

St. Albert the Great University Parish



Michigan Technological University

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Entrance Antiphon for the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgment, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy. Daniel 3:31, 29, 30, 43, 42

26th Sunday in O.T., Sept. 30, 2018

Mass Readings

Mon. October 1
St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church
Jb 1:6-22
Lk 9:46-50

Tues. October 2
Holy Guardian Angels
Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23
Mt 18:1-5, 10

Weds. October 3
Jb 9:1-12, 14-16
Lk 9:57-62

Thurs. October 4
St. Francis of Assisi
Jb 19:21-27
Lk 10:1-12

Fri. October 5
Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5
Lk 10:13-16

Sat. October 6
Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17
Lk 10:17-24

Sun. October 7
Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gn 2:18-24
Heb 2:9-11



Friday Night Fireside Fellowship:

THIS Friday:
a visit from our bishop!

Our shepherd, Bishop John, will be with us next Friday, Oct. 5th for 5:30 Mass, for dinner, and then for his Fireside talk!!!



It's time to sign up for **SEEK 2019, the national FOCUS conference in Indianapolis!**
seek2019.com January 3-7, 2019
Registration is only \$399 until Oct. 30th.
Talk to one of the FOCUS missionaries!

Mass + One

How will you go deeper in your faith?
What's the next good step?

Would you like to be baptized into the Catholic Church?

Are you a Christian interested in coming into full communion with the Church?

Are you a Catholic who would like to be confirmed?

Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) group is getting into gear! Led by Sr. Jacqueline and a group of student volunteers, RCIA meets every Sunday after the 11:00 am Mass by the fireplace (about 12:30 - 2:00 pm).

It is a true conversation and exploration... come to find out if you want to answer "Yes!" to one of those questions! For info, email sisterj@mtucatholic.org



Fall Campus Ministry Retreat

Fri., Oct. 26 - Sun., Oct. 28

"DATING LIKE A CATHOLIC"

Gather with students from NMU, LSSU, Bay College, and Gogebic C.C., as well as our St. Al's crew, at Bay Cliff Health Camp for a fun weekend full of faith! Retreat fee is \$75, scholarships are available.

Sign-up after Mass!



Eucharistic Adoration

Solemn Exposition

& Benediction:

Tues., 7:30 - 9 pm

Simple Exposition

7:45-8:45 am, Mon - Fri

All-Day Adoration on Friday
7:45 am - 5:15 pm

+ Sign up for All-Day Adoration:
email Clare Campbell clarec@mtu.edu

**Come pray with us
before our Eucharistic Lord!**

Pastor: Fr. Ben Hasse: office (906)482-5530 cell (906)290-2434 benjhasse@yahoo.com <http://snowshoetracks.blogspot.com/>

Associate Pastor: Fr. Dustin Larson office (same) cell (269) 569-1124 fatherdustin@mtucatholic.org

Pastoral Associates: Sr. Jacqueline Spaniola cell (906)231-6862 sisterj@mtucatholic.org

Sr. Marcelyn Gervais cell (906)281-7851 (Sr. Carolee Vanness is resident at St. Anne's, but serves in L'Anse)

Development Director: Rhen Hoehn + cell (906) 281-0151 + rhen@mtucatholic.org + Work Schedule M-F, 9 am - 5 pm

Parish Secretary & Bookkeeper: Barbara Wakeham (906)482-5530 stalbert@stal-mtu.com **Office Hours:** Tues - Fri, 9a - 4p

Mass Times: Sat. 5:30 pm, Sun. 11 am & 7 pm / Weds. 9 pm / Fri. 5:30 pm

Confessions: Tuesday 7:30 pm, Wednesday 8 pm & Friday 4:30 pm // or by appointment

Baptisms: Please make arrangements with pastor at least one month in advance.

Confirmation & First Communion: Please notify the parish office of your need ASAP.

Marriages: Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: Upon request when suffering from serious illness or before surgery.

St. Anne's Masses

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am

Tuesday: 5:30 pm

Thursday: 9:00 am

Sat.	Sept. 29	5:30 pm	† Louise Aho	By André Bonen & Family	Mass Intentions
Sun.	Sept. 30	11 am	For the People of St. Al's & St. Anne's	By the Parishes	
Sun.	Sept. 30	7 pm	† Fr. Bill Mooney	By the Parish	
Weds.	Oct. 03	9 pm	† Brandon Olson	By Chris Bryan	
Fri.	Oct. 05	5:30 pm	† Debra Guzek	By the Parish	
Sat.	Oct. 06	5:30 pm	† Fr. Paul Schiska	By the Parish	
Sun.	Oct. 07	11 am	† Mary Ann Negri	By Dave & Sara Fehringer	
Sun.	Oct. 07	7 pm	† Mabel Williams	By Anonymous	

Liturgical Ministers	Mass	Usher	Altar Server	Lector	EMHC
	9 pm Weds., Oct. 03		J. Paling	A. Bevilacqua	I. Hermann & D. Kulas
	5:30 pm Fri., Oct. 05		V. Janes	G. Rushlau	D. LaCroix & A. Henrickson
	5:30 pm Sat., Oct. 06	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
	11 am Sun., Oct. 07	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
	7 pm Sun., Oct. 07	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA

FAITH FORMATION & PRAYER

SoulCore Pray and Exercise: Tuesdays 7-8 pm, Wads G17/G19, contact Rose Turner, roset@mtu.edu or Katie Buchalski, kcbuchal@mtu.edu, to get involved.

Learn the Faith with Sr. Jacqueline! Bishop Barron's *Catholicism* series continues this week. St. Al's times are Monday, 9:30 pm; Wednesday, 12:15 pm, and 7 pm. Email Sr. Jacqueline for more info: sisterj@mtucatholic.org

Catholic Women's Retreat Day Led by Sister Jacqueline Spaniola, join us for a spiritual day with talks, reflection and Mass from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. **Saturday, October 6** at St. Anne Parish in Chassell. Deadline to register for the retreat is October 1. Please email sisterj@mtucatholic.org to register.

PARISH EVENTS

Family Weekend We're just a couple weeks from family weekend (Oct. 13/14)! We'll have a social after the 5:30 pm Saturday Mass, Fourth Period after the Hockey Game, and a Solemn Brunch after the 11 am Mass on Sunday!

Fall Campus Ministry Retreat The diocesan Fall Campus Retreat will take place at BayCliff, Oct. 26-28 with NMU, LSSU, GCC, and Bay! "Dating Like a Catholic" lead by Joseph and Crystal (a Michigan Tech alumna) Gruber, who are currently serving as FOCUS parish missionaries in Jackson!

SEEK 2019 FOCUS' national conference is in Indianapolis! SEEK is Jan 3-7, so save the date! seek2019.com

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Flood Relief from St. Vincent de Paul If you were impacted by the flood, please call the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry in Hancock to learn about relief aid that may be available: 906-523-5504. Please also encourage your friends, family, or neighbors to call.

October Catholic Man Breakfast Mon., Oct. 1st, at 7 am at Victoria's Kitchen in Houghton. We get Catholic guys together a couple times each month in the morning and in the evening for substantive discussion of all things manly and all things Catholic, along with some good times relaxing and hanging out. Hope to see you there!

The Copper Country Frassati Society's monthly gathering for October will take place on Fri., Oct. 5^h. Mass at St. Paul's, Calumet at 6:30 pm. Adoration and Benediction before Mass as well. After Mass, the group will visit Calumet art galleries during their First Friday opening receptions, and then



Friday Night Fireside Fellowship:

4:30 pm Confessions,
5:30 pm Mass, FNFF follows!

- Oct. 5 **Visit from Bishop John Doerfler**
- Oct. 12 **Seeking Renewal in the Life of the Church**
- Oct. 19 **A Visit to the Tech Archives**
- Oct. 26-28 **Fall Campus Ministry Retreat** Bay Cliff Health Camp Theme: *Dating like a Catholic*

dinner at the Michigan House at 8 pm. Young adult Catholics, their family, and friends are invited to join in any or all of the evening's activities. Please RSVP for dinner - call or text to Jeremiah Mason at 906.281.0862 by noon that day.

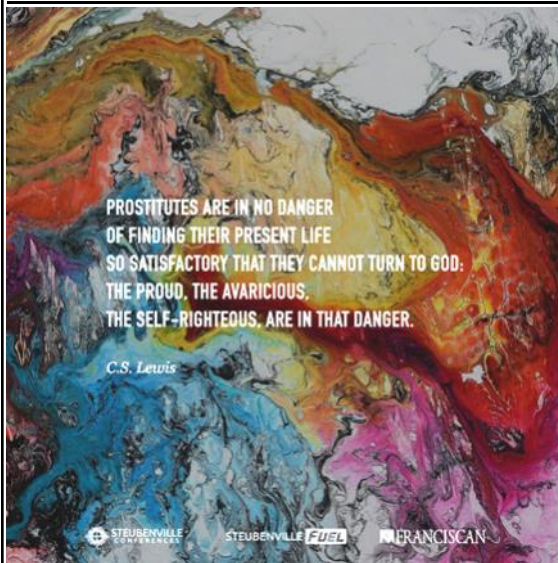
Life Chain Our Nation will be held Sun., Oct. 7th, from 2-3:30 pm, along northbound M-26, from the Copper Country Mall down. A sign bearing one of several messages will be given to each participant to display to passing motorists. Those interested in participating should gather in the Mall parking lot by the northeast entrance at 1:45 pm. Life Chain is an opportunity to make a silent, prayerful statement of concern for the pre-born and their mothers.

Marriage Encounter "Up North" is a unique opportunity for married couples to spend a weekend together focusing on their marital relationship. Green Bay Marriage Encounter is pleased to bring you this weekend experience during which couples often discover how to "make their good marriage even better". Join us and spend some quality couple-time together on November 2-4, 2018 at Northland Camp & Conference Center in Dunbar WI. Info. or to register: 920-544-5166 or vwww.gbme.org Additional Marriage Encounter Weekends: Feb. 8-10 & Mar. 22-24, 2019 in De Pere WI.

UPCOMING MARYGROVE RETREATS (906-644-2771)

The Wise Women Weekend - Nov. 9-11. Retreat for Christian Women. The history of faith is filled with women of vision and spirit: women of the Old Testament, disciples of Jesus, and women believers of the early Church, saints, leaders and servants of today. Dir.: Sr. Ellen Enright.

The Wise Men Weekend - Nov. 30-Dec. 2. Retreat for Christian Men. A real man is a man who puts God first and allows



PROSTITUTES ARE IN NO DANGER OF FINDING THEIR PRESENT LIFE SO SATISFACTORY THAT THEY CANNOT TURN TO GOD. THE PROUD, THE AVARICIOUS, THE SELF-RIGHTEOUS, ARE IN THAT DANGER.

C.S. Lewis

Jesus STRONGLY challenges us in the Gospel this week to take stock of our lives... a challenge that applies equally to you and me and Pope Francis and Bishop John... to everyone! C.S. Lewis' quote to the left strikes me as a powerful way of

thinking about it... where are we complacent, self-satisfied, tempted to settle for MUCH less than the Gospel?

Please continue to pray daily for renewal, healing, and purification, and for Pope Francis, Bishop John, Fr. Dustin, me, and the whole Church.

We are greatly blessed by Fr. Dustin's faith and active ministry! Fr. Dustin's 150th Mass since ordination is this Saturday (Sept. 29) at 5:30 pm here at St. Al's... we'll be having pizza and ice cream downstairs after Mass!

Please pray for Sr. Jacqueline and a group of young women who will be visiting the Franciscan Motherhouse this weekend in Manitowoc, WI! Next Saturday, Oct. 6th, Sr. Jacqueline will also be leading a **Catholic Women's Retreat Day** at St. Anne's in Chassell!

This coming Friday, we'll be having our first "normal format" Friday Night Fireside Fellowship: after 4:30 pm Confessions and 5:30 pm Mass (celebrated by Bishop John), we'll have a meal of homemade whitefish pasties (come on Friday afternoon to help make them) and **then Bishop John will speak to us by the fireplace starting about 7 pm!** We are so blessed to have a shepherd who makes spending time with our community a priority.

It's not too soon to put our **Fall Campus Ministry Retreat** on your calendar for the last weekend of October (26-28). We'll be joining students from NMU, LSSU, and around the UP for the weekend, and **our retreat speakers are Crystal and Joseph Gruber: "Dating like a Catholic"!** Crystal entered the Catholic Church here at St. Al's in 2006. She later went on to become a FOCUS missionary (our first graduate to do so), and there met her future husband, Joseph! They have been married since 2012, and have continued to serve in FOCUS as a family, now with their children. This year they began serving as FOCUS *parish* missionaries in Jackson, MI, bringing the work of FOCUS to parish life.

We're beginning to recruit for **SEEK 2019**, the AMAZING FOCUS conference (Jan. 3-7) which will be in Indianapolis this winter! seek2019.com

God Bless, Fr. Ben



Words of Wisdom from Bishop Frederic Baraga

I undertook alone to dedicate the nice new church, which Rev. Theile, has built this summer at Cliff Mine. ...it was dedicated on October 2nd the feast of the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary..."
Bishop Frederic Baraga, Oct. 12, 1859

"Let's Eat!"



A free community meal, all are welcome!

Hosted at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Chassell. Bring friends and meet new ones in this comfortable and relaxed environment, for a delicious and nutritious meal. Cooking and set-up will start at 2 pm, serving at 4:00 pm, clean-up at 6 pm. Please consider coming with your family to help with this great community outreach!

The next Let's Eat is Sunday, October 21st.

Sponsored by: TBD

Are you or a loved one experiencing homosexual attractions and looking for answers?



Courage, an apostolate of the Catholic Church, ministers to persons with same-sex attractions and their loved ones. It also has an outreach called **EnCourage** which ministers to relatives, spouses, and friends of persons with same-sex attractions.

Visit <http://www.couragerc.net> for more information.

Porn Kills Love! Eliminate Porn in your Life!

Basic Resources for individuals, couples, parents:

Integrity Restored: <http://integrityrestored.com/>

Fight the New Drug: <http://fightthenewdrug.org/>

Also, pick up a copy of the books *Delivered* and/or *Restored*

Post-Abortion Healing Resources

Project Rachel: hopeafterabortion.com

Rachel's Vineyard: www.rachelsvineyard.org

Silent No More Campaign: www.silentnomoreawareness.org

Local Nursing Home Mass Schedule

Ho. Cty. Med. Care Thurs., 2 pm	Lighthouse Fri., 10:30 am	Portage Pointe Thurs., 11:00 am
Oct. 11, Fr. William	Oct. 12, Fr. Dustin	Oct. 25, Fr. John



Life Outreach Center

Think you're pregnant? Not sure what to do? We listen. We care. We can help. There is hope.

906-482-8681 lifoutreachhoughton@gmail.com

Web: lifoutreachhought.wixsite.com/pregnancy-services
300B Quincy Street Hancock, MI 49930

Our mailing address: PO Box 563 Hancock MI 49930

Hours of Operation: (or by appointment)
Mon. 11 am - 5 pm //Weds. noon - 8 pm //Thurs. noon - 8 pm

St. Al's CONTRIBUTIONS

	Sept. 22 nd & 23 rd , 2018	Year to Date
Envelopes	\$695.00	\$12,799.90
Loose	\$1,599.22	\$14,785.33
Holy Day	\$0.00	\$30.00
Fuel	\$25.00	\$180.00
Total	\$2,319.22	\$27,795.23
*Budgeted	\$1,540.39	\$20,025.07
Overage/ (shortfall)	+\$778.83	+\$7,770.16

To give online: www.mtucatholic.org/donate



10 % of our parish income is tithed to charities and ministries that directly assist the poor and the needy.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process in which people can investigate Catholicism. We welcome anyone who wants to explore the teachings of the Church. Meetings take place each Sunday from 12:30 - 2:00 pm at St. Al's, after the 11 am Mass. **To get involved, contact Sister Jacqueline: cell 906-231-6862, sisterj@mtucatholic.org**

2018 - 2019 FOCUS Team



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Night Prayer Help needed
Rosary Aaron Kramer, akramer@mtu.edu
Praise and Worship help needed
SoulCore Rose Turner, roset@mtu.edu; Katie Buchalski, kcbuchal@mtu.edu

What's Happening at St. Al's? (Weekly Schedule)

Sunday	11:00 am 12:30 pm 7:00 pm	Mass + social RCIA/Fireplace Area Mass + social
Monday	7:30 am 7:45 am 9:00 am 9:00 pm 9:30 pm	Morning Prayer, DHH Center Lounge Eucharistic Holy Hour, Simple Exposition Mass (if Fr. Ben or Fr. Dustin are in town) Rosary (lobby outside Wads dining hall) Catholicism series, Fireplace
Tuesday	7:45 am 7:00 pm 7:30 pm 8:55 pm	Eucharistic Holy Hour, Simple Exposition SoulCore Wads G17/G19 Eucharistic Holy Hour, Solemn Exposition (Confession) Solemn Benediction
Wednesday	7:30 am 7:45 am 8:00 pm 9:00 pm	Morning Prayer, DHH Center Lounge Eucharistic Holy Hour, Simple Exposition Confession Mass
Thursday	7:45 am 12:15 pm 7:00 pm	Eucharistic Holy Hour, Simple Exposition Catholicism series, Fireplace Catholicism series, Fireplace
Friday	7:30 am 7:45 am 4:30 pm 5:30 pm	Morning Prayer, DHH Center Lounge Eucharistic Holy Hour, Simple Exposition ALL DAY ADORATION (til 5:15 pm) Confession Mass
Saturday	5:30 pm	Mass (New Mass Time this year)
Saturday		At St. Anne's in Chassell: 3:00 pm Confessions & 4:00 pm Mass

STUDY:
Apologetics volunteer needed
FOCUS Bible Studies Nicholas Grevas, Team Director
nicholas.grevas@focus.org
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Youth Ministry Retreat Team volunteer needed

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Just go to the website & set an account using our parish code: ZMH2NM Learn MORE about the Catholic Faith!

To get involved, contact the leaders to get more information, or talk with Fr. Ben