



St. Agnes
Iron River



St. Cecilia
Caspian



Immaculate Conception
Watersmeet



Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

July 10, 2022



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PARISHES' MEMBERSHIP

New families and individuals are welcome to the Parishes. It is important that every family or independent adult register in the Parish of their choice: to keep our records, especially addresses, and telephone numbers, current. Please contact the Parish Office, to register, as soon as you are able.

BULLETIN NOTICES

Submit bulletin notices *in writing* to the St. Agnes Rectory Office 8 days prior to publication.

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry—Iron River (906) 265-9390

SACRAMENTS

WEEKEND HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

St. Agnes 4:00 PM **Sat.** & 10:00 AM **Sun.**

St. Cecilia 8:00 AM & 12 NOON **Sun.**

Immaculate Conception 4:00pm **Sat.** & 9:30 am **Sun.**

CONFESSIONS:

1st Saturday at St. Cecilia—after 8am Mass until 9:30am
 10:30am—11:30am on all the other Saturdays at St. Cecilia
 3:00pm—right before 4pm Mass on Saturday at St. Agnes
 3:00pm—3:45pm at Immaculate Conception, Saturday and at
 8:45am until 9:15am on Sunday,

INFANT BAPTISM:

Parents desiring the Sacrament of Baptism for their children must be registered and be actively participating in Parish life. Parents must also attend a Baptism class before the Baptism of their first child. Contact the Church Office in advance.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements for Marriages must be made at least six months in advance. At least one of the parties must be a practicing Catholic.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Whenever someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, contact the parish office immediately.

SATURDAY, July 9

ST A 4:00 PM +Christopher Clement (for his b-day)
by his sister Eunice Anderson

SUNDAY, July 10

ST C 8:00 AM +Nancy Perdzock
by her husband Norb
ST A 10:00 AM For the parishioners
ST C 12:00 PM +Theresa (Capello) Habeck
by her sister Donna Capello

MONDAY—July 11—NO MASS

TUESDAY, July 12

ST A 5:00 PM Rosary
ST A 5:30 PM +Mike Nimoczek
by Edward Ochylski

WEDNESDAY, July 13

ST A 7:30 AM Rosary
ST A 8:00 AM +Sheri Knutson
by Auntie Micki Haydon & family

ADORATION follows Mass

THURSDAY, July 14

ST C 7:30 AM Rosary
ST C 8:00 AM +Phyllis St. John (her birthday)
by Dean & Jeanne Kaczorowski

FRIDAY, July 15

ST C 7:30 AM Rosary
ST C 8:00 AM +Ed & +Arlene Stauber
by Mark & Sheri Stauber

SATURDAY, July 16

ST A 4:00 PM +Matt Butorac
by Lisa McMullen

SUNDAY, July 17

ST C 8:00 AM +Jean Carne—by her daughters
ST A 10:00 AM +Ardella Holmes
by Annie & George Brunswick & girls
ST C 12:00 PM +Gerald Jurecic
by his children

~Hand sanitizer is always available at the entrances~

With an increase of many illnesses...please pray:

Prayer for Healing

Dear Lord, We lift up all those who are facing illness today.
We ask that You would bring Healing, Comfort, & Peace
to their bodies. Calm their fears & let them experience
the healing power of your love. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

July 11 Mon Is 1:10-17 Mt 10:34—11:1

July 12 Tue Is 7:1-9 Mt 11:20-24

July 13 Wed Is 10:5-7, 13b-16 Mt 11:25-27

July 14 Thu Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 Mt 11:28-30

July 15 Fri Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Mt 12:1-8

July 16 Sat Mi 2:1-5 Mt 12:14-21

July 17 Sun Gn 18:1-10a Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42

WELCOME

PRO LIFE CORNER

That special power of loving that belongs to a woman is seen most clearly when she becomes a mother. Motherhood is the gift of God to women. How grateful we must be to God for this wonderful gift that brings such joy to the whole world, women and men alike! -Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Glimpses of the Life of Venerable Bishop Baraga

“Happy day.” Father Baraga wrote to his sister on June 10, 1831, “that placed me among the Indians, with whom I will now remain uninterruptedly to the last breath of my life.”

St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel when Jesus asks, “which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robber's victim?” The scholar of the law answered, “the one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus then said, “Go and do likewise.”

**This week you can also “treat the poor with mercy”
by putting a gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box.**

Lamp Stand Candle—St. Cecilia

In memory of Joseph Pangrazzi

**July 23—July 30, for his birthday on July 29
by his children**



Prayer Chain

**Prayer Request forms may be picked
up by the St. Joseph statue
at St. Agnes or St. Cecilia**

This week our featured sponsor is:

St. Agnes Altar Society

**Meeting the Second Tuesday of the Month at 1:00pm
in the Little Flower Room
All women welcome~Come join us.**

President Marni Suliin

GOSPEL MEDITATION—July 10, 2022, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We can learn a great deal from Mister Rogers. Remember him? He was the gentle soul who found his way into living rooms worldwide starting as far back as 1968. Mister Rogers' Neighborhood was a beloved program that celebrated and exalted people, especially children. He taught us that we are neighbors and that everyone has a place. Everyone matters. He had a vision, born of his relationship with God that highlighted every human life's innocence, beauty, and uniqueness. To that end, he called us to be responsible for each other, saying nothing different than what Jesus said. Viewers quickly learned that life is not just about me.

"We live in a world in which we need to share responsibility. It's easy to say, 'It's not my child, not my community, not my world, not my problem.' Then there are those who see the need and respond. I consider those people my heroes (Fred Rogers)." It is so easy to look the other way. After all, I'm not the one who needs to leave home out of fear and try to find somewhere safe. I am not the one who is hungry and without shelter or food. I am not the one who has a child being bullied or ridiculed because of the way they dress or act. I am not the one being threatened with violence or unable to find meaningful work. The distress and agony of our neighbors are our distress and agony. We cannot walk by it with an attitude of indifference, especially if we call ourselves believers. When we no longer care, we have suffocated our souls. This is a great sin.

God's law "is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." We all have a need for love and acceptance. That's why Mister Rogers' television show was so popular. It spoke to something deeper, something sacred about humanity. God didn't give us his law in a book. He wrote it on our hearts. We know what we need to do. It's a matter of choice. Love is sacred. When we love another human being, especially without regard for ourselves, it is a holy moment. These moments are often missed due to our self-serving agendas and rules. ©LPi

No contribution information due to early transmission of the bulletin.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Roland Kwasny, Mike Manfrom, Cheri Dennis, Doug Damp, Robert LaMarche, Kelly & Stacy Williams, Gary P. Johnson, August Menghini, Carl & Pierce Dzanbazoff, Jody Pederson, Debbie Ponzio Clark, Chris Bal, Betty Webber Williams, Mary S., Shelly Silfven, Lee Routheaux, Sharon Warner, Patricia Sebastian, Jacob Tomasoski, David Eberhard, Joyce Singleton, Jerry Schinella, Ed Lau, Juanita Frostell, Tony Fittante, Leila Hope Adamson, Stephanie Tinkey, Zachary Lambert, Shannon DeRoche, Mary Ann VanWagner, Kathleen Miller, Jerry Koski, Arla Thomas, Jayni Angeli, Jim Condon, Teresa Cristan, Regina Robinson, Sandy Moln, Adam Wilson, Marge Phillips, Frances Kozicki, Sue Hanmer, Lois Langford, Mitzi McGreaham, Ron Sykora, Nancy Russo, John Brunswick, Gary Lane, Donna Paraventi, Nancy Clements, Julie Powell, David Coates, Bob & Dolly Watts, Barbara B., Chelsie Hartline, Rhonda Angeli, Katherine Sporer, Mike McIntosh, Ray Cole, Dr. Chuck Newby, Ann Marie Kenny, Lois Brown, Al Anderson, Tom Roth, Don McDonald, Dave Juncer, Tootsie Amelio, Kevin Ellis, Jim Fleury, Edward "Ta Wash" McGeshick, Marlene Locke, Jason Locke, Lois Moln-Brown, Elizabeth Parchim, Butch Redig, Carole Mottes, Kate, Ken Shimun, Jeanne Novak-Smith, Tom Ingold, Gloria Wills, Sara Grahn, Fay Grahn, Bob Lantz, John Otto, Jerry Petts, Matt Sherman, Dixie Lee Denis, Pat C., Tom & Kristina Korpi, Vickie, Everett Angeli, Preslie Mantsch, Terri, Theresa LaFountain, Mary Woodworth, Lavinia, Alex, Marion, Fr. Jeffrey Kurtz, all affected by COVID-19, Ava Gauthier, Maggie, Seantel Duda, Matt Greig, Dennis Day, John Cummings, Shannon Housveiner, Julie Brown, Craig Barker, Eddie Meyers, Rob Johnson, Emma St. Peter, Cathy Johnson, Bobby Cheetham, Cara Kapczynski, Jim Mangone, Patricia Caldwell, Tierney Cayo, Ken Routheaux

***Please Pray for the Eternal Repose
of the soul of:***

Joshua Hodapp

CHANGE COLLECTION:
CANISTERS ALWAYS AT THE ENTRANCES

Nursing Facility Masses—on hold for now

Adoration—St. C follows Fri. 8am Mass

Adoration—St. A follows Wed. 8am Mass

Holy Hour—St. Agnes

Last Sunday of the month

3pm—4pm (doors open at 2:45pm)

Holy Name Men's Club

Second Sunday of the month—after 8am Mass
Father Sartorelli Hall (Next meeting September)

Knights of Columbus

Second Thursday of the month—6pm
St. Agnes Little Flower Room (Next meeting Sept.)

St. Agnes Altar Society

Second Tuesday of the month—1pm
Little Flower Room (Next meeting in September)

St. Anne's Society of St. Cecilia

May 17—12 Noon—Fr. Sartorelli Hall
(Next meeting in September)

~ORM (Outreach Ministry)~

Third Thursday of the month at 6pm
St. Agnes Little Flower Room

Next meeting September 15, 6-7:30pm

**Devotion in Honor of our Mother
of Perpetual Help**

Tuesdays—after 5:30pm Mass—St. Agnes
Thursdays—after 8am Mass—St. Cecilia

Coming Back to Church

Question: I have been away from the Church for a few years and really want to get active again, not so much for me, but for my children. Is this a bad reason to come back to Church?

Answer: If you are on your way to the supermarket, and you are forced to detour from your usual route because of road work, does the food you buy taste different? Is the meal less filling? Are the vegetables less tasty? Of course not. In our faith journey, there are many detours called sin. Some are greater than others, some are even a bit longer. But God's grace comes to us in ways we understand and recognize and need. Your children leading you back to the Church is not as important as the fact that you are back. This is an opportunity for you to renew, strengthen, and deepen your faith. Regardless of how we get to Church, or what draws us closer to God, the fact is we are there. Do what you need to do to get right with God and the Church. Go to confession, begin good family religious practices, and be involved in the ministries your parish offers. Be more than a luke-warm parishioner. Be the kind of Catholic you want your children to be.