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HOLY APOSTLES PARISH OF RUTH

P. O. Box 55, Ruth, Michigan 48470 Parish Office (989) 864-3649 Website: http://ssppruth.weebly.com Emails: office@ha-sti.diosag.org Parish Office Hours: All in Palms at this time. Weekend Mass Times: Saturday at 4:00pm in Ruth Sunday at 8:30am in Ruth

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday at 9:00am In Ruth Saturday at 9:00am in Ruth unless noted otherwise.

ST. ISIDORE PARISH OF PARISVILLE

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Parish Office Hours: All in Palms at this time. Weekend Mass Times: Saturday at 7:00pm in Parisville

Sunday at 10:30am in Palms

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Friday at 9:00am in Parisville

April 21, 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 20th

9:00am Mass at St. Patrick

4:00pm Mass at SSPP + Vincent & Bernadette Messing

by Gerald Cleary
7:00pm Mass at St Mary + Cindy McCoy by Joseph McCov Family

Sunday, April 21st

8:30am Mass at SSPP + Roman Holdwick by Richard & Cathy Stacer 10:30am Mass at St Patrick+ Tony & Edna Roth by Family and Friends

Monday, April 22nd

9:00am Mass at SSPP

Tuesday, April 23rd

9:00am Mass at St Patrick

Wednesday, April 24th

9:00am Mass at SSPP

Thursday, April 25th

9:00am Mass at SSPP + Floyd Holdwick by Weller Family

Friday, April 26th

9:00am Mass at St. Mary + Sylvester & Anthonette Rutkowski by Dorothy Kolar

Saturday, April 27th

9:00am Mass at SSPP

1200pm Mass at St Patrick—First Eucharist Mass

4:00pm Mass at SSPP + Melvin Gentner

by Delores Roggenbuck

7:00pm Mass at St Mary + Eugene Smalley by Rod and Marilyn Walsh

Sunday, April 28th

8:30am Mass at SSPP + Mary Jane Warchuck
by Michael Warchuck
10:30am Mass at St Patrick+ Georgeanna Guza

by Greg Guza Family

The **pictorial directory** for St. Isadore and Holy Apostles has been postponed until October. That still gives enough time for deliveries of picture orders to arrive before Christmas, for family gift giving. We will need help with scheduling and on the days of photographs. Please consider helping make the process run smoothly. Pictures will be taken in the Palms Parish Center.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist: There is a need for new and returning Eucharistic Ministers at both parishes. The Precious Blood will soon be offered once again, necessitating additional ministers at all masses. If you have gone through the diocesan training in the past, you would only need to review practices in parish. New ministers are still required to take in Diocesan training, which is offered a various locations.

Please consider helping out. The more ministers we have, the less frequently we would be asked to serve. Contact the parish office if you would be able to help out.

First Holy Communion will be celebrated on April 27, 2024 at 12 Noon at St. Patrick's, Palms Everyone is welcome to attend this Mass, celebrating with the children of both St. Isidore and **Holy Apostles Parishes.**

Please pray for these children and their families as they continue to prepare to receive the Body of Christ for the first time

Gauge Roggenbuck Roman Janowiak Jayden Hill-Bonfiglio Kady Dekoski, Arthur Marks Alyssa Campbell

Collins Geiger Heath Guza Brielle Gentner

Lainey Halifax

**The Parish office will be closed Wednesday, 4/24 and Thursday, 4/25/2024. Please call at another time or leave message.

Holy Apostles Parish

Parish Staff:

Fr. Robert Kelm, Pastor

Verna Booms - Parish Secretary and Bookkeeper Kimberly Stein - Faith Formation Coordinator Melvin Holdwick - Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery Sexton (989)864-5477

Kevin Schweitzer—St John Cemetery Sexton (989)551-8819

<u>Chairpersons:</u> Parish Council—Kevin Dallas Christian Mothers & Women—Linda Schumacher Ushers Club—Kurt Geiger Altar Servers—Kimberly Stein Finance Committee—Kathi Jahn

<u>New Parishioners</u> We extend a warm welcome to new parishioners. Please contact the Parish Office to register.

Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage

Please contact the respective Parish Office for arrangements.

Sacrament of Reconciliation—Call for an appointment.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick Please inform the Parish Office of any parishioners who are homebound or hospitalized. Communal Anointing is held once a year.

<u>Prayer Line Needs:</u> For all your prayer requests please call: Mary Ann Gentner 989-551-7015.

Please keep Pam Booms, Jake Cleary, Aiden <u>Glaza</u>, Shirley Jahn, Robert Lautner, Jane Messing, Tim Messing Jr., Natalie Grace Morgan, Derek Pfaff, Bonnie Susalla, Josh Ulfig in your prayers.

If you are homebound and would like a bulletin mailed, please call the Parish Office.

Holy Apostles Parish—Stewardship

Donations for the period ending April 14, 2024:

| Envelopes | \$ 1,655.00 |
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| Loose | 236.00 |
| Cemetery Maintenance | 650.00 |
| Building Fund | 30.00 |
| Catholic Relief Services | 40.00 |
| Votive Lights | 24.00 |
| _ | \$ 2,635.00 |



Thank you for your support!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 27, 2024 —4:00pm

Altar Servers: Griffin and Bristol Messing

Lector: Scott Messing

Extraordinary Minister: Judy Kramer

Sunday, April 28, 2024—8:30am

Altar Servers: Wyatt and Madyson Schumacher

Lector: Linda Schumacher
Extraordinary Minster: JoAnne Gentner

Counters: 4/22/24—Dee Kramer and Rod Kramer

Mama Ruth Raffle 2024 will be held on August 25, 2024. Once again we are looking for donations for our Mama Ruth Raffle. If you would like to donate for the 2024 raffle please contact the Parish office at 989-864-3649, Deb Messing at 989-245-4477 or Debbie Bischer at 989-551-9072. Thank you'

The **Buildings and Grounds Committee** of Holy Apostles Parish has researched and secured bids for removal of the bus garage and the purchase of a 12 x 24 steel storage building. Total cost will be between \$15-16,000. Anyone wishing to donate directly to this or any building improvements, please put in a separate envelope marked "Building Fund". Please designate which project.

Holy Apostles **Finance Council** meeting April 23rd at 6:00pm; and followed by **Parish Council** meeting at 7:00pm, in the east sacristy of the church.

The Ruth Knights of Columbus Council #3823 will be going to the **N.E.W.Life Center in Flint** on Wednesday, April 24th to deliver donations of clothing, blankets, personal hygiene items for men, women and children directly to Sr. Carol Weber. Donations will only be accepted <u>April 24th from 8:30am—9:30am</u> at the Hall. (No exercise equipment please.) Monetary donations will be accepted as well. Please help us fill the pickup(s) for a very worthwhile cause. Thank you for your generosity.

Congratulations to

Leo and Donna Emming



on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary. They were married on April 25, 1964.

We thank God for their many years together, and all their blessings of family and friends.

The **Christian Mothers & Womens** meeting will be Tuesday, May 7th beginning at 7:00 p.m. We will be meeting in the east sacristy of the church. All women of the parish are invited to join us.

Christ's Mission Appeal —. Thank you to all who have contributed to the Christ's Mission Appeal. If you have not yet made a contribution, please consider a gift. When we've reached our target, the funds that go over the amount are returned to the parishes.

St Isidore donations received:

\$18,255. of the \$32,814 assessment. (56%)

Holy Apostles donations received:

\$12,020. of the \$23,176 assessment. (52%)

Marriage Anniversary Dates Requested

In an effort to highlight the value of Marriage, Beth and the diocesan Marriage Office would like to acknowledge anniversaries of married couples throughout the Diocese, celebrating 30 or more years of living out their Covenant with God and each other. If you are celebrating an anniversary by one of the following increments, please call or email the office, so they can forward on your name/date! Beginning with 30 years, in 10 year increments, (e.g. 30th, 40th, etc and then in 5 year increments after the 60th anniversary). Email info to bbauer@diosag.org. or call the parish office.

St. Isidore Parish

Parish Staff:

Fr. Robert Kelm—Pastor

Sharon Stein—Faith Formation Coordinator

Verna Booms—Parish Secretary Terry Dekoski—Musician

Donna Lipskey & Charlotte Vogel—Janitorial Mike Rutkowski—St. Mary & St. Patrick Sexton

Chairpersons: Rosary Sodality—Mandy Kubacki

Finance Council—Angie Guza Parish Council—Jamie Stolicker

Prayer List

Derek Pfaff Joshua Ulfig Laverne Talaski Alex Susalla Isabelle Rutkowski Leonard Schmacher Mary Sapienza Calvin Stacer Steve Brigham Debra Swann Betty Zeestraten Natalie Grace Morgan Barb Halifax Katie Wolfram Mike Whipping Margo Ann & Mabel Dawn Wisneski Colleen Pionk Shirley Kaczor Marie Grice **Beverly Rieves** Jim Buloski Mary Cook Lizzie Guisey Drew Bucholtz Margaret Jones Jacqueline Goniwiecha Elaine Mazure Donald VanNorman Betty PuvalowJski Michael Wagner Nicole Riha Pam (Mike) Booms Jack O'Mara Rick Hiller Mike Leen Mark Watson Elaine Vogel Dan Romzek Leroy Wolschleger Addilyn Walsh Jessica Maier If you would like to add or remove someone on the Prayer List, please call the parish office. Thank you.

St. Isidore Parish Stewardship

Donations for period ending April 14, 2024:

 Envelopes
 \$ 2,340.00

 Loose
 321.00

 Fuel Fund
 82.00

 Maintenance Fund
 52.00

 Catholic Relief Services
 200.00

 Total:
 \$ 2,995.00



Thank you for meeting the needs of the parish. Please remember your parish when estate planning.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Friday, April 26, 2024: Lector: Marilyn Pionk

Saturday, April 27, 2024—7:00pm

Altar Servers: Abbygail Plester & Elaine Pionk

Lector: Sandy Micklash

Extraordinary Minister: Kristine Roggenbuck Counters: 4/20 Pat Kolar and Angie Guza

Sunday, April 28, 2024—10:30am

Lector: Trish VanNorman

Extraordinary Minister: Annette Stolicker **Counters**: Messing and Wagester Families

ECCLESIASTICS 7:10



Christ Is Risen!



The Parisville **Rosary Sodality** will have their annual prize raffle on Sunday, August 18, 2024. If you choose to donate a prize or cash, please contact Mandy Kubacki at (989) 553 -3067. Deadline to have all prizes is June 11 to allow time to print and sell tickets.

Spring Euchre Card Party - Sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella Circle 608, for benefit of the Our Lady of Lake Huron School will be held at the Bad Axe Senior Center, 150 Nugent Rd., Bad Axe, MI. Sunday, May 5, 2024 Cash prizes and lunch included. Time 1:00pm.— Admission: \$8 per person.

The East Region Council of Catholic Women will hold their Spring Meeting on Saturday, May 11, at St John the Evangelist Church in Ubly. Registration and refreshments will begin at 9:30am; the meeting will begin at 10am and end approximately 2pm. Mass will be celebrated and lunch will be served. Cost is \$12. All women of the Diocese are invited! Please RSVP to Vivian Janes at 989-635-7798 before May 7th.

K of C Youth Group Corn Hole Tournament

6th-12th Grade students are invited to a round robin (no one is eliminated) corn hole tournament being held at
Good Shepherd Parish Center Gym
1935 Hamilton St., Ubly, MI 48475
Entry Fee: \$5 in toiletries for the food pantry
Prize: \$40/each for 1st place men's, women's & mixed teams. Please RSVP to pd12850@mikofc.org
or (989) 553-3434 with your team name.
The first 16 teams will be guaranteed a spot.
Supper will be provided after the tournament.

Pilgrimage to Fr. Solanus Casey Center in Detroit, MI on May 22, 2024 for a Day of Healing. The chartered bus will leave Harbor Beach at 7:45am from the OLLH parking lot and also stopping in Port Sanilac. Cost is \$110.00 per person. Checks made out to Parrotts Tours but delivered to Janice Langley by May 8, 2024. Return trip will leave the Center at 3:00pm. We need 30 people to fill the bus. For additional info please contact Janice Langley at (989) 975-6658.

Harbor Beach Community Hospital's **Senior Life Solutions** program is designed to meet the unique needs of individuals typically 65 and older experiencing depression or anxiety related to life changes often associated with aging. If you would like more information, education, or would like to discuss support, please call **(989) 479-0200**.

HOLY APOSTLES AND ST. ISIDORE FAITH FORMATION

Hello Families,

The Faith Formation program of Holy Apostles and St. Isidore will meet next on Saturday, May 4, 2024. Start time is 9:00am. Dismissal time 12:00 noon.

**Ubly FFA is collecting pop can tabs. Please bring to Faith Formation or leave in the back of our churches. For more information or to register your child/children, please feel free to contact:

Mrs. Sharon Stein at (989)550-7241 (call or text) or

E-mail: sharonstein2008@live.com

Mrs. Kim Stein at (989)712-0579 (call or text) or

E-mail: skstein12@gmail.com

During April Child Abuse Prevention Month, we are reminded to be instruments of justice, working for the common good of all, which includes the protection of children. Child Abuse Prevention Month should lead to heightened awareness to be vigilant about providing a safe environment for all within the Church and for our communities. If you suspect a child or young person is being neglected or abused by anyone, immediately contact the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services at is 24/7 hotline number: 855-444-3911. If you are currently witnessing

child abuse or neglect, call 911. If you are a victim/survivor of clergy abuse or know of someone who is, you are urged to make direct contact with local law enforcement and the Michigan Attorney General's investigation hotline at 844-324-3374. You are also welcome to contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 989-797-6682 or victim.assistance@dioceseofsaginaw.org. The Victim Assistance Coordinator can assist victims in obtaining counseling services.

June 1 - Diocesan Day of Enrichment, Forming Intentional Disciples: How can we transmit a living, personal Catholic faith to future generations? By coming to know Jesus Christ and following him as his disciples. Our June 1st Diocesan Day of Enrichment will focus on strategies for revitalizing the church at the parish level. At a time when only a third of Americans raised Catholic are still practicing and just over half of Catholics believe in a personal God, the opportunities for discipleship within our faith communities is more important than ever. All Catholics must make a conscious choice to know and follow Jesus before they can draw others to him. This work of discipleship lies at the heart of the book Forming Intentional Disciples. Keynote speakers Katherine Coolidge and Pete Burak join priests and staff of the diocese to discuss the thresholds of conversion that Catholics cross as they enter more deeply into a relationship with Jesus, enabling Church leaders, parish staff, and all Catholics to transform parish life from within. A major focus of the day will include ideas for reaching the missing generations who were raised Catholic but who are now disconnected from the Church. The registration fee is \$45 and includes a cold breakfast and lunch. Join us on June 1 from 8:00 AM - 3:15 PM, at the Center for Ministry, 5802 Weiss St., Saginaw by registering at https:// www.surveymonkey.com/r/6-1-24, call 989.797.6654.

Eucharistic Revival Nights—

Preaching by Fr. Stephen Blaxton; Eucharistic Adoration w/Praise & Worship.

April 25—7pm @St. Joseph, Sandusky Encounter Jesus present in the Eucharist and participate in the National Eucharistic Revival! There will be praise and worship music and intercessory prayer teams to facilitate healing and encounter. Please avail your soul to Jesus these nights and allow the Lord to work in you. Contact holyfamilyparish1@gmail.com or call 810-648-2968.

★ 10thNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS – JULY 17-21, 2024 – REGISTRATION OPEN – As

part of the National Eucharistic Revival, the First National Eucharistic Congress in 83 years is being celebrated in July 2024. God hears our prayers for the renewal of our Church. He will answer them through a life-changing transformation of our own hearts. The 10th National Eucharistic Congress (NEC) is an invitation to experience a profound personal revival to be sent on mission as disciples to share Christ's love with a world that so desperately needs it. Join Bishop Gruss and the Catholic Diocese of Saginaw on pilgrimage to experience this pivotal moment in both American history and the legacy of the Catholic Church. The diocese has purchased 200 tickets to offer package pricing that includes: event pass(es), hotel accommodations, roundtrip transportation from Saginaw to Indianapolis and daily transportation from your hotel to the event venues. Please reference the NEC attachments to share with your parishioners, publish in your bulletins and post in your parish. You may also visit the diocesan website for more information (www.saginaw.org).

In just three months, tens of thousands of Catholics will gather in Indianapolis for the nation's first Eucharistic Congress in more than eight decades. While the main focus is clear—to adore Jesus truly present in the Blessed Sacrament — participants will also notice a heavy emphasis on vocations.

Religious communities from across the country will be attending, many underwritten by Serra International, which is organizing a large area in the convention hall that will be teeming with sisters and brothers. The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring an entire section to showcase diocesan priesthood, with a small army of priests on hand to talk with young men.

Also in attendance will be hundreds of seminarians, many of who will have just completed the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, an ambitious project that will see thousands marching toward Indiana along different routes totaling 6,500 miles.

The connection between the Eucharist and vocations is clear: Three-quarters of recently ordained priests regularly participated in Eucharist Adoration before entering seminary. And at Catholic youth events, even those offering sports and high-energy activities, teen participants still rank one "activity" as their favorite: Adoration.

As the Church prepares for this historic event, let's ask our Eucharistic Lord for an outpouring of vocations!