

# St. Cyril Church

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## Parish Staff:

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## Phone Numbers:

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## Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday & Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  
*(Bulletin items need to be in by 4:00 pm Tuesday prior.)*

## Liturgical Schedule:

**Saturday @ St Peter\*** 4:30 pm  
**Sunday @ St Peter\*** 8:30 am  
**Sunday** 10:30 am

\* St. Peter Parish, 404 S. Wood Street, Chesaning

## Weekday Schedule:

**Tuesday Mass:** 5:45 pm  
**Wednesday Mass:** 9:00 am  
**Thursday Mass @ St Peter\*** 8:00 am  
**Friday Mass:** 9:00 am  
**Sunday Adoration** 9:00 am  
**Sunday Rosary prayed in Chapel** 10:00 am

## Sacraments:

**Reconciliation:** Sundays, 9:00 am

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please contact the parish office.

**Baptism:** Please contact Margaret Horak at 862-5027 to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Engaged couples must contact the priest at least six (6) months prior to anticipated date of marriage. Weddings are not celebrated during the Lenten Season.

**Sick or Homebound:** If someone in your family or neighborhood is *Sick or homebound*, please contact the Parish Office. When entering a hospital, please register as a member of Saint Cyril Parish and notify the parish office.

**New Parishioners:** Welcome to Saint Cyril Parish! There are registration forms at all entrances of church. You may also stop by the parish office to register for our parish family.

# Pentecost

May 31, 2020



<b>Sun May 31</b>	No Mass	<b>Pentecost</b> People of St. Cyril
<b>Mon June 1</b>	No Mass	<b>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</b>
<b>Tues June 2</b>	8:00 pm	Carl Bornemann by Keith & Sonja Homer
<b>Wed June 3</b>	9:00 am	Joe Fabus by Jerry & Margaret Horak
<b>Thu June 4</b>	8:00 pm	Meehan & Polash families by Dave & Maureen Polash
<b>Fri June 5</b>	9:00 am	<b>St. Boniface, Bishop, Missionary, Martyr</b> Pope Francis/Bishops/Priests
<b>Sat June 6</b>	No Mass	
<b>Sun June 7</b>	10:30 am	<b>The Most Holy Trinity</b> People of St. Cyril

✠ <b>Tithes &amp; Gifts</b> ✠	
<b>May 24, 2020</b>	
<b>7-Envelopes</b>	<b>\$930.00</b>
<b>Loose:</b>	<b>30.00</b>
<b>Children:</b>	<b>.00</b>
<b>Special Needs:</b>	<b>.00</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$960.00</b>
<b>Amount needed each week . . . . .</b>	<b>\$2,020.00</b>
<b>+/- For Year Ending 6/30/20. . . . .</b>	<b>(\$1,289.30)</b>
<i>Mass Intentions-\$570</i>	

<b>Greeters for May</b> Al & Mary Porubsky family Jim & Diane Korienek	<b>Greeters for June</b> Robin & Karen Wooley Phil & Sheila Hanus
<b>Money Counters</b>	<b>Ushers for May</b> Keith Homer, Tamara VanHaun Tom Hedrich
<b>Family of the Month-May</b> Steve & Theresa Sopocy	<b>Knight of the Month-May</b> John Chvojka

<b>Altar Servers:</b>
<b>Sacristans: June 7</b> –Kathy & Ellie Steinhorst
<b>Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:</b> June 7-TBA
<b>Lector:</b> Diane Korienek

**Stewardship Message:** In the second reading today, St. Paul reminds the Corinthians, “There are different gifts, but the same Spirit; there are different ministries, but the same Lord.” How am I using my gifts for the common good?

**Knights of Columbus Fund Raiser**—Our golf outing is now in process for collecting hole sponsors. We thank the many of you who have so generously sent in your donations of \$100.00 to sponsor a hole in memory of your loved one, your business or just to sponsor this fund raiser. If you have not contacted a Knight to support this fund raiser and you wish to do so, it is not too late. You can make our your check to St. Cyril Knights of Columbus and mail it to Jerry Horak, PO Box 424, Elsie, MI 48831. Thank you. Jerry

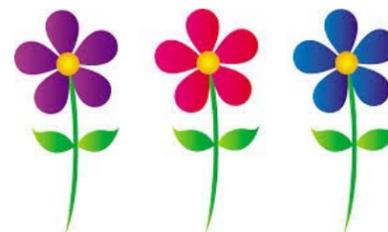
**Parking Lot Adoration:** Parking Lot Adoration continues on Wednesdays from 5:30-7:30 pm. Go to the east lot and the Blessed Sacrament will be expose in a visible manner through the day chapel window. Folks should park in a manner that permits viewing, so the lines in the parking plot need not be observed. You are to remain in your cars. At this time bathrooms are not available in the church. Fr. Dwyer

**Weekday Masses:** For the month of June this is the schedule for weekday Masses. Tuesdays at 8 pm; Wednesdays at 9:00 am, Thursdays at 8 pm and Fridays at 9 am. These Masses will take place in the main body of church. Masks should be worn and social distancing practices followed.

**Rice Bowls:** If you used the rice bowls during Lent you may bring them to church and put in the rice bowl box by the St. Joseph statue. Thank you!

**Happy 70th Birthday Fr. Bill!** Fr. Bill’s birthday is Friday June 5th if you would like to wish him a happy birthday.

**Please Pray for Our Sick & Shut-Ins:**  
 Jim Porubsky, Jim Stehlik, Donna Merignac, Gene Schoendorf, Helen Slowinski, Frank Klasek, Terry & Frank Sefl, John Kusnier, Jr., Audrey Schneider, Edward Chapko, Rose Chapko, Carole Custer, Jeff Wadell, Clara Cermak, Jim Korienek, Shelby Porubsky, Larry Pesda, Shirley Tesarik, Linda Boring, Trevir Kral, John Chvojka, Rose Wolfe, Jerry Horak, Frank Kral, Gale & Marcella Baese, Ron Betts, Mary Galko, Tillie Bohil, Ann Luznak, Joanne Sisco



**Roof Replacement Funds:** The hall roof bill has been paid. There is an deficit of \$3,805.00. Please continue to use the monthly ivory envelopes to make a contribution to this fund.

**Resuming Public Masses:** The Diocese of Saginaw has begun to offer public Masses on Monday, May 25, 2020. The celebration of public daily Masses may resume, with protocols to ensure parishioners safety. **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!**

Everyone **MUST** wear a mask or face covering in and around the church.

Please use the hand sanitizer entering and leaving the church. There will be hand sanitizer at all entrances of church.

**The dispensation from Sunday obligation to attend Mass is granted to all the faithful through Sunday, August 30, 2020.**

Anyone who is older than 65 years of age with a compromised health condition and/or caring for the sick in any way should stay home. If you feel sick you should stay home.

A letter has been mailed to all parishioners with the changes required by the diocese in regards to having public Masses.

As we continue through this new way of celebrating Mass please be patience and keep each other in your prayers.

Dear Parish Family,

Today we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Church: Pentecost. The first Bishops were filled with the Holy Spirit this day to conquer their fears of death, and go forth to proclaim the name of Jesus for the salvation of souls. The Holy Spirit guided the decisions they made as the authority left by Christ to govern his flock. Thus, the Apostles give us an example of how all authority in the Church is exercised for the benefit of others. All positions in the Church are oriented to the service of others. It is not for ourselves that we hold titles, but for others. Besides, men don’t follow; they follow courage.

I am hoping to train in a few new lay folks to help at the parish with day to day operations, and as devotional leaders. This will be done as we will need newer blood as some of our more senior members wish to scale back in light of the recent pandemic. This is also to increase the devotional life at the parish, even as access to a priest diminishes. What I ask of every one here is to avoid the temptations to see such positions as positions of favoritism, or power. That is the way the world thinks. It is not the way saints think. All we have, all we hold, and all we are, are to be used as gifts to others regardless of rank, or title. So as I begin to train in new help, pray that humility prevails in both me, and in the trainees. Pray that fruit is borne, and pray that egos are checked.

I believe there is a great future for this community, and diocese. I believe out of this global struggles will come the bright light of Christ. I believe the Holy Spirit will guide us to the glory of the next life, if we but cooperate with him.

Prayers,

Rev. Edwin C. Dwyer, JCL