

Catholic Communities of the ASHLAND CLUSTER

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MASS TIMES

Our Lady of the Lake:

Tues, Wed, Fri - 7:00 AM

Thurs - 7:00 AM Communion Service

Sat. - 6:00 PM and Sun 9:00 AM

Sunday Mass 9:00 AM - Radio 94.3 FM & Facebook

St. Mary Parish - Odanah

Saturdays 4:00 PM

St. Florian Parish - Ino

11:00 AM every second Sunday

St. Peter Parish - Dauby

Thursday 8:30 AM - Mass

11:00 AM every first, third & fifth Sunday

Ss. Peter & Paul Parish - Moquah

Monday 8:30 AM - Mass

11:00 AM every fourth Sunday

CONFESSIONS

Tuesdays & Fridays - Our Lady of the Lake

7:30 - 8:00 AM

Saturdays - Our Lady of the Lake

5:30 - 5:50 PM

Also available by appointment, please call

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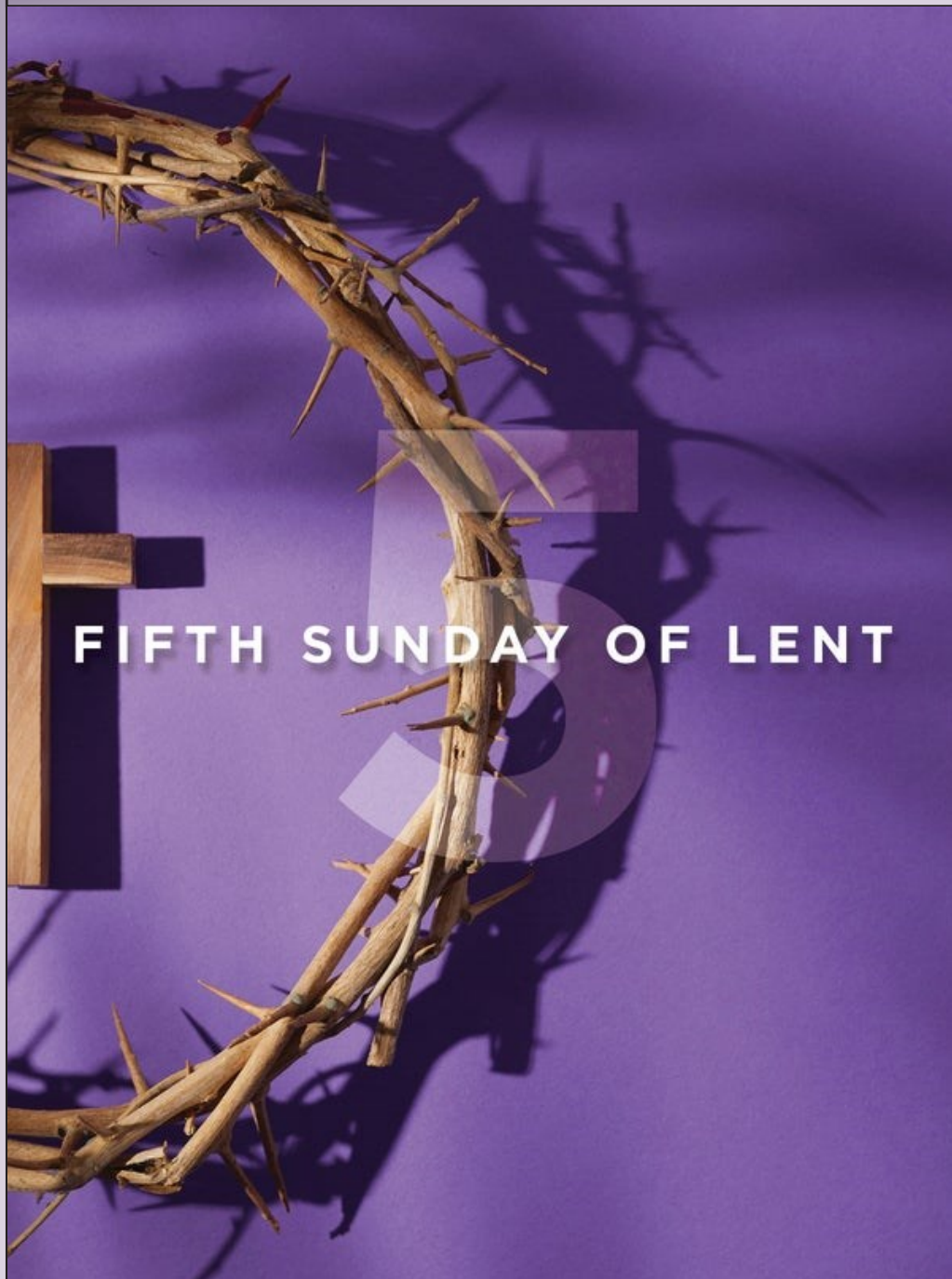
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March 17, 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community Mission Statement

We, the people of Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community, believe we are called by God to live our faith and to bring others to Christ by our words and actions.



Father Jerome's Message: Special Feature - Evangelization Corner

Bishop Powers shared his mission and vision of the diocese in his pastoral letter addressed to all faithful - priests, deacons, religious sisters, lay men and women. This pastoral letter has been the motivational force to move the diocese and each parish from Maintenance to Mission. *Diocesan Planning – Recalibrating Maintenance to Mission* was discussed at the deanery levels, represented by parish leadership teams on Dec 10, 2023 and March 3, 2024. These meetings have involved leadership teams composed of parish clergy, staff and cluster parish leadership members. I would like the message of Maintenance to Mission to reach everyone by sharing questions related to each section of the pastoral letter. I invite you to share your reflections on the questions by sending an email to: olccatholicchurch@ourladycc.org.

“AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, SO I SEND YOU”

Pastoral Letter on Evangelization:

Bishop James Powers, Diocese of Superior – Pentecost 2023

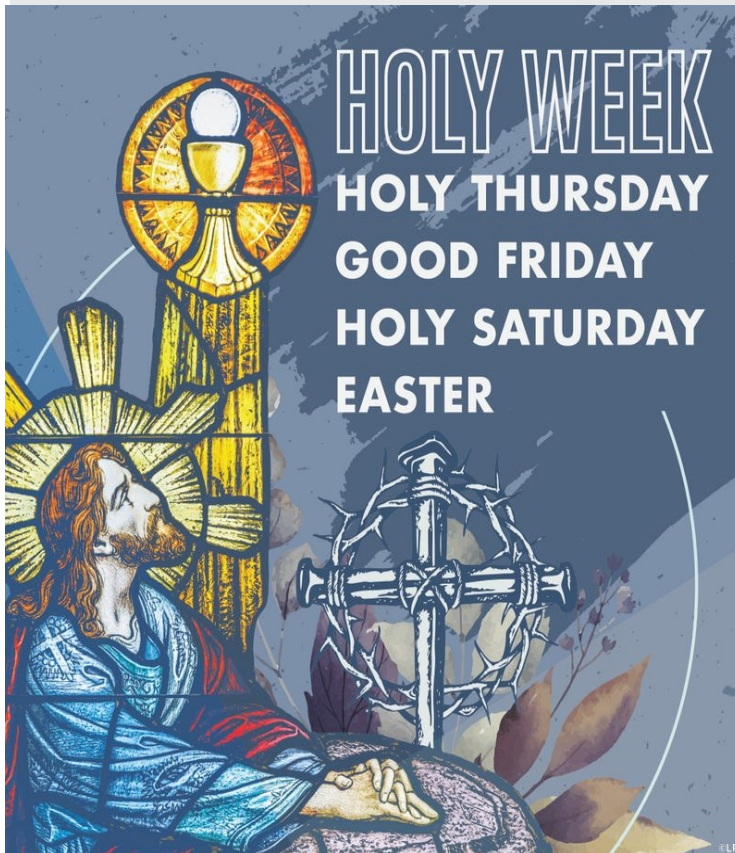
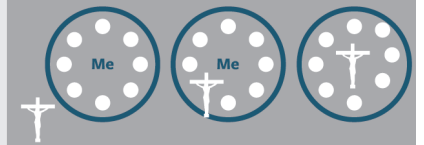
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Section 5 - Evangelization and Holiness: A Fully Integrated Christian Life

“My invitation to us all is to re-encounter the Gospel as good news of salvation and ask for the grace to humbly acknowledge any ways that we have settled for a ‘tamed’ or ‘broken-in’ version that is merely useful for us.”

Questions for Reflection:

1. Have you ever seriously considered the fact that God calls you personally and individually to become a saint? How does that make you feel?
2. In the diagram, which of the three circles are you currently living in? If you find yourself in the first or second circle, what is holding you back from putting Christ at the center of your life?
3. Are there any ‘third circle Catholics’ in your life? How would your parish look different if there were 20, 50 or more third circle Catholics?



Holy Week Schedule



Palm Sunday

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| Saturday, March 23 | 4:00 pm St. Mary's, Odanah |
| | 6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
| Sunday, March 24 | 9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
| | 11:00 am Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah |

Holy Thursday

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| Thursday, March 28 | 6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
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Good Friday

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| Friday, March 29 | Noon Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
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Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)

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| Saturday, March 30 | 8:30 pm Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
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Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

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| Sunday, March 31 | 7:00 am St. Mary's, Odanah |
| | 9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland |
| | 11:00 am St. Peter, Dauby |

Making a Difference Together...

- **Father Jerome Out of Office:** Father Jerome will be out of town beginning Sunday evening, March 17th, for a Priest's Assembly in Superior and to attend the Chrism Mass at Cathedral of Christ the King on Tuesday, March 19th. While Father Jerome is gone, **Communion Services will replace the weekday Masses for 8:30 am Monday, at Ss. Peter and Paul, Moquah, and on Tuesday morning, 7:00 am, at Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland.**
- **St. Paschal Baylon Adoration Chapel** will be open during Holy Week for regular hours of adoration on Wednesday, March 27th beginning at 8:00 am continuing through Thursday, March 28th. Take advantage of this opportunity during Holy Week, or anytime, to spend an hour with Jesus. In the words of Pope Benedict XVI, "In a world where there is so much noise...there is a need for silent adoration of Jesus."
- **Weekday Mass on Thursday, March 28th:** The celebration of the Mass of the Lord's Supper will take place on March 28th, with Mass at 6:00 pm at Our Lady of the Lake. Since this liturgy is the beginning of the Paschal Triduum, there will not be weekday Mass on Thursday morning, at St. Peter's, Dauby. The Triduum begins the evening of Holy Thursday and continues through the evening of Easter Sunday. It is the sacred period of three days that traces the final days of Jesus' life, his death, and his resurrection from the dead.
- **Spring Break:** Students and staff from Our Lady of the Lake School will begin Spring Break on March 23rd. The break will continue through Holy Week and Easter. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 2nd. During the Spring Break the school office will be closed. In observance of the Easter holiday, Pastoral Center Offices will be closed Good Friday, March 29th and Easter Monday, April 1st.
- **Contribution Envelopes for Our Lady of the Lake:** Parishioners receiving quarterly packets of contribution envelopes for OLL will find a new envelope beginning in April. The third Sunday of each month will be designated with an envelope for the St. Joseph's Capital Campaign. We sincerely appreciate your continued support of the Capital Campaign for the Restoration Project. This special project will address infrastructure/facade problems for the church and school. Please note the St. Joseph Capital Campaign envelope is different from the Renovation/Building Improvement envelope (second Sunday of each month) which supports ongoing monthly maintenance of our facilities. If you are not receiving envelopes and wish to contribute to the Capital Campaign, envelopes are available in the north entry. We are very proud of the campus at Our Lady of the Lake. It is our goal to preserve and maintain our facilities for future generations of Catholics in the Chequamegon Bay area.
- **St. Mary's Bingo/Raffle Winners:** Parishioners of St. Mary's thank everyone involved in their recent Bingo/Raffle fundraiser. Proceeds from the event netted over \$5,000. *Support of the event is gratefully appreciated!* Raffle winners are - **\$1,000 Chris Arbuckle; \$500 Mary Henry; \$300 Cindy Blodgett; and \$200 Chris Arbuckle.**

MARCH

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
17 St. Patrick's Day  9:00 am Mass Our Lady of the Lake Ashland Family of Faith & Adult Formation <i>When You Pray</i> ----- 11:00 am Mass St. Peter, Dauby 	18 8:30 am COMMUNION SERVICE Ss Peter & Paul, Moquah ----- 6:00 - 8:00 pm Scouts Meeting Social Hall	19 7:00 am COMMUNION SERVICE Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland ----- Noon CHRISM Mass Superior Cathedral  5:30 Doors Open 6:30 pm Games Begin	20 No School Mass Today ----- 5:00 - 6:30 pm FAITH FORMATION Moquah ----- 5:15 - 8:30 pm OLL FAITH FORMATION CGS, Middle/High School & Confirmation	21 7:00 am OLL Finance Zoom Mtg -----  9:00 am OLL Quilters ----- 5:30 pm Stations of the Cross, Moquah ----- 6:00 - 8:00 pm Women's Fellowship See page 5	22 Stations of the Cross  4:00 pm St Mary's, Odanah 5:00 pm St Florian, Ino and 6:00 pm OLL, Ashland	23 4:00 pm Mass St. Mary's - Odanah ----- 6:00 pm Mass Our Lady of the Lake
24  PALM Sunday 9:00 am Mass Our Lady of the Lake Ashland ----- 11:00 am Mass Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah	25 	26 5:30 pm OLL Parish Council Meeting ----- NO BINGO TONIGHT!	27 5:00 - 6:30 pm FAITH FORMATION Moquah Last Session for Winter Semester	28 Holy Thursday  6:00 pm Mass Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland	29  GOOD FRIDAY Noon Service Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland	30  Holy Saturday 8:30 pm Mass Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

Reintroducing the Communion Cup

It has been a long wait to reintroduce the communion cup – offering the Precious Blood of Christ to the faithful.

Beginning Holy Thursday, our parish cluster will offer the Precious Blood of Christ at all weekend Masses. As we return to the Communion Cup, there are a few points to remember:

1. Not every parish in the diocese is ready for the return of the Communion Cup at Mass; this decision is based on many factors and health concerns that require pastoral sensitivity.
2. If there is a public health advisory, the Communion Cup may be discontinued, as was the case before COVID-19 during those times when the cold and flu season dramatically increased.
3. The Lord Jesus is equally present in both the Communion Bread and Communion Wine; therefore, it is not required that people receive both.
4. The decision to receive from the Communion Cup is entirely up to the individual.
5. The appropriate and reverent way to receive from the Communion Cup is by taking a small sip; under no circumstances is a person allowed to "dip" their host in the Communion Wine.
6. Those who are sick or have cold and flu symptoms are kindly requested not to receive from the Communion Cup until they are feeling better.
7. Extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion who are not comfortable distributing the Precious Blood will need to let the Parish Office know for scheduling purposes.
8. After almost four years, it will take some time for all of us to readjust, but with your cooperation this transition will go smoothly and reverently.

Deacon Tim will offer a short, "refresher", training course in distributing the Precious Blood, for current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) from all cluster parishes. The 30 minute refresher course will be offered two different times to accommodate all EMHC.

Sunday, March 17th, after the 9:00 am Mass at OLL, and again Wednesday, March 20th at 5:30 pm at OLL.

Lenten Almsgiving Matching Challenge

During the 40 days of Lent we are called to fast, pray and give alms. We challenge you to sacrifice one dollar or more for each day of Lent. The alms collected will benefit Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School. Can you sacrifice one "fast food" meal each week of Lent to contribute the dollars saved as alms? Can you surrender your daily or weekly specialty coffee to contribute to the Catholic education of a student? Through **The Reinerio Trust**, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) of matching funds are available to double your offering. Almsgiving envelopes are available in the north and south entrances at Our Lady of the Lake.



STATIONS of the CROSS

Mark your calendar to include Stations of the Cross during your Lenten journey. Don't miss the opportunity for this weekly spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ.

4:00 pm Friday Stations of the Cross

March 22 St. Mary's, Odanah

5:00 pm Fridays of Lent Stations of the Cross

March 22 St. Florian, Ino

5:30 pm Thursdays of Lent Stations of the Cross

Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah
Moquah Rosary Group
Beginning Thursday, February 15

6:00 pm Fridays of Lent Stations of the Cross

Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland
Fridays through March 22



TOTUS TUUS IS COMING TO Our Lady of the Lake

TOTUS TUUS is the Catholic youth program, led by young adult missionaries from the diocese, for any child or teen who is currently in K-11th grade (during the '23-'24 school year). The program will be held at Our Lady of the Lake the week of **July 21st**. Watch for registration forms coming soon.

Are you an "empty nester" or a widow(er), or just an adult with no minors at home with an extra bedroom or two? We are compiling a list of people willing to host the Totus Tuus missionaries in their home this year and in the future. If you are interested, please contact Erin McCutchen: 715.685.1720 or emccutchen@ourladycc.org.



Mass Attendance March 9 - 10

St. Mary's	65 people
OLL - Sat evening	146 people
OLL - Sunday	156 people
St. Florian	47 people

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Easter Luminarias

The lighting of Easter luminarias has been a long standing tradition at Our Lady of the Lake. If you would like to have a candle lit in honor or memory of a loved one, in gratitude for blessings received, or as a prayer request, please complete the form to the right and place it in an envelope marked "Easter Luminarias". The envelope can be mailed or hand delivered to the Pastoral Center Office or dropped in the Sunday collection. Please submit requests as soon as possible. Questions call Karen Eaton, 715-685-1734

-EASTER LUMINARIA-

Luminaria may be requested for a suggested donation of \$5 for each candle. The luminarias will be lit during the Easter Masses as well as during Masses for the Second Sunday of Easter. Forms are due by noon on Monday, March 18th. Please print.

In Honor of: _____

In Memory of: _____

Prayer Request for: _____

In Gratitude for: _____

Requested by: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____



Women's Fellowship Adoration, Reconciliation & Dessert Thursday, March 21

Our Lady of the Lake 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Join women of our cluster parishes for an evening of quiet reflection and prayer, in the presence of Jesus, on Thursday, March 21st, at Our Lady of the Lake. The evening will begin with Eucharistic Adoration from 6:00 to 7:00 pm.

The opportunity for individual confessions will also be available for participants. Resources for adoration and individual confession will be provided.

Following prayer time and reconciliation desserts will be served.

Join us for this special event of fellowship!



Our Lady of the Lake Students Practice Almsgiving

OLL students and staff will join the Catholic Order of Foresters #2506 in a community service almsgiving project to support Ashland's *New Day Advocacy Center* - a nonprofit organization that provides advocacy, shelter, and supportive services to survivors of Domestic Abuse, Sexual Assault, Child Abuse, Elder Abuse, and more.

Students are asked to donate new socks for children or adults.

In addition, students will make fleece tie blankets in a cooperative activity with older students guiding younger students in making the blankets.

If you would like to participate in the project, please deliver new socks or new blankets, of any size, to the school or parish office by **Monday, March 18th**.

"And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased." Hebrews 13:16

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IT'S NOT TOO LATE.....

You know that prayer is important but still find it challenging. Perhaps it's hard to find time, or you're unsure what to do when you pray. Or maybe you feel discouraged by your weaknesses and your inability to overcome them. If you have any of these feelings, you are not alone. Many of the saints struggled in prayer. They were like us. But each time they fell, they got up again and learned to rely more on God's grace. What God did in the lives of countless saints, he wants to do in the lives of ordinary people like us. And that's what our Lenten adult formation series is about-God wants to take us on a journey of prayer.

Join us for *When You Pray: A Clear Path to a Deeper Relationship with God*, by Ascension Press, at Our Lady of the Lake. The next session of *When You Pray* will be Sunday, March 17th after 9:00 Mass, Ashland.



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A VOCATION CALL.....Seminarian Michael Hess recently visited students of Our Lady of the Lake School to share the story of his faith journey. He is a graduate of UW-Madison. While in college he helped establish a Catholic fraternity. The story of his time in the workforce and the decision to dedicate his life to God captivated students. Seminarian Hess is the grandson of OLL parishioners Bob and Mary Lou Ochsenbauer and nephew of Roberta Vickroy.

DAILY READINGS

Sunday, March 17 *Fifth Sunday of Lent*

Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33

Monday, March 18

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday, March 19 *St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27,29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Wednesday, March 20

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday, March 21

Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday, March 22

Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday, March 23

Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56

Sunday, March 24 *Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

Mk 11:1-10 /Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47



PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS March 9 - 10

Collections	OLL	Dauby	Moquah	Ino	Odanah
Sunday Collection	\$3,106	\$275	\$360	\$1,287	\$503
Electronic Giving	\$420				
Total for the Week	\$3,616	\$275	\$360	\$1,287	\$503
Renovations	\$701				
School	\$622				
St. Joseph Capital Campaign					
World Concern/ Home Missions	\$50	\$10			\$35
Holy Days	\$35				
Fuel					
Easter Flowers	\$85				
Grand Total	\$5,109	\$285	\$360	\$1,287	\$538



Saturday, March 16

4:00 pm St Mary, Odanah

Lorraine Jellish † (Birthday)

Valerie Greene †

6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake

Michael Pearson † (Birthday)

Gary L. Westlund †

Thursday, March 21

7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Communion Service

8:30 am St Peter, Dauby

Trent Joanis † (Anniversary)

Tony Johanik †

Friday, March 22

7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Robert "Bob" Meredith †

Bill Motel †

Saturday, March 23

4:00 pm St Mary, Odanah

Helen Hansen †

Raymond Maday †

6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake

Beau Nemec †

Jerry & Della Nemec †

Sunday, March 17

9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Julie Marincel † (Anniversary 3/15)

Margaret & Emery Sharron †

11:00 am St Peter, Dauby

George Moniza † (Anniversary 3/21)

Richard Tuttle † (Birthday)

Monday, March 18

8:30 am Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah

Communion Service

Tuesday, March 19

7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Communion Service

Wednesday, March 20

7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Walter & Doris Jellish †

Blaze † & Josie Tody (Birthday 3/17 & Health)

Sunday, March 24

9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake

Thomas "Tommy" Brown †

(Birthday)

Stan BeBeau † (Anniversary 3/25)

11:00 am Ss Peter & Paul, Moquah

Thomas Johanik †

Deceased Veterans †