

May 2nd, 2021 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

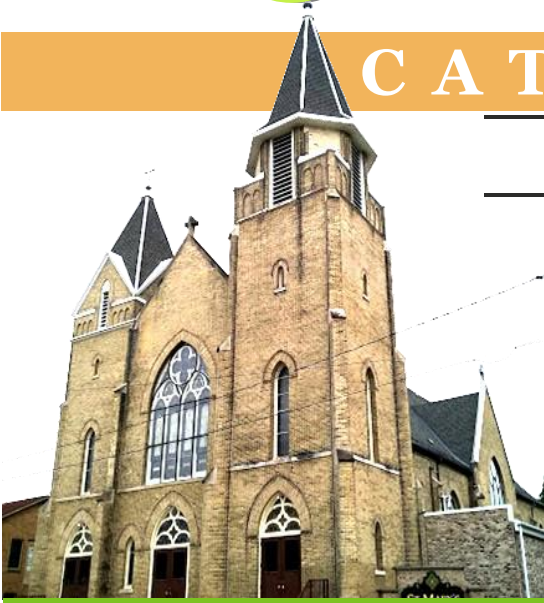
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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:30 am

Weekends

Saturday 7:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

Adoration

Friday 8:00 - 8:30 am

Confessions

Saturday 6:00 pm

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm

Sunday 8:35 am

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I AM THE VINE, YOU ARE THE BRANCHES.
WHOEVER REMAINS IN ME AND I IN HIM WILL
BEAR MUCH FRUIT,
BECAUSE WITHOUT ME
YOU CAN DO NOTHING.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 4

No Mass

Wednesday, May 5

8:30 am Word & Communion
with Deacon Tom; No Mass

Thursday, May 6

8:30 am Word & Communion
with Deacon Tom; No Mass

Friday, May 7

8:30 am Word & Communion
with Deacon Tom; No Mass

Saturday, May 8

7:00 pm † Vicki Puetz
By: Tom & Mary Puetz

Sunday, May 9

9:00 am Parishioner Mass

1:00 pm † Mary Janiga

By: Mike & Darlene Gruszka



Upcoming Events

Ladies Sodality Meeting

May 6th @ 1:00 pm
Church Basement

Cemetery Clean-Up

May 11th @ 4:00 pm

Parish Pastoral Council

May 11th @ 6:30 pm

Farmers Mass

May 15 & 16 (All Masses)

Confirmation

May 18th @ 6:00 pm
St Francis of Assisi - Necedah

Parish Finance Council

June 8th @ 6:30 pm



Humility and Gratitude

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.”

John 15:5

What a great little reminder...“Without me you can do nothing.”

At first, hearing this may hurt. It may hurt our pride, and we may react to this idea negatively. Is it really true? Can we really do nothing without God? Obviously the answer to that is “Yes.” Jesus does not lie. We can do nothing without God in our lives.

In fact, if God were to forget us for one moment, we would cease to exist. Even our very existence depends upon God continuing to will that we exist. And as for doing good, making a difference, having a productive life, etc., we can do nothing good without God’s grace.

Though this may be hard to hear at first, we should ponder it regularly. And if we do ponder it and embrace this truth, two things will happen in our souls. First, we will grow in humility. Humility is the most important virtue in which we can grow. It’s been referred to as “the mother of all virtues.” This is because from this virtue, all other virtues flow. Humility means we realize that God is everything and that we need Him with a 100% need. This humble truth will enable us to seek God in all things and to invite Him deeply into every part of our lives.

A second thing that will happen in our souls when we realize that we can do nothing without God is that we will grow in gratitude. As we see that God is everything AND we begin to see that He provides us with constant grace in our lives, our only appropriate response will be “Thank you!” We will be grateful to God for everything because we will realize that everything that is good is a gift from Him.

Reflect, today, upon these truths of humility and gratitude and allow them to sink in. As you do, allow these virtues to grow to greater fruition in your life.

Lord, I do believe that I can do nothing without You. Help me to believe this with an even greater conviction and, as I do, help me to grow in humility and gratitude. Jesus, I trust in You.

-Taken from *Catholic Daily Reflections - My Catholic Life!*

Cemetery Clean Up May 11 @ 4:00 pm

Please come out to the
cemetery on Hwy J and help
clean it up!

Many hands make light work!

****Also, the new sign will be
installed this day!****

THIS THURSDAY, MAY 6TH!

**St. Mary's Ladies Sodality
Meeting**

1:00 pm in the church basement

Upcoming plans for the year will
be discussed along with plenty
of time to catch up and check in
to see how everyone is
doing.

All are welcome!

St. Isidore the Farmer Feast Day - May 15th



To celebrate St. Isidore's feast day and the start of spring planting, bring your seeds, plants, garden statues, etc. to the 7:00 pm, 9:00 am, and 1:00 pm Masses to be blessed on May 15th & 16th!! Bring your items to the icon of "Our Lady of Czestochowa" by the Sanctuary before Mass and they will be blessed during Mass.

At the 9:00 am Sunday Mass, **tractors, lawn mowers, outdoor equipment, etc.** will be blessed following Mass. Please park them in the back parking lot.



We have beautiful chalices which were donated to our Parish in memory of loved ones throughout the years. We would like to feature these chalices that will be used at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. This one pictured on the right will be used during all Masses for the month of May. It was donated in memory of Delores M. Cauley.



ST. MARY'S PRAYER LIST



Vinnie Bellock, Kathy McGowan Bermeo, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Karen DeLange, Jamie Donnelly, Joan, Henry, Bill, William, Clayton, & John Elmhurst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Elizabeth Hall, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Mary Claire Marshall, Bud Miller, Courtney Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Lucille Ryczek, Charlotte Rybicki, Marjorie Senzig, Jeri Smith, Jane Torgerson, Rosalee Verette, William & Jackie Zenk, Bob Walsh, those who are sick, unemployed, in need & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, anxieties & for the end of the COVID-19 pandemic; Families & Friends please...PRAY THE ROSARY!!!

Please Consider Helping out!

We will be working on our next liturgical schedule soon, and would like your help in filling mass slots. If you or your spouse, or children would like to help out at mass, please sign up on the Sign Up sheet at the back of church. Training will be available.

Please share your given talents with your parish family. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Tom or call the parish office. Thank You!



Financial Stewardship

April 25, 2021

Adult Envelopes.....	\$2152.00
Student Envelopes.....	\$7.00
Offertory.....	\$608.00
Votive Candles.....	\$12.00
Total	\$2779.00

Weekly Budget \$2,548.07

(160 registered families)

Year-to-date*

Budgeted	\$109,567.01
Contributed	\$124,393.52

Time to go to St. Joseph

St. Joseph protected the Holy Family & we can trust ourselves, to him at a time when fatherhood is so needed. We can ask him to help strengthen our families – as well as the bonds of our parish during this time of hardship.

-St. Joseph, Pray for us!



2020-21 Annual Appeal

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