

We welcome all visitors and thank you for worshipping with us.
 If there is anyone who is moving to the area and would like to become a member of our parish,
 please call the parish office at 906-643-7671 to register.

This week in our Parishes....

Immaculate Conception & St. Ignatius Loyola

Monday

MEN'S MORNING PRAYER	7:00 a.m.
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP	7:00 p.m.
PRISON MINISTRY	6:30 p.m.
QUILTING	5:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

PRISON MINISTRY (Mackinac County) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday

ADORATION at Immaculate Conception 10:30 a.m.



**THE OLIVE ADAMS FAMILY
 DALE & PAT BYWATER
 TIM DAHMS
 LISA BELONGA EMERY
 HOWARD EVERSON
 DIANE FRANKOVICH
 ELAINE HORN
 PATRICIA GUSTAFSON
 HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY
 FRED & MAGGIE JACKSON
 JANET KANITZ
 LOUISE KELLY
 WILLIAM KING
 MIRIAM LUEPNITZ
 ALICIA MACKIN
 EDWARD MACKIN
 PATRICK & THERESE MACKIN
 PAUL MACKIN
 PETER MATELSKI
 ROBERT ALLEN MATELSKI
 ROSEMARY MATELSKI
 JOYCE MORTENSEN
 DEACON DON & ZOE OLMSTEAD
 DEC. MEMBERS OF REAGAN FAMILY
 FR. MIKE RHOADES
 DEACON AL SCHLEHUBER
 PATRICIA SERWACH
 JAMES SWEENEY
 BETTY THEUT
 MARY TROMBLAY
 JANICE WERKHEISER**

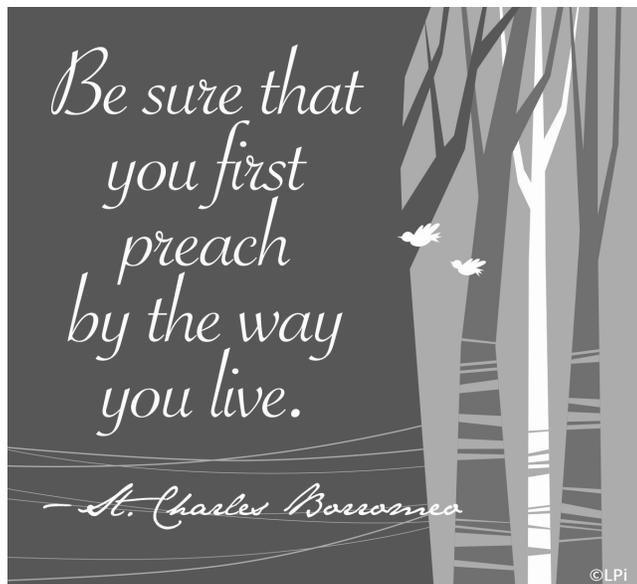


**Family Breakfast
 after the 9:00 a.m. Mass
 on
 June 9, 2019**



Scrambled eggs, pancakes, bacon, sausage, juice & coffee

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus



QUOTES FROM POPE FRANCIS

A Roped Guide



The Ascension of Jesus into heaven acquaints us with this deeply consoling reality on our journey: In Christ, true God and true man, our humanity was taken to God. Christ opened the path to us. He is like a roped guide climbing a mountain, who, on reaching the summit, pulls us up to him and leads us to God. If we entrust our life to him, if we let ourselves be guided by him, we are certain to be in safe hands, in the hands of our Savior, of our Advocate.

Reflection: *In what ways is Jesus calling you to follow his path and example? What difficulties have you encountered? What people can help you along the way?*



INTRODUCING DEACON THOMAS JOSEPH MERKEL

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, Deacon Thomas Merkel will begin an assignment at our three parishes. He will be with us until mid-August. Dcn. Tom was ordained a deacon on Friday, May 31st, in Marquette. Below is his story.

My name is Tom Merkel, and I am from Iron Mountain, where I attended Dickenson Area Catholic School. I graduated from high school in 2009 and received my bachelors in Accounting from Northern Michigan University in 2014. I have been active in the church my whole life from altar serving to working with the campus ministry at NMU. Through Campus Ministry, I learned more about my Catholic faith, and it taught me how to explain it to others. This ministry was an important experience for me as it helped me discern my priestly vocation. For the last five years I have been a seminarian for the Diocese of Marquette at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit. I look forward to learning more this summer and am excited to be with your parishes.

Because we have many Masses for our loved ones on our books, some Masses will be celebrated at Ste. Anne on Mackinac Island.



Msr. Jed Patrick of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all of the Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

A Prayer for Priests

Eternal God, please bless our priests,
who represent you on this earth.

Make them more greatly aware of the grace that you pour out through them when they minister the sacraments, and help them to fall more deeply in love with You after each and every Mass that they celebrate.

Please strengthen our priests, who shepherd your flock, that they may be examples of your Truth and guide us always on the path to you. We ask these things of You our Eternal Priest.

Amen.

Priests Celebrating Anniversaries:

Father Frank Ricca	Dec. 16	14 years
Father Peter Fosu	July 19	33 years
Father John Essel	July 10	30 years
Father Edward Baafi	Aug. 5	13 years
Father Norb Landreville	June 7	61 years
Father Jim Williams	June 14	49 years

Deacon Ordination Anniversary

Deacon Tom McClelland	June 9	13 years
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Thank you for being a devoted servant who helps so many. Many blessings on the anniversary of your ordination.

The change in your pocket is making a difference for the children of Ghana!

To date we have collected \$5,138.39 to help the children of Ghana. Please continue to put change in the container in the back of the church as we give it to Fr. Edward to send to his former parish in Ghana to help the children. Fr. Edward is very grateful and expresses his thanks!