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MADONNA HALL

Rosary at 7:30 pm
3rd Degree meetings
1st Monday of month 8:00 pm



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

100 South Deyarmond Street PO Box 189 Mio, MI 48647
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Church email: parishoffice@stmarymio.org
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www.olwshrine.org

Pastor
Rev. Santiago M. Hoyumpa
Secretary
Maryanne Ladensack
Maintenance
Lynn Cournyer and Nick Lashley

Weekly Mass Schedule
Sunday—Rosary 8:25am
Mass 9:00 am
Tues, Thurs, Fri—Rosary 8:25 am
Mass 9:00 am followed by
Adoration on Fridays
Wednesday—Rosary 4:25 pm
Mass 5:00 pm
Saturday—Rosary 3:25 pm
4:00 pm Mass

Office Hours
Monday-Friday: 8am—4:00 pm

Faith Formation
Sundays after Mass

Sacraments
Preparation classes with Pastor

Marriage
6 months prior to setting date

Reconciliation By appointment or:
Weds: 4:00—4:25 pm
Saturday: 3:00—3:25 pm
Sunday: 8:00—8:25 am

**Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**
October 26, 2025

"O God,
be merciful to
me a sinner."

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday—October 28

8:25 am Rosary
9:00 am Mass
+Deceased Members of the Boris Family
(Connie Boris)
3:00 pm Mass at Wellspring Nursing Home
in Fairview Nursing Home Residents

Wednesday—October 29

4:00-4:25 pm Reconciliation
4:25 pm Rosary
5:00 pm Mass
+Tony & +Inge Mazza
(Dana & Sharon LeBlanc)

Thursday—October 30

8:25 am Rosary
9:00 am Mass
Members of Our Lady of Perpetual Help
(A Member)

Friday—October 31

8:25 am Rosary
9:00 am Mass followed by
Eucharistic Adoration
+Deceased Members of the
Galbraith & LeBlanc Families
(Dana & Sharon LeBlanc)

Saturday—November 1 All Saints Day

3:00-3:25 pm Reconciliation w/ Fr. Larry Boks
3:25 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Mass celebrated by Fr. Larry Boks
Special Intentions (The Chaldeans)

Sunday—November 2 All Souls Day

8:00-8:25 am Reconciliation
8:25 am Rosary
9:00 am Mass
+Deceased Members of the Boris Family
(Connie Boris)

PRAYER LIST

NAMES STAY ON FOR UP TO ONE YEAR AND ARE THEN
MOVED TO THE CHURCH PRAYER BOOK

Paul Pasternak, Mia McGregor, Brian Urbanski, Sue Dawes,
Elizabeth Zupi, Kerri Pennington, Greg Pennington, Holly
Vandethorn, Wally Cox, Cynthia Vanvleck, Rich Valley, Jude
Brammel, Marianne Roddy, Jim, Sharon LeBlanc, Marilyn Hood,
Alan Osterling, Marty Landman, Natalie Davidson, Donna Nicolay,
Robert Stevens, Pete Freel, Chris Horger

Sun: Rev. Kunal Baliar Singh

Mon: Rev. Ken Stachnik Tues: Rev. Dennis Stilwell

Wed: Rev. Emmanuel Tizhe Thurs: Rev. Bernard Tyler

Fri: Rev. Michael Verschaeve Sat: Pope Leo XIV

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWS

A Huge Success!
\$1,438.02 Raised
for Shrine Restoration



The Knights of Columbus would like to say a special
thank you to the parish—especially to Gary Wyckoff;
Dave Lewis and his son, Nathan; Frank Werner;
Richard Troyer and to Mr. G for help with the trailer.

A big thank you goes to Joe Gibala for the inspiration to
hold this fundraiser...it was a great success—more than
we ever hoped for—and we would like to do this again
next year. Thank you to all!



Knights of Columbus
Memorial Mass

Monday, November 3, 2025
6:00 pm Mass followed by a pizza dinner.
Meeting directly after dinner.



All Saints Day is *not* a Holy Day
of Obligation this year.

Pastoral Council meets Tuesday, October
28th at 6:00 pm in the parish hall.

World Mission Sunday

\$1,458.71 collected so far—thank you!



Ben and Cassie Galbraith are
looking for someone to watch
their 9-month-old daughter a
few days a week—if interested,
call Cassie at 231-675-6776.

Stewardship Report

Average Monthly Operating Budget:	\$	19,000.00
Loose, Envelopes & Misc.	\$	3,460.31
Coffee and Donuts	\$	-0-
Candles	\$	56.50
Mass Intentions	\$	170.00
October Income to Date	\$	18,541.23

Eucharistic Minister Required Training

After your first Diocesan EMHC training, Eucharistic
Ministers (EMs) are required to complete renewal
training hosted by the parish every three years.

Fr. San has scheduled this year's session for
Wednesday, October 29, following the 5:00 pm Mass.

The following EMs are up for renewal this year:

Delores McArdle, Tom Colvin, Jim Slasinski, Julie
Slasinski, Deb Banks, Gerald Fischer, Al Hood, Skip
Bohlinger, Jim Gendernalik, Tom Shea, Susan
Bendzinski, Greg Bendzinski, Joann Bolda, Michele
Billmaier, Patti Sherwood, Annette Graham, Mary Ann
Freel, and Gregg Hissong.

Want to become an EM ? Please attend.

Questions? Please contact the parish office.

Meets Sundays after
the 9:00 am Mass.

Open to anyone
seeking information
on how to join the
Catholic Church and
to receive—or finish receiving—the sacraments.



BE BOLD. BE CATHOLIC.

- Indoor Trick or Treat here in the parish hall,
October 31 from 5:30—7:00 pm. Hot dogs
(donated by Cynthia Vanvleck), popcorn, water. To
reserve a table, contact Thomye Lashley at (989)
745-4611.
- Football FUNraiser is Sunday, November 9th, doors
open 4:00 pm; Game at 4:25 pm. Donation for
adults is minimum \$20—kids free. Sign-up sheets,
hall, narthex, office, Gift Shop. Food! Fun!
- Love INC opportunities....Answering phones a
couple of hours per week; driving individuals to
appointments; assisting in the ReCreations Shoppe;
becoming a Board member. Training provided for
all. Call (989) 848-2020.
- A second one! Pray for seminarian Jake Belanger
as he is installed in the Ministry of Acolyte on
October 30th which is the stage before being
ordained to the diaconate, then priesthood. This
takes place at Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit.

For the bulletin online, go to the Shrine website—olwshrine.org—and click on “Our Parish.”
You can also access it at: dioceseofgaylord.org, ‘Find a Parish’, then find us on the map or list—click on our website.

SHRINE CORNER
Tour Season 2025

We have \$155,098.27
of our final goal of
\$210,000.00.

As we come to the end of another
touring season, it is nice to reflect on all the blessings we
have received with all the visitors that came to Our Lady
of the Woods Shrine in 2025. The last tour in 2025 was on
October 16th where around 45 individuals came from the
Boyne Valley Catholic Community.

It is been a fantastic year for tours at our Shrine. A total of
around 30 tours will have been at Our Lady of the Woods
Shrine encompassing over 1,200 individuals. This does
not include all those who have toured the Shrine on their
own and any other unscheduled visits yet to occur in
2025.

This is my third season as the Director of Our Lady of the
Woods Shrine. There is a lot going each season and at
times it seems to be overwhelming. However, this has
been little in comparison to all the benefits and graces that
I have received: 1) Meeting many wonderful people; 2)
watching the restoration process of our Shrine; and 3)
most importantly, the blessings and graces I have received
from our Mother Mary and Jesus from being a
“Pilgrimage of Hope” site in 2025.

To all our volunteers, enjoy this winter season as I expect
a large number of visitors in 2026. To all those who have
not volunteered, please contact the parish office, Jim
Lemerand or myself to see how you can contribute to the
success of our Shrine next year.

God Bless to all.

Monte Mariani, Shrine Director

LAST CALL TO HELPplease
return filled baby bottles by the end of October to the
basket in the narthex.



OCTOBER IS
RESPECT LIFE
MONTH

Support our local pregnancy center by picking up
a baby bottle and returning it with your donation.
Checks payable to: His Love Family Resources