

Welcome to our Tri-Parish Community

ST. AGNES—Iron River
ST. CECILIA—Caspian
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—Watersmeet

You are always welcome!

The Most Holy Trinity June 15, 2025

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Catholic Communities of Iron River, Caspian and Watersmeet



PARISHES' MEMBERSHIP

New families and individuals are welcome to the Parishes. It is important that every family or independent adult register in the Parish of their choice: to keep our records, especially addresses, and telephone numbers, current. Please contact the Parish Office, to register, as soon as you are able.

BULLETIN NOTICES

Submit bulletin notices *in writing* to the St. Agnes Rectory Office 8 days prior to publication.



MASS—CONFESSION—ADORATION SCHEDULES

St. Agnes

6:15pm Saturday

10:00am Sunday

8:00am Wednesday—Adoration to follow this Mass
Confession at St. Cecilia—9:00am-10:00am Saturday

St. Cecilia

8:00am Sunday

5:30pm Thursday—1st Thursday Holy Hour at 6:00pm

8:00am Friday—Adoration to follow this Mass

Confession—9:00am-10:00am Saturday

Immaculate Conception

9:00am Tuesday

10:00am Friday

4:00pm Saturday

Confession—3:00-3:45pm Saturday

Adoration—10:30am-noon Friday

PRAYER CHAIN—Call or Text 612-709-7868

For Prayer Requests and/or to be a Prayer Warrior



St. Vincent de Paul Ministry—Iron River (906) 265-9390

INFANT BAPTISM:

Parents desiring the Sacrament of Baptism for their children must be registered and be actively participating in Parish life. Parents must also attend a Baptism class before the Baptism of their first child. Contact the Church Office in advance.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements for Marriages must be made at least six months in advance. At least one of the parties must be a practicing Catholic.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Whenever someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, contact the parish office immediately.

SATURDAY, June 14

ICC 4:00 PM Rebicek family—by Wayne Schemmer

ST A 6:15 PM +Bill Gendron—by his wife Joyce

SUNDAY, June 15

ST C 8:00 AM +Mary Raymond—for her 112 b-day Feb. 8
by Ann & Frank Raymond

ST A 10:00 AM For the people

MONDAY, June 16—NO MASS

TUESDAY, June 17

ICC 9:00AM +Mary Clinton—by the Howard family

WEDNESDAY, June 18

ST A 8:00 AM +Louise Schurfranz
by Bob & Catherine Cole

ADORATION follows Mass until noon

THURSDAY, June 19

ST C 5:30 PM +Rose Remondini
by Mark & Ann Truax

FRIDAY, June 20

ST C 8:00 AM +Rose Remondini
by Knights of Columbus Council 2300

ADORATION follows Mass until noon

ICC 10:00 AM +Paul Thomas Morse & his daughter
+Michelle Mohlenbacher

by Linda Bolton & Arden and Molly Allard & Robbie

ADORATION follows Mass until noon

SATURDAY, June 21

ICC 4:00 PM For the people

ST A 6:15 PM *NO MASS*

SUNDAY, June 22

ST C 8:00 AM *NO MASS*

ST A 9:00 AM +Dorothy Mellstrom—by Kathy Saylor
Mass will continue with a procession from St. Agnes for several blocks and then return to St. Agnes.

Blest Art

will be at St. Agnes & St. Cecilia, June 14 & 15
They will have beautiful olivewood items
available for purchase.

Please pray for the Eternal Repose of the soul of

Julaine Cagle

May she rest in peace and perpetual light shine upon her.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

<u>May 26 Mon</u>	2 Cor 6:1-10 Mt 5:38-42
<u>June 17 Tue</u>	2 Cor 8:1-9 Mt 5:43-48
<u>June 18 Wed</u>	2 Cor 9:6-11 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
<u>June 19 Thu</u>	2 Cor 11:1-11 Mt 6:7-15
<u>June 20 Fri</u>	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30 Mt 6:19-23
<u>June 21 Sat</u>	2 Cor 12:1-10 Mt 6:24-34
<u>June 22 Sun</u>	Gn 14:18-20 1 Cor 11:23-26 Lk 9-11b-17

WELCOME

PRO LIFE CORNER

Pope John Paul II left behind an incredible pro-life legacy, as he was always unwavering about the sanctity of LIFE.

Glimpses of the Life of Venerable Bishop Baraga

“If you love God sincerely and above all, you will easily fulfill all their duties towards Him.”

St. Vincent de Paul

As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Our Tri-Parish Community is starting up a new charitable giving program on *Future Focused Giving*.

We will be holding a “Workshop” on Tuesday, June 17, 2025 at 6:00pm in the St. Agnes Parish Hall, to give more details on Future Focused Giving. Mr. Jacob Spear, elder Law Attorney from Republic, with offices in Marquette and Iron Mountain, will be here to explain the details behind legacy giving. Registration and a light meal with refreshments will begin at 5:15pm. The program will last approximately one hour, with Q&A to follow.

~RECENTLY BAPTIZED AT ST. CECILIA~

Nathaniel Joseph Kaminski
Son of Joel & Margaret Kaminski

Corbin Todd Mitchell
Son of Cory & Chelsea Mitchell

~RECENTLY BAPTIZED AT ST. AGNES~

Grayson Gunnard Goodman & Ember Lorene Goodman
Son & daughter of Hannah Lorene Goodman

Sienna Allan Viitala
Daughter of Thomas & Kylee Viitala

GOD BLESS THESE NEWLY BAPTIZED CHILDREN & THEIR FAMILIES.

Another fun week with the TOTUS TUUS team will be held the week of **June 22
Information was sent out recently, and is also available at the office.**

Blest Art

**On behalf of Christian families in Bethlehem, Palestine. they will have hand-carved nativity sets, statues, crosses, rosaries, and much more beautiful olivewood art.
At St. Agnes & St. Cecilia this weekend, June 14th & 15th**

Are you ready to make the most of your generosity?!

To find out more, come join us when Elder Law Attorney, Jacob Spear, will be here on Tuesday, June 17, 2025 at 6:00pm in the St. Agnes Parish Hall. Registration and a light meal with refreshments will begin at 5:15pm. This is a FREE event.

GOSPEL MEDITATION—June 15, 2025—The Most Holy Trinity

I am amazed at how my four siblings teach their many kids in age-appropriate ways. For example, now that my nephew Brandon is 24 years of age, they give him insights and freedoms that would have been positively confounding or even dangerous when he was a toddler. Imagine if they had taught him at age four how to drive a car, use a credit card online, or handle power tools. But eventually, they did, and he is a high functioning young man, I'm proud to say. They are good teachers.

This week we learn that Jesus teaches us in a similar way. He says to his Apostles, "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now" (John 16:12). How disappointing for them. But imagine at that moment, before his resurrection and ascension, if the Lord had started telling them about synods and sacraments, popes and parishes, martyrs and monasteries, rosaries and relics, catechisms and crucifixes? They would have been absolutely overwhelmed, confused, and discouraged. He tells them what they need to know, when it is time for them to know it.

So he does for us. Jesus has unceasingly taught the Church as she matures through the centuries, just as he teaches you and me through our lives in ways we can understand. Our task should be to learn what he is teaching us now, knowing that (although revelation per se is complete in him and his Apostles), he never ceases to teach us as we spiritually mature. Be confident: he knows what you are ready to learn now.

Father John Muir ©LPI

Please note.....

If you attend Mass at St. Agnes, St. Cecilia, or Immaculate Conception in Watersmeet, you may still use your weekly contribution envelopes and be assured that the church you are registered at will be credited.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF ST. AGNES & ST. CECILIA

Roland Kwasny, Cheri Dennis, Robert LaMarche, Kelly & Stacy Williams, Gary P. Johnson, Cari & Pierce Dzanbazoff, Jody Pederson, Debbie Ponzozzo Clark, Chris Bal, Betty Webber Williams, Mary S., Shelly Silfven, Lee Routheaux, Sharon Warner, Patricia Sebastian, Jacob Tomasoski, David Eberhard, Joyce Singleton, Jerry Schinella, Ed Lau, Tony Fittante, Leila Hope Adamson, Stephanie Tinkey, Zachary Lambert, Shannon DeRoche, Kathleen Miller, Jerry Koski, Arla Thomas, Jayni Angeli, Jim Condon, Teresa Cristan, Sandy Moln, Adam Wilson, Marge Phillips, Frances Kozicki, Sue Hanmer, Lois Langford, Mitzi McGreaham, John Brunswick, Gary Lane, Donna Paraventi, Nancy Clements, Julie Powell, David Coates, Barbara B., Chelsie Hartline, Rhonda Angeli, Mike McIntosh, Ray Cole, Dr. Chuck Newby, Ann Marie Kenny, Lois Brown, Tootsie Amelio, Jim Fleury, Edward "Ta Wash" McGeshick, Marlene Locke, Jason Locke, Lois Moln-Brown, Elizabeth Parchim, Carole Mottes, Kate, Ken Shimun, Jeanne Novak-Smith, Gloria Wills, Sara Grahn, Fay Grahn, Bob Lantz, Jerry Petts, Matt Sherman, Pat C., Kristina Korpi, Vickie, Preslie Mantsch, Terri, Lavinia, Alex, Marion, Fr. Jeffrey Kurtz, Maggie, Seantel Duda, Matt Greig, Dennis Day, John Cummings, Shannon Housveiner, Julie Brown, Rob Johnson, Bobby Cheetham, Jim Mangone, Patricia Caldwell, Ken Routheaux, Rodney Camps, Romell Sims, Klaryce Bilski, Dan Ross, Dallas Duda, Roman VonHolle, Stephanie Cruz, Bill Swienty, Dolores Ansay, Mike Sheehy, Jean Bess, Chuck Wiegand, Jr., Bernice Waite, Rawson Mangone, Bob Cole, Carl Fitzpatrick, Dolores Sapletal, Joyce Gendron, Ken Silfven, Joe Kadulski, Mark Shimun, Sr., Gary Shimun, Sara Jean Tarsi, Holly Erickson, Zack Stuck, Stella Patricia Hebert, Teena Maki, Carol Bastianello, Gloria Jean Sterling, Pauline Brolet, Cyrus Bilderback, Carl Hynous, Jim & Geneva Anderson, Sheri Stauber, Jack Jacobson, Jim Brennan, Karen Dobson, Terry Rivard, Traci Wiegand, Newborn Charlotte & her parents, Rachel Riverside, Marge Taetsch, Elizabeth Petroff, Diane McGinnis, Brenda Anderson-Baker, John Luznicky, Anthony Clements, Leonard & Marilyn Gasperini, Margee Brennan, Steve Davis (Paulette's husband), Candy Roberts

Immaculate Conception Prayer List

May God strengthen all those suffering from pain and illness.

Carl & Donna Johnson, Ellen Jones, Linda Beck, Mitch Bos, Lucille Schuessler, Darrell Grosso, Maureen Forbes, Chet Swenski, Pat Wendt, Marjorie Kurtz, Butch Gazark, Tom Stein, Carolyn Dring, Pat Urbis, Olivia Allard, Larry McPartlin, Fr. Jeff Kurtz, Mary Cestkowski, Leonard Valentine, Dan Pudlo, Jim Zelinski, Robert Brownell, Amy Lepnanen, Florence Dravecky, Debbie Hilbrich

Adoration—St. A follows Wed. 8am Mass
Adoration—St. C follows Fri. 8am Mass
Adoration—ICC follows Fri. 10am Mass

Nursing Facility Masses

ICMCF—10am—First Wednesday of the month
 IRCC—10am—Second Wednesday of the month

Holy Name Men's Club

Meeting the second Sun. of the month after 8 Mass

Knights of Columbus

Meeting the second Thurs. of the month—6pm—LFR

St. Agnes Altar Society

Meeting the second Tues. of the month—1pm—LFR

St. Anne Society—members, check your email

Third Tuesday monthly—9am—St. Cecilia Rectory

Outreach Mission Team

Meets the third Tuesday—6pm—LFR
 Every other month.

Devotion in Honor of our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursdays—prior to 5:30pm Mass—St. Cecilia

St. Vincent de Paul—Food Pantry Collection

ICC—2nd collection is held on the third Sunday
 St. A & St. C—2nd collection is held the last Sunday

CHANGE COLLECTION: CANISTERS AT CHURCH ENTRANCES

HOLY HOUR

First Thursday of the month—6pm—St. Cecilia

Most societies and clubs will not meet during the summer months and will resume in September.

Donating Your IRA Distributions to a Charity

Individuals 70.5 years and older can donate up to \$108,000 per year directly from a traditional IRA to qualifying charities.

This is attractive to some investors because qualified charitable distributions can be used to satisfy required minimum distributions from an IRA without having the distribution included in their income.

Contact your financial advisor for more information.

OUR TREASURE SHARED

ST. AGNES

Adults.....	\$1362.00
Loose.....	305.00
World Church.....	63.00
Votives.....	44.25
Fuel/utility.....	189.00
Total last week.....	\$1963.25
52 envelopes, 30%, averaging \$26.19	

ST. CECILIA

Adults.....	\$1772.00
Loose.....	135.00
World Church.....	110.00
Fuel/utility.....	15.00
Ascension.....	60.00
Votives.....	51.50
Total last week.....	\$2143.50
67 envelopes, 38%, averaging \$26.45	

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Adults.....	\$ 660.00
Loose.....	226.00
World Church.....	200.00
Fuel/utility.....	23.00
Votives.....	34.00
Total last week.....	\$1134.00
21 envelopes, 39%, averaging \$31.43	

Thank you for your generosity!