

St. Mary Queen of Peace

February 5, 2023

Rev. Michael Woempner

St. Mary Queen of Peace Church | 600 Marquette Blvd. | Kingsford, MI 49802

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass
4:30 p.m.

Sunday Masses
8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Confessions Saturdays
at 3:00 p.m.
Or by appointment

Daily Mass (Tues.- Fri.)
8:00 a.m.

Office email:
qofpoffice@gmail.com



OFFICE HOURS

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday

7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. &

3:45 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

Friday

7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Religious Ed email:
mcasanova@chartermi.net



5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You are the light of
the world. A city set on
a mountain cannot be
hidden.” - Mt 5:14

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & SHUT-INS



PRAYERS WILL BE APPRECIATED FOR:

Nancy Culver, Jack & Mary Andreini, Christine St. Louis, Bev McDermott, Ida Nord, David McKee, Christine Printz, Al Erickson, Les & Margaret Loper, Ruby Marchaterre, Betty Larson, Mary Raketich, George & Sue Hardy, and all who are home-bound.

We pray for all those who are sick, who are in nursing homes, and those who are being cared for by their loved ones at home or those who receive ongoing treatment for terminal and life-threatening diseases. May God bring them healing and sustain them in hope...and all who have asked for our prayers.

Do you have a prayer request? Call the parish office, at 774-6122, and they will be put on our prayer line.

Please remember in prayer all those men and women who serve in the Armed Forces.

Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6 - ST. PAUL MIKI & COMPANIONS
NO MASS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7 - WEEKDAY

8:00 AM **NO MASS** - Private intentions - †Deceased Members of the Talerico & Woempner Families

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 - WEEKDAY

8:00 AM **NO MASS** - Private intentions - Christine Printz - Req. by Friends

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9 - WEEKDAY

8:00 AM **NO MASS** - Private intentions - †Doris Farrington - Req. by Gene Farrington

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10 - ST. SCHOLASTICA

8:00 AM **NO MASS** - Private Intentions - †Jerry McCole - Req. by Scott & Tonya St. Louis

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN OT

4:30 PM †Bob & Bev Chartier - Req. by JJ & Lisa Richtig

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN OT

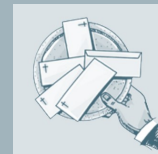
8:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of Our Parish Family
10:00 AM †Terry Lane - Req. by Celine Gayan

~ OUR ATTITUDE IS GRATITUDE ~

A weekly share of our family income to support our Church and School

Weekend of January 29th

Adults	\$4,031.00
Loose	\$105.00
Donation.....	\$200.00
Votive	\$8.00
TOTAL.....	\$ 4,344.00



Thank you!

WORDS OF WISDOM

BISHOP FREDERIC BARAGA

Septuagesima. Delivered two nice practical sermons. Whether they have been done any good or not, only You know. I believe they will have no effect, as usual. It is snowing a bit; I'm afraid I am going to have a difficult journey.

– "May Your will be done!"

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL

Adorers Welcome!

For more information or to sign up, please call:

Lu Menghini, at 282-6909 or
Barb Broullire, at 221-9707

www.theadorationchapel.com

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



4:30 PM - FEBRUARY 11

Lector: Steve Pontbriand
Eucharist: Sandy Bloniarz
Servers: Lisa & Lance Harry
Ushers: Beth & Ryan Sanders
Hospitality: Kelly Burgess & Debbie Wahoviak / Janet Fiorazo & Betty Glanville

**Liturgical
Ministers**

8:00 AM - FEBRUARY 12

Lector: Myrna Schon
Eucharist: Joe Groeneveld
Servers: Duane & Ben Mrozinski
Ushers: Sue & Jerry Sanders
Hospitality: Peggy Groeneveld & Sandi Corsi / Diane Ross & Andy Ross

10:00 AM - FEBRUARY 12

Lector: Mark Miller
Eucharist: Leo Angeloff
Servers: Julianna & Evan Rodriguez
Ushers: Bill & Mary Paupore
Hospitality: The Hoy Family & The Rodriguez Family
Money Counters: Sue & Jerry Sanders

Please be faithful to your assigned ministry of service. It is your responsibility to get a substitute. Please let the office know the name/(s) of your replacements. Thank you!

SCRIPTURE FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 6, 2023

Mon Gn 1:1-19 / Mk 6:53-56
Tues Gn 1:20-2:4 / Mk 7:1-13
Wed Gn 2:5-9, 15-17 / Mk 7:14-23
Thur Gn 2:18-25 / Mk 7:24-30
Fri Gn 3:1-8 / Mk 7:31-37
Sat Gn 3:9-24 / Mk 8:1-10
SUN Sir 15:15-20 / 1 Cor 2:6-10 / Mt 5:17-37

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING: Your light will shine like the dawn.
(Is 58:7-10)

SECOND READING: I have told you of the witness of the crucified Christ.

(1 Cor 2:1-5)

GOSPEL: You are the light of the world.
(Mt 5:13-16)

VOCATION VIEWS

'I resolved to know nothing except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified.' In the cross is our salvation, proclaim that salvation in all you do!

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life in the Diocese of Marquette.

STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

The Gospel today reminds us that our lives and our deeds must serve as examples to others, pointing the way to the Father. Not for our own benefit do we labor, but so that others may see our good works and give glory to our Father in heaven

LENTEN ADULT EDUCATION AT IC

You are invited to join an eight-week Bible study focusing on the Books of Mark, Luke, and John. We will listen to a first-ever, word-for word, unedited movie adaptation entitled, "The Gospel Collection." a Lionsgate Production.

Two identical classes will be offered each Wednesday, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. and 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. The Ash Wednesday evening class is scheduled for Thursday, February 23 from 6:00 - 7:30. Father Mike Chenier will be participating in the evening classes. Please bring your bible.

IC Religious Education Center, Stanton Street Entrance, Wednesday, February 1, 8, 15, 23, and March 1, 8, 15, 22. Registration is necessary. Please contact Joanie Richtig, at (906) 282-2245, or richtigi@gmail.com to confirm your attendance.

LENTEN STUDY - ST. MARY & ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Adult faith formation Bible study, discovering the Gospel of Mark, starts Tuesday February, 14th, at 6pm downstairs in the parish hall following 5pm Mass. If you are interested, please call St. Mary & St. Joseph parish office at 906-774-2046. Please bring your bible. Everyone is welcome!



ATTENTION GOLFERS

Bishop Baraga Catholic School has a wonderful fundraising opportunity available for you to win a golf trip for 4 to Pinehurst, North Carolina, travel expenses included in prize.

Raffle ticket(s) are available for \$100 each. Register today for your chance to win this amazing trip today at <https://baragaup.com/>



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Vincent De Paul is looking to hire a Retail Store Manager who is responsible for the overall operations of the Retail Thrift Store located in Iron Mountain. College degree preferred and/or minimum 2-3 years related experience. Full job description available in the Parish Office. Please send resumes to St. Vincent De Paul, P.O. Box 494, Iron Mountain, MI or email to: SVDPIM@gmail.com

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING 2023

Team up to tackle hunger and poverty! There are over 24 million households in America without enough food to live a healthy lifestyle and over 11.6 households with children that do not have enough food. If everyone watching the 'Big Game' gave just \$1, that would be \$110 million to help those households in need.

Once again our parish will be participating in this wonderful event. There will be soup kettles at each door of the church, after each of the masses, on Super Bowl weekend, February 11 & 12, 2023. Please remember to drop in some loose money as you leave mass. Every dollar donated will go to local soup kitchens. Thank you for your support!



UPCOMING EVENTS

February 7th - 10th: No Daily Masses

February 18th - 19th: Rosary After All Masses

February 22nd: Ash Wednesday @ 8:00 am & 5:30 pm

CHOOSE LIFE

Those who favor euthanasia speak of the 'right to die'. No one needs a right to die; it's a fact of life. What they really want is the right to kill.

Pray and work to end abortion and euthanasia; as well as, praying for all life, especially the elderly and the unborn.

FUNERAL MASSES / BURIALS

It is a policy of St. Mary Queen of Peace Church that all funerals and burials **MUST** be arranged through the funeral home. The funeral home will then call the pastor to finalize the arrangements. Thank you.

DEAR PADRE

Sometimes I become pretty disgusted with my life and myself. I wonder if anyone really loves me. Is there any way I can know that God loves me?

Every human person is made in the image of God. This means that your life is infinitely precious in God's eyes. God values and loves you beyond anything you could ever imagine.

God has also placed into our hearts a yearning for love and happiness that cannot be satisfied by anything less than God. True love will not be found in riches or well-being, in fame or power. True happiness will be found in God alone, the source of all life and all love.

In New Testament times, many people believed that wealth and success were signs of favor and love from God. If disaster struck, you would assume that God was angry with you, or that you had done something wrong. Ill-fortune was a "sign" that God's love had been withdrawn from you.

Jesus turned this sort of thinking on its head. Jesus taught that God truly loves all people, including those who are down on their luck. God's love is not based on wealth, fortune, or success. Rather, God loves you because you are God's own creation, God's child, and heir to God's own kingdom.

You might find it helpful to talk over those feelings of self-disgust with a spiritual director or a confessor. Meanwhile, take comfort in the words of Isaiah: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name: you are mine (Isaiah 43:1).

The Redemptorists
DearPadre.org



February 8th

Classes: K-5th: 5:10 - 6:10 pm
6-8th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm
YG 9-12th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm

February 15th

Classes: K-5th: 5:10 - 6:10 pm
6-11th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm

February 22nd

Ash Wednesday - NO Class, Attend Mass

SAVE RECEIPTS

Please save your complete Tadych's and Super One receipts, as they will give us 1% of the total spent, to use towards our CCD program. You may drop them in the weekly collection basket. Thank you!



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Words From Pope Francis



God changes the world by transforming our hearts, and this he cannot do without us. The Lord wants us to open the door of our hearts in order to enter into our lives....For when God finds an open and trusting heart, he can work wonders there.

HOMILY BAKU, AZERBAIJAN,
OCTOBER 2, 2016

Parish Family Membership

We welcome you to the Catholic Christian Community of St. Mary Queen of Peace. Please contact the parish office to register at the earliest opportunity.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor	Rev. Michael Woempner
Admin. Assistant	Becky Couper
Dir. Religious Ed K-8th	Mary Beth Casanova
High School/Youth Group	Duane Mrozinski / Becky Couper
Janitor/ Grounds	Dennis Nelson

MASS ORGANISTS

Saturday 4:30 p.m.	
Sunday 8:00 a.m.	Daniel Steinbrecher
Sunday 10 a.m. Folk Choir	Cathy Spice



Jesus said to his disciples: "You are the salt of the earth. But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned? You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden." — Mt 5:13a, 14

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday beginning at 3:00 p.m., or anytime by appointment.

BAPTISM

Parent(s) must be registered and active members of the parish for at least six months and are expected to attend one session with the pastor on the meaning of Baptism prior to the celebration of the Sacrament. Godparents (one man and one woman), if not from the parish, must have a letter from their pastor stating that they are practicing Catholics and able to serve as sponsor. It is encouraged that both Godparents be Catholic, but one may be a non-Catholic and serve as a Christian witness.

MARRIAGE

The Catholic Church maintains the teaching of Jesus Christ, that marriage is a permanent and unconditional commitment between one man and one woman.

For a marriage to take place at Queen of Peace, one or both parties (or their parents) must be registered active members for at least 6 months before beginning marriage preparation. *Registration in the parish for the sole purpose of being married here is not permitted.* Once preparation begins, no date will be set until the initial information is gathered by the pastor. The Diocese requires 6 months prior to the wedding to ensure adequate time to prepare properly for the Sacrament. There are options for preparation, but some sort of preparation is required. Call the Parish Office to make the arrangements with the pastor. Saturdays are the usual day for weddings.

Times for weddings: For a Wedding Mass, no later than noon. For the Liturgy of the Word, no later than 12:30 p.m.

ANointing & Sick Calls

Anointing of the Sick is available upon request. Please call the rectory when anyone is sick, in the hospital, or shut-in and unable to attend Mass. In an emergency situation, call immediately.

FUNERALS

When there is a death in the family, contact a Funeral Director, who will in turn make arrangements with the Parish. Please note that the Diocesan Guidelines state that wakes and visitations are to take place in the Funeral Home, not in the Church. While exceptions may be made by the pastor, it will only be for special pastoral needs and/or circumstances.