

## Calendar of the Week

### Saturday, February 6

*St. Paul Miki & Companions,  
Martyrs  
First Saturday*

4:30pm - Mass - St. Roch???

5:30pm - Rosary Leaders - DeWayne & Adeline Dvorak

6:00pm - Mass - Marcella Ricicar✘

Ushers - Stephen Belota & Kevin Dvorak

### Sunday, February 7

*Sexagesima Sunday  
World Day for Consecrated  
Life*

No CCD Class - in the dining hall

10:30am - Mass - St. Roch???

12:30pm - Traditional Latin Mass - Mike & Nora Koch

Ushers - Harold Emick & Kerry Neuendorff

### Monday, February 8

*St. Jerome Emiliani  
St. Josephine Bakhitta, Virgin*

Parish Office Closed

6:30pm - Eucharistic Holy Hour

### Tuesday, February 9

No Mass

### Wednesday, February 10

*St. Scholastica, Virgin*

No Mass

8:30-4:30pm - Parish Office Open

### Thursday, February 11

*Our Lady of Lourdes*

No Mass - St. Roch

### Friday, February 12

No Mass - St. Roch

8:30-4:30pm - Parish Office Open

### Saturday, February 13

*B. V.M.*

4:30pm - Mass - St. Roch

5:30pm - Rosary Leaders - Jim & Michelle Kubicek

6:00pm - Mass - Weldon & Marjorie Wilkerson

Ushers - Dennis Ricicar & Robert Socha

### Sunday, February 14

*6th Sunday in Ordinary  
Time  
Quinquagesima Sunday  
World Marriage Day*

8:15 - Rosary Leaders - CCD Youth

8:45am - Mass - Delbertha "Bootsie" Luedke✘

Ushers - Don Noska & Darrell Gross

10:00am - CCD Class - in the dining hall

10:30am - Mass - St. Roch

12:30pm - Traditional Latin Mass - Lawrence & Leona Cicherski

Ushers - David Dvorak & Steven Markwardt

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Msgr. Gury Council #5157 of Frelsburg

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## 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 7, 2021

CONFESSIONS	- Before Mass on Sunday mornings between 8:00 & 8:30AM. Also by appointment.
BAPTISM	- Instructions required. Contact the rectory to register.
MARRIAGE	- Parties should notify the parish secretary at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to allow time for Engaged Encounter Weekend. No weddings during the Advent and Lenten Seasons.
REGISTRATIONS	- Those who wish to become members of Sts. Peter and Paul parish are encouraged to register at the rectory, either by phone or by mailing one of the forms provided at the church entrances.
PRAYER CHAIN	- For all your prayer concerns please call: Donna Kunz (733-8983) or Joan & Elbert Brune (357-4892).

### Our Lady's Altar

ONE VIGIL CANDLE BURNS THIS WEEK IN MEMORY OF JUSTIN & CORA  
WOSTAREK GIVEN BY THE WOSTAREK FAMILY

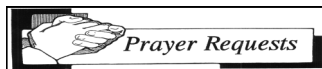
### St. Joseph's Altar

ONE VIGIL CANDLE BURNS THIS WEEK FOR THE HEALING OF FR. MICHAEL  
LYONS GIVEN BY THE PARISHIONERS OF STS. PETER & PAUL PARISH

### The Sanctuary Lamp

THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS THIS WEEK IN HONOR OF ELBERT & JOAN  
BRUNE ON THE OCCASION OF THEIR 35TH ANNIVERSARY GIVEN BY THEIR  
CHILDREN

*Please contact the rectory or fill out one of the forms located at the entrances of the church if you would like to book a vigil candle for a special occasion or in memory of someone. Each candle is \$15 and the proceeds are used for the preservation of our church building.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE ILL OR IN  
NEED OF OUR PRAYERS, ESPECIALLY

DONALD HUEBNER, FR. MICHAEL LYONS,  
TRACEY, CHRISTINE FEEHERY, GILBERT GERIK,  
JEAN ELLIS, PAT WILDE, MAJORIE WILKERSON,  
BERNICE WARSCHAK, JEANIE, DOROTHY  
BUTTON, JAMES & JANIE HRACHOVY, CALYN  
PACKARD, CHAD KLUMP, BARRY BARSUHN,  
DIANE POENITZSCH, KIM DITTLINGER, GAIL  
WARSCHAK, WANDA MEIER, RICHARD A.  
BUTTON

**ALTAR SOCIETY DUES** - will be collected the  
week ends of Feb. 13 & 14, 20 & 21. If you are  
not a member & would like to join, dues are \$5.

**Notice:**  
Due to Covid-19 we are requesting that you re-  
member social distancing, & **when you leave  
church please leave the kneeling bench  
down.** This will help those that are cleaning  
church after each Mass, to just clean where  
people sat in church and not the whole church.  
This is very trying times with all the changes to

**Youth Group -**  
**Wednesday - 6:30-7:45pm at St. Roch**

**K. C. Bar-b-cue Chicken & Sausage**  
Sunday, February 21, 2021 - 10:00am - 12:00pm  
Chicken \$10 Sausage \$6  
Drive-thru and Advance Tickets Only  
Call Delbert Kulhanek @ 732-1378 or  
Ernest Richter @ 732-6975

**Let us Pray for our Seminarian, Philippe Dubourdieu**  
Lord Jesus, Good Shepherd of the Church, grant these seminarians the  
necessary wisdom, guided by the Holy Spirit, to succeed and the  
grace to persevere. Enlighten them in their studies, help them in  
their difficulties, and sustain them in their struggles to be faithful. O  
Mary, Our Lady of the Assumption, intercede on their behalf. Help  
them to imitate you in saying their own generous and unconditional  
"yes" to the ministry of love & divine election to which the Lord calls  
them. We ask all this in the name of our heavenly Father. Amen. St.  
Joseph, pray for us.

PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF:  
DENVER MEYER

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF EDWIN & DIANNE SEIDEL  
*May his soul and the souls of all the faithful  
departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

#### **February Church Cleaning Group -**

Carolyn Canik, (Chr), Michele Fuller, Carol Schertz,  
Rachel Kozel & Rebecca, Pat Willis, Shannon  
Hoover, Beth Herchek, Judy Vasut, Linda Knesek,  
Tammy Fuller & Girls, Amy Stancik, Caroline Dooley  
& Girls, Ashley Glueck & Girls, Patsy Eckermann,  
Virginia Talentino, Janelle Hernandez.

#### **Need Someone To Clean The Halls -**

Please call the rectory at 979-732-3430.

#### **Church Envelopes in the Narthex of the Church!!**

##### **Please pick up your envelopes!!**

2021 Envelopes are here. Please make your  
check out to Sts. Peter & Paul Church for the  
*Special Collections*. We will send one check  
to the Diocese of Victoria for the amount  
collected. Try to get the *Special Collections*  
envelope in within two weeks, it will be not-  
ed in your regular collection totals. Need  
envelopes, call 732-3430.

**We will be mailing the envelopes to those of  
you who did not pick up your envelopes.**

#### **Seminary Burse**

Seminary burse has been started in honor of Fr.  
Wayne Flagg and Fr. Philip Brune. A seminary burse  
is a permanent fund used for the education of future  
priests of the Diocese of Victoria. The goal of each  
burse is \$15,000. The interest from this amount is  
applied yearly to the education of seminarians.

Contributions to the burse can be made in honor of  
someone or in recognition of a particular event or as a  
memorial Those wishing to contribute to this burse or  
any other may pick up an envelope in the narthex of  
the church and mail it in.

#### **Altar Society Meeting -**

in the dining hall on Tuesday February 9, at 6:30pm  
right after Mass.

#### **SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY -**

This Sunday provides the second of three "speed  
bumps" that encourage Christians to slow down  
before the beginning of Lent. What will you do in  
prayer, fasting, and almsgiving this Lent that opens  
you up more to God's grace and God's desire for  
your salvation in Jesus Christ? Last Sunday, on  
Septuagesima Sunday in the Traditional liturgy, the  
purple vestments were introduced and the Sunday  
Gloria and the Alleluia went away until Easter. The  
Church reflected particularly on the need to claim,  
by self-denial, the great gift of forgiveness and  
eternal salvation in Christ. Today, Sexagesima  
("sixtieth day") calls the Church to trust that Jesus  
is our Redeemer and that by His saving doctrine,  
He gives life to souls. In the Epistle, 2nd Corinthians  
11:19-33; 12:1-9, St. Paul chronicles his many  
sufferings and setbacks in the work of spreading  
the Good News of Jesus Christ. In the end, Paul  
considers that trust in Jesus to be worth it. In the  
Gospel, Luke 8:4-15, Jesus tells the parable of the  
seed and the sower. The seed is the Word of God.  
Depending on its environment the seed thrives or  
perishes. So it is with the soul. Our task during  
Lent is to clear the environment, the soil, for our  
souls to receive the grace of Christ more  
abundantly, so that we may thrive as saints in His  
Kingdom. Quadragesima (the season of Lent) is a  
week and a half away. On Sexagesima Sunday, are  
we sharpening our focus for this holy season of  
grace?

In Christ,  
Fr. Michael

#### **Collection - January 31, 2021**

**Envelopes - \$2,287.00 Loose - \$327.00**

**Special Collection - Latin America - \$30.00**  
**Solemnity of Mary - \$10.00**

#### **Holy Hour With The Chaplet of Divine Mercy February 8, 2021**

The devotion includes the following prayer time:  
**6:30pm** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
(followed by personal prayer/ reflection)  
**6:50pm** The Chaplet of Divine Mercy  
**7:20pm** Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament  
**Jesus, I trust in You!**

#### **Diocese of Victoria/s Men's Gathering** **Saturday, Feb. 20, 2021 8am-4:30pm** **Featuring...**

MASS CELEBRATED BY BISHOP BRENDAN  
CAHILL FATHER MITCH PACWA, SJ: EWTN  
PERSONALITY SAM MEIER: SPEAKER,  
AUTHOR, COUNSELOR FEATURING...

Father Mitchell C. Pacwa, S.J., is the Senior Fellow of  
the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology, a Jesuit  
priest, President and Founder of Ignatius Productions,  
world renowned lecturer, spiritual director for over  
fifty Holy Land pilgrimages, and EWTN host of tele-  
vision and radio shows.

Bishop Brendan is the third Bishop of Victoria,  
ordained on June 29, 2015. He has served as a priest  
since 1990, beginning his ministry in the Archdiocese  
of Galveston-Houston, holding several positions  
including Vicar for Clergy. He also served as rector of  
St. Mary Seminary in Houston from 2001 -2010 and  
holds a bachelor's degree in Psychology, Master of  
Divinity, and Doctorate in Fundamental Theology.

Sam is a speaker, author, and counselor and for several  
years worked at the Archdiocese of Kansas City with  
the "My House Initiative" - a program for protecting  
families and marriages from pornography. He current-  
ly is on staff at Benedictine College serving in student  
health & wellness. This dynamic event for men ages  
18 and up will feature inspiring talks, prayer, group  
discussions, resources, great food, and the opportunity  
for the Sacrament of Confession. Join us to be  
strengthened in your faith and equipped to lead your  
families and communities alongside a band of  
brothers!

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#### **Weekly Reflection - 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Today's reading from Job seems rather depressing. He  
is certainly at a very low point in his life & does not  
think things are likely to improve. But he also has an  
important insight: that our days go by swiftly & life is  
like the wind. This is a truth that we seldom appreciate  
in our youth but discover its truth in later years.  
Whether we are in good or bad times, we only have a  
brief time here & and it is up to us to cherish the life  
we have been given. Take time to count your blessings  
& appreciate the people in your life & you may find it  
easier to get through the "bad" times.

*He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.*  
- Psalm 147:3

*There are two ways of spreading light; to be the  
candle or the mirror that reflects it.*  
- Edith Wharton