

Holy Rosary Catholic Church

St. Pio Adoration Chapel

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Registration

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Sacrament of Baptism: Class 3 months before due date

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday—Thursday 2:30-5:45 pm

Friday—9am-12:00 pm

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Open Saturday 9am-Noon

Sunday 9:00-9:30am & 12:15-12:45pm

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Masses, Confessions, & Devotions

Check e-calendar for changes after printing (funerals, confessions times, etc.)

Saturday, October 19th • Ss. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues and Companion

3:00-3:45 pm Confessions; 3:35 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Anticipated Mass for 29th the Sunday in Ordinary
Time • Int. Dale & Joan Gauthier 50th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, October 20th • The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:20 am M Prayer & Rosary; 7:35-7:50 Confessions
8:00 am Mass • Int. Brian Nachazel (+) by Family
9:15 am Faith Formation
11:00 am Mass • Int. For All Parishioners

Monday, October 21st • Weekday

5:05-5:20 pm Confessions; 5:15-5:45 pm Rosary & E Prayer
5:45 pm Mass • Int. Edith Altman by the Charles Berninger Family
6:30 pm OCIA

Tuesday, October 22nd • St. John Paul II

7:30-7:50 am Confessions; 7:45 am Rosary & M Prayer
8:15 am Mass • Special Intention

Wednesday, October 23rd • St. John of Capistrano

5:05-5:20 pm Confessions; 5:15-5:45 pm Rosary & E Prayer
5:45 pm Mass • Int. Marion Murray (+) & Sheila Weigelt (+)

Thursday, October 24th • St. Anthony Mary Claret

7:30-7:50 am Confessions; 7:45 am Rosary & M Prayer
8:15 am Mass • Int. Loretta Libby (+)
1:00-3:00 pm Confessions

Friday, October 25th • Weekday

7:30-7:50 am Confessions; 7:45 am Rosary & M Prayer
8:15 am Mass • Int. Suzane Weaver (+) by Sandra Zacharias
9:00 am Procession

Saturday, October 26th • BVM on Saturday

7:30-7:50 am Confessions; 7:45 am Rosary & M Prayer
8:15 am Mass • Int. Bradley Wayne Schaub (+)
3:00-3:45 pm Confessions; 3:35 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Anticipated Mass for 30th the Sunday in Ordinary
Time • Int. Sophia Rosinski (+)

Sunday, October 27th • The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:20 am M Prayer & Rosary; 7:35-7:50 Confessions
8:00 am Mass • Int. For All Parishioners
9:30 am Sacraments Meeting
11:00 am Mass • Int. Luciana McManus

From Deacon Wigton

Called to the Hard Road



James and John, the Sons of Thunder! Don't you wish you could find out what these Apostles had done to end up with such a nickname? Apparently, it might have been a

compliment Jesus bestowed on them because of their evangelical zeal. We get a taste of their personalities in today's Gospel where they are asking the Lord to be able to sit on His right and the other on His left when He is in Glory. Perhaps they should be applauded for their desire to be close to Jesus forever! This ambitious desire, however, gave Jesus a tremendous opportunity to teach the rest of the Apostles as well as all His followers through the ages who would reflect on this powerful biblical passage. James and John must have hung their heads and swallowed hard when they heard Jesus tell them that there is a cost of discipleship. Following Jesus could be the 'hard road'!

As disciples of Jesus, we have ambitions. One should be that we will be deemed great enough to be close to Jesus in all His Glory for eternity, perhaps even to the right or left of Saints James and John! Yet, these ambitions can get in the way of the sanctity necessary to attain that lofty goal. To be great in the sight of God is quite different than it is to be great in the world and in the eyes of men. To receive glory is not related to status and recognition or authority over others. It is rather in humility and service. To truly follow Jesus, we must do as He has done. He came "not to be served but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many." (Mark 10:4)

The answer that Jesus gave to James and John is sobering! "You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup I drink or be baptized with the baptism I am baptized with?" Quite glibly, they answered, "Yes, we can." How easy it is to be courageous when you don't know or see the giants that you will face. The brothers eventually learned what was being asked of them. John, the only apostle not to be martyred, was boiled in oil. James died by the sword at the demand of King Herod. (Acts 12:1) By the power of the Holy Spirit, they were able to carry out their conviction to truly follow Christ, to embrace His cross, and to drink the 'cup' that He would drink.

St. Augustine wrote: "To fall in love with God is the greatest romance: to seek Him the greatest adventure; to find Him, the greatest human achievement." What a thrill to find Jesus and to give your life to Him. There is no greater joy! When we have that 'come to Jesus' moment', little do we know what He plans to do with the life that we freely give Him. Perhaps we glibly can give our 'yes' to drinking the cup that He drinks and to be baptized with the baptism that He received. As convicted and courageous as we can be at the time we commit our lives to Him, we are powerless to carry it out without the help of His Holy Spirit. The giants are 'cunning, baffling, and powerful.' The accolades that we can receive from our peers and the glory that we get from the world constantly pull us away from the cross

that we are given by Our Lord and Master. The road the world offers us is so much easier, the burdens lighter. Discipleship is servanthood. The way is narrow, and the road is hard! It is humbling ourselves by placing the needs of others over our own. It is about leading but not about exerting authority over others. It is not about the honor of high places but about washing the feet of those God sends us to serve. It is about laying down our lives for our family, our neighbors, our friends, and even our enemies. We become agents for Jesus, sacrificing our lives for the marginalized, the forgotten, and the oppressed. It goes beyond the walls of our Church. It is out in a world that constantly entices us to receive its accolades that we instead choose to follow Jesus into the battle, only seeking peace and justice for all of God's children.

Like Saints James and John, ultimately, we only find Glory on the hard road!

Collection Totals

For October 12th & 13th

Total.....\$8,542.00



For the Coming Week's Masses

4:00 pm October 26th
Propers Jude & Elijah Grignon,
 Jude Altman
Cantor Bernadette Altman
Lector Larry Petroskey
Ushers - Bryan Brzezinski, Byron Bolton,
 Len Zeck, Bernard Zacharias

8:00 am October 27th
Propers Samuel, Greg & Isaac
 Robinson
Cantor Bridget McManus
Lector Mike Mawby
Acolyte Jason Maday
Ushers- Dale Pleva, Joe Peplinski, Fred
 Peplinsk, Tim Lowe

11:00 am October 27th
Ushers- Philip Nachazel, Mike Kelly, Brent
 Weaner, John Martz

Our Sponsor of the Week

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40 Days For Life—Save-the-date

Holy Rosary has chosen to pray outside Planned Parenthood on Friday, October 25th, from 9 am-5 pm for the 40 Days for Life Campaign.

Tuesday Devotions

Join us every Tuesday to pray the 'Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary,' 'Our Lady of Perpetual Help' and 'Holy Face' starting at 6:00 pm.

Parish Pig Roast November 2nd

We will have the parish pig roast and All Saints Day party following the 4 p.m. mass on November 2nd. There is no charge. Please come and enjoy a parish meal. You may bring a dish to pass. Children and adults can come dressed as their favorite saints and bring 3 clues for people to guess which saint they are. There will be games, candy, procession, food, & fellowship!

New Member & Parish Pancake Breakfast

Save the date if you are a new member or if you just like pancake breakfasts. On December 8th, the Parish Council will host a hot breakfast with sausage, eggs, fruit, hashbrowns, juice, coffee, and pancakes after the 8 a.m. mass.

November 1st is All Saints Day

November 1st is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times are October 31st at 5:45pm and November 1st at 12 noon and 5:45 pm. The office will be closed on Friday.

St. John Vianney Seminary Visit

November 14-16th, Fr. Rexroat will take young men between 16 and 24 to visit the St. John Vianney Seminary in St. Paul, MN. For more information, contact vocations@dioceseofgaylord.org or call 989-705-3502. Space is limited. The trip will include testimonies of current seminarians, spiritual conferences from the seminary priests, a tour, and more.

Cemetery clean up

As we prepare for winter please remove any object from the cemetery that you would like saved.

Time Change

November 3rd is the time change.

Traveling 'Our Lady of Fatima' Statue

Did you know that Holy Rosary has an 'Our Lady of Fatima' statue that has traveled from parishioner home to parishioner home since the early 1970s? If you want the statue in your home for nine days, contact Cindy at 231-709-3643 for more information. Even if you have had the statue, you can have it again. It is a beautiful tradition at Holy Rosary.

Mother's In Christ

Mother's in Christ is an area group celebrating the gift of Motherhood. The group meets on Monday mornings from 9-11 am at St. Francis Church. Kids Club is available. October 21st the speaker will be Liz Gengle from Heart of the Interior Life Ministry speaking on the Discernment of Spirits. October 28th will be Fr. Christopher Jarvis.

GTACS Job Posting

Immaculate Conception and St. Francis Preschool have job openings for their after-school program. Email Kecia Brick at kbrick@gtacs.org. Details are posted <https://gtacs.org/about/employment/>

St. Mary School Auction

November 9th from 6-10 pm in the St. Mary Gymnasium. There will be food & entertainment, live and silent auctions, games, and cash bar. Over 400 auction items. Dress to the theme of casino or wear red, gold, and black attire.

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Coming Up...

November 1st—All Saint's Day Holy Day of Obligation and the Office is Closed



November 2nd— Parish Pig Roast and All Saint's Day Party

November 3rd—Time Change



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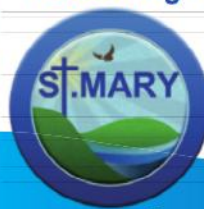
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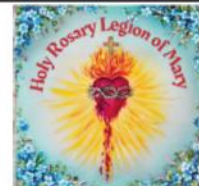
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- L&D Family & Friends of Dale & Katrina Pleva
- L&D Mousseau & Knudsen Families
- Larry Mousseau

HOLY ROSARY FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIAL L&D = Living & Deceased

- Nancy Priest
- Olszewski Family
- L&D Iwanicki Family
- L&D Suhay Family
- Yvonne Sadler Family
- Conrad Donakowski

- Louis & Magdaline Donakowski
- L&D Darga & LaBonte Families
- Altman Family & Godchildren
- L&D Cheryl Davis Family
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- L&D Dotterweich & Miceli Families

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