

# 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. Edward Looney

## Parish Trustees (2-yr.term)

Tom Melchior ..... (Term 2 ends 2024)  
Karen Monfre.... (Term 1 ends 2025)

## 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)  
Open..... (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)



## 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?"  
- Jn 9:35

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# March 10, 2024

St. Martin of Tours



SHARE JESUS

CELEBRATE JESUS

LIVE JESUS





**DEACON'S CORNER**

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## DEACON'S CORNER

This Sunday is "Laetare" (lay-tar-eh) Sunday, which means: to rejoice. It may lead one to question, that in a season of prayer, fasting, almsgiving, and repentance, what there is to rejoice in. We rejoice in the unparalleled love and mercy of our God, and in his ultimate purpose for us.

Ever since the beginning of time, mankind has taken advantage of God. Our first reading this weekend speaks

of those who added infidelity to infidelity. Thousands of years later, it seems as if nothing has changed. If it were left up to us, mankind would not be saved. It is a good thing that it is not up to us! St. Paul tells us in our second reading, "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is NOT from you; it is the gift of God." (Eph 2:8; emphasis added) It is this grace that we rejoice in this Sunday.

Jesus states in the Gospel, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but have eternal life." (Jn 3:16) This is good news; THE Good News. On Ash Wednesday we were signed with ashes on our heads and told to "Repent and believe in the Gospel." Let us take it to heart. Let us rejoice. Lent is now half over, Easter is near!

Blessings,

**Deacon Todd**

## PARISH MISSION

The Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist  
Wednesdays 6:00 pm

## 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  
Hunter Kleist

Nancy Dietz  
Lil Konitzer  
Jeff Mueller  
Julie Borowitz  
Lee Mecikalski  
Cookie Strasman  
Mike Welcing  
Betty Marcks  
David Majeski  
Joe Welcing  
Vicky Britton  
Joe Sell  
Terry Fusek



## Mass Intentions

**March 10**

Roger Ramseth

**March 17**

Dave Slaski

## This Week at St. Martin of Tours

<b>Tues.</b>	<b>March 12</b>
8:30 am	Communion Service
6:00 pm	Stations of the Cross
6:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Meeting
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>March 13</b>
1-8:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration
6:00 pm	Parish Mission
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>March 14</b>
6:00 pm	CCW Meeting
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 15</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>March 16</b>
3:00 pm	Reconciliation-Sacred Heart
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 17-St. Patrick's Day</b>
8:25 am	Praying of the Rosary
9:00 am	Mass

## Financial Stewardship Report

**March 3, 2024**

Offertory .....	375.00
Adult Envelopes.....	2,020.00
Online Donation.....	165.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>2,560.00</b>
Helping Hands.....	215.00

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

for  
Sunday, March 17, 2024

<b>FIRST READING</b>	Jeremiah 31:31-34
<b>PSALM</b>	Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15
<b>SECOND READING</b>	Hebrews 5:7-9
<b>GOSPEL</b>	John 12:20-33

## PRAYER HOURS

**DAILY**  
**8:00 AM—8:00 PM**



## Mass Attendance

Sunday, March 3.....221



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6:00 pm  
Tuesdays  
March 12, 19

## CCW MEETING

CCW- Council of Catholic Women will be meeting on Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All women of the parish are invited to attend and share input on Parish events, donations and suggestions.

## PARISH MISSION

"The Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist"

### WEDNESDAYS

March 13, 20  
6:00 pm

## EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to donate flowers in memory of in honor of a loved one, please place in an envelope with the name of the one recognized as well as your name to be placed in the Easter bulletin. ~Thank you!

## 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.*

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**HOLY THURSDAY**  
Thursday, March 28  
6:00 pm

**GOOD FRIDAY**  
Friday, March 29  
3:00 pm

**EASTER VIGIL**  
Saturday, March 30  
8:15 pm

**EASTER**  
Sunday, March 31  
9:00 am



NOW OPEN: 2024 Summer Registration!

## CAMP TEKAKWITHA

SHAWANO, WI

### Who do we serve?

- All youth ages 6-17!
- Mini-Week Lil Tek campers
- Full-Week campers
- LeaderQuest growing leaders
- Explorers adventurers

### What do we do?

- Nature Exploration
- Mass & Daily Prayer
- Archery Instruction
- Boating & Swimming
- Lily Games Competition
- Night Hikes & Campfires



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## ENVELOPE UPDATE!

Please use the labels or **write your name** on your offering envelope. We have received some envelopes without names and they cannot be posted to your account without your name on them. We no longer use envelope numbers. ~Thank you!

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

Tuesday, March 12

6:00 pm

Please plan to attend!

## CHARLIE'S RED BARN

April, 8, 9, 10

Please offer to work 1 shift each day.

Spouses are encouraged to help.

Sign up now.

## CURSILLO

Cursillo provides an opportunity to deepen your relationship with Christ, and to live a more authentic Christian life. The three-day weekend features an encounter with Self, with Christ, and with Others.

Please prayerfully consider attending a Cursillo. It will be a weekend of learning and growing deeper in your relationship with Christ and others.

Women's Spring Cursillo #266:

April 4 – April 7

St. Francis Xavier Middle School, Appleton

For more information on Cursillo visit: [www.natl-cursillo.org/Greenbay/](http://www.natl-cursillo.org/Greenbay/)

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Deacon Todd or Karen and Bill Monfre 920-609-3657.