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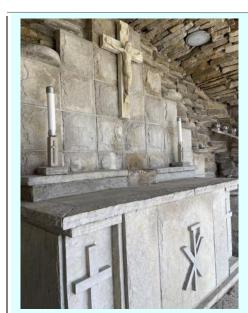


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St. Mary Catholic Church and Our Lady of the Woods Shrine

100 Deyarmond Street PO Box 189 Mio, MI 48647 Phone: 989-826-5509 Fax: 989-826-1333 Church email: stmarymio@m33access.com Shrine email: info@olwshrine.org www.olwshrine.org

Staff

Pastor: Rev. Santiago M. Hoyumpa Secretary: Maryanne Ladensack

Weekly Mass Schedule

See inside for possible changes **Sunday**—Rosary 8:25am

Mass 9:00 am

Tues, Thurs, Fri—Rosary 8:25 am

Mass 9:00 am

Wednesday—Rosary 5:25 pm

Mass 6:00 pm

Saturday—Rosary 5:25 pm

Mass 6pm—Outdoors, weather permitting

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8 am—3:30 pm

Sacraments

Preparation classes with Pastor

Marriage

6 months prior to setting date

Reconciliation By appointment or:

Weds: 5:00-5:25 pm Saturday: 5:00—5:25 pm Sunday: 8:30—8:45 am

Bulletin Deadline: Monday

Faith Formation: Sundays after

the 9 am Mass

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 7, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday—August 9

8:25 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass

+Husband & Children (Blanche Thorpe)

Wednesday— August 10

5:00-5:25 pm Reconciliation

5:25 pm Rosary

6:00 pm Mass

+Joseph Trudell (Barb Thomas)

Thursday—August 11

8:25 am Rosary

9:00 am Mass

+Patrick Bohlinger

(Dana & Sharon LeBlanc)

Friday —August 12

8:25 am Rosary

9:00 am Mass

Intentions of Parish Family
(Dana & Sharon LeBlanc)

Saturday—August 13

5:00-5:25 pm Reconciliation

5:25 pm Rosary

6:00 pm Mass—Outdoors, weather permitting

+Kathleen Lapcinski

(Husband—Clarence and Sons—Mark and Matthew)

Sunday—August 14

8:25 am Rosary

8:30-8:45 am Reconciliation

9:00 am Mass

+Tom Galbraith (Jim & Lanna Lemerand)

PRAYER LIST—Thank you, God!

Jeffrey Jones, Luke Farhat, Joshua Shea, Sandy Layman, Donald Owczarzak, Sonny Yoder, Ed Radomski, John Trudell, Chris Harmon, Kim Stitt, Charles Lambardo, Bud Sprowl, Terry Dennis, Karl Knauf, Carol Frederickson, Ralph Ferriulo, Janet Trask, Marissa R., Joseph Shima, Charlyn Cournyer, Esther Socia, Kenny Clark, Tasha Kann, Trina Northrup, Bev Klee, Norma Lyden, Lanna Lemerand, Marisa Farhat, Donnie Smith, Deanna Osterland, Kim Winkel, Bob Venable

Sun: Most Reverend Jeffrey J. Walsh

Mon:Rev. Chet CollinsTues:Deceased PriestsWed:Rev. Raymond CotterThurs:Rev. Nicholas Cooper

Fri: Rev. Anthony Cureton Sat: Rev. Robbie Deka

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NEWS

Bereavement



Please keep in your prayers the family of **Duane Eggert** who passed away August 3rd. Funeral arrangements were held on Friday, August 5th.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.

Bereavement



Please keep in your prayers the family of **John Radwanski** who passed away August 3rd. The funeral Mass will be on Saturday, August 13 at 10 am with a luncheon to follow.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.

Support Our Seminarians!

We are blessed to have two new seminarians this fall in the Diocese of Gaylord, joining three others who will continue their studies and journey towards the priesthood. To walk alongside our seminarians, we take up a special collection for their education expenses each August, in honor of St. John Vianney, patron of parish priests. This is an import endeavor as the financial burden is significant for young men entering the priesthood—the average annual cost for one seminarian being approximately \$40,000 per year.

You should have received a letter from Bishop Walsh in the mail inviting you to support our seminarians. Please pray for our young men and consider making a financial gift to support this cause. Contributions can be made online at dioceseofgaylord.org/make-a-gift or checks can be mailed to the Diocese at 611 W. North St., Gaylord, MI 49735 or dropped in the offering basket.

Stewardship Report		
Average Monthly Operating Budget:	\$	16,000.00
Last Week's Loose, Envelopes & Misc. Donuts Candles Mass Intentions Rental Income July Online Giving	\$\$\$\$\$\$	3,336.14 27.00 3.00 30.00 450.00 1,156.50
July Income to Date	\$	18,517.15
Seminarian Education Fund to Date	\$	100.00

Monday, August 8, 2022

- CCW Craft Night is at 6:00 pm
- Pastoral Council meets at 6:00 pm

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday, August 15, 2022

8:30 am Reconciliation
9:00 am Walking Rosary at the Shrine
9:30 Stations of the Cross—outdoors
11:00 am Mass—outdoors
Lunch to Follow

Eucharistic Ministers Needed for Assumption

We have a lector and an altar server but need five (5) more Eucharistic Ministers for the Mass on Monday, August 15th at 11:00 am. Please call Kris Babcock if you are able to help and her number is (989) 808-4240.

Assumption Lunch Food Needed

We need everyone's help with the luncheon following Mass on August 15th! Chicken and cheesy potatoes are provided but we need all of the sides and desserts. Please see the sign-up sheet in the Church and share your favorite foods with us. Thank you!

Bake Sale at Fairview Hardware Friday, August 19 from 10-1

Buyers and Bakers Needed Proceeds to His Love Family Resources and Live Action

For those parishioners who would like to donate baked goods, they can drop them off right at Fairview Hardware the day of the sale, or pickup can be arranged. Questions? Contact Thomye Lashley at 989-745-4611.

COOKIES

Wanted: Cookies For Upcoming Tour Buses

Do you have a favorite cookie that you like to share? All types of cookies are needed to have on hand for upcoming tour buses.

We will keep them in the freezer for easy, last minute access. Please bring cookies anytime to the parish hall, labeled "*Tour Bus*"—and many thanks!

SHRINE CORNER

I often wonder how the 3 children of Fatima or St. Bernadette must have marveled at seeing a beautiful lady in a cove or pasture and wondering what in the world is she doing there? I wonder what I would have done in their place. Perhaps made some off-hand remark. They were truly blessed by God to have Our Blessed Mother choose them, though at a remarkable cost. They were threatened with being boiled alive, made fun of by the other children, and told by their parish priest or bishop to stop what they were doing or else some punishment would befall them. They persevered in this difficult situation finding comfort in the presence of Mary and pushed through the problems confronting them even at the cost of their lives. As we know now, that did not occur, but the children did not know that.

The restoration continues with the scaffolding now in place at the center front of the Shrine. There has been discussion on how or what should be done to clean and paint the tubular cross. We have talked about removing it and having it sandblasted and painted, or seeing how much it would cost to be done in place. I have a sinking feeling that would be an excessive price. We also have an issue with some of the pine trees around the Shrine damaging or discoloring of some of the statues. It has been suggested to remove the trees while another idea is to have some type of structure to cover the statues. Either way, something needs to be done to prevent any more harm to the statues.

Our fundraising this year is showing a shortfall to date. We have \$80,404.32 and it looks like we will need about 100k. There is still plenty of time to raise the amount needed and, if God looks after us, we will achieve our goal. And, our cats have found themselves a good home, thanks to God and His blessed Mother.

To anyone who is wondering why the billboard out front no longer has the Assumption posted—it is because we had some children (presumably) deface the signage by rearranging the letters to post some foul words, hence, the removal of the letters.

Our parish needs a Kitchen Director—someone who will step up and answer the call God is making. The difficulties that I (*Editor's Note: and Maryanne, too!*) am finding by attempting to fill both rolls is just too much and I simply cannot continue to do everything. Please find it in your heart to assist if you can.

May God Bless You. Dan Thorpe, Shrine Director

For the bulletin online, go to the Shrine website—<u>olwshrine.org</u>—and click on "Our Parish", then "Home". You can also access it at: dioceseofgaylord.org, 'Find a Parish', then find us on the map or list—click on our website.