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This has been a difficult year for many people in our community. I want to remind you of a free community resource that I encourage everyone to use if they find themselves needing extra support. 2-1-1 is a public service number for all non-emergency needs. You can call it any time, any day and an agent will connect you with whatever it is you're looking for – food, financial assistance, housing support, clothing, transportation... All you need to do is dial 2-1-1 or text your zip code to 898-211 to get connected.

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to get connected to local resources. Bill Payment Education Employment Personal & Transportation







ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH ST. MONICA CATHOLIC CHURCH—AFTON

March 17, 2024 Fifth Sunday of Lent Pastor: Rev. Scott Lawler

Mass Schedule

MONDAY March 18th 9am Priest's Intentions

TUESDAY March 19th

4:30pm Diocese of Gaylord *Adoration/Confession following

WEDNESDAY March 20th

9am Protection of Preborn Life Prayers for Priests following *Confession 5-6pm

THURSDAY March 21st

9am +Jerry Cryderman Reg/Helen Cryderman

FRIDAY March 22nd

4:30pm +Barb Ellenberger Req/Sally Schaar *Adoration/Confession following

SATURDAY March 23rd

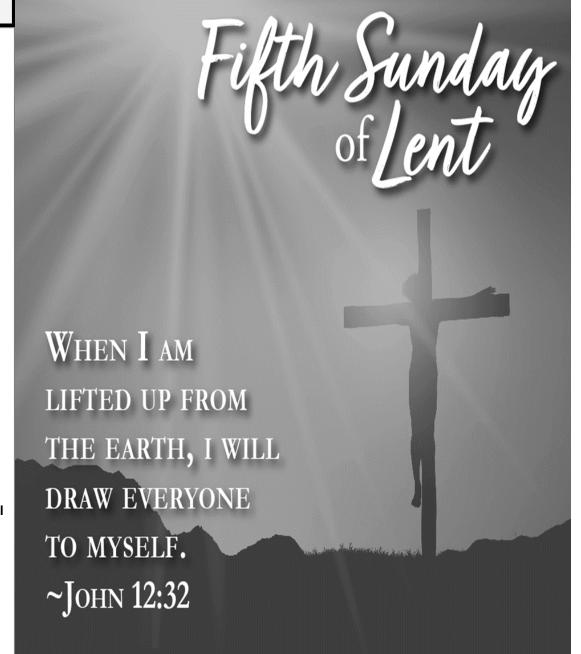
9am + Randy McLean Reg/Abbey & Scott Monthei 4:30pm Intentions of David Beyerlein

SUNDAY March 24th @ St. Paul

10am +Charlie Schaar Req/Sally Schaar

SUNDAY March 24th @ St. Monica

4:30pm Parishioners of St. Monica & St. Paul



STATIONS OF THE CROSS February 21st thru Lent

St. Paul Every Wednesday @ 6PM/with Confessions

St. Monica Every Friday @ 3PM

P.O. Box 130 / 20811 Washington Avenue, Onaway, MI 49765 Ph. 989-500-6053 Father's Email: scttlawler@gmail.com Office Email: parishoffice@stpaul-onaway.com Website: stpaul-onaway.com /facebook.comstpaulonaway The bulletin is available online at stpaul-onaway.com

What is Holy Week?

Holy Week, is the final week of Lent, starting on Palm Sunday, the Sunday before Easter. Holy Week is a time in which we gather to remember and participate in the Passion of Jesus Christ. The Passion was the final period of Christ's life in Jerusalem, which spans from when He arrived in Jerusalem, to when He was crucified.

How do we celebrate Holy Week?

Four special ceremonies commemorate the events of Christ's Passion, starting with his entrance into Jerusalem, when palm branches were placed in His path, through to His arrest on Holy Thursday and Crucifixion on Good Friday, to Holy Saturday, the day that Christ's body lay in the tomb.

Palm Sunday recalls Jesus' arrival in Jerusalem. In the Gospels, Jesus entered Jerusalem riding a donkey to the praise of the townspeople, who laid palms in front of him as a sign of homage. In these times, this was a customary practice for people of great respect.

The Easter Triduum is especially important for Catholics and considered 'the summit of the liturgical calendar'. It marks the three days just before Easter, starting on Holy Thursday.

Holy Thursday commemorates the Last Supper, when Jesus consecrated bread and wine the night before he was betrayed and arrested. This is one of the most beautiful liturgies of the entire liturgical year. During Mass, the priest washes the feet of twelve parishioners, just as Jesus did.

Good Friday marks the day of Jesus' arrest, trial and crucifixion. The events of Good Friday are commemorated in the Stations of the Cross, a 14-step devotion, traditionally on Fridays and especially on Good Friday. It is also a day of fast and abstinence within the Church.

Holy Saturday remembers the day which Jesus spent in the grave resting. This day celebrates the vigil that Christ's followers held for him outside of his tomb, waiting for his resurrection. It is a day of quiet and prayerful reflection on the true gravity of the crucifixion of Jesus' redemptive sacrifice.

Easter Sunday

Easter is the greatest celebration in the Catholic church because it completes Holy week that ends with the resurrection of Jesus. Easter celebrates the beginning and foundation of Christianity. Easter is thus a symbolic reminder for Catholics that Jesus has overcome death and sin. It signifies the victory of good over evil. The Easter Vigil is rightly called the liturgy of liturgies. The most important Mass of the year.

What does all this mean for us as Catholics?

The Easter story teaches us humility and love. It probes our desire to think of ourselves as compassionate and generous people.

The life and teaching, and the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ put together, are a lesson on the efficacy of humility, service, self-sacrifice, and true love.

As Catholics, we live in hope, not fear and with God's mercy and love, can overcome anything life throws at us.

Let's make sure that we prepare ourselves prayerfully for the celebrations to come,

God bless, **Father Scott**



Sacraments

Baptisms Marriage Confirmation OCIA(RCIA)

Please call the Parish Office to schedule. Couples requesting Marriage must call a minimum of six months in advance.



FAITH FORMATION & OCIA CLASSES

11:30 - 12:15

Office Hours Tues, Weds, Thurs 9:00am - 2:00pm 989*500*6053

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ALTAR SOCIETY MEMORIAL LILY

Envelopes are in the vestibule. The cost is \$15 per plant.

The lilies honor our loved ones and enhance the Altar environment for Easter! Deadline: March 27th

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the soul of

Barb Ellenberger

Who has entered into Eternal Life.

Contribution envelopes should be arriving. Please let the office know you have not received yours, or if any information needs to be corrected.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Tuesday@8pm-AA(RM 1) St. Paul Hall

Wednesday@6pm St. Paul Stations of the Cross

Thursday@10am -4pm Adoration-St. Paul

Friday@3pm St. Monica Stations of the Cross

Friday@8pm-AA (RM 1) St. Paul Hall

Reading for the week of March 17th

Dn13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 Jn8:1

<u>Tues.</u> 25m7:4-5,12-14,16 Rom4:13,16 -18,22 M+1:16,18-21,24

Weds: Dn3:14-20,91-92,95 Jn8:31-42

Thurs: *G*n17:3-9 Jn8:51-59

Jer20:10-13 Jn10:31-42

Sat: Ez37:21-28 Jn11:45-56

Sun: Is50:4-7 Ps22:8-9,17-20,23-24 Phil2:6-11 Mk14:1-15

Prayer to ST. JOSEPH

ng the Child JESUS as OF CHRIST

uardian of the HOLY FAMILY, be with us in our trials. May your prayers obtain for us the strength vrestle with the powers of otion so that in life.



Marian Candle Our Lady(Blue Candle) March 17th

St. Paul Intention: Leonard Family

St. Monica Intention: Michelle Belanger

If you would like to sponsor a Marian Candle, please contact the Office. \$5 per candle

Walk To Calvary

Our Journey is continuing As a community we have traveled

1109 Miles

on our journey to Calvary. While we are far from Calvary on our walk, we have journeyed to the:

St Monica, Afton Cross In the Woods, Indian River St Ignatius, Rogers City St Mary Cathedral, Gaylord St Casmir, Posen St Anne, Alpena Holy Child of Jesus, Harbor Springs St Francis Xavier, Petoskey

You can drop off your slips with your miles or steps in the box at the back of both Churches or in the hall. If interested the hall is open for walking Tues, Wed & Thurs 9:30 – 1:30.

*****SAVE THE DATE ***** Parish Lenten Gathering March 22, 6:00pm By ticket only

Fellowship

Those in need of our prayers...

Marqi Berry Ron Bischer Dorothy Brama Evelyn Canales Robert Carter Jr Lowell Cousino Klydleigh Curtis Donna Diller Louise Dorton Elvin Eagleson Marie Freel William Ellenberger Patti Gallagher

Brianne Giddis

Denise Harris

Donna Giessinger Vicki Giessinger Alberta Gaber Vicki Goscinski Lareesa Haggerty Alissa Hanel **Rodney Harris**

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Ray Rathbun **Bob Turney** Lois Veihl Chloe Walker Garv Yaklin Daniel Yepez

