

Welcome to Holy Name of Jesus Parish

1104 South 9th Ave, Wausau, Wisconsin



February 28, 2016 3rd Sunday of Lent



40 HOURS DEVOTION WITH CONFESSIONS

Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church

Wausau, WI

Thursday March 3rd - Saturday March 5th

*Pope Francis's call to celebrate God's mercy in Jesus Christ.
Take time to worship before His Holy Presence.*

Thursday March 3rd:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 8 am Mass until 9:00 pm.

Confessions from 9am until 5pm

Communal Penance Service (with individual confessions):

6:30pm (several priests will be available for confessions)

Friday & Saturday March 4th & 5th

Adoration after 8am Mass Friday until Saturday afternoon 3:30 pm

Confessions all day Friday 9am until 9pm, & all day Saturday 7am - 3:30pm

Communal Penance Service (with individual confessions):

3:30pm Friday March 4th (several priests will be available for confessions)

Way of the Cross with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy:

3pm on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Liturgy of the Hours:

Laudes (morning prayer) 9 am (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

Sext (midday prayer) 12 noon (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

Vespers (evening prayer) 5:30 pm (Thursday and Friday)

Communal Rosary:

7:30 am Thursday, Friday, & Saturday; 7 pm Thurs & Friday

Note: All entrances to church open from 7am to 9pm during adoration.

Use west side parking lot entrance between 9pm and 7am.



Year of Mercy
2015-2016

We Welcome New Parishioners!
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Fri. 12:00 noon, 1 week prior
 bulletin@holynamewausau.com

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00pm
Sunday - 8:00am and 10:30am
Monday 8:00am Communion Service
Tuesday - Friday 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday 3:00pm-3:45pm

Parish Center and Chapel Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00a.m. - 4:30p.m.
Fridays 8:00a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Fr. Bob for preparation classes. These are required for parents and recommended for godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Fr. Bob 6 months in advance.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact Fr. Bob for Information

Anointing of the Sick:

If you would like the Anointing of the Sick before entering the hospital for a scheduled surgery, or if you're at home or nursing facility, please contact Judy. If you would like Fr. Bob or Fr. Dan to visit you during your hospital stay, make sure to leave our church name upon registration.

MASS INTENTIONS

February 29th - March 6th

- 29 Monday 8:0 0am Communion Service
- 1 Tuesday 8:00 am † Rudy and Margie Rader
- 2 Wednesday 8:00 am **No Mass** (Communion Service)
NCES Mass at St. Anne 8:15
- 3 Thursday 8:00 am † Ed Brodjeski
- 4 Friday 8:00 am † Aggie Steiber
- Fourth Sunday of Lent**
- 5 Saturday 4:00 pm † Susan Dornbrack
† Orville and Ruth Heinz
- 6 Sunday 8:00 am † Stella Sikorski
St. Catherine's Council
10:30 am † Chester Olds
Living & deceased members of Holy Name of Jesus Parish

The Church Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to: Earl and Marie Krieg
 Dedicated from: Pat Hiatt

The Chapel Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to: Edward Wadzinski
 Dedicated from: Betty Baumann



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

March 5th and 6th
Fourth Sunday of Lent

4:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
EM Dee DeLaporte Linda Franke Beth Gorski JoAnn Heinz Diane Holzschuh Helen Pagenkopf XXXXXXXX	Norma Borowicz Kerry Hoffmann Mark Hoffmann	Nancy Manowski Kathy Oelke Pam Thompson
Lectors Shirley Fosbender	Sharon Thompson	Karie McAuliffe
Servers Nick Torgeson Jon Torgeson	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX
Ushers Jody Rhyner Wally Legenza Pat Hiatt Marlene Zorowski	Ron Brusky John Borowicz Scott Lau XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX XXXXXXXX Jane Rasmussen Sue Sullivan

Readings For The Week of February 28, 2016

- Sunday-28 Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8
/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
- Monday-29 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4/
Lk 4:24-30
- Tuesday-1 Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-9/Mt 18:21-35
- Wednesday-2 Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt
5:17-19
- Thursday-3 Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Lk 11:14-23
- Friday-4 Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6-11, 14, 17/
Mk 12:28-34
- Saturday-5 Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-21/Lk 18:9-14
- Sunday-6 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-6/Eph
5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

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Procrastinating or Bearing Fruit!

Today, the Gospel reading is about procrastination, or more commonly known as putting things off. And when we procrastinate, we not only put pressure on ourselves to begin or complete a task at the last minute, but we are also presuming that nothing will happen, to prevent our beginning or finishing, whatever it is we need to do.

Life as we know, often throws a curve ball into our plans, and as a result, we often never get around to whatever it is we had hoped to do. That is what happened in the case of the two events, our Lord mentions in today's Gospel. First, eighteen persons were killed unexpectedly when a tower in Siloam fell on them. And secondly, a large number of persons from Galilee were unexpectedly killed by Pilate's soldiers.

All of these persons had plans for their lives, yet all of their lives came to a sudden and unexpected end, and their plans went unfulfilled. Our Lord mentions these tragedies as an introduction to his parable about procrastination. A farmer, He says, had a fig tree that wasn't bearing any fruit for three years, and so he was going to cut it down. But the gardener convinced the farmer to give it another year. We are that fig tree. We have been planted as Christians in the Kingdom of God through our baptism, to bear fruit for The Farmer, God our Father.

When we put off doing something good, something right, something pleasing to God and helpful to another, we might not have another chance to go back to do it. St. Augustine as a young man was a great procrastinator, at least when it came to the spiritual life. He knew he had to make changes in his life to end his immoral lifestyle. He knew he was being called to embrace the Catholic Faith, but he kept putting these actions off.

Thirteen years he struggled to do the right thing, and through the prayers of his mother, Saint Monica, and his own eventual willingness to cooperate with God's grace, Augustine finally did enter the Catholic Church and became a fervent Christian. But he would lament in his autobiography, entitled *The Confessions*, that he had wasted so much time, realizing that he could have done so much more to build up the Kingdom of God, and could have been happier in his life, if he had not wasted so much time by procrastinating.

How about you? How about me? Are we practicing our Catholic Faith to the fullest? Are we bearing fruit for the Lord right now? You might say, "Well, maybe later". But, what if there is no later? The unexpected happens, towers fall, car accidents happens, cancer appears, tragedies happen.

What are we doing to become a better Catholic, a better Christian, in our home, in our school, in our work place, in our community, in our church? Are we willing to look at the way we live, at the way we pray, at the way we treat others, at our honesty, at how we fulfill our obligations, our vows and promises in life?

Each one of us is that fig tree in the parable. Life is wonderful, life is precious, life is also short. Our Lord is looking for our fruit of faith and good works. It is up to each one of us, to either to bear good fruit for the Lord, or not.

St. Anthony Spirituality Center ~Marathon, WI.

Images & Symbols as a Spiritual Language Retreat

March 18-20: The 5 Universal Shapes, spiritual archetypes, universal and spiritual interpretations of color and more will be explored. This workshop experience will include visual journaling (no art experience required!), meditation, writing discussion and more. Presented by Elizabeth Lewis. Cost: \$195, includes six delicious meals, overnight accommodations and program fees. Begins with supper on Friday and ends with noon meal on Sunday.



Marriage Retreat: April 8-10: Who said marriage was supposed to be like this? What can YOU do to be authentic in a culture where everyone is telling you what marriage is supposed to be? Begins with 7 p.m. Friday supper and ends with the noon meal on Sunday. Cost includes overnight accommodations, delicious buffet meals, and program fees. Couples may share one room (\$150 ea.) or reserve two rooms (\$185 ea.). Presented by Michael and Karen Adsit.

Contact: 715-443-2236, info@sarcenter.com. Go to www.sarcenter.com to register for an upcoming event.

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March 5th at St. Michael Parish 611 Stark Street

A Mash-tini Lunch, \$10 from 11:00- 1:00 Free Shopping

Lenten Meals

St. Michael 611 Stark Street, annual Lenten Fish Fries on 5 Fridays in Lent. February 19, 26, March 4, 11 and 18.

Church of the Resurrection Lenten Soup Lunches on each Wednesday of Lent, February 10 through March 23, 11:30– 1:00 A freewill offering will be accepted.

St. Anne's famous Lenten fish fry, February 12 - March 25. Serving from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm.

St. John's Catholic Church, Edgar, Fish and Shrimp Fry, All Fridays of Lent, 4:00-7:30.

St. Matthew Soup Suppers, February 10—March 23, in the school cafeteria from 4:15 to 6:30 PM. Free-will donation.

St Patrick's Fish Fry-Halder: February 12 - March 25. 3158 Halder Drive, Mosinee, Carry outs available: 715-693-2765

St. John –Peplin All You Can Eat Buffet. 3308 Hwy 153 (6 miles east of Central Wisconsin Airport). \$10.00 per person.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

February 28th - March 6th

- Sun-28 Children's Liturgy during 10:30 Mass
Communion Service at Primrose 11:00
- Mon-29
- Tue-1 St. Catherine's Council Meeting with 6:15 Stations
Stations of the Cross 6:15 C
- Wed-2 **No Mass (Communion Service)**
NCES Mass at St. Anne 8:15
Roxie Schubring Com Service at Sturgeon Bluffs 1:45
Religious Education 6:15-7:30
- Thur-3 **40 HOURS DEVOTION STARTS AT 8:00AM MASS**
- Fri-4 **40 HOURS DEVOTION**
- Sat-5 **40 HOURS DEVOTION ENDS AT 3:30PM**
- Sun-6 Children's Liturgy during 10:30 Mass
Communion Service at Primrose 11:00
Boy Scouts 6:30 EC

Help is Needed for

First Friday Communion Ministers to the Homebound

Would you like to take Communion to Holy Name of Jesus parishioners that can't get to Church? Are you available on the first Friday of each month (or one day a month)? If interested, or for more information, please call Judy at the Parish Center at 715-842-4543.

THE NEW DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED.

For those families who receive a free book, they are available to pick up in the main entrance of the church. For anyone else who wishes to purchase a copy, they are only \$10 and can be purchased at the parish center during regular office hours.



Congratulations!

On February, 11, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, Holy Name of Jesus Parish celebrated another Marian Consecration. A group of sixteen people from across the Wausau Deanery participated in a six week journey of formation ending with Consecration to Jesus through Mary at a Mass presided over by Father Dan Thelen. The group contained some who were being newly consecrated and others who were renewing their consecration. Congratulations to everyone involved.

HOLY NAME PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Collection Report for February 21st

Adult Envelopes.....	\$5,667.50
ACH Weekly Deposit	\$ 275.00
Student.....	\$ 5.00
Offertory.....	\$ 547.51
<u>Maintenance.....</u>	<u>\$ 105.00</u>
Weekly Collection	\$ 6,600.01

Annual Appeal as of February 22nd

Our Target.....	\$54,341.00
Pledged.....	\$39,023.50
Remaining.....	\$15,317.50
Families Pledged.....	309 ~ 60%

Thank you for your generous support for this years
Diocesan Annual Appeal!

Our sympathies and assurance of prayers
to the family of

Gerald Praschak

May his soul and all the souls of the
faithful departed rest in peace.



ALL WOMEN OF HOLY NAME PARISH
ST. CATHERIN'S COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 2016
SIMMONS HALL

Program: Lenten Retreat with Fr. Dan Thelen
Serving Committee: Karren Seliger and Elaine Meyer
6:15 Stations of the Cross in Church
7:00 Retreat Starts
All are Welcome!

Holy Name of Jesus Chapel

Is open during office hours for anyone who wishes to come and pray. It is located on the main floor of the Parish Center.

The Catholic Women's Club

Monday, March 7th at St. Michael's Church.

PROGRAM: Day of Prayer, Presenter: Father Daniel Thelen.
Topic: God's Mercy. 10:00 – Coffee and Registration,
10:30 – Conference, 11:15- Mass, 12:00 - Lunch
FOR RESERVATIONS CALL PEGGY AT 715-842-2845
OR KATHY AT 715-842-7200 DUES, \$8.00. MEAL, \$11.00
THANK YOU, LOUISE LACH

Celebrating the Jubilee Year of Mercy

The Fourth Corporal Work of Mercy is Shelter the Homeless. You can

- ◆ Take a shift overnight or in the evening at the Catholic Charities Warming Center.
- ◆ Volunteer to help clean or do laundry at the Warming Center.
- ◆ Take some individually wrapped fruits, cheese, crackers or other items to the Warming Center at 540 S. Third Ave.

To volunteer call 715-849-3311.





**2015-2016
Religious Education Schedule**
Classes on Wed. 6:15-7:30
(unless otherwise noted)

- Mar 2 Rel Ed Living Stations -Parishioners Invited!
- Mar 9 Rel Ed
- Mar 16 Rel Ed & Reconciliation Gr 3-10
- Mar 23 Rel Ed
- Mar 30 NO Rel Ed—Spring Break
- Apr 6 Rel Ed



The Casa Hogar Youth Ministry Mission Team would like to thank Tim and Lois Murphy for your generous donation to our mission trip. Your continued support is always greatly appreciated!

Religious Education Lent Classroom Challenge has 3 More Weeks.

Students remember to keep bringing in your donations for the Lenten Mite box and classroom challenge jars. All the donations collected this year will go to the Diocese of LaCrosse Juan Pablo II Casa Hogar orphanage in Peru.



~ REGISTER TODAY ~

Holy Name of Jesus Parish Presents
2016 Great Adventure Youth Rally
March 11th & 12th, 2016

“Get the Adventure Going”
for Middle School Teens - Only \$10 per Person
4:30-7:30pm Rally & 7:30-10pm Waterpark

“You Are His Masterpiece”
for 8th - 12th Grade Teens - Only \$30 per person
9:00am-5:00pm Rally & 5:00-10:00pm Waterpark
Saturday also includes lunch.

For more information or to sign up
Contact Noel in the Youth Ministry office
715-842-4543 or noel@holynamewausau.com

NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS
Need registration information?



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**Don't forget to join us for
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this

Wed, March 2nd at 6:15 pm

presented by Religious Education students

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This is a focal point of their Lent, Triduum and Easter lessons. The students will be practicing, and in some cases memorizing, their parts for several weeks before the event. They are always excited to perform the plays they work so hard to prepare.

All families, parishioners and guests are invited to join us. Your participation and support is always appreciated for by the students.

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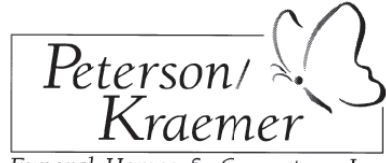
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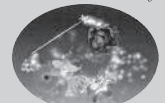
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