jim Parmentier.... (Term 2 ends 2023)

## Parish Council (3-yr.term)

Janet Ramseth..... (Term 1 ends 2024)  
Open ..... (Term 1 ends 2023)  
Lynn Schaal ..... (Term 2 ends 2023)  
Jim Mahloch ..... (Term 1 ends 2023)  
Steve Kohlbeck.... (Term 1 ends 2024)  
Dale Vannes..... (Term 1 ends 2024)  
Gary Pawlak ..... (Term 2 ends 2025)

## Finance Council (3-yr.term)

Paul Sheridan ..... (Term 1 ends 2025)  
Karen Monfre.... (Term 1 ends 2023)  
Joe Michel ..... (Term 1 ends 2025)  
Bob Weiske..... (Term 2 ends 2025)  
Todd Lorbiecki.... (Term 1 ends 2023)

## Mass Schedule

Sunday 9:00 am

## Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:00 pm  
Sacred Heart

## Parish Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. 9 am—3 pm.

## Parish Website

[www.stmartin-cecil.org](http://www.stmartin-cecil.org)



## 11<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give." - Mt 10:6-8

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# June 18, 2023

St. Martin of Tours



SHARE JESUS

CELEBRATE JESUS

LIVE JESUS



## DEACON'S CORNER

Not too long ago I was struggling with something, and a good friend asked me if I had taken it to Jesus. As I thought about it, I hadn't. That's right; me, the deacon I hadn't thought about taking my problem to the foot of the cross. I pray EVERY day, at least twice a day, but for some reason, I didn't think I should *bother* Jesus with my problem. How foolish of me. Shortly after I corrected my mistake, the problem seemed to resolve itself. Imagine that.

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I know that we have shared this in the past, but it bears repeating once in a while. Here's a simple formula for bringing your problems to Jesus. The first thing you need to do is to find a quiet place to pray. I like to pray in church in front of Jesus in the tabernacle. but a quiet room in your house, or even a bench in your flower garden would do. Here is how the pray works:

- Acknowledge – What is going on in your heart...right now?  
Try to name what you are feeling, or going through.
- Relate – Share it with Jesus. Be completely honest. And, if you are in a place where you can, share it aloud. Nothing is "off limits." This is my toughest step, because I often try to struggle through myself. In the first step you were looking at your own problems, now Jesus is standing with you and looking into your situation with you.
- Receive – How does He respond to what you have shared? Maybe He offers a different insight, or maybe you experience a change of feeling, thought, or just a sense of peace.
- Respond – Respond to what you have received. It's a step I often forget, kind of like the ungrateful lepers. Maybe His answer was something you never thought of before, or stirs up something you disagree with. Maybe you need Him to clarify something. Whatever you receive, respond. Maybe it's just a "Thank You."
- My friend, Fr. Joel Sember, who taught this to me calls it "Praying like a Pirate," because the abbreviation for the steps is ARRR. It sounds like pirate speak. Our church building is open daily from 8AM to 8PM if you use the door at the top of the ramp near the office. Feel free to bring your troubles to Jesus and pray like a pirate.

Blessings,  
**Deacon Todd**

*Create*  
in me a clean heart, O GOD;  
and **renew** a right  
**spirit** within me.

Psalm 51:10



## Mass Intentions

**June 18**  
Raymond & Shirley Welcing  
**June 25**  
Rick Rohde

### This Week at St. Martin of Tours

<b>Tues.</b>	<b>June 20</b>
8:30 am	Communion Service
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>June 21</b>
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>June 22</b>
1-8:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>June 23</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>June 24</b>
3:00 pm	Reconciliation-Sacred Heart
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 25</b>
9:00 am	Mass

**PRAYER HOURS**  
**DAILY**  
**8:00 AM—8:00 PM**

### Financial Stewardship Report

June 11, 2023

Offertory .....	358.00
Adult Envelopes .....	2,313.00
Online Donation .....	845.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>3,516.00</b>
Helping Hands .....	75.00

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY—THURSDAY  
9:00 am-3:00 pm  
FRIDAY  
9:00-Noon

**HAPPY**  
**FATHER'S DAY**



### Mass Attendance

Sunday, June 11.....284

## Our Prayer Circle

### Please Pray for these People:

Shane Weiske  
Patricia Williams  
Theresa Arneson  
David Slaski Jr.  
John Peplinski Sr.  
Jerry Peplinski  
Deacon Ken Banker  
Maxine Sturm  
Shirley Kurowski  
Alice Armitage  
Gerry Buech

Nancy Dietz  
Lil Konitzer  
Jeff Mueller  
Julie Borowitz  
Lee Mecikalski  
Kathleen D.  
Kathy S  
Cookie Strasman  
Mike Welcing  
Betty Marcks  
David Majeski  
Joe Welcing



### PARISH SECRETARY POSITION OPENING

St. John in Gillett is currently looking for someone to serve as parish secretary. Duties include keeping parish and financial records, the ability to work independently, and basic computer skills. Knowledge of QuickBooks and Gabriel software is a plus. Applicants should be a practicing Catholic or have the willingness to become familiar with the Catholic faith. Start date is July 3<sup>rd</sup>. If Interested, please contact St. John's parish office at 920-855-2542 for an application.



### HISTORY OF ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

We are looking for any information, pictures, paper clippings, etc. regarding the history of St. Martin of Tours and/or the area history of Cecil. There are a group of parishioners compiling the information. If you would have materials or be interested in helping compile. Please contact the parish office at (715) 745-6681. Any information you may have will be copied and the original will be returned to you.

### COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesdays  
8:30 am

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursdays  
1:00-8:00 pm

### ONLINE GIVING

Giving online has become easier than ever at  
St. Martin of Tours.

Scan the QR Code below with your cellphone to be directed to  
<https://www.stmartin-cecil.org/donate>



If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

### HELPING HANDS FOOD PANTRY

If you've ever wondered what to donate to our food pantry, here's a list of items that we give every month. If we don't have enough, we will purchase them:

Hamburger Helper (or boxed meal)  
Spaghetti or pasta  
Mac N Cheese  
Flavored Rice box  
Potato Box  
Cereal  
Ravioli or Spaghetti O's  
Pasta Sauce (Plastic jars only please)  
Tuna  
Canned Fruit  
Canned Vegetables  
Canned Soup  
Peanut Butter (plastic jars only)  
Jelly (plastic jars only)  
Bar of soap  
Shampoo



If you're able to donate these items. Please place them in the shopping cart located in the Parish Hall.

### PAPER DRIVE!!!

Our Food Pantry is running low on paper products that we supply during our distribution each month. Please consider making a donation of Toilet Paper or Facial Tissues.

Thank you for all that you do!