

**Saturday, September 12:**

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, September 13:

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass

Monday, September 14: Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Nm 21:4b-9, Phil 2:6-11, Jn 3:13-17

No Mass today

Tuesday, September 15: Our Lady of Sorrows

1 Tm 3:1-13, Jn 19:25-27

No Mass today

Wednesday, September 16: Cornelius, pope & martyr, & Cyprian, bishop & martyr

1 Tm 3: 14-16, Lk 7:31-35

8:30 a.m. Mass

Thursday, September 17: Weekday, Robert Bellamine, bishop & doctor

1 Tm 4:12-16, Lk 7:36-50

8:30 a.m. Mass

Friday, September 18: Weekday

1 Tm 6:2c-12, Lk 8:1-3

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wis 2:12, 17-20, Jas 3:16-4, 3 Mk 9:30-37

Saturday, September 19:

5:00 p.m. Service in Absence of Priest

Sunday, September 20:

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass

FOOD FOR THE NEEDY

Once again the baskets will be at the entrances of the church next weekend to receive your donations of non-perishable food for the needy. Your contributions are a great help to those in our area who are going through difficult economic times.

PARISH BREAKFAST

Everyone's invited to enjoy a delicious breakfast at the Parish Center this Sunday, Sept. 13 after each of the Masses. It is hosted by the K/C's. Don't miss it!

CHICKEN BARBEQUE

St. Elizabeth Area Catholic School Home and School Association invite you to a chicken barbeque which will be held here at **Sacred Heart Parish Center**. (Take-out sales only) on Sunday, Sept. 20. Tickets on sale after Mass at Sacred Heart Church Sept. 12, 13 & 19. or call the Parish Center @ 673-2276. Menu includes barbeque chicken, baked potato, cole slaw and a roll. Cost: Advance tickets \$7.50, at the door: \$8.50. Proceeds for St. Elizabeth students and staff.

CHURCH ORNAMENT/SUNCATCHER SALE

PLEASE NOTE-Christian Services now have Sacred Heart mementos for sale! These mementos/ornaments are available in gold/silver tone. We are selling them for \$10.00 each. Beginning this weekend they will be for sale at the entrance of church, @ the K/C Breakfast, and our parish office (Lisa Bednarski). It's a great memento or gift for a baptism, marriage, anniversary, or for those who have moved away from the parish. Thank you for your support.

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 & 20
LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Mary Ann Vandemark

9:00 a.m. Catechist

11:00 a.m. Wally Kent

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:

5:00 p.m. Mary Knoll*

Absence of Priest

9:00 a.m. Catechists*

11:00 a.m. Chris Creguer*,

Dakotah Sherman, Rita Papp

Carol Starling, Lee Starling

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Absence of Priest

9:00 a.m. Daniella Babcock, Fischer Smith

11:00 a.m. Crystal Messing, Matt Snyder

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. Brad Hartel Family, Art Rollend Family, Pat Strozeski, Jill, Stephanie Brink

9:00 a.m. Cal & Joanne Richardson, Ken, Sally McIntosh, Sandy Budreau, Joan Smith

11:00 a.m. Lanny, LaDonna LaFave, Bernard Lenda, LaBerge Family, Irene Aymer

USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER:

5:00 p.m. Doug Lagos*, Dave Lagos

Mark McKervey, Dave Luebbert

9:00 a.m. Dale Romain*, Michael Bednarski,

Pat Stapleton, Jim Will

11:00 a.m. Bill Blaylock*, Paul Ellsworth

Jack Generous, Doug Prosser

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COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

The Saginaw Diocesan Council of Catholic Women WILL HOLD THEIR FALL annual Meeting on Thursday, September 17, at the Diocesan Center for Ministry in Saginaw. All women of the diocese are invited to attend. The morning speaker will be Fr. Thai Hung Nguyen who is the chaplain at St. Mary's Hospital, and a new priest of the Diocese. He will speak about his faith journey to the priesthood. Tom Conklin of Catholic Family Service, who will speak about our relationships with our grown children, will present the afternoon program. The day begins with registration from 9:45-to 10:00 am, and will end at approximately 3 pm. Mass will be celebrated. Cost for the day is \$12, which includes lunch. Attendees are asked to bring a toiletry item for Emmaus House. RSVP by Sept. 13 to Betty Ross (989-792-6090).

K/C SENIORS

The K/C Seniors will meet Monday, September 21, at noon at the K/C Hall. Baked ham will supplement our usual potluck lunch. We will be having a special speaker, so we do hope for an excellent turnout. As always, all K/C members, wives and widows, and members of Sacred Heart over 55 are welcome and encouraged to attend.

(Sharon Vandenbossche, Secretary)

K/C LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING

The K/C Ladies Auxiliary will begin the new season with Mass celebrated @ 7:00 pm this Thursday, September 17 @ 7:00 pm. Following the Mass a meeting will be held at the Parish Center. All wives of the Knights of Columbus are welcome.

(Carol Papp, President)

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Need.....	\$5800.00
Last Weekend.....	\$5351.07
478 Envelope Holders...187 Envelopes used last weekend.	



WRAPPING UP CSA

As we come into the month of September we need to “wrap up” CSA. At this time we are still \$4414.00 short of our parish assessment. If you have not contributed to CSA this year...please do so as soon as possible. We need the financial support of all parishioners. If you need a reminder...we can send you a letter. We know that due to the coming of summer, vacations, etc., it was easy to put-off or even forget about CSA. So...check your records to see if you made a donation or pledge to CSA.

At this time we are slowly working on reducing the **OUTSTANDING BALANCE** for CSA two years ago. It started at \$10,000,00...and now is about \$5,000.00. Once we get this balance paid off...there will be an **OUTSTANDING BALANCE** from last year!!! Please know that any **OUTSTANDING BALANCES** from CSA is paid from our **PARISH SAVINGS**. Since we did **NOT** meet our assessment for the past two years...there are monies owed to the diocese. Thank you for your support of CSA.

RCIA/ADULT FORMATION – We are in the midst of planning another year of **RCIA/ADULT FORMATION**. If you or someone you know would like to become **CATHOLIC** or if you need to “brush-up” on your Catholic faith...please consider joining our **RCIA/ADULT FORMATION** classes. We meet on **WEDNESDAY NIGHTS @ 7:00 pm** in the Parish Center. From the month of October through February we meet every **SECOND** and **FOURTH WEDNESDAYS**. From Ash Wednesday to Easter we meet **EVERY WEDNESDAY** night. Spread the word...this is a great opportunity to learn about or deepen your Catholic faith. In Christ’s Peace, Fr. Dennis

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SUNDAY GOSPEL STUDY GROUP

Please join us for an informal study group beginning Sept. 14th, as we discuss the upcoming Sunday Gospel. We meet each Monday (following the Faith Formation schedule) from 6:15 till 7:30 pm at the Parish Center. There is no pressure to be at group each week---although I would love that! It is simply a no-stress, come when you can type of thing! So, please take this opportunity to “break open the Word” with your fellow parishioners—the Sunday Gospel will be even more meaningful when you’ve done this “prep!” Hope to see you soon! (Lynne Petiprin)

WORDS OF SCRIPTURE

*Trust in the Lord with all your heart; and lean not unto your own understanding.
In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.*

†**FAITH FORMATION NEWS**†

Sept. 14- After school and evening classes begin
Sept. 16- After school social in Rectory basement 3:30-5:00 for 4-8 grade
Sept. 22- Right to Life Dinner @ K/C Hall
Sept. 23- Sacramental Session # 1 6:00 pm
Sept. 27- Sunday classes begin
Oct. 11- High School Youth Group Mass @ St. Mary’s Cathedral
 Monday Faith Formation classes begin this Monday, September 14th. Students riding the bus from Schall School will ride the **Chicken Bus** this year. Sunday classes will begin on September 27th. High School youth will receive a schedule soon of activities and meeting dates.
Volunteer Needed: An adult volunteer is needed in the Parish Center on Monday’s from 3:15-4:45 to answer the phone while Faith Formation classes are in session. If you are able to assist in this way it would be greatly appreciated. Call Lisa @ 673-2276.

WANTED: NEW HANDBELL MEMBERS

The Sacred Heart handbell choir is open to 7-12 grade members of the parish AND ANY INTERESTED ADULTS who have some experience in reading music. The Handbell Choir rehearses on **Thursday evenings, 7:00-8:00**, starting on **September 17**, and participates at one of our weekend Masses once a month. Consider giving one hour of your week to help continue one of our fine Sacred Heart traditions. Info: **Mary Gettel 673-8281**.



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SACRED HEART CHILDREN’S CHOIR

The Sacred Heart Children’s Choir rehearsals will be held on **Thursdays, 3:30 to 4:30 pm** in the Church, **STARTING September 24**. The choir is open to **all third through eighth grade students**. Choir registration forms will be in church and at the Religious Education Office in the parish center. Contact Mary Gettel (673-8281) for more information. This is an opportunity for our young people to share their talents with GOD and the people of Sacred Heart.

RIGHT TO LIFE DINNER

Please note that all High School youth are invited (and encouraged to attend) the Right to Life dinner which will be held at the K/C Hall on Sept. 22. For more info call Lisa or Ann at the Parish Center 673-2276.

BAPTISM

Through the waters of Baptism we are happy to welcome into our Catholic faith community Kaden Nicholas Wisenbach and Ava Grace Wisenbach, who were baptized at Sacred Heart this past weekend. May they always know the joy that following Jesus brings.

BAKED CHICKEN/BUFFET DINNER

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini Church in Vassar, invites you to their baked chicken/buffet dinner next Sunday, September 20 from 11:30 am to 2:30 pm. Adults, \$8.00, children 6 to 12 years, \$5, five years and under, free. Takeouts \$8.00. Come and enjoy a great dinner.