BAPTISM PREPARATION

Requirements for baptism are listed on the parish website, <u>www.stignatiusrc.org</u>, on the drop down bar under church services.

To attend baptism class, call Shannon Wilbert at the parish office at 989-734-2753.

We follow the Church's desire that outside Lent and Advent, Baptisms take place during Sunday Mass (Ritual intro., rubric 9).

<u>Inclement Weather</u> When school is closed due to bad weather, daily Mass will be postponed until 10:30 a.m. Please be responsive to the weather conditions where you live. Just because we have Mass does not obligate you to attend Mass when the weather or illness physically impedes you from leaving your home. Missing Mass for illness or dangerous travel conditions in not a sin. Thank you. **Father Rolando**

<u>A Message to Snowbirds</u>: When planning your winter in warmer climates, log onto: https://www.stignatiusrc.org/ click on Online Giving (located under the parish phone number on the right hand side of the screen) and seamlessly continue your weekly giving through a safe and secure website.

<u>Catholic Way Bible Study</u> Come join us in a RICH study of the Acts of the Apostles! We meet every Thursday in the parish office at 6:00 p.m.

Senior High Youth Ministry No meeting on November 24.

Junior High Youth Ministry Meeting in the youth room on December 4 @ 7:00 p.m.

- November 23 & 24 Land of Peace will be selling religious articles from the Holy Land at the 3rd St. entrance before & after Masses. Browse the website: www.landofpeace.org. JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS!
- Monday, November 25 Community Thanksgiving Service at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 7:00 pm.
- Thursday, November 28 Community Thanksgiving Dinner
 St. Ignatius Gym, Noon.
- <u>Sunday, December 1</u> <u>Community Christmas Concert</u> featuring vocalists of various church choirs, musical groups & "Chord Order" Barbershop Quartet, 7:30 pm @ Rogers City Theater. More info call 989-734-3992.
- Sunday, December 8 K of C Boysville Breakfast 8:30 am 11:00 am,
 St, Ignatius School Gym. (Proceeds go to Holy Cross Children's Services)
- Saturday, December 14 Annual Tony Darga Soup Supper,
 3:30 pm 7:30 pm @ St. Ignatius School Gym.
 (Proceeds go to the Angel Fund)
- Thursday, December 19 It. Ignatius Children's Christmas Concert
 The children's choir will be performing their annual Christmas concert at
 7:00 pm in the school gym. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend!

CSA Report - 11/17/2019

Target - \$55,378.00

Pledged - \$55,888.60



Paid Pledges - \$46,608.60

Unpaid Pledges - \$9,270.00

% of Target Pledged 100.92%

% of Target Paid - 84.14%

% of pledged paid - 83.41%

Retirement Fund for Religious

GIVE IN THANKSGIVING

"The nuns left lasting impressions on me," writes a donor. "I shall always be grateful for my Catholic education."

Please join in thanking the thousands of senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests who worked tirelessly to educate the young and serve those in need. Next week we will collect for the Retirement Fund for Religious, which helps hundreds of religious communities care for aging members.

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY!

RELIGIOUS ITEMS TABLE The tables will be set up on December 5 - December 14.

EXPOSITION AND ADORATION

St. Dominic Parish in Metz every Tuesday from noon until the time of Benediction at 6:00 pm.



Rogers City Area Christmas Outreach Program

The Christmas Giving Tree is now in the gathering space in back of church. Ornaments indicating boy or girl, their age, needs and sizes, will be placed on the tree as we receive requests for assistance. You are invited to pick an ornament, buy and wrap the gift, and return it to the tree along with the tag by Monday, December 9. If you wish to donate instead of shopping, you can put a donation in an envelope marked "Christmas Outreach" and put it in the collection basket. We will shop for you

Questions call Beth Budnik (734-4977) or Mary Sue Wozniak (734-4432).





CALENDAR WINNERS:

Nov. 16 (\$50) Alex Hincka Nov. 17 (\$100) Don Asam Nov 18 (\$50) Cathy Wisniewski Nov 19 (\$50) Mike Stempky Nov 20 (\$50) Kimberly Landane

Winners will continue to be publicized in the bulletins.

Food Pantry Collection

We will be collecting for the food pantry the weekend of **December 7 & 8**. Please leave



your non-perishable food items as well as baby formula (Infamil), diapers, booties, receiving blankets, etc. in the boxes at either side of the altar.

"Prayer of intercession has particular value, for it is an act of trust in God and, at the same time, an expression of love for our neighbor"

-Gaudete et Exsultate 154



Pizza-For-A-Year

The Lighthouse Restaurant is once again providing our school with the Pizza-For-A-Year fundraiser. The price of the card is

\$99.00 and it entitles the customer to one large pizza each month for the entire year. The PTG profits \$20.00 from each card sold. They are also offering a five month card this year for \$49.00. They make wonderful Christmas gifts and are also a great savings on pizza! The cards are available for purchase in the school office after Thanksgiving. We would like to thank Brian Bannasch for once again offering this to our school.

The Presque Isle Right to Life and Knights of Columbus will sponsor people from our parish to travel to the <u>Washington DC March for Life</u> scheduled for Friday, January 24, 2020. The bus would leave Thursday from Gaylord and travel through the night for the March for Life on Friday. The bus would return to Gaylord late evening of the same day of the march. If you are interested in more information contact Tom McMahon @ 989-306-3168.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT Nov. 17

(0) Children......\$0
(135) Envelopes......\$4,382.00
Loose Money......\$251.00
Online Giving.....\$505.00
Total....\$5,138.00

On December 3, #GivingTuesday, take advantage of a great opportunity to help St. Ignatius Parish and School with some current and future projects.

ADVANCED GIVING period is from November 18 - December 2.

Visit iGiveCatholic.org.



Organizations Meeting Schedule

Rosary Society The next meeting is Tuesday, December 17 at 6:00 pm in the clubroom.

<u>Daughters of Isabella Circle 974</u> The Christmas party will be Sunday, December 1, at 1:00 p.m. at the Rogers City K of C Hall, with a short meeting to follow. No meeting in December nor in January.

3rd Degree K of C #1705 The council meets the third Wednesday of every month at 7:00 pm at the K of C Hall in Rogers City.

4th Degree K of C The meetings are the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm. The meetings will be at the K of C Hall in Rogers City, through December.

If you would like your event published in the bulletin, please call the parish office at 734-2753. It is important that you call by Friday, one week prior to the bulletin publication.