

St. Mary University Parish

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Summer Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9 am to 12 pm noon

Church Hours in Summer: Monday – Friday 9 am to 5 pm; Saturday 9 am to 3 pm

Summer Mass Schedule:

Sunday - 6 pm

Weekday - Wednesday 12 pm noon

Summer Reconciliation: Saturday, 11 am - 12 pm noon

Parish Staff: Fr. Patrick M. Jankowiak, **PASTOR**

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Cory Noeker, **DIRECTOR OF STUDENT OUTREACH**

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Matrimony: Please contact Fr. Patrick before setting a wedding date.

Infant & Child Baptism: Preparation is required. Contact Fr. Patrick.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office or Fr. Patrick for anointing.

Interested in Becoming Catholic? Contact Fr. Patrick for more information.

JULY 15, 2018 • 15TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

July 8, 2018 :

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| Envelopes..... | \$ |
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| Total..... | \$ |

THIS WEEK

Sunday, July 15 - 6 pm Mass

Wednesday, July 18 - 12 pm Mass

CENTRAL CATHOLIC

NAME CHANGE. Reach Out has officially changed it's name to Central Catholic.

Upcoming Events:

Enjoy your summer break!

APOLOGETICS

We will pick up again next fall! Don't let those braincells die while on break. Be sure and inform that conscience during the summer!

MEN AND WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Enjoy your summer! We will start back up again this fall. If anyone is interested in a book study during the summer, please contact Cory.

SUMMER

Please stay in touch with us throughout the summer! We will try and plan some events for any student who is sticking around Mt. Pleasant. We hope you have a fun and safe summer. Whatever you do, do it now and do it well!

NEW SECRETARY/BOOK KEEPER NEEDED:

Secretary/Bookkeeper:

St. Mary University Parish, on the campus of Central Michigan University, is accepting applications for a part-time secretary-bookkeeper. Candidates need to be computer literate and have a high degree of interpersonal skills. Basic bookkeeping skills essential. Applicants should be active, practicing Catholics. Approximately 19 hours per week. Resumes may be sent Fr. Patrick or Cory Noeker Complete job description available at St. Mary University .

Music Director:

Applicants should be active, practicing Catholics, have quality keyboard skills, and be committed to the liturgical vision of the Second Vatican Council. Approximately 19 hours per week. Resumes may be sent to Fr. Patrick or Cory Noeker.

Corpus Christi Speaker Needed!

We are looking for an energetic student who would be willing to take the summer and study the complete works of Victor E Frankl and give an hour long presentation at one of our Corpus Christi nights. We will provide all the books of his in English. They are relatively light and easy reading. Please contact Cory Noeker for more details if you are interested or may know someone who would be a good fit. His area of study was on the meaning of life, and is the one known as the founder of Logotherapy (Man's Search for Meaning).

Freshmen and Returning Students Retreat:

We are planning on having a retreat for the students before the school year starts. We have been looking at staying in a retreat spot at Cranhill near Big Rapids. Please contact Cory to register.

DID YOU KNOW?

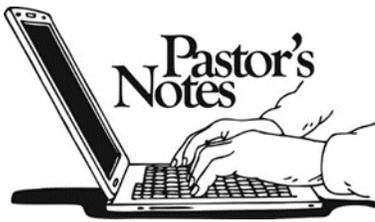
We celebrate St. Bonaventure today. He was an Italian medieval Franciscan, scholastic theologian and philosopher. The seventh Minister General of the Order of Friars Minor, he was also Cardinal Bishop of Albano. He was canonized on April 14, 1482 by Pope Sixtus IV and declared a Doctor of the Church in the year 1588 by Pope Sixtus V. He is known as the "Seraphic Doctor" (Latin: *Doctor Seraphicus*). Many writings believed in the Middle Ages to be his are now collected under the name Pseudo-Bonaventure.

UPCOMING DATES

Aug. 18th - Leadership Safari

Aug. 25-26th - Start of Fall/Spring Schedule

Aug. 27th - Fall Semester Begins (First Day of Classes)



July 15, 2018 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

An Introduction: In many ways, it feels like I've come home. I graduated from CMU in 1988 and spent four years in Larzelere Hall. I worked in the food commons and at the front desk. In the mid-80's, dorm life was very different. The lobby had two pinball machines, three arcade games, a foosball table, a pool table, and a stereo filled the area with Huey Lewis and Bruce Springsteen. Since I was preparing for seminary, I had to take quite a bit of philosophy and religion classes. I ended up majoring in Spanish and minoring in philosophy.

I'm the middle child of five boys, and the youngest child is my only sister. I attended Catholic school at Blessed Sacrament in Midland until the 6th grade and graduated from Midland High in 1984. My studies for the priesthood were at the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley, California. I lived in Oakland at a parish and drove 9 miles to Berkeley for class. There were also Dominican and Franciscan faculty, and their combined library is still the largest collection of theological works west of the Mississippi. I was ordained in 1992 at my home parish.

This parish has two different schedules. Currently we're in the "summer" schedule. But beginning the weekend of August 25-26 we'll begin the "academic" schedule." There are more Sunday and weekday Masses in the academic schedule because of the calendar of the University. But whenever the University is not in session, like during Christmas break, we'll revert to the "summer schedule." Times for Reconciliation also change depending on which schedule we're in.



There are many ways to access what's going on the parish. There's the bulletin, the parish website, the parish Facebook page, Instagram, and the myParish app. If you don't have the myParish app, it's free and available for download at the Apple App store. Then simply select St. Mary@CMU as your parish. You'll have instant access to everything printed in the bulletin, news from the Church in the Diocese, from around the world, prayers, daily Scripture readings, and much more. If we ever have to cancel Mass (like because of an ice storm) check the online parish sites.



I normally won't be in the office on Mondays. I'll be using Monday as a regular day away from the parish, staying at my mother's house in Midland.

I'm very much into American history, specifically the Civil War, and I've got an extensive collection of books on Lincoln and Gettysburg. In fact, three years ago I took my Union blue uniform and .58 caliber rifled musket to Gettysburg, and while I was on the battlefield, people thought I worked there and kept asking me all kinds of questions, which I'm happy to say I could answer in full. I stayed in a house built in 1810 and which still has over 100 bullet holes in it.

We have some staff positions at the parish that we need to fill. There's a position for a part-time Secretary and Bookkeeper (which could be combined into one position depending on the applicant's skills). We also have an opening for a part-time Music Director. I've placed copies of the job descriptions in both vestibules. If you're interested, you can email me at FrPMJ@stmarycmu.org.

I'm happy to be here at St. Mary University, and I look forward to celebrating the Sacraments, growing together in the Faith, and deepening our relationship with God.

Fr. Peth