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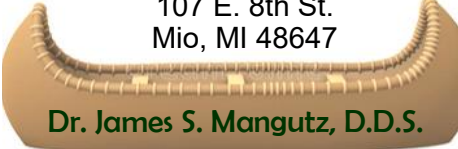
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**K of C**


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



**Knights of Columbus Council 7329**

**MADONNA HALL**

Rosary at 6:00 pm  
4th Degree meetings  
1st Monday of month 6:30 pm



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

www.olwshrine.org

100 South Deyarmond Street PO Box 189 Mio, MI 48647  
Phone: 989-826-5509

Church email: parishoffice@stmarymio.org  
Shrine email: info@olwshrine.org

**Staff**  
Pastor: Rev. Santiago M. Hoyumpa  
Secretary: Maryanne Ladensack  
Maintenance: Richard Troyer

## Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 29, 2024

**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  
Mass 4:00 pm

**Office Hours**  
Monday-Friday: 8:00 am—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

**Bulletin Deadline:** Monday

“Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward.”



MASS SCHEDULE

**Tuesday—October 1**  
8:25 am Rosary  
9:00 am Mass  
+Sabah (His wife)

**Wednesday—October 2**  
4:00-4:25 pm Reconciliation  
4:25 pm Rosary  
5:00 pm Mass  
Sabah's family (Wife and Mom)

**Thursday—October 3**  
8:25 am Rosary  
9:00 am Mass  
Habi Allos (His Family)

**Friday —October 4**  
8:25 am Rosary  
9:00 am Mass followed by  
Eucharistic Adoration  
Habi Allos' Family (Special Intention)

**Saturday—October 5**  
3:00-3:25 pm Reconciliation  
3:25 pm Rosary  
4:00 pm Mass  
James Kama (Kareen Kama)

**Sunday—October 6**  
8:00-8:25 am Reconciliation  
8:25 am Rosary  
9:00 am Mass  
Robert Shurock (Wafaa Younau)

PRAYER LIST

Irv Wrubel, Rosie Marsh, Clare Morrice, Liz, Bob & Deb, Rock Haio, Leo McArdle, Joan Wiegand, T.J., Pat Campbell, Maria Williams, John, Ray & Marcia Botkin, Bernie Kann, Jim, Aiden Trudell, Chris and daughter, Don Owczarzak, Arthur Corker, Deb Money, Thomas Schoensee, Bonnie, Heidi Szymanski, Barb Street, Henry, Alejandro Bacon, Chris Horger, Paul Pasternak, Mia McGregor, Beth, Becky Sidebottom, Char Cournyer

Sun: Rev. Bernard Tyler  
Mon: Rev. Mike Verschaeve Tues: Rev. Duane Wachowiak  
Wed: Rev. Matthew Wigton Thurs: Rev. Peter Wigton  
Fri: Rev. Robert Zuchowski Sat: Pope Francis

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWS

MICHIGAN CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Be Loved Be Radiant

"Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice." Isaiah 60:1, 5

OCTOBER 12  
9am-5pm  
LANSING CENTER LANSING, MI

Register: WWW.MICHIGANCWC.ORG

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There is still time to sign-up! For more information, see parishioner Kelley Hissong on Sundays after Mass or email her at hissongkj@gmail.com.

**Singles Late 50s and Above**  
Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose and belonging? Register today for a life-changing RENEW weekend retreat at the St. Francis Retreat Center in DeWitt, Michigan (10 miles north of Lansing) held November 8-10, 2024. Take a chance and get involved.....you won't regret it! Cost is \$235 for meals and a single room. Visit [www.RenewRetreats.org](http://www.RenewRetreats.org), call (570) 449-4858 or email [renewretreat.mi@gmail.com](mailto:renewretreat.mi@gmail.com).

Stewardship Report			
Average Monthly Operating Budget:	\$	17,500.00	
Loose, Envelopes & Misc.	\$	2,845.00	
Coffee and Donuts	\$	48.43	
Candles	\$	161.00	
Mass Intentions	\$	270.00	
September Income to Date	\$	15,201.17	

RESTORATION COMMITTEE  
meets Thursday,  
October 3rd at 6:00 pm  
in the parish hall.



Join us Friday, October 4th!  
Meets every other Friday in the parish hall at 11:00 am. Join us as we pray the rosary and do stretches and gentle exercises.

Lydia's Gate Homeless Shelter in Mio

- ⇒ Reopening Sunday, September 29th
- ⇒ Tours open to the public from 2-4 pm on 9/29/24
- ⇒ Ice Cream from 2-4pm on 9/29/24
- ⇒ Learn about upcoming events
- ⇒ Find out how you can help
- ⇒ Come see the renovations
- ⇒ Meet the new staff!

14th-Annual HIS LOVE WALK FOR FAMILIES 2024

"Making a Difference for Families in Oscoda County."

Comins Pumpkin Fest --- Skyline Event Center  
Saturday, October 5, 2024

11-12 Registration 12 noon Walk begins

T-shirts for each one who raise at least \$50 - while supplies last

Go to our facebook page for more information and to pre-register and set up your 'fund easy' page. Or pick up a registration form at His Love Family Resource Center. (203 S. Morenci Ave) or call 989-826-5817

Registration: \$25/adult, \$15/child, \$50/family—fee waived if \$50 is raised in pledges. (per person)

Here are other ways you can help

- Support and donate to a walker
- Come check out our bake sale at the Pumpkin Fest
- Buy tickets for our raffle baskets filled with great gifts - you don't need to be present to win. (drawing at 2:45PM)

Can't Walk?

QR code and His Love Family Resources logo

All Proceeds will support the services of His Love Family Resources in Mio, Michigan.

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

We celebrated the Triumph of the Cross on September 15<sup>th</sup> by having a reported 15 buses visit Our Lady of the Woods Shrine. This was mainly made up of the Chaldean contingent but we also had visitors from the Grayling area and a Thunder Bay Touring company. Well over 700 individuals came to our Shrine where they had an opportunity to get closer to God. People prayed and meditated at the various grotto sites, enjoyed food and refreshments in our Parish Hall and took advantage of making purchases in our wonderful Gift Shop. Thanks to all the volunteers who helped make this happen.

One very nice surprise was when Deacon George from Ontario, Canada accessed our Audio Shrine Tours through the QR code located in the Pieta Grotto. He played various audio tours through his megaphone for many Chaldeans to hear who followed him around the Shrine. You could hear the tour right outside the gift shop. The amazing part of it was the audio tours were spoken in "ARABIC" and not English. WOW.

Many were very generous. We collected \$9,283.22 over the 3-day weekend albeit the amount for the gift shop reflects a one-week period. The Restoration total was \$4,025.22, the registered Gift Shop sales were \$4,300.00 and the remaining \$958.00 reflects Candle and Maintenance jar donations and Masses to be said.

Although it was a wonderful weekend, there was one safety incident. A woman from the Grayling Group fell while trying to climb the steps near the Pieta Grotto. She injured her legs: bleeding and swelling. We pray she heals quickly. A plant has been put at the top of the steps to deter climbing at that location. Please enter the Pieta Grotto through the old altar area until we can address this issue through the restoration process. Please stay safe.

Monte Mariani,  
Shrine Director

We now have \$18,197.24  
in our restoration  
account.

