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St. Mary

& St. Michael



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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish, Clarks Mills, and St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Whitelaw, in union with the Roman Catholic Church, inspire all to grow as followers of Jesus Christ through the sacraments, faith education and social outreach to our members and the wider community.

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THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST JUNE 11, 2023

Mass Schedule

ST. MARY ST. MICHAEL

Sunday: 9:30 AM (Confessions 8:45-9:15)

Saturday: 4:00 PM (Confessions 3:00-3:30) Sunday: 11:00 AM (No Mass 4th Sunday of Month)

St. Mary Parish – 775-4365
For Emergency – (920) 246-6841 –Dc. RandyJaeckels
Parish Secretary: Casey Braun - 775-4365
Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 11-3
SM/SM School Principal: Jane Schueller-775-4366
Director of Religious Education:

Grades 1-8: Teresa Pederson – 775-4876 Parish Council Chair: Lisa Sherman - 629-0013 St. Michael Parish – 732-3901
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Director of Religious Education:
Grades 1-8: Teresa Pederson – 775-4876
Parish Council Chair: Norb Baumann – 242-7848

GETTING MARRIED? Please call the parish office soon after you are engaged to begin the marriage preparation process, which is geared for your married life together, not simply the wedding day. Preparation is to begin at least nine months before the wedding, according to diocesan policy.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Parents are asked to begin preparing for their child's Baptism early. Please contact Deacon Randy Jaeckels for an appointment to facilitate the preparation.

COMMUNION/VISITS FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Please contact the parish office to arrange for Communion to be brought to the homebound and for regular visits by Deacon Randy Jaeckels.

PLEASE USE SCRIP: Available – St. Mary: At Sunday Mass; in the parish office: Mon.- Fri. 8:00-3:00. For large or special orders call Jean Shimon at 758-2276 by Saturday evening. Order form is available on website.

St. Michael: ½ hour until 10 minutes before weekend masses and after mass; in the parish office Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9-noon; or by contacting Colleen at 732-3115. Order form is available on website.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE JUNE 10-18

Saturday, June 10 4:00 PM (SM) Edward J. Naidl Family Sunday, June 11 9:30 AM (IC) Tom Waniger & the Living &

Deceased of St. Mary's Parish 11:00 AM (SM) Gary Grall & the Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish (Choir)

Tuesday, June 13 8:15 AM (SM) Gladyce Fischer

Wednesday, June 14 8:15 AM (IC) Liturgy of the Word

Saturday, June 17 4:00 PM (SM) Laplant, Linsmeier & Pitra Families

Sunday, June 18 9:30 AM (IC) Deceased Members of the William Tienor Family 11:00 AM (SM) Marge Bodwin & the Living & Deceased of St. Michael's Parish (Choir)

ICSt. Mary/SM St.Michael

MINISTRIES JUNE 17-18

Proclaimers:

4:00 PM(SM) Marlys Strother 9:30 AM(IC) Kay Marsicek 11:00 AM(SM) Vicki Baumann

Extraordinary Ministers:

4:00 PM(SM)Deacon Randy Meidl 9:30 AM(IC) Deacon Randy Meidl 11:00 AM(SM) Deacon Randy Meidl

Servers:

4:00 PM(SM) Bernard McCulley 9:30 AM(IC) Eli & Ethan Staudinger 11:00 AM (SM) James & Jacob Resch

June Ushers:

4:00 PM(SM) AI & Lois Kiel, George Bamman, Helen Kangas 9:30 AM(IC) Ray Berres, Bob Staudinger 11:00 AM (SM) Bob Ebert Family; Jim Muench

Welcome

Welcome to our celebration of Mass today. We sincerely hope you feel you are among friends.

Bulletins are published online: To access the Church website visit: www.stmarystmichael.com and to access the school website www.school.stmarystmichael.com

Bishop Ricken's Sunday Mass: If unable to make it to Mass due to illness or homebound Sunday Mass is available at 10:30am on channel 5 (WFRV).

St Mary's Parish is now offering scrip cards for Ric's Bar & Grill in Whitelaw in \$15 and \$25 increments. The percentage back is 10%.

2023 BISHOP'S APPEAL

St. Mary's: Goal \$19,140.00 Current \$18,770.00 St. Michael's: Goal \$17,579.00 Current \$17,025.00

To pledge or donate online: www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give or contact the parish office

In Sympathy: Please remember Rita Linsmeier Brochtrup in your prayers, as she was laid to rest this past week. May the Lord Bless their families with peace and love.

America Needs Fatima: June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We will say the rosary before the 4pm Mass on Saturday, June 17 for that Special Intention. What better way to ask God for the grace of conversion for America than to turn to the Sacred Heart of Jesus by praying the rosary.

St. Mary's Parish Liturgy of the Word will be suspended for the summer months. Thank you to parents who sent their child/ren. Thank you also to the teachers and helpers!

Senior bingo on June 13th at the Whitelaw Village Hall starting at 9:00 am.

St. Mary's Parish: Servers, ushers, lectors the schedule for July-September will be created soon. Please let Casey know any dates you would need off by Monday, June 19. Call 920-775-4365 or stmarycm@tds.net Thank you!

Cemetery Masses: The following cemetery Masses will be held on Tuesday evenings at 6pm with Father Tom Pomeroy. Please remember to bring a lawn chair. If the weather is bad, Mass will be held at Holy Family Parish in Brillion. June 13: St. Mary Cemetery, Reedsville (4016 Cty Rd W, Reedsville) July 25: Holy Trinity Cemetery, Kasson (24011 Marquette Rd, Brillion) August 1: Knollwood Mausoleum (1500 US Hwy 310, Manitowoc) August 8: Holy Family Cemetery, Brillion (W400 Hacker Rd., Brillion).

Year End Contributions: Reminder that the parish church year ends Friday, June 30 so any financial contributions need to be received before that date.

SCHOOL NOTE

St. Mary/St. Michael School is looking for a part-time custodian for the 2023/24 school year. Time commitment of 8-10 hours per week. Light duty with flexible hours. Please contact Deacon Randy Jaeckels if interested.

Fourth Quarter "A" Honor Roll Students: 4th Grade: Jaxson Dobrzynski, Grant Eick, Lily Jetton, Josie Odell; 5th Grade: Titus DiMarco, Isaac Staudinger, Josh Welch; 6th Grade: Hayden Bartel; 7th Grade: Roman DiMarco, Isabella Eick, Grace Odell, Meagan Roth; 8th Grade: Levi Welch. "B" Honor Roll Students: Brynn Edler, Alexa Guzman-Ortiz, Gavin Pingel, Sam Staudinger; 6th Grade: Samuel Krajna; 7th Grade: David Stock, Gloria Walesh; 8th Grade: Alex Neuser, Zach Neuser

THINGS TO DO

Car Show & Raffle: Saturday, June 17 starting at 9am at the Whitelaw Village Park. The Reedsville Knights of Columbus #5798 is holding their annual car show and raffle. Enjoy a fry-out, bucket raffles, and DJ. Raffle prizes are (1) \$2,000, (2) \$500, (3) \$200, (4) \$100, (5th-8th) \$50. Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$20. Drawing will be held at 3pm.

2023 SM/SM School Community Fest Raffle tickets will be available before and after weekend Masses in the rear entrances of St. Mary and St. Michael churches. Exciting changes this year. The event will be Saturday, August 5 at 7Lakes Golf & Dining. A 4pm Polka Mass will take place under the tent near the Tiki bar, a golf tournament at 9am and "with each raffle ticket purchased you will get a meal on that day only with your stub". 50% raffle prize payout with 1st prize \$18,000 and second prize is a 46" Zero turn Husqvarna riding lawn mower plus many more winnings. Please support this important fundraiser, get your raffle ticket early.

RESPECT LIFE

WINNING THE HEARTS AND MINDS OF CATHOLICS AND OTHERS: A special means of teaching our people about the sacredness of the unborn is to show videos and ultrasound pictures of the brutal abortion act of the tearing apart of a precious unborn child in great suffering in a mother's womb. Building a culture of life demands that we win the hearts and minds of all our fellow Catholics and many others. It also demands that we speak forthrightly and strongly in the public square. In an era of disinformation and falsehood, we must courageously with the Holy Spirit give witness in our preaching and action to the God-given truth about the beauty and sacredness of human life. And as we state in our pro-life plans, we need to take more positive pastoral action to support the precious unborn and offer care at every level for their parents, especially their mothers. It is urgent that we also take more courageous and unified action as bishops to encourage members of congress and our president to pass legislation, that advances the health, safety and flourishing of women, children, and families; and we strongly encourage the passage of bills, that support and fund families, such as the Pregnant Workers Fairness Act and support for child tax credit, paid family leave, pregnancy resource centers, child care, housing and nutrition, maternal and child health, adoption, healthy relations, for environmental protections and inclusion of immigrant families in social programs. These will help to build an authentic life affirming society. In all our pro-life activities, we urge all to join hands and hearts and lock arms together with other Christians and all those who hold the sacredness of the life of the unborn. A special advocate and supporter of our pro-life ministry for the unborn is Dr. Alveda King, niece of the great civil rights leader, Dr. Martin Luther King. Alveda has carried on the crusade for justice - most particularly and passionately for African -American children in their mother's wombs, and she states that the slaughter of innocence is the biggest civil rights issue of our time. With her, we advocate for life and recommit ourselves to making abortion unthinkable. - This is the fifth part of eight parts of Pro-Life Pastoral Letter for the Unborn a Half Century after Roe v Wade written by Bishop Michael Pfeifer, O.M.I., Bishop Emeritus of the Diocese of San Angelo.

ST. MARY June 4, 2023

 Support
 \$2,396.00

 Offertory
 270.00

 Online Giving
 160.00

\$2,826.00

Weekly Avg needed\$4,680.00 (1,854.00)

Missionary Appeal Collection \$199.05

Scrip Sales Profit \$2,370.00 86.75

ST. MICHAEL June 4, 2023

 Support
 \$2,507.00

 Offertory
 299.00

 Candles
 27.01

 Donation
 85.00

 \$2,918.01

Weekly Avg needed\$4,300.00 (1,381.99)

Missionary Appeal Collection \$580.00

Scrip Sales \$5,033.00 Profit 191.30 WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Jesus said to them,
"Amen, amen, I say
to you, unless you
eat the flesh of the
Son of Man and
drink his blood, you
do not have life
within you. Whoever
eats my flesh and
drinks my blood has
eternal life, and I will
raise him on the last
day."
John 6: 53-54

Church Cleaning Families -June 17/18

St. Mary: Richard & Terry Pederson, James & Eugenia Peterson St. Michael: Jeff & Amy Olson, Rita Orth

Scrip Sellers-St. Michael: Saturday, June 17; Sharon Reindl. Sunday, June 18; Sue Resch.

ST. MARY CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS: WEEK #23 06/04/23-06/10/23:

<u>\$50 WINNERS:</u> Kaitlyn Sukowaty, Milwaukee and Patricia Schuh, Brillion.

<u>\$25 WINNERS</u>: Jenny Riederer, Cato; Nolan Madson, Reedsville; Cory Larsen, Two Rivers, Lisa Taylor, Mishicot and Linda Stechmesser, Coloma.

Message from Deacon Randy Jaeckels

As we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ this weekend, we are reminded that Jesus Christ is the source and summit of our faith in the celebration of the Eucharist. In the fall of 2022, the United States Congress of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), announced the National Eucharistic Revival as a movement to restore the understanding and devotion to the great mystery of the Eucharist.

At the Last Supper, in celebration of Passover, Jesus took bread, blessed it, and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took the cup, gave thanks and shared it saying, "this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins." The Eucharist is a sacrificial meal, given to us by Jesus.

A recent survey found that more than 50% of all Catholics do not believe in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. That's astounding and discerning! There are several proofs in recent history that indicate that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist. Like the Holy Trinity, celebrated last Sunday, the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist is true, yet a real mystery of our Church. This is our faith!

You will hear much about this Eucharistic Revival within the next year. Please be open to participating

in the events that will take place that will draw us closer to the Eucharist. I invite you to read the bulletin insert this week from Bishop Ricken's Pastoral Letter on the importance of Eucharistic Adoration. Please pray about his message and how you can grow deeper in your faith. If you wish to participate in one of our weekly Eucharistic Adoration opportunities, please see the bulletin for details.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ST. MARY & ST. MICHAEL

Saturday, June 10

Confessions 3:00-3:30pm at St. Michael's

Sunday, June 11

Confessions 8:45-9:15am at St. Mary's

Monday, June 12

Eucharistic Adoration 11:00amnoon at St. Mary's

Tuesday, June 13

Eucharistic Adoration 3:30-4:30pm at St. Michael's

School Board Meeting 6:00pm

Wednesday, June 14

Holy Hour 2:00pm at St. Michael's

Thursday, June 15

Finance Meeting 6:30pm at St. Mary's

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