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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 Fr. Jerome: 715-685-1727

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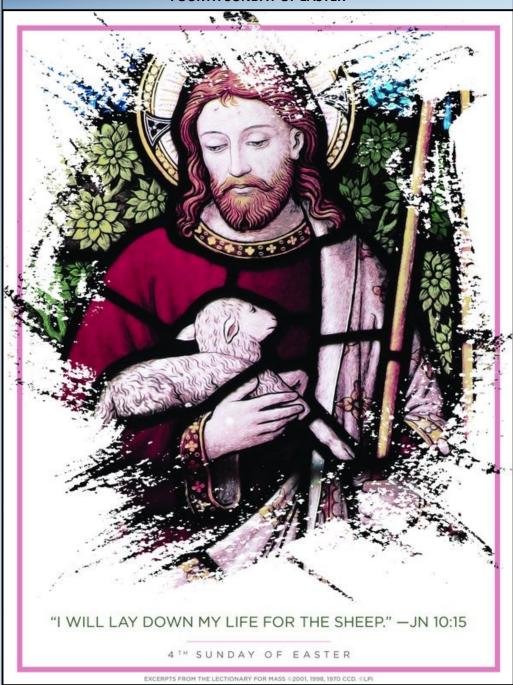
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Cemetery

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April 21, 2024 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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: "I am the Good Shepherd..." (John 10:11-18)

Jesus as the Good Shepherd is the perfect example of a loving God! It comes under the "shepherding" umbrella; it makes sense for everything that the shepherd does. The outstanding tasks of caring, loving, teaching, leading, accompanying, holding them together, standing for them, toiling day and night, watching, bearing all the responsibilities and consequences of the choices good or bad.

After the Resurrection, Jesus continues to strengthen the hearts and minds of the disciples. He energizes them in and out because there is not much time left. The disciples begin to realize that "he is with us." It was a difficult path to come to that realization. The shepherd lays down his life – it all makes sense in reference to Jesus. He did and was willing to do so. Even today, and every day, he offers himself by his presence in the Word, the Sacraments offered by the Church, and in the Eucharist. He has passionately fallen in love with you. Even if you go astray from him by sin, by neglect, he works for your return and patiently waits for you, patiently looking for you.

Jesus says, "I am 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" (John 10:14-15).

Thought of the Week: "Lay all your cares about the future trustingly in God's hands and let yourself be guided by the Lord just like a little child." (Saint Edith Stein)

Question of the Week: How can you imitate the Good Shepherd in caring not only for the members of your flock but also for others who "do not belong"?



THROUGH THE EYES OF A CHILD.....

"I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD, AND I KNOW MINE AND MINE KNOW ME..." JOHN 10:14

Pre-kindergarten children, from Our Lady of the Lake School, participating in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) recently celebrated the arrival of Easter with a Liturgy of the Light. In the presentation about the Liturgy of Light children observed the Paschal Candle and saw how the Paschal Candle is used during baptism. After the presentation children were allowed to work independently in an activity of their own choice.

The artist of the drawing at left, without any prompting, chose free drawing work and created this picture of the Good Shepherd with the symbols of the Paschal candle on his chest and above the shepherd. Notice how the child left an aura of white around the shepherd, as though he were glowing! What a beautiful image for our Easter season and for Good Shepherd Sunday!

CGS takes into account the special characteristics of young children aged three to six and the most essential concepts of our faith. It brings children and these faith concepts together in a prayerful, meditative setting, with the purpose of deepening the child's relationship with God. How exciting for facilitators of CGS to see faith grow.

Artwork by OLL 4K Student of CGS

Making a Difference Together...

- WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: Today the Church throughout the world prays for vocations. As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to religious life or to live as generous single people. Fully living our own vocations—and teaching young people how to discern God's call—is a serious duty, but also a joyful one. During this week, please encourage the young people in your life—children, grandchildren, students, and friends—to be open if God calls them to priesthood or religious life.
- First Holy Communion: Please keep in your prayers the children who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion in coming weeks. Students from Our Lady of the Lake parish will celebrate First Communion on Sunday, April 28th. Students from St. Mary's, Odanah will celebrate First Communion on Saturday, May 11th. We pray... Lord Jesus, to bless the children preparing to receive Holy Communion for the first time. May their First Communion be an initial step into a life-long love of the Eucharist. Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they turn to You for comfort, guidance, and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship.



- Complimentary Lunch: Parishioners of Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah, invite cluster family and friends to attend their monthly Mass on Sunday, April 28th at 11:00 am. Following Mass a complimentary luncheon will be served at the Moquah Town Hall. Everyone is most welcome to attend!
- May Crowning: May is traditionally dedicated to honoring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church. Our parishes will honor Blessed Mary as the Mother of Jesus, and our Heavenly Mother, by celebrating the Crowning of Mary. First Communion students will be invited to wear their special attire for the crowning of the Mary statue and present flowers to our Blessed Mother at each of our parishes. We look forward to honoring Mary through the month of May. In the words of Pope Francis, "She is that woman who rejoiced in the presence of God, who treasured everything in her heart, and who let herself be pierced by the sword. Mary is the saint among the saints, blessed above all others. She teaches us the way of holiness and she walks ever at our side. She does not let us remain fallen and at times she takes us into her arms without judging us."
- St. Agnes Cemetery Opens: St. Agnes Cemetery officially opened on Tuesday, April 16th. Visitors are welcome to drive through the cemetery to spend time at the gravesites of loved ones. The opening of the cemetery also includes the opening of the Shrine of St. Francis. Guests are welcome to spend time in quiet prayer and devotion at the shrine, located on the west end of the cemetery.

We Love Our Lady of the Lake School - Come Join Us!: A limited quantity of free yard signs to show support for OLL School are now available at the school office. Stop in at the school office or call 715-628-7622 to get your sign. We appreciate your support in promoting our school.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	<u>Fri</u>	Sat
9:00 am Mass Host Grades 1 & 2 Family of Faith & When You Pray Jewelry Fundraiser & OLL School Bake Sale 11:00 am Mass St Peter, Dauby RaiseRight Formerly shoppidesCorp 28 9:00 am Mass Our Lady of the Lake	6:00 - 8:00 pm Scouts Meeting Social Hall Women's Fellowship Game Night GAMENIGHT 6:00 - 8:00 pm Scouts Meeting Social Hall	5:30 Doors Open 6:30 Games Begin 5:30 Doors Open 6:30 Games Begin	9:00 am School Mass Hosted by Grades 5 - 6 5:15 - 8:30 pm OLL FAITH FORMATION No CGS, Middle/High School & Confirmation 1st Communion Rehearsal 9:00 am School Mass May Crowning 5:00 pm St Agnes Cemetery Clean Up	2 8:30 am Buildings & Grounds Mtg - HF 9:00am OLL Quilters OLL Quilters 10:00 am Mass Court Manor Health Services	26 9:30 - 1:00 Moquah Thrift Shop Open 3 First Friday 9:30 - 1:00 Moquah Thrift Shop Open	8:00 - noon OLL 1st Communion Retreat ————— 9:30 - 1:00 Moquah Thrift Shop Open ————————————————————————————————————





Ladies: Mark Your Calendars!

"Ladies Bunco Social"

April 28th, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Enjoy fun & fellowship – Easy to Learn! OLL Social Hall – Cost \$5.00

Hosted by the Catholic Order of Foresters # 2506

For more information or questions please contact Sue Harries 715-209-6531 or Patty Eaton 715-209-4794

Mass Attendance April 13 - 14



St. Mary's, Odanah 70 people
OLL - Sat Evening 132 people
OLL - Sunday 192 people
St. Florian, Ino 37 people

Women's Fellowship



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Monday, April 29th 6:00 - 8:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake Social Hall

Come join other women in our Catholic community to enjoy an evening of prayer, fellowship and fun!

Snacks and your favorite board or card game are welcome, but not necessary to attend. Previous attendance at a Women's Fellowship event is not required.

Questions, contact

womenfellowship@ourladycc.org



St. Agnes Cemetery Spring Clean-Up

Wednesday, May 1st 5:00 pm

Spring Fever is in the air!

Join students from Our Lady of the Lake's middle and high school religious formation program for an evening of fresh air and good "clean" fun as they tidy up

St. Agnes Cemetery.

All parishioners, cluster members, and guests, are invited to "spruce" up the cemetery after the winter months. Meet at the cemetery with gloves, rakes and shovels, to lend a hand in helping the students with the clean-up of limbs, branches and debris.

All volunteers are sincerely appreciated!



Moquah Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop operated by Ss. Peter & Paul parishioners is now open for the spring/summer season. Hours are 9:30 am to 1:00 pm every Friday and Saturday.

The Thrift Shop will accept donations of small furniture items, clothing and other household items. If you have donations, or questions, please call 715-746-2110 or 715-746-2577. Proceeds from the Thrift Shop support maintenance and care of Saints Peter and Paul Church.

Inspiration of the Week

Jesus the Good Shepherd knows that real love is an action, not an idea. His sacrifice is the proof of his love for his flock. Let us remember to love one another as the Good Shepherd loves us: not just in words but in actions, in choices, in deeds.

Prayer of the Good Shepherd

Dear Lord, You are my Shepherd, a Good Shepherd, who leads in ways beyond my understanding. Guide me in the paths You would have me go. Amen.

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HUGO'S PIZZA COUPON SALE TOP SELLERS ANNOUNCED

Congratulations to all Our Lady of the Lake students for selling an awesome amount of pizzas in the annual Hugo's Pizza Coupon fundraiser. The third grade class sold the most pizzas and

- individual top sellers were... 1. Ethan Grage
 - 2. Hunter Brzezenski
 - 3. Elenore Macky

THANK YOU, THANK YOU to all who participated in the sale and to the Ledin family and Hugo's Restaurant for your generosity. Over \$9,000 was donated to Our Lady of the Lake School! Enjoy your pizzas!

Curious about CGS?

Join us for our final Catechesis of the Good Shepherd session of the year:



The Pentecost Celebration! Wednesday, May 8th

5:15 PM in the church (OLL)



All OLL community members (young & old) welcome! Children must attend with their parent(s)/guardian(s).

You'll get a taste of how we proclaim Scripture, ponder Scripture & Liturgy, utilize physical materials, invite the children to prayer, and involve them in ritual as a way to prepare them for "full, conscious, & active participation" in the life of the Church.

For adults, participation in the experience will include time for silent reflection & prayer, song, and a candle lighting ceremony within the theme of Pentecost.

Come and invite the Holy Spirit to stir up the gifts within you! "Birthday" dessert included to celebrate the Church!



Just in time for First Holy Communion and Mother's Day!

Faith Formation students attending Extreme Faith Camp will have a fundraiser sale of religious jewelry in April. The sale will take place after Saturday and Sunday Masses, at Our Lady of the Lake, beginning April 13 - 14. See message below ...

Dear Parishioners,

It is our privilege to offer you an opportunity to purchase beautiful, imported hand-made Italian and Bethlehem rosaries, as well as a large variety of Catholic medals, crucifix necklaces, bracelets and other faith inspired jewelry.



Wearing Catholic jewelry, medals, crucifixes, is an outward sign of faith and hope.

There are beautiful, time-tested, and traditional articles, as well as contemporary pieces that are very popular across the country. You will find we truly have something for everyone!

We are presenting you with a wide variety of these religious items at reasonable prices. Even as you are blessed by the beauty of these sacramentals, our group will be blessed by your generosity. 50% of all proceeds go directly to our ministry needs!

Please stop at our display after Mass and see what we are offering. Whether you need a new rosary for yourself or as a gift, or want a crucifix to wear, saint medal, bracelet, necklace, or other expressive reminder of your faith, we have a variety to meet your needs.

Your purchase of these quality items supports our parish youth activities and programs. We need to raise a large amount of money and appreciate your help. Our fundraiser offers a way for you to show your support for our youth and share your faith!



Thank you for your support!

Extreme Faith Camp Participants



MAY - MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honoring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church. May is the time when spring is at the height of its beauty as nature renews itself with new life. In her way, Mary

gave new life to the world when she gave birth to our savior Jesus Christ.

We have the opportunity to honor Mary throughout the month of May by attending the special May Crowning activities at each of our cluster parishes and by joining our rural parishes in recitation of the Holy Rosary.

Friday, May 3 Ss. Peter & Paul **Respect Life Rosary**

Friday, May 10 St. Florian, Ino

Friday, May 17 St. Peter's, Dauby

Friday, May 24 Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah

Friday, May 31 St. Florian, Ino





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DAILY READINGS

Sunday, April 21 World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Monday, April 22

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, April 23

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, April 24

Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday, April 25

1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

Friday, April 26

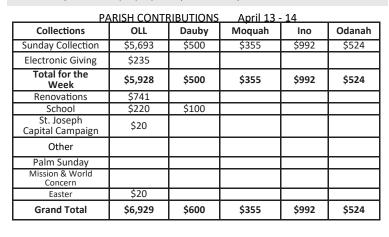
Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, April 27

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

Sunday, April 28

Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8





Saturday, April 20 4:00 pm St Mary, Odanah

Alexander "Scotty" & Fran Wylie † Charles Huber †

6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake Joseph Westerlund † (Anniversary)

Lorraine Jellish † (Anniversary)

Sunday, April 21 9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake Margaret & Emery Sharron †

Ben & Bernice Blaszkowski † (Wedding Anniversary 4/20) 11:00 am St Peter, Dauby Agnes Stipetich †

Monday, April 22 8:30 am Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah End to Abortion

Tuesday, April 23 7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake Stanislaw Flak † (Anniversary)

Wednesday, April 24 7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake James Bard & Family

Shelly Dizmang & Family (Welcome new OCIA Candidates Received into the Catholic Faith on Holy Saturday)

Thursday, April 25 7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake Communion Service 8:30 am St Peter, Dauby Tony Johanik †

Friday, April 26 7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake Ralph BeBeau † (Birthday)

Saturday, April 27 4:00 pm St Mary, Odanah

Douglas Kraft † Lee Edmiston † (1 Year Anniversary 4/20)

6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake Agnes Pristash † (100th Birthday) Ethel Kupczyk †

Sunday, April 28 9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake Beth Bichanich † (Birthday 4/27) Marco Bichanich †(Birthday) 11:00 am Ss Peter & Paul, Moquah Thomas "Tom" Johanik † Shelly Johanik †