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[www.olwshrine.org](http://www.olwshrine.org)

Pastor

Rev. Santiago M. Hoyumpa

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Maryanne Ladensack

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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:

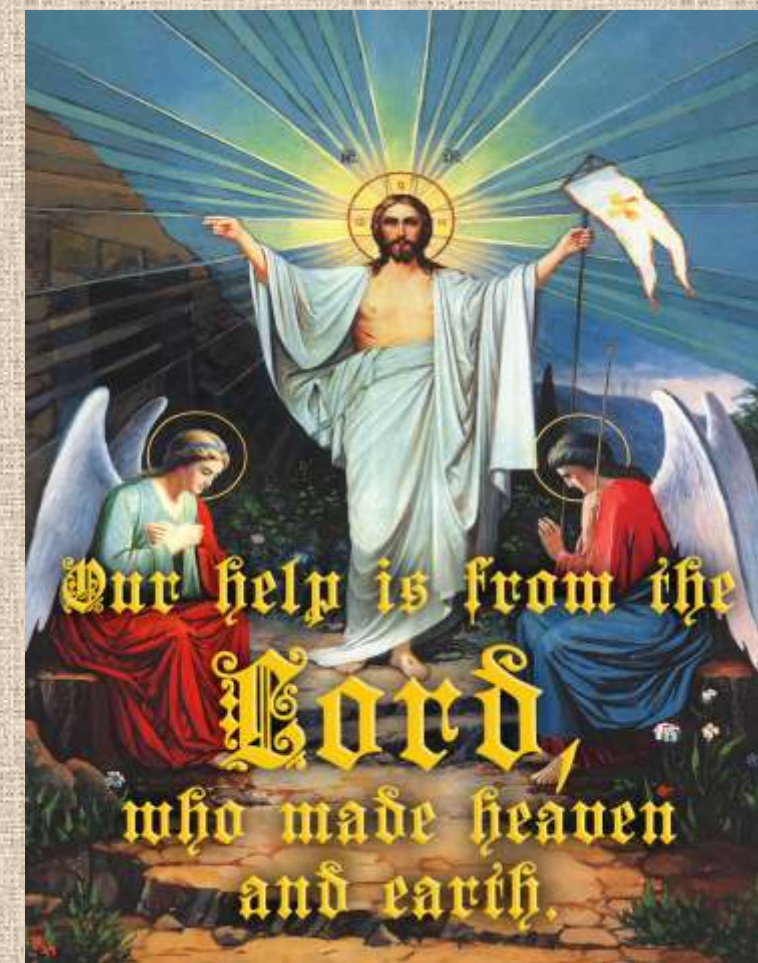
Weds: 4:00—4:25 pm

Saturday: 3:00—3:25 pm

Sunday: 8:00—8:25 am

**Twenty-ninth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

**October 19, 2025**



**Knights of Columbus**  
Council 7329

**MADONNA HALL**

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



MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday—October 21  
NO ROSARY  
NO MASS  
FR. SAN AT CONVOCAATION

Wednesday—October 22  
NO BIBLE STUDY  
NO RECONCILIATION  
NO ROSARY  
NO MASS  
FR. SAN AT CONVOCAATION

Thursday—October 23  
NO ROSARY  
NO MASS  
FR. SAN AT CONVOCAATION

Friday—October 24  
NO ROSARY  
NO MASS  
NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
NO FAITH & FITNESS  
FR. SAN AT CONVOCAATION

Saturday—October 25  
3:00-3:25 pm Reconciliation  
3:25 pm Rosary  
4:00 pm Mass  
Michael & Maeve Parinello & Girls—God’s Blessings  
(Mom/Carol/Grandma)

Sunday—October 26  
8:00-8:25 am Reconciliation  
8:25 am Rosary  
9:00 am Mass  
+Jan DiPonio  
(Doug & Annette Graham)

PRAYER LIST

NAMES STAY ON FOR UP TO ONE YEAR AND ARE THEN  
MOVED TO THE CHURCH PRAYER BOOK  
Paul Pasternak, Chris Campbell, Sue Eichman, 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

Sun: Rev. Benjamin Rexroat  
Mon: Vocations                      Tues: Rev. Mitchel Roman  
Wed: Rev. Lawrence Sergott      Thurs: Rev. James Siler  
Fri: Rev. Rolando Silva           Sat: Seminarians

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWS

Bereavement



Blanche Thorpe passed away  
October 11th. The funeral Mass was held  
October 18th in Mt. Morris, Michigan at  
St. Mary Catholic Church. Interment was  
at Calvary Cemetery, also in Mt. Morris.  
Please keep her and her family  
in your prayers.

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

Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass



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

Meeting directly after dinner.

FUN! FUN! FUN!

Be sure to check both sides of the enclosed flyer—  
Indoor Trick-or-Treat is October 31st and  
Football FUNraiser is November 9th.



World Mission Sunday

Checks payable to St. Mary Parish

Thank you to everyone who has already donated to the  
annual World Mission Sunday collection. If you missed  
it, you may still donate. Place an envelope clearly  
marked “World Mission Sunday” in next week’s  
collection basket.



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.          | \$ | 4,466.00  |
| Coffee and Donuts                 | \$ | 68.00     |
| Candles                           | \$ | 60.00     |
| Mass Intentions                   | \$ | 10.00     |
| Rental Income                     | \$ | 1,040.00  |
| October Income to Date            | \$ | 14,854.42 |

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.

- 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.
- Pray for seminarian Jerry Przekora as he is installed  
in the Ministry of Acolyte on October 22nd, which  
is the stage before being ordained to the diaconate,  
then priesthood. This takes place at Sacred Heart  
Seminary and School of Theology in Hales Corner,  
Wisconsin.



Support our local pregnancy center by picking up  
a baby bottle and returning it with your donation.  
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OCTOBER  
IS  
RESPECT  
LIFE  
MONTH

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

SHRINE CORNER

This week I am going to  
elaborate on the Shrine and how  
the Church and Shrine works so  
perfectly together.

We have \$153,699.95  
of our final goal of  
\$210,000.00.

I thought I would define the word MOTOR with the  
Webster dictionary definition: *That which imparts motion;  
a prime mover, especially a machine which develops  
power through rotary action; a nerve which stimulates the  
movement of a muscle.*

When we drive a car, we take for granted that everything  
is going to run. Every so often you have to check the oil  
and air in the tires to keep it running. The question is what  
does this have to do with the Shrine? The Shrine is the  
same way, we take for granted everything is going to run.  
The following, like a motor, is the key to the operation of  
the Shrine.

We all know Father is the boss and is the steering wheel.  
Monte is—for the Shrine—a wheel that rolls the car. The  
other three wheels are the Pastoral Council, Finance  
Council and the Parishioners. The motor that makes  
everything move is located in the office.

Maryanne is the motor that makes everything work  
perfectly. It starts with taking phone calls, processing the  
unbelievable amount of paperwork required, talking with  
parishioners and visitors, budgetary work, and just about  
everything else that is directed at the Church or Shrine.

She is the sounding board for everything that happens and  
coordinates the activities by keeping them all organized  
and disseminated to the right person. When the Finance  
Council wants something, call Maryanne; when people  
call for a tour, call Maryanne; when the Shrine Director  
wants some information, call Maryanne, etc.  
To make this story short, without Maryanne, this would  
not be a well-oiled machine—THANK YOU!

I say that sincerely because I know you are often taken for  
granted by everyone. Father San says nothing can be  
accomplished without God. God blessed us with  
Maryanne as our motor—a/k/a parish secretary.

God Bless, Jim L.

SERVER SCHEDULES FOR NOVEMBER AND  
DECEMBER ARE IN THE SACRISTY.