

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 28, 2024

This Week at Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Father George Weekly Message:

Liturgies & Prayer

Wednesday January 31

8:45 am Bible Study 10:00 am Word/communion St Francis

<u>Thursday February 1</u>

Word/Communion 10:00 St Roch

Saturday, February 3

4:00 pm @ St Roch

<u>Sunday, February 4</u>

8:30 am @ St Roch

10:30 Mass @ St Francis

Welcome Father Jerry Balwinski

Psalm 95

"If today you hear hís voíce, harden not your hearts."

The Eucharist: The Body that Endures.

The Council of Trent summarizes the Catholic faith by declaring: "Because Christ our Redeemer said that it was truly his body that he was offering under the species of bread, it has always been the conviction of the Church of God, and this holy Council now declares again, that by the consecration of the bread and wine there takes place a change of the whole substance of the bread into the substance of the body of Christ our Lord and of the whole substance of the wine into the substance of his blood. This change the holy Catholic Church has fittingly and properly called transubstantiation." The Eucharistic presence of Christ begins at the moment of the consecration and endures as long as the Eucharistic species subsist. Christ is present whole and entire in each of the species and whole and entire in each of their parts, in such a way that the breaking of the bread does not divide Christ.

Worship of the Eucharist

In the liturgy of the Mass, we express our faith in the real presence of Christ under the species of bread and wine by, among other ways, genuflecting or bowing deeply as a sign of adoration of the Lord. "The Catholic Church has always offered and still offers to the sacrament of the Eucharist the cult of adoration, not only during Mass, but also outside of it, reserving the consecrated hosts with the utmost care, exposing them to the solemn veneration of the faithful, and carrying them in procession."

The Tabernacle was first intended for the reservation of the Eucharist in a worthy place so that it could be brought to the sick and those absent outside of Mass. As faith in the real presence of Christ in his Eucharist deepened, the Church became conscious of the meaning of silent adoration of the Lord present under the Eucharistic species. It is for this reason that the Tabernacle should be located in an especially worthy place in the church and should be constructed in such a way that it emphasizes and manifests the truth of the real presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

It is highly fitting that Christ should have wanted to remain present to his Church in this unique way. Since Christ was about to take his departure from his own in his visible form, he wanted to give us his sacramental presence; since he was about to offer himself on the cross to save us, he wanted us to have the memorial of the love with which he loved us "to the end, "even to the giving of his life. In his Eucharistic presence he remains mysteriously in our midst as the one who loved us and gave himself up for us, and he remains under signs that express and communicate this love: The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease.

(Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1376-1380)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Contacts

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Parish Office Hours

Closed Mondays Tuesday – Friday 8:00 AM to Noon

Sacraments

In order to celebrate the following Sacraments in our Parish, it is vital to be an active member of our Faith Community by participating regularly in our Worship and being a registered parishioner.

Registration:

If you wish to become a member of our parish family, please stop by the Parish Office to register.

Baptism:

We ask that you please make an appointment, prior to birth, if possible, with the Pastor.

Marriage:

An appointment with the Pastor must be made at least 6 months before the wedding celebration.

Reconciliation:

First Friday @ St Roch & First Saturday @ St Francis Borgia 9:30 to 10:30 AM, or by appointment.

Pastoral Care:

If you or someone you know wishes a visit and/or Holy Communion during an illness or hospital stay, please contact the Parish Office.

Commissioned Lay Ministers

Doug Grates Linda Oeschger **Pastoral Council**

Chairperson—Lisa DiCamillo

Finance Committee Chairperson

Mary Buda

<u>Christian Services</u> Lisa DiCamillo

Faith Formation Religious Education

Lisa Schulte

Cemetery Sextons

Ben Willenberg-Parish Cemeteries John Champagne-St Felix Cemetery

> Web Master Linda Clark

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Stewardship January 21, 2024

<u>Income</u>		<u>Expenses</u>	
⇒ Envelopes:	\$ 2605.00	Wages & Benefits: \$3,792.6	

 \Rightarrow Loose Contributions: \$ 283.00 Utilities: \$ 198.91 \Rightarrow Cemetery \$ 52.00 Maintenance: \$ 810.00

Total \$ 2940.00

Thank you for your weekly contributions. Number of envelopes used: 84

Count Group #2 for Monday, January 29

December 2023 Online Giving:

Sunday/HD & General Budget \$3420

Christ Mission Appeal 2023-2024

If you have already made your pledge or donation, thank you!
If you have not, please consider a gift of some amount.
Our parish assessment is \$66,058.00
As of December 22, our parish has received \$40,780.00
We have reached 62% of our goal!
May God bless you for your generosity!

Capital Campaign

Extra Capital Campaign (red & white) envelopes are in the back of church for your convenience.

Pledges for our capital campaign may be returned to the parish office or in the collection basket at any of our Masses.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support.

2023 Contribution Report

If you would like your year end 2023 contribution report for tax purposes you **must** contract the office...

Please fill out this form and drop if off in the collection basket or call the office (989-856-4933) and we will print that for you.

Name		
Address		
City	State	Zip Code

You will be able to pick up your contribution report in the back of church by January 26th.

Happy Birthday to our January Parishioners!

Micheal Kelly, Mary Budda, Bobby Jones, Kathleen R Jones, Kathleen M Jones, Doug Marker, Micheal Farnsworth





Please consider volunteering for your parish community!
There are many ways your talents are welcomed & appreciated! If you would like to help:
here are some groups in need:

Funeral Luncheons Mother Mary's Helpers Counters Eucharistic Ministry Music Ministry

Ushers Christian Services Shut in Ministry Faith Formation

Please call the office if you would like to learn more about these ministries. 1-989-856-4933

Mother Mary's Helper Meeting!

Wednesday January 31st 6:00 pm St Roch Parish Center



CPR & AED Class

<u>Date: February 26, 2024</u> Time: 6-8 pm Pigeon Event Center

311 S. Main St, Pigeon, MI 48755
OLPH is offering AED, CPR training to
parishioners conducted by
Scheurer Hospital.
Sign up sheets are in the rear of each church
and space is limited.
Attendance is mandatory for all Ushers and
Lectors (no charge) all others persons:
cost is \$30 a person.

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish January—February

Brandon Burtez Bethany(Grates)Burns John Champagne Mitch Champagne John Gilmore Erna Farrington David Dillingham Beth Cole Kenneth Duffield Joseph Duffield Donna Lawrence Sherry Ferguson Joe Guigar Ron Gross Jeannie Henry Kathy Kopacz Maura McSorley Mary Mayra Gary Maes Sr. Jean McFadden Todd Mangiapane Natalie Morgan Rose Motycka Nancy Oaks Natalie Morgan Sonja Smith Steve Wolfram Steve Rybinski Nathan Repke Dominic Rybinski John Schaefer Shirley Lava Joanne Samborski Norm Samborski Pat Desigardins

We continue to keep those who have been sick for some time in our prayers. Your name or that of your loved one will remain on our prayer chain until you call to have them taken off. Prayer chain contact: Peggy 989-738-5452 & Norma 989-453-3026

Please pray for the men and women serving our country in the military, Coast Guard, Police or Fire Department.

Marines: Jonathan Taormina, Justin Carter, Chad DeShano, Jeremy McGee, Zachary McGee, Jackson Okey, Brandon Tolliver, Frank Duda

<u>Air Force:</u> Brandon Radlick, Rachel Radlick, Michael Sampson Jr <u>Army:</u> Glenn May

Navy: Drew Thompson(Navy Seal), Remington Messing

Phillip Hancock

<u>Paramedic Fire Fighter:</u> Brett Karwowski

US Coast Guard: Evens Repke

Michigan State Police: Joshua Allen

Please contact the office to add any names of relatives or friends.

A REMINDER TO ALL PARISHIONERS

IF OUR LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS CANCELED SCHOOL BECAUSE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, ALL WEEK DAY MASSES & EVENTS ARE ALSO CANCELED

Weekend Mass cancellations

If weather conditions are poor and you are wondering if there are cancellations please listen to WLEW 102.1 FM, 1340 AM or thumbnet.net.

A **Lenten Silent Retreat** will be offered to <u>all women</u> of the Diocese by the Catholic Women at the Center for Ministry in Saginaw on Saturday, March 9. The retreat starts at 9 a.m. (registration begins at 8:30) and will end at approximately 4 p.m.

The retreat leader will be Dr. Dan Osborn whose presentation title will be "Bride and Branch: Growing Closer to the Lord." Mass, rosary, and Stations of the Cross will be included. The cost for the retreat is \$25 (in advance /incl. morning snack & lunch).

Please RSVP to Rita Maher (989-635-7072) before March 4.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Thank you to all who participated in the breakfast last Sunday at St Roch Parish Center. Also, a big thank you to all who came enjoyed a hearty breakfast and good company! Next breakfast is scheduled for February 18th, 2024

Game Night - Host - Knights of Columbus

Tuesday, February 13th, 6 pm to 8 pm @ St Roch

Saginaw Catholic Men's Conference

March 16, 2024 from 8:00 am—3:00 pm
St Stanislaus Catholic Church-1503 Kosciuszko Ave, Bay City
To purchase tickets:
www.evenbrite.com
Online Only price: \$25, Pricing ends on March 5th
Lunch included—Admission at the door: \$30
Walk up registration starts at 7:30 am
Questions: call 989-372-1550

New Event Coming in September 2024

We are pleased to announce OLPH is sponsoring <u>Seasonal Blessings Craft Show</u> September 21st, 2024.

Seasonal Blessings Craft Show will host 20 to 25 vendors, a quilt raffle, bake sale and lunch.

For more information please contact:

Rose Marie Creguer 1-989-375-4905

Huron County Right to Life Presents

Pro Life Teen Rally March 17, 2024 2:00 Pm to 5:00 PM Bad Axe Middle School, 750 S. Van Dyke Rd

Enjoy an afternoon of Food, Prizes, Break Out Session & a free t-shirt! Register Today! For the Early Bird Drawing email huronrtl@gmail.com with name, phone number & t-shirt size Any questions? Call Jeanne Gusa at 989-670-3315

Focus on Life 2024 Annual Benefit Dinner March 22, 2024 Knights of Columbus Hall 1036 S Van Dyke Rd, Bad Axe, MI

Please reserve your space by March 15, 2024 Jeanne Gusa 989-670-3315 www.huronrtl@gmail.com

Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents

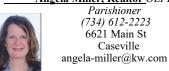
Serving the spiritual needs of any parent of children of any age that have died by any cause, no matter how long ago.

Give yourself the gift of getting away & focus on your own spiritual journey. Members of the retreat team include Emmaus Parent Companions, grieving parents who have participated in previous retreats & spiritual leaders.

Saturday, March 16, 2024 Good Shepard (Ubly, MI) 9:30 am to 7 pm

The retreat will include all matericals, snacks, lunch and dinner Contact: Mary: 586-596-8064 maryshope@outlook.com
Or call the parish office for registration form

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> Food Pantry Needs

Help cover the cost of our Bulletin.

Advertise your business or organization or simply sponsor a space with a memorial or as a gift to the parish.

Summer months—\$75.00 All Year—\$125.00



Are your family and friends getting together? Do you need a bigger space for a meeting or special gathering?

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish Center and St. Francis Borgia Hall are available for rent.

Please call the Parish Office for details 989-856-4933



Caseville & Pigeon Food Pantries Are always in need of donations, particularly toiletries, paper products, & tuna/canned chicken Thank you for your support!

BACK TO BACK CHIROPRACTIC Heidi Yeager DC, CCSP, CSCS Eric Yeager DC, CCSP, CSCSW Board Certified Chiropractic Sports Physicians, Certified Strength & Conditioning Specialists. 6675 Main St Caseville 989 856 2737