

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 25, 2020

October Stewardship

Mother Teresa Endowment and Sisters of St. Clare


Budget amount
needed for each week:
\$7,250.00

October 17 and 18 Stewardship Back to the Lord	
Envelopes:	\$6,093.00
Youth:	\$1.00
Total:	\$6,094.00
EFT	\$1,410.00
Total:	\$7,504.00

Budgeted YTD	\$115,964.00
Actual YTD	\$107,638.00

Thank You

Stewardship: We fulfill the commandment to love our neighbor when we exercise good stewardship—joyfully sharing our gifts of life, abilities, and resources to meet our neighbor’s need.

 **Rosary:** The rosary is prayed every morning at 8:00 am in the church led by Bernie Coonrod. Please note: there will be NO rosary before Sunday Mass.

Christ’s Mission Appeal: Formally know as CSA will begin next weekend. A packet is being mailed to all parishioners. Please read the information carefully as the process to return your pledge card and money has changed. Please prayerfully consider your contribution to this year’s appeal.

This Week's Events

Sunday, October 25
Virtual Scavenger Hunt
Tuesday, October 27
10:30 am Prayer Service/Seminar in church

Daylight Saving Time Ends:
Remember to set your clocks back 1 hour on November 1st.


Faith Formation

Please make sure you have registered your children for this year’s faith formation program. Being a part of the St. Peter Parish Faith Formation and Youth Ministry Program Facebook Group does not mean you are registered! Remember that according to diocesan guidelines, in order to receive sacraments you must be registered the year before and year of the sacrament. For more information or to register please contact Doris at 845-1797.

Youth Ministry

Join us on Google Meet on Sunday, October 25th, beginning at 6:00 pm. The link will be in the Google Classroom (Class Code 37gn3di). We will be watching and discussing the 2nd episode of the Alpha Series, “Jesus, who is he?” If you cannot attend the meeting, the resources are in the Google Classroom stream and classwork tab. We hope to see you there! Katie

Witness Event: The Witness online event will take place on Sunday, November 1st, at 7:00 pm and will include inspiring talks, musical performances and more. Watch on Facebook Live, YouTube Live or www.witnessesevent.org. Bishop Gruss will be joined by Father Adam Maher, and several local faithful including Matthew Conley, a student from Midland and parishioner of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish. Matthew was a finalist during a music competition at the National Catholic Youth Conference in 2019. He will share a musical performance as part of Witness including piano and song. Members of our local faith community will be joined by Nationally known speaker Doug Tooke and the music group Village Lights from Nashville.

 **Newspaper Trailer:** Will be open starting on Monday, October 26th from 7 am until noon. We cannot accept phone books or magazines. Thank you.

Liturgy this Week

Sunday, October 25
8:30 am Mass
Wednesday, October 28
9:00 am Mass (Bannister)
Thursday, October 29
8:00 am Mass (Chesaning)
Saturday, October 31
4:30 pm Mass

Lector:

Ellen Martz

Eucharist Ministers:

Ellen & Tim Martz

Altar Servers:

Sunday, November 1

All Saints

8:30 am Mass

Lector:

Anne Stasa

Eucharist Ministers:

Dan Stasa and Angie Meder

Altar Servers:

Readings for the Week

Monday: Eph 4:32—5:8/Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16
Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Phil 1:1-11/Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Mt 5:1-12a

Sponsor of the Week



Masks in Church: Please continue to wear your mask when you are in the church after Mass. Masks should cover both your nose and mouth. Fr. Bill

Week Day Masses: Weekday Masses at St. Peter and St. Cyril will be scheduled from week to week. There will be Mass on Wednesday, October 28th (St. Cyril) and Thursday, October 29th (St. Peter).



Rosary for Our Deceased: You are invited to pray the Rosary for All Saints and All Souls at our cemeteries on Sunday, November 1st at 2:00 pm. Members of the Christian Service and Worship Commission will lead the Rosary at Resurrection, Mt. Calvary and St. Michael in Oakley Cemeteries. Please call Rosemary if you have any questions.

Congratulations! To Katie Youmans-Eichler, St. Peter Parish Youth Minister, who was commissioned last weekend as a Lay Minister. May God continue to bless you as you begin this ministry.

Virtual Scavenger Hunt: Please join us for a Scavenger Hunt around the Village of Chesaning on Saturday, October 24th and Sunday, October 25th. The 2 mile route begins at St. Peter Parish. Pick up your clue sheet in the rectory black mail box.

THOSE ASKING FOR PRAYERS:

James P. Young, Jim Yeager, Marguerite McIntyre, Michelle Smith, The Borseniks, Gail Robinette, Peggy Zietz, Kaiya Misiuk, LaRita Ball, Thomas A. & Paula Tithof, Bernard Henige, Darren Jacks, Trisha Ruddy, Mary Lou Borton, Mel Austin, Leo & Lucas Schulte, Thomas Beldyga, David Austin, Kimberly (Meder) Craven, Marlene Hart, Jerry Adams, Betty Franke, Tom Cassidy, Bill Young, Bill Kress, Ted Lipovsky, Bonnie Kemppainen, William J. Amman, Jane Toma, Jack Kulhanek, Greg Flory, Ron Kulhanek, Betty Naessens, Willburt Schneider, Thelma Schneider, Madonna Bueche, Matt Barancik, Florence Markiewicz, Alison Andres, Geri Sholtz, Jim Pitt, Benny Sims, Carol Moore, Robert & Gayle Tufts, Helen Gasser, Margaret Bolinger, Matt Coughlin, Bradley Blakeselle, Chantel Fondren, Brenda Lienau, Vickie Daniels, Mark Zvonek, Albert & Judy Storch, Sherry Storch, Rose Bonkowski, Jim Fusina, Esther Lickman, Brady Carroll, Rita Amman, Jay & Kay Glover, Susan Addington, Nancy Dennis, Barb Wenzlick, Diane DeVoe, Roxann Timm, Judy Wakeman, Bessie McSwain, Melanie Thiel, Brian Clark, Jeannette Somers, Kim Bruder, Gary Cech, Edward List Sr., Gary J. Tanner, Nichole Horn, Henry Huntoon, Will Lucio, Al Hundt, Ruth Vrable, Jerry & Mary Ellen Hoover, Julia Mahoney, Jennie Hunt, and Jacob Albers

*Tyler Hodges,
Christopher Lickman,
Garrett Mishler, and Bill
Lickman Jr. (serving in the
Armed Services)*

Prayer for Elections:

Lord God, as the election approaches, we seek to better understand the issues and concerns that confront our city/state/country, and how the Gospel compels us to respond as faithful citizens in our community.

We ask for eyes that are free from blindness so that we might see each other as brothers and sisters, one and equal in dignity, especially those who are victims of abuse and violence, deceit and poverty.

We ask for ears that will hear the cries of children unborn and those abandoned,

Men and women oppressed because of race or creed, religion or gender.

We ask for minds and hearts that are open to hearing the voice of leaders who will bring us closer to your Kingdom.

We pray for discernment so that we may choose leaders who hear your Word, live your love, and keep in the ways of your truth as they follow in the steps of Jesus and his Apostles and guide us to your Kingdom of justice and peace.

We ask this in the name of your Son Jesus Christ and through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Elaine Rendler-McQueeney

Email Scam: Parishioners have received an email asking for gift cards from Fr. Bill. Please DO NOT reply and delete the email.

Grief Support: All Soul’s Day is a time for honoring and remembering our loved ones who have died, however these memories may trigger grief and sadness, especially if the loss is recent. The Diocese of Saginaw has especially trained grief ministers, called Befrienders and Compassionate Companions who offer a loving and a listening presence to those who are suffering, by connecting through phone calls, emails and in person visits. For more information please call Rosemary at 845-1794.

A Reflection of the Gospel from Living Liturgy

2020: Getting to the crux of the matter can be an important exercise. Pruning away extraneous detail to reveal the core issue is essential in many cases. For Christians, we recall that Jesus’ teachings were rooted in Mosaic Law and the prophets. Yet he emphasized or combined aspects of each that made them seem to come alive, or to be read and understood in a new way. It’s certainly true that loving God and loving one’s neighbor were commandments in Mosaic Law. But who had ever combined them like this before?

By pairing together these two commandments from the Old Testament, Jesus reveals how we live out this first by doing the second. To love God with our whole heart, mind, and soul can be difficult to quantify or see, but in our actions of caring for our neighbor, God’s beloved sons and daughters, we show our devotion to God.

