

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 23, 2018

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Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Mass † **Tuesday:** 7:00 p.m. Mass † **Thursday:** 9:00 a.m. Communion Service

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Vespers will be held on the first Tuesday of every month following Mass.

Confession follows Tuesday evening Mass (any changes to the schedule are listed inside).

Office Hours

Monday: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. † **Wednesday:** 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Closed Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

SACRED SCRIPTURE, MASS Intentions & MINISTERS
for the week of September 23, 2018

September 23, Sunday:

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8:30 am: Jim Schneider & Steven Simpson † by Simpson Family
Wis 2:12, 17-20 Jas 3:16--4:3 Mk 9:30-37

September 24, Monday: Weekday

Prv 3:27-34 Lk 8:16-18

September 25, Tuesday: Weekday

No Mass this week

Prv 21:1-6, 10-13 Lk 8:19-21

September 26, Wednesday: Weekday

Saint Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs

Prv 30:5-9 Lk 9:1-6

September 27, Thursday: Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

9:00 am Communion Service

Ecc 1:2-11 Lk 9:7-9

September 28, Friday: Weekday

Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs

Ecc 3:1-11 Lk 9:18-22

September 29, Saturday:

Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 Jn 1:47-51

September 30, Sunday:

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 am: Leon Lauer † by Pat Coulson

Nm 11:25-29 Jas 5:1-6 Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Sacristan: Susann Young

Lectors: Ralph Westbrook, Nick Price

Eucharistic Ministers: Susann Young, Maegan Shipp,

Rosemary Reams, Shari Bassett, Michele Westbrook

Servers: Elijah Lauer, Elliott Kelley

Ushers: Andrew Shipp, Doug Thelen, Steve Yaw, Simon Kelley

Gift Bearers: Lauer Family

Counting Team: Pam Grieves, Mary Frederikson

September Cleaning Team: Sherry Free, Kara Kelley

September Hospitality: Overbeck & Westbrook Families



Please continue to pray for our homebound and ill parishioners and parish friends:

Clara Smith, Bill Overbeck Sr., Rick Borup, Julia Wheelock

Art Nash, Bob Wolbers, Barb Hotchkiss,

Bill Brabant, Linda Griffin, Amy Williams, Grace Starr,

Jane Emelander, Ashley Cunningham,

Carla Skytta, Joshua Hammons, Rhonda Wolbers, Tom Renucci

Did you donate to the Parish Rummage Sale?

We are looking for the person who donated a box that contained a cocktail drink shaker, a green vase and a cupcake stand. If this was your box please call the Parish office at 616-642-6119.

From the hand of Fr. Ferris ...

I know I am writing this before the festival in Lowell, but I do want to say thank you to everyone who makes possible both festivals in Saranac and Lowell. It takes many hands to pull off these events, beginning with those who plan and organize them. I know that I and many others greatly appreciate the hard work of the men and women who for months in advance have been planning and preparing for our special events.

There are the many others who take on key roles in the different aspects of the festivals. Thank you. There are many donations that make possible the different events, as well as the many hands that help with setting up and cleaning up. All in between there are many people who do a great deal so that we can come together as parishes and enjoy each other's company. Thank you all for your dedication and service.

--Fr. Ferris



St. Mary's Parish Festival



St. Mary's festival is this Sunday, September 23rd from 11:30-3:30 with money raffle at 4:00 p.m.

Pulled Chicken and Pork sandwich with sides \$7.00. Hotdog with sides \$5.00. Raffle tickets are \$5.00 each. Kid's tent with games, live music, country store & some silent raffle items.



Faith Formation will start next week with a meet and greet hour . We hope everyone can make it!

Class time will be from 9:30 to 11:00 starting October 7th. You may sign up online if you haven't already.

"The direct and intentional destruction of innocent human life from the moment of conception until natural death is always wrong and is not just one issue among many. It must always be opposed."

USCCB Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship



www.kofcsaranacmi.org

Grand Knight Gregg Hotchkiss

Family of the Month: Tom & Cherie Hagen

Knight of the Month: Al Schielke

KOC Council meets the 1st Thursday of the month at 7PM

September 7, KOC Raffle Winner:

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Welcome

We would like to welcome Mark, Catherine and sweet baby Joslyn Johnson to St. Anthony's! We are excited to have you as part of our Parish with a



KOC RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



Thank you to all who donated, worked and made cookies! Forty-three units were collected, without you this would not be possible!

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Calling All Runners/Walkers!

Join us for West Michigan's most unique race, the **Franciscan Rhythms Trail Run/Walk** on Saturday, October 6 for a 5K run or walk, 10K run, and a kid's run. Enjoy the live music throughout the trail, Franciscan stew, freshly baked bread, and a custom t-shirt. Franciscan Life Process Center, 11650 Downes St. NE, Lowell, MI Registration fees are \$10 for kid's run, \$35 for 5K run/walk and \$40 for the 10K. Register online today at bit.ly/2018trailrun

A Taste of Bavaria - Suppen (soup) and Apfelstrudeld (Strudel) with Sister Mary Paul Moller, FSE Tuesday, October 9 6:30 - 8:30 pm Franciscan Life Process

Center 11650 Downes St. NE, Lowell MI

Join us to learn how to make noodles and strudel! Create and enjoy beef noodle soup and apple strudel. These will be some of the best calories you have ever put in your mouth! Cost: \$25 Please go to www.lifeprocesscenter.org to register.

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Wedding Anniversary Mass – Together with your families, the Church in the Diocese of Grand Rapids honors the faithful witness to your vocation of marriage and wishes to celebrate with you. Bishop Walkowiak is inviting all couples celebrating milestone anniversaries to join him on **Sunday, October 21 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Andrew** (265 Sheldon Blvd., Grand Rapids). A simple reception will immediately follow. Please RSVP by calling the parish office or using the form below to confirm your attendance.

STEWARDSHIP for week ending September 16, 2018

PARISH INCOME:

Adult envelopes	\$ 1,580.00
Loose	241.00
Mass Intentions	
Candles	9.00
General Receipts	1,830.00

Other Receipts

Building Fund-Festival	
Total Receipts Retained	\$ 1,830.00
Heifer International	25.00
Festival Raffle	
SCRIP IN	
Total Receipts	\$ 1,855.00

DISBURSEMENTS:

Payroll and taxes	333.97
Insurance: Prop.,P/R,Etc	
Operating	
Worship	
Insurance	
Buildings/Grounds	
Rel. Ed/FF	
Parish Life	
Utilities	
Festival 2018	
Total Actual Expenses	\$ 333.97
SCRIP OUT	

Total Expenses \$ 333.97

HEIFER INTERNATIONAL = \$5,422.00 Arks are \$5,000.00

LOCAL AREA MASS SCHEDULE

SS. Peter & Paul, Ionia: Sat 4:00 p.m.;
 Sunday 8:00a.m. ; 11:45 a.m.; Spanish Mass at 1:00 p.m.
St. Edward, Lake Odessa: Sat. 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 9:45a.m.
St. Mary, Lowell: Mon-Fri (except Tuesday) 7:45a.m.
 Saturday: Confession: 3-4:30 pm.; Mass at 8:30 am., 5:00pm
 Sunday 10:30 a.m.



Pastoral Council: Sherry Free, Michele Westbrook, Monty Simpson, Ron Mutschler, Bronson Zigmont

Finance Council: Anita Talcott, Ralph Westbrook, Gregg Hotchkiss, Dan Brown, Eric Jorgensen

Faith Formation: Classes held immediately after Mass on Sundays, September-April.

Prayer Chain: Pat Coulson 616-216-1870 or office 616-642-6119

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Thank You

A heartfelt thank you to all who donated to the GlenMary Missionary! As of today we will no longer be collecting items.



1140 AM - GRAND RAPIDS | 91.5 FM - KALAMAZOO



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In Service to One,
in Service to All
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Gregaq Hotchkjss, Grand Knight

Ionia Area Right Life

Meeting 7 p.m.
2nd Monday of the month
Temple Baptist Church
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Saranac / Clarksville Food Pantry

at Saranac Community Church
Open Thursdays, 2 - 4 p.m.
NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

Please bring identification showing proof of residency.
To volunteers to help at the Pantry,
contact Margaret at 616-642-6322.

**Please pay patronage to our local
businesses. Thank you!**



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St. Anthony's Mission Statement

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church strives to be

"A Parish with a Heart" ♥

Using our time, talents and treasure, our parish family is dedicated to the faith formation
of our youth and living the gospel in our Community.