

Annunciation of the Lord Parish



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Office Hours (Port Austin):

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



Pray for the Sick

Theresa Bambach, Kenny Briolat, Shirley Butch, Margaret Carpenter, Mike Gage, Bill Goretski, Viola Ignash, Sheryl Koroleski, Linda Kozlowski, Mary Kozole, Rachel Maurer, Mary Mergucz, Jim Moore, Rosa Palazzolo, Virgil Palach, Bob Prill, Chris Robbins, Farren Rutkowski, Gernith Janos, Jim Schumacher, Tim Sera, Genevieve Ventline, Betty Vigenski, Kathy Wagner, Lillian Wills, and John Zebrowski.

Monday November 18 - No Mass

Tuesday November 19 – St. Mary

6:00PM **Dolores Mousseau** by Maurice Mousseau family
 6:30PM Confession

Wednesday November 20

8:30AM Mass at St. Michael
Dolly Sosnoski by The Holy Rosary Sodality

Thursday November 21 – St. Mary

8:30AM **Esther Polega** by Don Schramski
 9:00AM Confession

Friday November 22 – St. Michael

8:30AM **Mike Mayes** by Tony & Darlene Legault
 1:00PM Sunday Scripture Preparation – St. Edward Hall

34th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday November 23

4:00PM St. Michael
For the Parishioners

Sunday November 24 **Christ the King**

8:30AM St. Mary
Ben & Florence Lasceski by Paul & Lorrie Schramski
 10:00-10:20AM Confession-St. Michael
 10:30AM St. Michael
Mary Jane Yaroch by family

Stewardship

Today's readings paint a somewhat frightening picture of the end of time. But the Gospel ends with the assurance to faithful stewards that those who persevere will be saved.

Gift Given to God Nov 9 & 10

(214/458)

Envelope	\$6,846.00
Loose	\$ 395.77
Cemetery	\$ 25.00
Utility	\$ 55.00
Military	\$1,710.00

My brothers and sisters,

Next Sunday we celebrate the culmination of the liturgical year with the Feast of Christ the King. Let us briefly reflect upon the meaning of this Solemnity for us.

St. Luke is the only evangelist who narrates this particular scene at Calvary. It fits very well with his interest in the forgiveness of the sinner, the forgiveness of enemies, and the innocent death of Jesus. Jesus promised the good thief much more than what he was asking: immediate happiness and his integration into the kingdom to which all repentant sinners are called. Here we see Jesus is a king who uses his power not to save himself, although he could do it, but to save others.

Jesus does not announce a spiritual kingdom opposed to the material world. His kingdom is a global reality which embraces all aspects of human life. His kingdom is not of this world, but it is deeply human. It is not based on power that oppresses but on love which attracts and liberates. It is a kingdom of service to others, especially to the poor, offering them help, respect, acceptance, and brotherhood.

“Long Live Christ the King” or “Viva Cristo Rey” is the battle cry of the Cursillo Movement. In the Cristero War of Mexico, as well as in the Spanish Civil War, Christ the King was the inspiration of many soldiers who bravely shed their blood.

Through our baptism, Christ reigns in our lives and in our homes. Christ has been enthroned as the center of our families. The cry of “Long Live Christ the King,” should not only be on our lips, but should be in the hearts of people, so that Christ and his interests will be the ones that govern our lives.

Today’s feast is certainly one of triumph and joy, but it must be principally a feast of challenge, that dares us to live our Christian life fully, revealing the kingship of Christ over us.

On Saturday, November 23, we celebrate the memorial of Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, a Jesuit priest who lived during the time of persecution of the Church in Mexico. Father Pro was a role model for the Mexican Martyrs who followed him. He had been studying in Europe when his superiors transferred him to Mexico. Although he knew it meant sure martyrdom, he obeyed his superiors and returned to minister to his flock in the huge Archdiocese of Mexico City. He played cat and mouse with the authorities, using elaborate disguises until he was caught. He stood before the firing squad, and forgave those who were about to shoot him. With a cross in one hand and a rosary in the other he stretched out his arms and cried out, “Viva Cristo Rey!” Long Live Christ the King, as the firing squad shot him. His remains are interred at the Church of the Holy Family in Mexico City.

Blessings,
Fr. Craig

THANKSGIVING OUTREACH

There will be a second collection next week to cover the cost of perishable goods for the Thanksgiving baskets delivered to needy people in our community.

We are, also, in need of non-perishable goods; they can be dropped off to the Parish Office during office hours.

If you are able to help on November 23rd at 9:30am with packing or delivering, please contact the office (989) 738-7521



Euchre (Feather) party
Port Austin American Legion
November 17 - 1:00PM
Prizes and 50/50's
Luncheon served
\$6.50

St. Michael Holy Rosary Sodality annual Christmas party will be at the Stock Pot Sunday - December 1 - 1:00PM
Hope to see you there!

St. Mary Holy Rosary Sodality will have their annual Christmas dinner at the Franklin Inn on Monday, December 2 - 12:00noon.

For reservations call:
Pat 874-4321 or Stella 874-4611
(Members please pay your dues up to date.)

Clothe-a-Child Sewing Project

Ladies & students met on Saturday to cut & sew pj's & blankets for the program. Thanks for all the donations and time given.

We will meet again Sunday, November 17, 6:00-8:00PM at St. Edward Parish Hall to create more items for the program. All are welcome to come & join in.

Call Lori Toner for more info; 874-4965

November is National Adoption Month *This is the month to recognize and honor children who have been adopted, families who have adopted and birthmothers who thoughtfully placed their children into a loving home through adoption.*

BOOK OF LIFE

The month of November is a special time to honor our parish deceased. Each family is invited to add to or update the "Books of Life" displayed in the entry of each church. Blank sheets with directives are in the back of each binder to add to these books of remembrance. Please join in honoring our beloved deceased by keeping their memories "alive".

BUCKETS FOR HAITI

Three "buckets" have been placed at each church entry with lists of items useful to the people of Haiti. These buckets will be joining with those of Sacred Heart Parish in downtown Detroit.

CLOTHE-A-CHILD GIFT BOXES

Undecorated Gift Boxes are needed for our December 7th Faith Formation Class. Boxes must have separate tops and be large enough to hold a complete set of clothing for children ages from infant to 16 years old. Boxes can be left in church entries or at the St. Edward Parish House until Friday, December 6.

FAITH FORMATION WEBSITES

GREAT FAITH FORMATION ENRICHMENT IS AVAILABLE ON LINE.....TRY:

[HTTP://catholicicing.com/printable-prayer-starters-for-kids-teaching-independent-pra](http://catholicicing.com/printable-prayer-starters-for-kids-teaching-independent-pra)

"Catechesis of the Good Shepherd" after school classes for children 6-12, will meet November 19 immediately after school until 5:00PM.

Refreshments will be provided. Advance transportation is available through the TAT bus with a permission slip to the school.

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

Parents of children ages 3-6 are asked to contact Sr. Judy to set times for coming classes. (989) 874-4744

YOUTH MUSICIANS

Youth musicians willing to share their talents for 4:00PM Christmas Eve Mass at St. Mary Church are urged to call Connie Baranski (738-7348) ASAP.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE will be Thanksgiving Day 9:00AM at St. Mary.