

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time-First Sunday of Lent Year A

Diocesan Theme: **Christ is Everything for Us!** "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life". (John 6.68).

Parish Mission Statement: **Love God, Love Others, Make Disciples!** Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal parish through the liturgy, faith formation and sacramental life, provides opportunities for members to develop their faith and service to others.

Mass Intentions for the Week

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Saturday, Feb. 8

4:30 pm- For the repose of the souls of Murray and Barbara Fleet by the James family

Sunday, Feb.9-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am- For the intentions of Connor Sliva on the anniversary of his baptism by Kim Sliva

10:45 am- For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

Tuesday, Feb. 11

7:00 pm-Mass Cancelled

Wednesday, Feb. 12

8:30 am-STA- Mass Cancelled

9:30 am-OLMM- Mass Cancelled

Thursday, Feb. 13

9:00 am-Mass Cancelled

Friday, Feb.14-St. Cyril and St. Methodius

9:00 am- Mass Cancelled

Saturday, Feb. 15

4:30 pm-For the repose of the soul of Wesley Moss by the James family

Sunday, Feb. 16- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am- For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

10:45 am-For the repose of the soul of Mary Harley by the Coyle family

Tuesday, Feb. 18

7:00pm

Wednesday, Feb. 19

8:30 am-STA

9:30 am-OLMM

Thursday, Feb. 20

9:00 am

Friday, Feb. 21

9:00 am-For the repose of the soul of Kathleen McCarthy by the CWL members

Saturday, 22-Chair of St. Peter

4:30 pm-For the repose of the soul of Frances Whyte by the James family

Sunday, Feb. 23-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am- For the benefits of the Montojo's Godchildren by the Montojo family

10:45 am-or the repose of the soul of Wesley Moss by Don And Kristina Beaudin

Tuesday, Feb. 25

7:00 pm-

Wednesday, Feb. 26- Ash Wednesday

7:00 pm – For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

Thursday, Feb. 27

9:00 am-

Friday, Feb. 28

9:00 am-

Saturday, Feb. 29

4:30 pm- For the repose of the soul of Constance Angelina Moore by Tom and Leslie Joiner

Sunday, March 1- First Sunday of Lent

9:00 am- For the repose of the soul of David Martins by the Cogan family

10:45 am- For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

Ash Wednesday

Our Lenten journey begins on Wednesday, February 26th, with the imposition of ashes. I invite you to do all you can to make this year's Lent a truly life-changing experience. Lent helps us to draw closer to God and rediscover who we are through acts of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. We are reminded that Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. However, I also encourage you to observe other Fridays in Lent as a day of abstinence for your own spiritual good and that of your loved ones. Our Ash Wednesday liturgy in which ashes will be distributed starts at 7:00pm in the church. Please join us. (Please note that the 9:30 am mass has been rescheduled to 7:00pm on Ash Wednesday)

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR FEBRUARY:

Universal prayer intention - Listen to the Migrants' Cries

We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.

February 9 -March 1, 2020 (revised)
Are you new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish?
WELCOME! If you have not yet registered, please complete a registration
form found in the foyer or in the office.
You may bring the completed form to the office

During the flu season, it is acceptable to omit the handshake at the "Sign of Peace". Please note that there are hand sanitizers available at both entrances to the Church.

The 2019 income tax receipts are ready for pickup in the foyer.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS breakfast scheduled for February 23rd has been cancelled.

LENT STARTS ON ASH WEDNESDAY
February 26

PLEASE JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY DURING
LENT FOR THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS, AT
6:45 PM FOLLOWED BY MASS

Feb. 28th - Led by Deacon Allan

March 6th - Led by Deacon Tom

March 13th - Led by K of C

March 20th - Led by CGS

March 27th - Led by Fr. Robert

April 3rd - Led by CWL

Loneliness and social isolation are a serious health and quality of life issue among our growing senior population. If you know seniors in our community who are living alone, and you think could benefit from a friendly phone call from our parish every week, please let us know. Even just a few minutes on the phone can make someone feel wanted, connected, and alive! Contact Leslie Joiner, a member of our Parish Council, at 613- 443-3017, lesliejoiner4@gmail.com.

Blessings from Waupoos Family Farm: We wanted to thank the parishioners from Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal for the generous donations we received this Christmas season. Families were overwhelmed by the generous gifts they received and so grateful for the kindness. Thank you to all the parishioners who helped make such a difference.

First Communion candidates: There will be an important meeting for all First Communion candidates and their parents on Friday, February 21st at 6:30pm in the parish hall.

Confirmation candidates: There will be an important class for all Confirmation candidates on Tuesday, February 18th at 7:30pm in the parish hall. Candidates should be accompanied by a parent or their sponsor.

The parish Women's Group Ministry is inviting all women of the parish to join us on Friday mornings after the 9am mass for formation and fellowship. Moms may bring their children. The format is drop-in. We use the Abiding Together podcast material which covers various Spiritual Life topics under Catholic light.

Have you been missing coffee Sunday? There are a lot of available dates if you would like to host, please sign up on the sheets beside the kitchen door. Thank you in advance.

PILGRIMAGE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL is available to go home with a family this week. If you wish to take home Our Lady for one week, please sign up on the sheet on the table in the foyer.

Until Feb. 16 there will be a box in the foyer for parishioners to drop off their blessed palms from last year. The palms will be burnt for ashes for Ash Wednesday. Thank you.

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especially:

Genny Detillieux, Marie Kirkman, Theresa Harps and
Alia M.

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