

# ST. PETER CATHEDRAL

DIOCESE OF MARQUETTE

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 20 & 21, 2024

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Venerable Frederic Baraga First Bishop of Marquette

**Mass Schedule** 

Sunday 8:00am 10:30am 6:00pm,

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00pm

First Sunday of the Month 1:00pm

Weekdays Mon - Sat 8:00am (1st Saturday 10:00am) Mon - Fri 5:15pm

#### Reconciliation

Saturday 11:00am & by appt. Sunday 5:00-5:45pm SHEPHERD

First Friday of month 6:00-7:00 pm

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# From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Cathedral and St. Mary Mission Families,

We celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Easter this weekend, often calling it "Good Shepherd Sunday" because the Gospel for the day often features that image of Jesus. For that reason, the Diocesan Priest Retirement Collection has been promoted then. The Collection goes to the St. Joseph Association, which is our Diocesan Priest Retirement fund. When a priest reaches retirement or 'senior priest' status, his pension comes from that fund – that's the case for Bishop Garland, and soon will be for me in August. Thank you for your support for this collection for the St. Joseph Association in our Diocese!

This Sunday, April 21 st we will celebrate the Diocesan celebration of Confirmation at 3:30 p.m. From our parish there will be:

Katie Nowicki Jimmy Bennett

Eliza Lund Claire Maskart Beatrix Zeleznik Jack Sysko Charlotte Newcomb Christos Rapavi Dawn White

Please keep them and their families in your prayers along with all those who come from across the Diocese!

On Saturday, April 27 th we'll be having a short Retreat at 9 a.m. for the children preparing for First Communion, which will be on May 5 th at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Next Sunday, April 28 th I will travel to serve on the Team for a Spiritual Direction Training Program for Priests, held at Mundelein Seminary in Illinois. This is presented by the Institute for Priestly Formation (IPF) and will bring together 150 priests in three sessions each year for three years. I will be returning by May 3rd to serve on the Charismatic Retreat at Garden, MI, then be back for the First Communion Mass on May 5th.

God bless you and yours!

of magr. Michael J. Steller

### Fourth Sunday of Easter



Jesus said:
"I am the good shepherd.
A good shepherd lays down
his life for the sheep.
A hired man, who is not a
shepherd and whose sheep
are not his own, sees a wolf
coming and leaves the

sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep.

I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd.

This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father."

Sunday's Gospel Jn 10:11-18

MISSION STATEMENT: To encounter Christ through the Eucharist and answer His call to holiness.

To carry out our mission, we:

- follow in the footsteps of Saint Peter and Ven. Bishop Baraga in our commitment to proclaim the Gospel message of

Jesus Christ and make disciples of all nations through evangelization and Catholic faith formation:

- are committed to prayerful lives and fostering participation in Eucharistic Adoration and other liturgical devotions;
- welcome and serve our community, especially the less fortunate and one another.

For the Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage & Anointing of the Sick Please call the Parish Office at 226-6548.

Preparation for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation & Eucharist begins each fall. Please call Annalisa Ogle, Faith Formation, 226-6548. If you are interested in becoming Catholic or would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please contact the Parish Office at 226-6548.

If you would like to join the St. Peter Cathedral parish family, call the Parish Office at 226-6548 or stop in during office hours to register. Please call if you have a change of address, new phone number, or are leaving the area. Thank you!



The St. Peter Cathedral Family extends their condolences and prayers to the families of those who have recently died:

## ~ Georgia K Dollar Libby~

who died on March 30, 2024



#### **FREE**

7-week Life in the Spirit Seminar.

Learn about how the Father wants to give His Children more of the Love of God, which is the Holy Spirit. He knows each of us very well.

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Our Presenters are:

Msgr Michael Steber – St. Peter Cathedral,
Fr Corey Litzner – Resurrection Church,
Fr Christian Flagstadt – St. John the
Evangelist & St. Joseph Parish,
Dcn Louie Londo – St. Peter Cathedral,
Fr Dustin Larson – Catholic Campus Ministry,
Fr Matthew Chartier – St. Peter Cathedral.

Come discover what it means to receive
"A Greater Outpouring of the Holy Spirit".

Uncover the joy of sharing the
Love of God with others.

The Life in the Spirit Seminar is every
Tuesday from April 9 - May 21,
at St. Peter Cathedral, in the Media Room
7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

followed by refreshments and fellowship.

For more information & to register, please call Vicky Ricketts at 906-869-2137.

ALL ARE WELCOME including past participants.





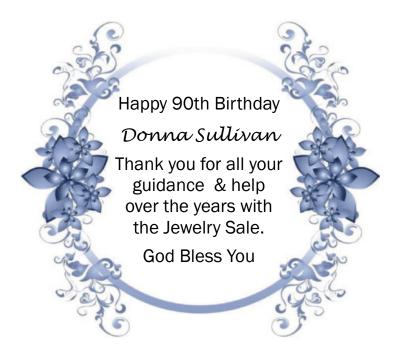
## "Living the Discerning Life"

Learning the Spiritual Teaching of St. Ignatius of Loyola in ten episodes - begins Wed., April 10th - Media Rm. St Peter Cathedral @ 7:00pm

Come join in this enriching series with Fr. Timothy Gallagher, OMV presenting With time for discussion and prayer. Learn how to listen for God's voice and receive His healing and guidance.

A Holy Hour of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is so important to Jesus that a multitude of souls go to Heaven who otherwise would have gone to hell.

(Jesus revelation to Blessed Dina Belanger)



### Speaking of Jewelry

When your spring cleaning, remember to being any unwanted jewelry to the Cathedral Office.

We will be cleaning, repairing and pricing items for the Fall Bazaar.

Thank you for helping the Women Caring & Serving Altar Society

### Daily Liturgy: Mass Intentions

#### Monday, April 22, 2024

8:00am Howard Blomiley

5:15pm Fay Garceau

Tuesday, April 23

8:00am Stan Hudson (Living) 5:15pm Fr Francis Dobrzenski †

Wednesday, April 24

8:00am Sue Pap (Living) 5:15pm Katie Fisher (Living)

Thursday, April 25

8:00am Fr Corbin Eddy 5:15pm Fay Presley †

Friday, April 26

8:00am Jeffrey Tiensiri † 5:15pm Barbara Rigling †

Saturday, April 27

8:00am Thomas & Dorothy Taylor + 4:00pm Charles (Check) Hillier +

Sunday, April 28

8:00 am Ron Katers  $\dagger$ 

10:30 am Matt & Brooke Heslip  $\dagger$ 

6:00pm Parish Family of St Peter Cathedral and St

Mary Mission

Please pray for those who are hospitalized and those sick at home: Jonah Hurley, Caleb Morrison, Martha Murray, Madeleine Alderson, Ken LaCross, Carol Shook, Daniel LaChance, Mary Novak, Maria Sossi, Robert Shimanek, Marybeth Bell, Charlene Mullen, Steve Somers, Kendell & Lucia Soderberg, Patty Ellison, Erik Salminen, Susan Vandresse, Marsha Johnson, Mick & Debbie Case, Gabriella Gingras, Robert Przykucki, Carol Carlson, Judith Wentarmini, Avelyn Moore, Jessica & Chris Dieter, Kelly Molino, Skarlett Swartz, Ryan Thomas, Peyton Thomas, Elaine Wasilewski, Aaron Pap, Gunnar John Zemski, Rose & Michelle Hosey, Mary Wilson, Andrea Miron-Koch, Raymond Anderson, Gary & Sharon Anderson, Lucy Lyngen, Jerry Garceau, Gerry Beck, Judy Jason, Terry Byron, Jim Constance, Anne Stumpf, Paulette Collins, Judy Meyers, David Wulffe, Ben Edwards, Moirres Holm, Kim Rotundo, Louise Jean, Lois Baker, Luke Williams, Sandy Jurkovich, Louise Bryne, Ann Rivard, Ethan Elshoff.

Please remember our parishioners who are residents in nursing facilities and the Jacobetti Veterans Home. Please also pray for our relatives, friends and neighbors actively deployed in the Military.

# Special Dates The week of April 21, 2024



Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Monday: Earth Day

Tuesday: St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr

Wednesday: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr; Administrative Professionals' Day

Thursday: St. Mark, Evangelist

Friday: Arbor Day

#### Liturgical Ministry Schedule April 27th ~ 28th, 2024

Saturday, April 27th 4:00pm Altar Servers: Giovanni Scibelli

Lectors: Jennifer Funni

Hospitality: Nancy Saundri, Geno Angeli, Phil Much, I more

needed

Sunday, April 28th 8:00am Altar Servers: Ned Stockert Lectors: Jacy Williams

Hospitality: Charles Crotty, Robert Bortalameolli, Mark

Chesney, 1 more needed

Sunday, April 28th 10:30am Altar Servers: Calvin Hubbard

Lectors: Denise Foye

Hospitality: Greg Ostrenga, Dan Emmendorfer, Jennifer

Funni, 1 more needed

Sunday, April 28th 6:00pm Altar Servers: Rianna & Rodney Modell

Lector: Russ & Ray Modell

Hospitality: Heather Modell, Russell Modell Jr, Mary Grace



This weekend all parishes and missions in the Diocese of Marquette are holding a Good Shepherd Sunday special collection to support our priests' retirement fund, called the St. Joseph Association. This collection directly benefits priests of the Diocese of Marquette and is separate from the annual collections for the Retirement Fund for Religious, which supports retired clergy and sisters of religious orders across America. Please prayerfully reflect on how you can best help support our

own priests' retirement and return your envelope in today's collection or donate to the St. Joseph Association online by visiting: osvhub.com/dioceseofmarquette/giving/funds/st-joseph-association

# Notes from VENERABLE FREDERIC BARAGA First Bishop of Marquette



Baraga lived by his motto, "One thing is necessary". This provides the key into his lifestyle of virtue and holiness, do everything for the love of God.



The Silver Rose will be at St Peter Cathedral April 20 & 21, A Rosary will be recited after the 4:00pm Mass Saturday April 20th.

Sharing the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe and promote respect for life by participating in this meaningful pilgrimage. The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady. Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico.

Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the



pilgrimage is a rosary centered occasion for the Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

#### **Cathedral Events**

#### Monday, April 22

1:00pm Rosary for Life, Cathedral

#### Tuesday, April 23

11:00am Staff Meeting Bishops Rm7:00pm Parish Council, Bishops Rm7:00pm Hearts of Mercy, Media Rm

7:00pm St. Vincent DePaul, Frassati Rm

#### Wednesday, April 24

10:00am Parvuli Dei, Media Rm
12:00noon Finance Meeting, Bishops Rm
6:30pm Youth Group, Frassati Rm
7:00pm Adult Enrichment, Media Rm
"Living the Discerning Life"

#### Thursday, April 25

2:30pm Youth Choir Practice

6:00pm Choir Bible Study, Bishops Rm

7:00pm Choir Practice, Choir Loft

7:00pm OCIA, Media Rm

#### Friday, April 26

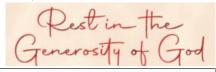
8:00am School Mass

#### Saturday, April 27

9:00am First Communion Practice, Cathedral Class in the Media Rm

#### Sunday, April 28

9:00am Faith Formation, Last Class



### **STEWARDSHIP**

#### **April 14, 2024**

Sunday Envelopes & Online Giving	
Loose	\$1,184
Holy Days	\$25
Special Collection	\$1,095
Total Income	\$13,848

Collections received are for the operations and programs of the parish. Thank you for your support.

Collections for April 14, 2024 Weekly parish budget	\$12,692
Percent over/under budget for the week	Even
Total <b>RECEIPTS</b> to date	
EXPENSES YEAR TO DATE	\$589,864

RECEIPTS Over/Under

EXPENSES .....Even

## St. Mary Mission

Big Bay, Michigan

#### Mass Schedule

Sunday - 10:30 a.m. Saturday 5:00 pm July 3 – Sept 4 Sacrament of Reconciliation Before Mass or by appointment

#### Clergy

MISSION STATEMENT: As a Eucharistic community, we are on a mission to serve our God by serving each other and the world around us while we proclaim and live the Gospel.

If you would like to join the parish family of St. Mary Church, please call Sheila at 345-9845 to register, or Msgr. Steber at 226-6548.

Please call if you have a change of address, new phone number, or are leaving the area. Thank you!



Tabernacle Light requests can be sent to Sheila Leahy at 345-9845

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society Fourth Sunday of Easter

Today, we celebrate "Good Shepherd Sunday" where we reflect on Jesus' care and love of us.

This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brought the love and care of Jesus to the poor by assisting 334 individuals, 35 Seniors, 109 Children & 5 Veterans by providing food, funds for utility bills, rent and other needs in our area.

Please call John or Jan Keto at (906)-226-7366 For information on joining.





The Meijer Simply Give Program is a program allowing donors to purchase "Food Only"



gift cards to support our local St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. The program runs from March 31 through June 29

#### How to Contribute:

Look for the Simply give card at the checkout or customer service desk at Meijer and purchase as many \$10 cards as you wish. The cards will be provided by Meijer to SVDP and the volunteers will use the card to purchase food for the pantry. Additionally, on June 15, Meijer will double match each \$10 donation up to \$5,000. This means \$5,000 in donations results in \$15,000 in "food only" gift cards for the pantry







Word Of Life ~ April 21, 2024



"Suicidal individuals—
with or without a terminal
illness—typically do not want to die;
they want to escape what they perceive
to be an intolerable situation, and they
inaccurately believe that suicide is
their only way out. The patient
requesting assisted suicide is often
asking, 'Does anyone want me to be
alive, or care enough to talk me out of
this request and support me through
this difficult time?"

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Every Suicide is Tragic" usccb.org/ every-suicide-tragic **PRIESTS** 

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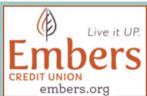
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