

# Faith Formation

## Bible Study Starts

Adult Bible Study continues at 9:45 am on Tuesdays after Mass and Rosary at St. Joseph Church. Come to learn more about God's written word, led by Ben Rippe. Parishioners of all ages are welcome to attend!

## Backpack Fundraiser

The Salvation Army sends backpacks with food home to students in need. They are asking churches to collect personal hygiene products to be added to the backpacks. Each month St Joseph will be collecting one item. For **October we will be collecting Shampoo/Conditioner**. We have a basket for the collection in the gathering area at St. Joseph.

## Natural Family Planning Classes

The Couple to Couple League will be offering a series of classes, for engaged and married couples, on the *Sympto-Thermal Method of Natural Family Planning* at Hudson Physicians, 405 Stageline Rd., Hudson, WI. New streamlined methodology and new materials integrate Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body. Classes begin on Saturday, November 7th, at 9:00 a.m. Register at <http://twincities.ccli.org>. For more information, please call 612.721.3791 or email [twincities.ccli.org@gmail.com](mailto:twincities.ccli.org@gmail.com)

## The Remember Project

The St. Croix Valley Foundation is hosting the Remember Project at St. Joseph on Oct 27 @ 6:30pm & Nov 10 @ 6:30pm. These programs are intended to stimulate conversations around dementia, share information and invite community conversations. Please join any these sessions to increase dementia-friendly environments and address the isolation & fear associated with dementia.

## FF Calendar

Date	Time	Event
10/18	9:00 am	Classes Gr. PrK-5 @ SJ
10/21	5:30 pm	Social Hour @ SJ & OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. K-11 @ OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. 6-11 @ SJ
		Letters to Bishop Due for SJ
		Interviews for SJ Students
10/25	9:00 am	Classes Gr. PrK-5 @ SJ
10/28	5:30 pm	Social Hour @ SJ & OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. K-11 @ OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. 6-11 @ SJ
		Letters to Bishop Due for OLL
		Interviews for OLL Students
11/1	9:00 am	Classes Gr. PrK-5 @ SJ
11/4	5:30 pm	Social Hour @ SJ & OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. K-11 @ OLL
	6:30 pm	Classes Gr. 6-11 @ SJ
	6:30 pm	Cand./Sponsor Meeting #1 @ SJ
11/7	4:00 pm	Lifeline in St. Paul

## Weekly Reading Compass

### Sunday, October 18

IS 53:10-11/HEB 4:14-16/MK 10:35-45

### Monday, October 19

ROM 4:20-25/LK 12:13-21

### Tuesday, October 20

ROM 5:12, 17-21/LK 12:35-38

### Wednesday, October 21

ROM 6:12-18/LK 12:39-48

### Thursday, October 22

ROM 6:19-23/LK 12:49-53

### Friday, October 23

ROM 7:18-25A/LK 12:54-59

### Saturday, October 24

ROM 8:1-11/LK 13:1-9

# Sacraments

## Baptism

Call Melissa @ SJ 715-268-7717 or Sally @ OLL 715-405-2253 for information regarding getting Baptized.

## Reconciliation

Confessions heard:

St. Joseph: Sat. 3-3:30 pm or by appointment.

Our Lady of the Lakes: Sundays 8-8:15 am; 2nd Friday after 9 am Mass or by appointment.

## Marriage

Preparation is required at least 6 months prior to the wedding. Call the church as soon as possible after engagement for an appointment.

## Anointing of the Sick

If you or someone in your family is hospitalized and would like to receive communion or anointing, please call the parish office. **Due to patient privacy laws, no one can visit unless the patient or family requests it.**

## St. Joseph Church - Amery

Masses: Sun. 10:30 AM; Sat. 4:00 PM  
Wednesday & Thursday at 9:00 AM

Mass is televised on Local Access Cable Channel 6 Tuesdays at 9:00 am & 1:00 pm  
Building Use

All use of the church building must be CONFIRMED in advance with the parish office.

Office Staffed Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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## Our Lady of the Lakes - Balsam Lake

Masses: Sun. 8:30 AM; Sat. 6:00 PM

Tues. at 5:30 PM & Fri. at 9:00 AM

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The deadline for articles / announcements / changes to be included in the bulletin is **4:00 p.m. every MONDAY afternoon**. Contact 715-268-7717 for more information.

October 18th, 2015

# Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH ✦ OUR LADY OF THE LAKES



## Pray the Rosary During October

October is Respect Life Month—a time the United States Bishops encourage us to have special concern and respect for all life: the elderly, the ill, those who are in prison, those who are homeless, those of a different religion, those who are unborn—ALL LIFE. October is also the “Month of the Rosary”. By praying the rosary, Our Blessed Mother, Mary, can teach us to more completely know and love her Son and all the human family.

PASTOR: FATHER GENE MURPHY

DEACON EMERITUS: LARRY BAUER

Welcome to our Parish Cluster  
We're glad you're here!

# Saint Joseph Church

## Liturgical Roles

**Sat., October 24th - 4:00 p.m.**

**Reader:** M Nevala  
**Ministers of Communion:** M Nevala, J Goossen, S Stoll, J Ganje, P Fussy, C Fussy, M Fox, A Krisik  
**Ushers:** P & J Seidl, D Sabelko  
**Servers:** R Ganje, A Ganje  
**Music:** C Morton  
**Sun., October 25th - 10:30 am**  
**Reader:** L Wojchik  
**Ministers of Communion:** G Otto, M Ingham, K Ingham, J Koeppen, E Wojchik, J Sollman, H Standaert, L Wojchik  
**Ushers:** D & T Doroff, K & L Harris  
**Servers:** S Otto, T Meier, D Valentine  
**Music:** S Henningsgard  
**Video:** M Karuschak



## 24th Annual Holiday Bazaar

Saturday, November 14th. 9 am to 2 pm. Lunch and Bake Sale-Raffle Prizes and Free Drawings. **There is still vendor spots open.** Start your Christmas shopping by purchasing locally made items that you will find nowhere else! This is one of Amery's largest holiday craft bazaars. Help is also needed to serve food that day, make pies the day before, and sell bake goods. If you have questions email [barb@idamaescafe.com](mailto:barb@idamaescafe.com) or call 715-268-7771.

## Ticket Trailer Needed

The trailer that St. Joseph uses for its annual Ice Fishing Contest is in pretty bad shape and we may only get one more year out of it. If anyone has an old trailer they would like to donate please let the parish office know. We need one or possibly two trailers as we rent a second one every year. 715-268-7717.

## October Calendar Raffle Winners

8th	\$20	#1105	Marita Beaudette	Amery, WI
9th	\$20	#2726	Mark Crea	Dresser, WI
10th	\$25	#1937	Ethel Leisz	Amery, WI
11th	\$50	#1203	Carole Chmielewski	Amery, WI
12th	\$75	#2573	Christine Scheidler	Amery, WI
13th	\$20	#2704	Keaghan Boos	Chippewa Falls, WI
14th	\$20	#1897	Doug Larson	Amery, WI

## Stewardship Update

St. Joseph Parish General Fund	Monthly Income		YTD Income	
	Sept 2014	Sept 2015	FY 14/15	FY15/16
Actual Income	\$33,811.99	\$29,744.87	\$89,011.71	\$85,459.55
Actual Expenses	\$34,919.04	\$28,781.55	\$115,522.51	\$91,235.17
Difference	-\$1,107.05	\$963.32	-\$26,510.80	-\$5,775.62
Children's Collection		\$144.15		\$291.49
Mortgage Balance	\$725,143.42	Mortgage Contributions	\$1,029.00	

## Please Pray For

Anna Kastens, Anne Brusletten, Arlene Jones, Bill Kelly, Brody Hines, Carolyn Anderson, Earl lovejoy, Jim Kreier, Mary Losness, Michael Logan, Norma Baldus, Patricia Carlson, Rhonda Newman, Rob Starbuck, Shannon Niccum, Teresa Collins, Our Military Personnel\*\*\*

## SJ Calendar

**Tuesday, October 20th**  
Bible Study after 9 am Communion Service  
**Wednesday, October 21st**  
Stump the Chump after 9 am Mass  
Prayer Shawl Ministry  
**Tuesday, October 27th**  
Bible Study after 9 am Communion Service  
Remember Project 6:30 pm  
**Sunday, November 1st**  
All Saints Day  
No Donut Sunday  
Northwood's Homeless Shelter Chili Feed  
**Tuesday, November 3rd**  
Bible Study after 9 am Communion Service

## 15th Annual Chili Feed

**11:00 am-2:00 pm Sunday, November 1st**  
Free Will Offering \* Dine In or Take Out  
*All Proceeds Benefit*  
**Northwest Homeless Shelters**

## Prayer Shawl Ministry

Wednesday, October 21st from 2 pm—4 pm., at the home of Rosemary Myers, 310 George Avenue, Amery. New members are always welcome. Monetary donations for yarn and supplies are always appreciated. For more information or any questions, call Rosemary at 715-268-7330.

## Youth Choir

We are looking for students in grades Pre-K through High School to join St. Joseph's Youth Choir. First Youth Mass will be November 8th. Practice will be at 9 am and Mass at 10:30 am. Lets share our talents God gave us!

## Environmental Committee

The Environmental Committee (Decorating Committee) is looking for new members to join. Please contact Pat Hafele if you are interested or if you have any questions 715-268-7525

## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Saturday, October 17**  
4:00 pm † Dorothy Griep by Rosemary Gillis SJ  
6:00 pm † Alex Belle-Isle by Jerry & Pat Belle-Isle OLL  
**Sunday, October 18**  
8:30 am † Ester Stencil Kolpack by L & G Stencil OLL  
10:30 am † Helen Stephens by Rosemary Gillis SJ  
**Monday, October 19**  
9:00 am Communion Service SJ  
**Tuesday, October 20**  
9:00 am Communion Service SJ  
5:30 pm Communion Service OLL  
**Wednesday, October 21**  
9:00 am † Perry Koeppen by Mike/Karen Schanon SJ  
**Thursday, October 22**  
9:00 am † Jennifer Houle by Mike/Marj Jacobson SJ  
**Friday, October 23**  
9:00 am † Jerry Thomson Sr by Ozzie Thompson OLL  
9:00 am Communion Service SJ  
**Saturday, October 24**  
4:00 pm 65th Wedding Anniv. Dick & Violet Hahn SJ  
6:00 pm People of the Parish OLL  
**Sunday, October 25**  
8:30 am People of the Parish OLL  
10:30 am † Marlene Grasser by Kim Grasser SJ

Key: SJ - St. Joseph Church OLL - Our Lady of the Lakes Church WR - Willow Ridge, Amery GAM - Golden Age Manor, Amery GS - Good Samaritan Home, St. Croix Falls, AMC—Amery Memory Care Unit. **Please note:** Requested dates for Mass intentions are subject to change based on the Mass schedule. **\*\*Prayer Lists:** Please contact the SJ Office to add names to the prayer list. **Names stay on the list for 4 months and are then removed unless the office is notified that they should remain.**

## Please Pray For

Alen Wenning, Ben Buck, Bill Winn, Bob Peterson, Bob Schwartz, Cher Wirth-Thompson, Cheryl Dado, Cletus Tauer, Dale Holin, Gary Bader, Gene Ludack, Greg Schommer, Greg Vink, Jean Thompson, Katie Gruber, Larry Coen, Lola Bording, Loraine Manke, Marion Swanson, Mike Kelly, Mike Schwartz, Mike Thompson, Ray Castellano, Roger Vink, Sara Thompson, Sharon Peterson, Tom Foeller, Ty Spencer, our Military Personnel\*\*\*

## OLL Calendar

**Monday, October 19th**  
CCW  
**Tuesday, October 20th**  
Finance Meeting 8 am  
KC Meeting 6:30 pm  
**Sunday, November 1st**  
All Saints Day  
**Tuesday, November 3rd**  
Pastoral Council 6 pm  
**Friday, November 6th**  
Stump the Chump after 9 am Mass  
**Thursday, November 12th**  
OLL Ladies Luncheon



## Tailgating Party

This year's tailgating party was a great success. We made around \$11,720. Thank you so much to everyone who put in an effort to make this fun party a possibility. If you have not done so yet, please come into the office and pick up your \$20/ square board raffle prizes. Congratulations **Elliette Wojchik** for winning both the first and second half game score on the 50/50 raffle. Also Congratulations to the following Raffle Ticket Winners:  
 1st: Ed & Lisa Cerney—\$500  
 2nd: Linda Lawrence—Bald Eagle Painting  
 3rd: Tom Smith—Wildlife Painting  
 4th: Jennifer Hayden—Camping Supplies  
 5th: Marita Beaudette—Wolf Painting



## Parish Cluster & Community

### Catholic Services Appeal

The 2015 Catholic Services Appeal is an opportunity for us, as a faith family, to join together to do the work of the Lord. All families are encouraged to support the Catholic Services Appeal. By giving to the Catholic Services Appeal, you are answering God's call to discipleship to put the work of God before your own needs. The Church serves each of us in some way and our financial support is needed to continue God's work in our area. In addition, every dollar contributed to the Appeal assists our parish in offsetting our yearly diocesan assessment responsibly to our Diocesan Church. This year the assessment for St. Joseph Church is **\$29,887**. So far we have raised **\$11,310** leaving a balance of **\$18, 577**. The assessment for Our Lady of the Lakes is **\$23,545**. So far we have raised **\$7,253** leaving a balance of **\$16,292**. Please give generously.

# Our Lady of the Lakes

## Liturgical Roles

**Sat., October 24th - 6:00 p.m.**

**Reader:** Sharon Kelly  
**Ministers of Communion:** Joan Ouellette, Veronica Soper, Lori Swanson  
**Ushers:** Kurt Mayer, Erwin Weeks  
**Servers:** Kenny Lepak, Michael Lepak  
**Cantor:** Ramona Tauer  
**Sun., October 25th - 8:30 am**  
**Reader:** Mike Bauer  
**Ministers of Communion:** Jane Sackett, Gail Stencil, Carol Tourville  
**Ushers:** Larry Stencil, Brandon Stencil  
**Servers:** Kassidy Koeppen, Lola McElhone  
**Cantor:** Rita Creuzer



## Hospitality Schedule



October 25th, 2015:  
Greg & Monica Riley & Family

## Stewardship Update

Income for October	Last Weekend	MTD
Adult/Youth	\$4,141	\$6,515
BLDG Fund	\$1,625	\$2,872
Visitor/Loose	\$653	\$1,612
<b>Total Income-Actual</b>	<b>\$6,419</b>	<b>\$10,999</b>
<b>Income Budgeted for the Month</b>		<b>\$25,325</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>
<b>Mortgage Balance</b>		<b>\$819,675.67</b>
<b>Total Construction Cost</b>		<b>\$3,200,000.00</b>

## Art & Craft Fair-Bake Sale-Luncheon

Our Lady of the Lakes Balsam Lake  
**Saturday, November 28th-10 am to 2 pm**  
**Vendors Wanted! All items must be new or homemade.**  
 To reserve a table contact: Mary Chartrand  
 109 Pearl St #8, Balsam Lake, WI 54810  
 715-405-3584 [mchartrand@lakeland.ws](mailto:mchartrand@lakeland.ws)  
 Set Up Times: Friday evening 5-7 pm  
 Saturday starting at 7:30 am

## Catholics Come Home

Do you know someone away from the Catholic Church? Only one-third of Catholics attend Mass on a regular basis - Let's invite them back! Visit CatholicsComeHome.org to learn and grow deeper in your faith. Support this ministry and share the web page with our friends and family. "Like" CCH on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/catholiccomehome.org](http://www.facebook.com/catholiccomehome.org). Help bring your friends and loved-ones back to the Catholic Church!