

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Masses & Services

Saturday, May 11 Mass of Day* Vigil of the Ascension of the Lord**	
9:00 AM	Mass* (Adoration Confessions for 1 hour following Mass) St Joseph Onekama
3:00 PM	Confessions Rosary begins half hour before Mass St Joseph Onekama
4:00 PM	Mass** †John & Gladys Grzeszak St Joseph Onekama
6:00 PM	Rosary..... St Raphael Copemish
6:30 PM	Mass** Mass for the People St Raphael Copemish
Sunday, May 12 The Ascension of the Lord	
7:00 AM	Confessions Rosary begins half hour before Mass St Joseph Onekama
8:00 AM	Mass Special Intention St Joseph Onekama
10:00 AM	Confessions Rosary St Raphael Copemish
10:30 AM	Mass †Mary Moser-Selman St Raphael Copemish
Monday, May 13	
8:45 AM	Adoration St Joseph Onekama
10:00 AM	Mass St Joseph Onekama
Tuesday, May 14	
4:15 PM	Adoration Confessions St Joseph Onekama
5:30 PM	Mass Fr. Ray Cotter..... St Joseph Onekama
Wednesday, May 15	
7:15 AM	Adoration Confessions..... St Joseph Onekama
8:30 AM	Mass †Sophia Nota St Joseph Onekama
Thursday, May 16	
4:15 PM	Adoration Confessions..... St Raphael Copemish
5:30 PM	Mass St Raphael Copemish
Friday, May 17	
7:15 AM	Adoration Confessions..... St Raphael Copemish
8:30 AM	Mass St Raphael Copemish
Saturday, May 18 Mass of Day* Pentecost**	
9:00 AM	Mass* (Adoration Confessions for 1 hour following Mass) St Joseph Onekama
3:00 PM	Confessions Rosary begins half hour before Mass St Joseph Onekama
4:00 PM	Mass** Ronald Stokes..... St Joseph Onekama
6:00 PM	Rosary..... St Raphael Copemish
6:30 PM	Mass** Mass for the People St Raphael Copemish
Sunday, May 19 Pentecost Sunday	
7:00 AM	Confessions Rosary begins half hour before Mass St Joseph Onekama
8:00 AM	Mass for the People St Joseph Onekama
10:00 AM	Confessions Rosary St Raphael Copemish
10:30 AM	Mass †Mary Moser-Selman St Raphael Copemish

**St. Joseph of Onekama
Catholic Church**
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Mission Statement
"We are a welcoming spiritual home
that provides community and personal growth
through liturgy, evangelization, the Word of
God and a call to His service."

**St. Raphael of Copemish
Catholic Church**
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May 12, 2024

Pastoral Staff

Administrator Fr. Nursey
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SJSR Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM St Joseph

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:30 PM St Joseph
 Sunday 8:30 AM St Raphael
*Confessions may also be heard
 during Adoration or by appointment*

Sacrament of Marriage

Those seeking this sacrament are required to contact the parish office at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents interested in having their children baptized are asked to contact the parish office for further information.

Mass Schedule at a Glance

Sunday 8:00 AM St Joseph of Onekama
 Sunday 10:30 AM St Raphael of Copemish
 Monday 10:00 AM St Joseph of Onekama
 Tuesday 5:30 PM St Joseph of Onekama
 Wednesday 8:30 AM St Joseph of Onekama
 Thursday 5:30 PM St Raphael of Copemish
 Friday 8:30 AM St Raphael of Copemish
 Saturday Devotional Mass 9:00 AM St Joseph Onekama
 Saturday (for Sunday obligation) 4:00 PM St Joseph of Onekama
 Saturday (for Sunday obligation) 6:30 PM St Raphael of Copemish

The Rosary is recited a half an hour before each weekend Mass.



This month, we are raising funds for the annual Catholic Services Appeal (CSA). This year's theme is Come to the Table. Our bishop chose this as a reminder, during this time of Eucharistic Revival—a rich banquet of Christ's sacrificial love is prepared so we can feast and satisfy our soul's longing for God. The CSA effort is a means by which we work together to care for the Church by sharing the gifts God has given to us. The St. Joseph of Onekama parish goal this year is \$31,872. The St. Raphael of Copemish parish goal is \$20,582. If we exceed our

goals, 100% of additional funds will be returned to our parishes. Every gift, regardless of the size, is vital to the success of the appeal. Please make a gift today to support this important mission. Learn more and **give online** at [DioceseofGaylord.org/24CSA](https://dioceseofgaylord.org/24CSA). For additional ways to give, click here: <https://dioceseofgaylord.org/giving-catholic-services-appeal> Thank you in advance for your prayerful consideration and generosity.

welcome

Please join me in "officially" welcoming **Nick, Michelena, and their son William Bradford** to our St. Joseph of Onekama parish! We are so very happy you've chosen us! William will be baptized on Saturday, May 11th, during the 4:00PM Mass at St. Joseph of Onekama.

Please pray for all service personnel and first responders:

SPC Andre Brown, Army
 SGT Gabe Caldwell, Army
 Mark J. Debano, Jr., OD LT, MSC, USN
 2LT Daniel J. Debano, Engr, MIARNG
 2LT Connor Fitzpatrick, Army
 Caleb Fouchey, Marine
 Olivia Fouchey, USAF
 Charles Fouchey V, Army, NG
 Jared Kinnie, Navy Seal

Aaron Logan, US Border Patrol
 LT COL Christi Logan, USAF
 CAPT Matthew Logan, Firefighter EMT
 Jay Long, Air Force
 Mike Meyers, Air Force
 SSG Melaney Miller, Army, NG, Band
 David Mokrzycki II, Marine
 Adam O'Neill, Army
 CAPT Courtney Pierce, RN, Army

CAPT Karina Pierce, Army
 SGT Benjamin Pingel, Navy
 Adam Schuessler, Army, USAF
 Hunter Scoggins, Army
 Austin Soller, Navy
 Daniel Tanner, Navy
 Trevor Tomkinson, Marine
 CAPT Kent Turner, Army
 Yeoman John Tucker, CG

Please remember in your prayers all the homebound, those who are in the Medical Care, adult foster care homes, and are ill including:

Carole Appicelli
 June Bartlett
 Gary Bentley
 Janice Berben
 Colette Bernard
 Rev George Bernard CSC
 James Bernard
 Kyleigh Borah
 Ned Brown
 Sharon Burkl
 Anna Charlich
 Joseph Chick
 Kevin Chinavare
 Nicole Clement
 David Clous
 Mark Dagnall

Karen Daldine
 Martha Dirksen
 Christine Eckhout
 Blake Elmer
 Mary Evans
 Erik Florit
 Arnold & Norma Fraley
 Ken Franklin
 Abrielle Funches
 Michele Gillaspie
 Don Gurn
 Pat Gurn
 William Hogarth
 Addy Hollifield
 Tammy Holmes
 Dennis Humphrey

Colette Kamaloski
 Stephen Kuczynski
 Ryan LaHaie
 Tami Laurent
 Nancy LaVeque & Family
 Dan Long
 George Macko
 John David Martuch
 Mary Ellen Martuch
 Tammy May
 Shirley McNeil
 Julie Miller
 Kelly Miller
 Olivia Miller
 Thomas Miller
 Lisa Milliron

Dale Moody
 Nielsen Family
 James Oliver
 Becky Petersen
 Ray & Judy Pendencygraft
 Bradley Reccer
 Reed Family
 Sandra Ricumstrict
 Rich Russell
 Peaches Sanovic
 Kelli Sattler
 Bob Saul
 Chad Schualer
 Maria Somsel
 Larry St. Onge
 Mary Steen

Don Stone
 Kathryn Stowers
 Jack Sysko
 William Tarker
 Kay Thompson
 Cody Travers
 Eleanor Wall
 Donna Wallace
 Colleen Walters
 Tom Wasco
 John Watsell
 Dawn Weber
 Gordon & Frieda Wilson

Greetings in this Mary Month of May! (I just made a pun.)

In this great month of May, we have a season where we especially turn our hearts and our minds to look up to our Mother Mary. Although she is always with us, in this month we should be — so to speak — searching for her. We should be turning to our mother Mary with renewed trust and love. This month itself gives us a couple of specific points in which to elevate our hearts and minds to her. On this coming Monday,



May 13th, we celebrate the Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima, when Mary appeared to three shepherd children in Fatima, Portugal in 1917. And on May 31st, we celebrate the Visitation of Mary, when Mary was pregnant with Jesus and traveled to visit and go to the aid of her cousin Elizabeth, who was pregnant with John the Baptist.

Extraordinarily, God has given his own mother to be our mother. Let us strive to know her better and to love her more in this Mary Month of May!

In the love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary,
Fr. Nursey

Happy Mother's Day, Blessed Mother Mary!

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, May 14

6:00 PM Faith Formation | Youth..... SJ

Celebrating Anniversaries ♥

- 05/13 Fr. Nursey's Ordination Anniversary
- 05/15 M/M Paul Adamski
- 05/16 M/M Phillip Harless
- 05/18 M/M Charles Vondra
- 05/19 M/M Robin Fink
- 05/20 M/M Michael Scott

Celebrating Birthdays 🎂

- 05/15 Savina Anhalt, Michael Fouchey
- 05/16 Gerry Kastl
- 05/17 Larry King, Jr., Linda Showalter
- 05/18 Phillip Harless

With Deepest Sympathy †

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of Nancy Kuczynski of St. Joseph Parish, on April 27, 2024. Please keep her family and friends in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

Arrangements have been made on Monday, May 13, 2024, at Herbert Funeral Home in Manistee, where visitation will begin at 10:30AM, and a prayer service at Noon. Immediately following the service, interment will take place at Mt. Carmel Catholic Cemetery, Manistee.

Manistee Catholic Central School



Manistee Catholic Central Memorial Mass

Please join us for the last Mass celebrated with all of our K-12 students together in the school gym on Tuesday, May 21st, at 9:00AM. This is our senior class' last Mass, and in keeping with tradition, they will be ringing the victory bell after Mass in memory of Tom Polisky '66. We invite all of our upperclassmen, alumni, and supporters to ring the victory bell for the last time that day as well. There will be a reception in the MCC cafeteria after the ringing of the victory bell for our Saber alumni, supporters, and families. The gates to the stadium will be open for those who will need to drive down to the bell.

The Lighthouse Pregnancy Care Center's (LPCC) annual **Baby Bottle Blitz** starts today and runs through Father's Day, June 16. Please pick up a bottle, fill it with change, cash, and/or a check and return it to the church by Father's Day. Thank you for your support of this ministry in our community!



Feast of Corpus Christi Procession
June 2, 2024 | 10:30 AM Mass
St. Joseph of Onekama

A Eucharist procession is an extension of our worship of Jesus Christ, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. Our worship of Him at the Mass is intensified through Eucharistic worship with a Eucharistic procession. Please come process with the Knights of Columbus as the escort, Fr. Nursey, and Jesus in the Eucharist on the St. Joseph Church grounds this June 2. **We would like at least six altar**

servers to help in the procession so please sign up ASAP or contact the parish office as there are many positions available in this unique adoration of our Lord!

Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you so very much for your generosity!

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Envelope Offertory	\$2052
Loose Offertory	\$883
Mass Stipend	\$40
Donation	\$200
Total	\$3175
Food Pantry	\$87
Cemetery	\$115

St. Raphael of Copemish
May 5, 2024

Envelope Offertory	\$1727
Loose Offertory	\$662
Vigil Candles	\$15
Fuel	\$125
Building Fund	\$40
Mass Stipends	\$60
Coffee	\$16
Total	\$2645