

November 2, 2025 – All Souls’ Day

Lift a Prayer...Those who trust in him shall understand truth, and the faithful shall abide with him in love: because grace and mercy are with his holy ones, and his care is with his elect.
WISDOM 3:9

MONDAY	7:00 am	Gary, Bill & Ruth Lorenz by Randy & Carol Lorenz
TUESDAY	6:30 pm	Noleen LaVarnway by The Yvonne Hanson Family
WEDNESDAY	7:00 am	Dennis, Roger, & Ed Lorenz by Randy & Carol Lorenz
THURSDAY	7:00 am	Eugene Cudnohufsky by Mike & Teresa Swanson
FRIDAY	8:00 am	Barney Hagberg by Raymond Rouse
SATURDAY	4:15 pm	Wayne Carter by The Carter Family
SUNDAY	8:00 am	Living & Deceased Members of American Martyrs Parish
SUNDAY	10:15 am	Barney Hagberg by Clarice Aimone



LITURGICAL ROLES Nov 8 & 9, 2025

LECTORS

4:15 pm	Tom Beatty
8:00 am	Otto Jacob
10:15 am	Rick Heckman

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:15 pm	Carol Skowronski, Carol Hinds
8:00 am	Jim Ries, Carol Ries
10:15 am	Sue Varda, Jeanna Klingelhutz

USHERS

4:15 pm	Dennis Povolo, Matt Nash, Mike Meyer, David Hinds
8:00 am	Larry Benz, Eric Charette, Aaron Schneider, Usher Needed
10:15 am	Lee Iverson, Sue Iverson, Linda Maule, Usher Needed

SERVERS

4:15 pm	Lakyn Wallis, Alivia Nash
8:00 am	Tyler Phelps, Sophia Malone
10:15 am	Jacob Andes, Andy Jahnke, Cooper Kreski

SERVERS FOR TUESDAY 11/4/25

6:30 pm	Ben Borkowski, Aiden Coe
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SERVERS FOR THURSDAY 11/6/25

7:00 am	Avery Edwards, Estella Edwards
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Thank you to the advertiser of the week:

 **First National Bank
& Trust**
906-774-2200 www.fnbm.com

COLLECTION

October 25 & 26, 2025

Adults (145).....	\$3,666.00
Average (\$25.28)	
Visitors & Children	\$582.10
Fuel.....	\$50.00
Mexico	\$20.00
All Saints	\$10.00
Candles	\$33.00
Total.....	4,361.10

Thank You for your generosity!



**CORRECTION –
PLEASE NOTE!**

**ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT WILL BE HELD
DECEMBER 4th NOT DECEMBER 1st AND
ALSO A NEW START TIME OF 6:00 PM**

This is an evening for the women of American Martyrs Parish to prepare their minds and hearts for the Advent Season and to enjoy and rekindle friendships.

It is a beautiful candlelit evening with time for fellowship, drinks, dessert, music, and a brief program. **The event starts (doors open) at 6:00 pm and concludes at 8:00 pm. There is no cost to attend.** All that is required is to call the Parish Office at (906)774-0630 to make a reservation.

This event is limited to the first 80 women who make reservations. The deadline for reservations is November 13th.

All women of the parish are invited

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK NOVEMBER 2 THRU NOVEMBER 8, 2025

(Confessions heard before all daily Masses)

SUNDAY	6:30 pm – Senior Fireside Chat
MONDAY	6:30 pm – Choir Practice for Advent & Christmas Season
TUESDAY	6:05 pm – Recitation of the Rosary
WEDNESDAY	5:15 pm – Faith Formation - grades 1-5 6:30 pm – Faith Formation - grades 6-11
FRIDAY	10:00 am – First Friday Mass at Evergreen Senior Living
SATURDAY	3:30 – 4:00 pm – Confessions

Dear Parishioners:

Thank you for welcoming Bishop John at American Martyrs when he celebrated Masses and installed me as your pastor last weekend. Parishioners came together to welcome Bishop John after Masses in the parish hall. Bishop John, Msgr. Joe, and I agree that our parish is blessed with genuine and kind-hearted people.

Randy Lorenz and I will meet with our high school seniors for the Fireside Chat on Sunday evening at 6:30 pm. Our topic is “Why are we catholic?” Our aim is to equip our students to respond to questions about our Catholic tradition. Randy and I observe that our seniors are bright, faith filled, and part of loving and healthy families.

National Vocation Awareness Week, celebrated Nov. 2-8, 2025, is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the U.S. dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these vocations. Local Serra Club members encourage us to pray for and encourage vocations by asking, “Have you prayerfully considered becoming a priest/deacon/religious sister?”

Parishioners and friends have participated in the recent Solemnity of all Saints and Commemoration of All Souls. Please locate the Saint O’ Lanterns, assembled by our Faith Formation students. We are called to study, imitate, and become saints. Students at Bishop Baraga Catholic School enjoyed an All-Saints Day Fest following the Friday school Mass. Please access our Catholic School website for fest photos and school news.

The Gospel reading is the account of the raising of the son of the widow of Nain. Jesus served the vulnerable in society, raised the son from the dead, and was viewed as a great prophet. More than a prophet, people realized that God has visited his people. Jesus remains with us today through the Holy Spirit among us.

Sincerely in Christ, - Fr. Greg



During the month of November, we remember in prayer the loved ones who have passed away. Let us remember in a special way those who are called home by the Lord and buried from American Martyrs Parish between November 1, 2024 through October 31, 2025.

Please remember the following:

Roger LeDuc	Phyllis Forte’
Marcia Peterson	Eugene Cudnohufsky
Carol Valeski	Richard Sinelli
Jennifer Waisanen	James Rock
Virginia Beitel	Joshua Goetteman
Thomas Hagberg	Nora Weinfurter
Noleen LaVarnway	Marlene Ciochetto
Todd McCole	

UPPER PENINSULA CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Thank you to everyone for your participation and generosity in the UPCA/BLITZ

Our UPCA goal was \$60,807.66

\$75,905.00 has been pledged

\$15,097.24 over our goal!!

Anything over our goal stays in our parish!
Please return any outstanding pledge cards.

**We are looking for a part time maintenance person
– please see Father Greg for more information.**



FIRST FRIDAY MASS

Evergreen Senior Living
Friday, November 7th at 10:00 am.
for all souls by Parishioners.
All are welcome!

**YOUTH ENCOUNTER OPEN TO ALL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

WHEN: November 7-9, 2025

WHERE: Immaculate Conception Parish &
Holiday Inn Express, Iron Mountain, MI

Register: yoopecatholic.org/youthencounter