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Welcome to Our Cluster of Catholic Churches

Bienvenido Nuestro rupo Iglesias Católicas

Ministry Schedules

Saturday, January 20

St. Francis 4:00 PMSacristan/EMSharon DenhofLectorJoAnn BeechnauUshersThe Zimmer Boys		
St. Joseph 5:30PMSacristanDeb ClellandLectorReggie PoindexterEMHCTammy KlutingUshersSteve Umlor & Joe DietrichServersAshlee & Savanna Kluting		
Sunday, January 21		
St. Catherine's 9:00AM Sacristan		
St. Joseph's 11:00AM Sacristan		

Servers.....Johnathan Dietrich & Ally Knauf

St. Catherine's	\$4,280.00
SFX	\$1,723.00
St. Joseph	\$6,190.00

St Joseph only

Text (616) 377-2855, enter the dollar amount, enter your info. Questions: (616) 215-9181

Online Giving

St Catherine: tinyurl.com/5a9jfd6n St Joseph: tinyurl.com/7ns3j3ya SFX: tinyurl.com/5fep7wr23ya

Counters for January

St Catherine'sCheryl Helsen
Mary Patterson

SFX

Don Crowley

St Joseph's

Barb Umlor

Marj Williams

Jackie Schoenborn

Masses ● Intentions ● Daily Readings

Saturday, January 13		
Memorial of Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church		
1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 2:13-17		
3:00 PM~ Confessions until 3:45 PM		
4:00 PM~ Bryson Potts by Messier Family		
5:30 PM+ Mike Klein by familySJ		
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Sunday, January 14		
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time		
1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-4:		
9:00AM~ Peg Bonthuis by M/M Jim Jensen		
11:00AM+ Members of the ClusterSJ		
Manday January 45		
Monday, January 15		
1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mk 2:18-22		
8:00 AM~ Rosary		
5:15 PM~ Confession/Adoration until 6:15 pmSFX		
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Tuesday, January 16		
1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28		
8:30 AM+ Father Bernott by Fr. Bernott Estate		
9:00 AM~ Adoration until 3:00PMSJ		
Wednesday, January 17		
Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot		
1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6		
Thursday, January 18		
1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13; Mk 3:7-12		
8:30 AM+ Karen Goodno by M/M Joe Fritz & FamilySC		
Friday, January 19		
1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11; Mk 3:13-19		
8:30 AM+ Ben Looks by Ministry of ConsolationSJ		
Saturday January 20		
Saturday, January 20 Memorial of Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr and Saint Sebastian, Martyr		
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2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21 3:00 PM~ Confessions until 3:45 PM		
4:00 PM+ Catie Crowley by Mary FinklerSF)		
5:30 PM+ Lenis Klein by M/M Leon Schwartz		
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Sunday, January 21		
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20		
9:00AM+ Joe Helsen by Jason & Marsha KleinSC		
11:00AM+ Joanne Kluting by Jon & Nancy DenhofSJ		

ST CATHERINE-SC • ST FRANCIS XAVIER-SFX • ST JOSEPH-SJ

St. Catherine's News

Prayer Line

Mara Kroll: (231) 853-6880 Ethel Nutt: (231) 853-6733



The 50/50 drawing winner of \$225 for December was Ron Zeerip from Gary Nutt's book. Your chance to win is available from any Men's Club member. The

next meeting will be Wednesday, January 31, 2024 at 7:30 pm in the parish hall. All men of the parish are welcomed and invited to attend.

MARS Food Pantry needs are as follows: Cereal, taco shells, salsa, oil and breakfast drinks would be appreciated.

Thank you for your support!

St. Francis Xavier News

Prayer Line

Kate Videtich: (616) 678-5838 Lucille Finkler: (616) 899-2367

St. Joseph's Church News

Prayer Line

Linda Nowatzke: (616)899-2166 Theresa Miller: (616)899-5561

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Sunday January

8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.



St. Vincent de Paul Hall Community Blood Drive

Blood drive will be held in the Hall 21130 32nd Ave. Conklin, MI 49403

*All donors will receive FREE breakfast!

APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED: Call 866-642-5663, or scan the QR code below.

*Walk ins welcome, as schedule allows!

Not sure if you're eligible to donate blood? Call 866.642.5663 to find out!



Calling all men of the Parish!

Strengthen your faith and become a stronger leader in your family and community. Start off the new year by joining Into the Breach, a Catholic men's group that will challenge you in your faith life. Grow in prayer, fraternity, and in your knowledge of God. We will meet every Saturday morning for 12 weeks beginning January 6th at 6:30am at St. Joseph's Church. Make the commitment and join us! Questions please contact Marty Brown 616.560.0749 Or Ken Sokolowski 616.366.6305.



Senior Euchre

1:30-3:30pm at St Joseph's Hall. Barrier free entrance, lower south side doors. \$1 gets you an afternoon of fun! Every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month, the next date is January 23, 2024.

The Cluster News

MONDAY BIBLE STUDY

We will begin on Monday, January 8 at 9:30am, in the meeting room at St. Joseph's Church. The Gospel of Mark scriptures are the daily Mass readings during January and

February, and also the focus of our study. All community and cluster members are welcome! We especially encourage anyone that has never attended a study before. Bring a bible or we will have some extra bibles.

What a wonderful way to begin the new year!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, COUNCIL #4404

Sunday breakfast will be starting up again on January 7, 2024 from 8:30-1:00. Same great food and great fellowship. If you're a member or would like to help, let Randy Graftema know at (616) 327-9839.



The baby pantry will be open Saturday, January 27th from 9am-11am at St. Joseph Church. The pantry will be open on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays going forward each month. We will continue to accept baby and toddler items.



Wednesday Night Men's Euchre League

At St. Vincent DePaul Hall with the First Session running from December 6th-January 24th. Sign in begins at 6:30pm and play begins at 7pm. Any questions, call Ed Denhof at 616-302-0368 or Chris Stebbins at 616-935-3366.

Bulletin Announcements

Please submit no later than Thursday by noon, the week before the date of publishing. Submit to the office at clustersecretary@ourcluster.org

Items may be edited for content or space.

Divine Providence Academy

Helping Hands is taken up as a second collection the FIRST Sunday of every month. The Helping Hands Scholarship is designed to help supplement the tuition to assist

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vate the entire person by engaging the human need for physical, mental, social, and spiritual nourishment. It is the mission of Catholic Schools to do just that.

Outside the Cluster

Priest, Prophet, King Retreat January 20, 2024, 8 a.m. - 5:30p.m. FREE to attend

Join St. Joseph Parish in Pewamo for an incredible day centered on Christ present in the Eucharist. This retreat is a guided reflection of faith including Adoration, recitation of the rosary, praise & Description of the rosary o

worship music, small group discussion, interactive prayer and breakouts, a Eucharistic procession, and Mass.

The day is designed to help you intentionally embrace Jesus Christ present in the Blessed Sacrament and in your daily life. "For Americans and others living under democracy, the concept of a king can seem quite foreign, quaint, and curious – perhaps even silly. The United States was formed directly in opposition to rule by a king, and the past century witnessed the end of many kingdoms."

(Bishop Robert Barron, Priest, Prophet, King. Word on Fire Study Program Workbook, pg. 83) In biblical times the King was the central and key figure in both political and religious affairs. Learn how to put God back in His true place as the King of your life.

This retreat is free but does require registration. Learn more and register at stjosephpewamo.org.



Join Bishop Walkowiak for the Mass for Life

Monday, Jan. 22 | 7 p.m. Cathedral of Saint Andrew

All are encouraged to join Bishop Walkowiak to pray for the legal protection of unborn children. Those attending Mass are invited to bring a donation for baby pantries in Grand Rapids and Muskegon run by Catholic Charities West Michigan.

Catholics also are encouraged to pray for an end to abortion during the Nine Days for Life novena beginning Thursday, Jan. 16. Find the daily intentions in English and Spanish at usccb.org/ resources/9-days-life-novena.

Resources to support moms and families may be found at GRdiocese.org/walking-with-moms



What: St. Vincent De Paul Building Corporation

Annual Mixed Couples Euchre Parties

When: January 6th, January 27th & February 17th

Registration Starts @ 6:30 pm

Play Starts @ 7pm

Where: St Vincent DePaul Hall-

21130 32nd Ave. Conklin, MI 49404

Cost: \$20 Dollars Per Team

Adult Beverages Available Complimentary Popcorn

Prizes: Cash Prizes For 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place.

50/50 Basket Raffles.

Who: Ages 18 and Up

Register at the Door

SEMINARIAN OF THE WEEK:

Men of the Eucharist

CHRIST

RESPONDING WITH JOY



Pray for Seminarian:

Isaac A. Schneider

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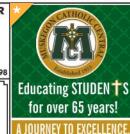
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