

Annunciation of the Lord Parish



Pastoral Administrator: Fr. Craig Carolan
Pastoral Associate/DRE: Sr. Judy O'Brien, IHM

Parish Mission Statement

“We, the community of Annunciation of the Lord Catholic Church, are a witness to our faith in Jesus Christ. We strive to be a loving and prayerful people. We seek peace and justice, and show respect and mercy toward all people. We do this as a response to our call to bring about the reign of God.”

E-mail: annunciationparish@centurytel.net
Parish Website: annunciationofthelordparish.weebly.com

Office Hours (Port Austin):

Monday & Wednesday 9-4
Tuesday & Thursday 9-5:30
Friday 9-2



Parish Office & Main Parish Church

Saint Michael
8661 Independence St.
P.O. Box 355
Port Austin, MI. 48467
Phone: 989-738-7521
Fax: 989-738-5886



Additional Worship Site

St. Mary Church
1709 Moeller Road
Kinde, MI 48445

St. Edward Church & Catechesis Center

5083 Park St. PO Box 68
Kinde, MI 48445
989-874-4744

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday 4:00PM (St. Michael)
Sunday 8:30AM (St. Mary)
Sunday 10:30AM (St. Michael)

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Every Tuesday at 6:30PM and Thursday at 9:00AM at St. Mary
Every Saturday at St. Michael 3:00-3:45PM
Every Sunday at St. Michael 10:00-10:20AM
Other times by appointment

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please call the Parish Office when you desire to celebrate Matrimony, at least six months prior to the proposed wedding

Sacrament of Baptism:

Please inquire with Fr. Carolan at least one month before the desired date of Baptism

New Parishioners:

If you wish to become a member of our parish, please call the parish office or stop by anytime during office hours

Theresa Bambach, Irene Berube, Betty Bond, Margaret Carpenter, Mike Gage, Bradley Hass, Charlene Jimkoski, Florence Kanaski, Sr. Mary King IHM, Virginia Kowalski, Linda Kozlowski, Rachel Maurer, Chuck Pettit, Alma Pitcher, Irene Polega, Greg Prill, Tim Sera, Irene Strozski, Genevieve Ventline, Betty Vignski, Kathy Wagner, Luella Ward, Shirley Youngblood.

Monday March 9 – St. Mary
6:00PM ***Special Intentions of the Parish***

Tuesday March 10 – St. Mary
6:00PM **NO MASS** (Priest's Quarterly Meeting in Saginaw)

Wednesday March 11
10:30AM ***Mass at Courtney Manor***
6:00PM ***St. Mary - Holy Hour***
7:00PM ***St. Mary – Stations of the Cross***
7:30PM **Parish Council Meeting – St. Edward Hall**

Thursday March 12 – St. Mary
8:30AM ***Ann & Edwin Baranski*** by family

Friday March 13 – St. Michael
4:00PM ***Stations of the Cross***
4:30PM ***Mass – St. Michael***
1:00PM **Sunday Scripture Preparation-St. Edward Parish House**

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Saturday March 14
4:00PM St. Michael
Robert & Matilda Finan by Joan Yaroch
Joann Stros

Sunday March 15
8:30AM St. Mary
Mary Ann Murawski
by Dave & Betty Jane Mousseau & Sylvester Polega
10:30AM St. Michael **Scrutinies**
Rose Meagher, Mary Jane Yaroch & Janice Kozlowski
By Shirley Youngblood
4:00PM ***For all Parishioners***
7:00PM ***St. Mary - Lenten Mission with Fr. Ben***

STEWARDSHIP

“You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything...”

Exodus 20:4

How many “gods” do you put before God? “Idols” do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot – pride, power, ego, comfort or health.



Pray for the Sick

Our Gifts to God February 28th & March 1st

Envelopes (204)	\$4,085.00	Utility	\$ 200.00
Loose	\$ 342.52	CRS	\$ 5.00

IN SYMPATHY



Our condolences go out to the family and friends of
Joann Stros

May she enjoy eternal life and happiness

**Pastoral Council Meeting on March 11 is changed to
7:30PM at St. Edward Hall**

K.C. CORPORATE COMMUNION & BREAKFAST

**St. Mary Church, Kinde, Sunday, March 15, 8:30AM Mass,
Breakfast following mass.**

NO tickets will be sold at the door.

**Dave Mousseau will be at the entrance at 8:30AM Mass
selling tickets on March 8th. \$7.00 per person.**

**FAITH FORMATION
FAMILY MASS**

This Sunday, March 8 at 4PM a Family Mass is planned
at St. Edward Church.

Early "3:30pm" arrivals would enable a maximum of participation.
All are welcome!

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS

Parents and children preparing for Reconciliation, Confirmation, and First
Eucharist will gather next Sunday, March 15 at 12:30pm in the St. Edward
Hall. The focus of the 5th class will be Chapter 6: the Our Father; the
Communion Rite; the Articles of the Blessed Sacrament; and preparations
for receiving the Sacrament of Penance. Participants are reminded to bring
their New Testaments, My Missal, votive candles and special binders.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD CLASSES

This Tuesday, March 10, classes for children ages 6 – 12 will begin
immediately after school until 5:00PM in the St. Edward Hall.
Refreshments will be provided. Transportation is available through the
TAT bus with advance notice and a permission slip to the school.

Parents wishing their child to participate
are asked to call Sr. Judy in advance.

Parents of children ages 3-6 may call to set a visit time

MAKE-UP CLASSES

Parents of children not able to be present at class on March 7th may
request a "Make-Up Time" after school, in the evening, or on the weekend.
Contact Sr. Judy 874-4744.

LITTLE BLACK LENTEN BOOKS

The "Little Books" for Lent are now available in our church
entries. Feel free to take additional books to share with family
and friends.

LITTLE PURPLE LENTEN BOOKS

These "Little Books" for Lent are now in the hands of our
parish children. Parents and grandparents are urged to help
children in this daily practice. Each day concludes with the
invitation to write a gift of God to be thankful for.

(*This is a practice to learn and never outgrow!!!!)

HOLY WEEK HELP NEEDED

**We are looking for lectors and ministers who can help
during Holy Week this year along with anyone willing to
have their feet washed on Holy Thursday. If you can
help, please contact the parish office with your
schedule, 738-7521. Thank you!**

Cancelled Stamps

A large envelope filled with many of our clipped cancelled
stamps is one of many on its way to England to assist with the
needs of people suffering from Leprosy. Within a year 122,610
has been raised through these stamps that would otherwise be
discarded – keep clipping

Spartan Labels

3000 Spartan labels will soon bring \$60 for some of our local
needs. Please keep clipping!!!

Please note The Diocese of Saginaw offers a special event to assist
parishes with strategic planning:

"Building Communication and Relationships
for Multi-parish Ministry"

All pastoral council, finance committee's,
Stewardship/Commissions are invited and encouraged to attend on
Wednesday March 18th from 6.30pm - 8.30pm

You may attend this Seminar in person at the Diocese Center for
Ministry, at home via the internet or at

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish Center, Caseville,
which is going to be a Host-Site.**

Registration opens on Feb 2, 2015 - to Register visit
www.saginaw.org/m-18-2015.html

There is no cost for this event.



**St. Patrick's Day Euchre Party
Port Austin American Legion**

**Sunday March 15th 1:00PM \$7.00
Luncheon served after Cards**

**Happy
St. Patrick's Day!**

**Port Austin American Legion
St. Patrick's Day Party
Saturday, March 14th**

**Corned Beef Dinner 5:00-8:00PM \$8.00
Jam Session starting at 7:30PM –
Anyone is welcome to bring an
instrument and join in!!**

Fish Fry

**Knights of Columbus at Bad Axe, Council 1546
Friday, March 13, 2015**

Serving 4:00 til 7:00 p.m.

Adults \$9.00 - Youth \$4.00 –

Children 4 & under eat free!

**Deep fried & baked fish with a complete buffet
Take outs - call (989) 269-7512.**