

## 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**St. Hedwig Catholic Church**  
Bay City, Michigan

### Parish Prayer

September 14 – September 18, 2011

Wednesday 7:00pm Megan Strzelecki  
Saturday 5:00pm Ted & Sally Ciaciuch  
Sunday 10:00am Parish Family  
Worship Aid Dedication: In Memory of  
Floyd & Loretta Narlock

### In The Lords Service

**Saturday, September 17, 5:00 PM Mass**

Mass Server: Evan Vorwerck  
Lector: Ron Christie  
E. Ministers: Renee Vorwerck  
Kathy Bigelow  
Greeters: Paul & Carol Mrozinski

**Sunday, September 18, 10:00 AM Mass**

Mass Server: Jamie Middleton  
Lectors: Steve Krakowski  
Diane Middleton  
E. Minister: Kaylyn Gilman  
Marsha Thomas  
Tom & Diane Schultz  
Greeters: T. Ciaciuch, N. Novak  
B. Strain, C. Tacey  
Shut-in-Minister: Marsha Thomas

### Weekly Parish Collection \$3,169.40

-30% BAC's Assessment . . . . . \$951.00  
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PARISH TOTAL . . . . . \$2,186.40  
Children's Collection . . . . . \$ 7.45  
Envelopes used . . . . . 133  
Envelopes given . . . . . 222  
Extra Expense: Staples- Ink Cartridge \$70.98

Sponsor of the Week

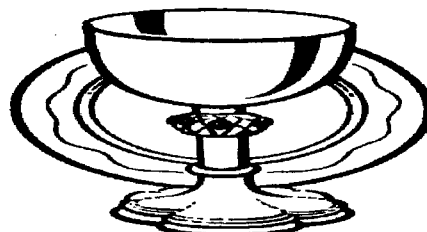
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### Liturgies for the Week

St. Mary's – Tue. – Fri. 8:00am, Sat. 4:00pm  
Sun 8:30am & 11:00am  
St. Hedwig – Wed. 7:00 pm, Sat. 5:00pm &  
Sun. 10:00am  
Holy Trinity- Sat. 4:30pm,  
Sun. 8:30am & 10:30am



**Stewardship Thought:** Stewardship is not optional! "None of us lives as his own master and none of us dies as his own master," says St. Paul. "While we live, we are responsible to the Lord, and when we die, we die as His servants."

### 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sirach 27:30 – 28:7  
Romans 14:7-9  
Matthew 18:21-35

### 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 55:6-9  
Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a  
Matthew 20:1-16a

Prayers or Special Intentions  
Rose Marie 684-1052

### This Week in the Parish

Sun. Sep. 11- Rummage Drop Off 9-1  
Mass 10:00 am  
Mon. Sep. 12- Rummage Drop Off 12-6  
Tue. Sep. 13- Rummage Drop Off 9-2  
Wed. Sep. 14 –Rummage Drop Off 9-2  
Mass 7:00pm  
Thu. Sep. 15- Rummage Sale 8-3  
Fri. Sep. 16- Rummage Sale 8-3  
Sat. Sep. 17- Mass 5:00pm

*From Sr. Joann:* This Sunday our country commemorates the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the terrorist attacks with a National Day of Prayer and Remembrance. Let us pray for the victims of that attack and their families and for all affected by terrorism and violence throughout the world. Say an extra prayer today for peace and forgiveness in our own hearts that the love of Christ may guide us.

Next weekend we start our preparation for changes in the mass which will begin on the first weekend of Advent. In the coming weeks there will be bulletin inserts, references in the homily, practice of new musical settings and short teaching sessions before Mass begins. Hopefully, this will not only prepare us for the upcoming changes, but give us a deeper love of the Liturgy.

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#### **Death Touches our Parish Family**

We offer our prayers and sympathy to Clara Zuraw and family on the loss her husband John, who was buried from St. Hedwig's last Tuesday. John married Clara at St. Hedwig's in 1954 and continued to be an active member for these past 57 years.

We received word that Christine (Schultz) Hahn passed away on August 30 after a difficult and long illness. Christine, the sister of Lori Donaldson and David Schultz, grew up in St. Hedwig's, and loved the parish. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### **Thank You Note**

The family of Pat Binnall would like to thank Sr. Joann, Fr. Kevin, the choir, the luncheon committee and all who donated food. God Bless You All.

**St. Hedwig's Annual Rummage/ Cookie Sale will take place this week on Thursday and Friday, September 15 & 16 from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.** The drop-off times are listed on page 1 of this bulletin. Please call Elaine @ 686-3887 if you can help or if you have items to be picked up.

#### **Faith Formation**

Faith Formation Opening Night is September 19 for **ALL** Faith Formation children and their families. The evening begins at 6:15 in church with a prayer service and continues in the Parish Center for a brief meeting and a "meet and greet" social.

If you have not signed up for our 2011-2012 Faith Formation Program, please call Phyllis at 893-0508 or 894-5363. We would like to have every child in our parish community join us. Financial aid is available.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!** Blessing of Pets will take place on Monday, September 26 at 6:00 p.m. on the parish grounds.

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#### **Area News**

St. Hyacinth Church Annual Grilled Chicken Dinner will take place on Sunday, September 11. They will be serving from Noon until 5:00 p.m. in their Parish Center. Adults - \$8.00, Children (6-10) \$5.00 and Children under 5 eat free. Take-outs will be available.

#### **911 The Catholic Church Remembers**

On the tenth anniversary of the terrorist attacks, Catholics in the U.S. will unite in prayer to remember the victims and their families. Please join Bishop Cistone at a Mass of Remembrance at 5:30 p.m. on September 11, 2011 at the cathedral of St. Mary, 615 Hoyt Avenue, Saginaw, MI.

#### **Felician Sisters Auxiliary**

The next meeting is September 12 at 2:00 p.m. in St. Hyacinth's Field house. Both men and women are welcome.

Holy Trinity's Blood Drive is September 21. Call Judy Schmidt to set up an appointment.

<p><b>Cluster Corner Mass Schedule</b></p>
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<p><b>St. Mary's</b> – Saturday-4:00 PM</p>
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<p>Sunday - 8:30 &amp; 11:00 AM</p>
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<p><b>Holy Trinity-</b> Saturday- 4:30 PM</p>
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*St. Hedwig's "Fun"-Raisers*

*Bus Trip to FireKeepers Casino*

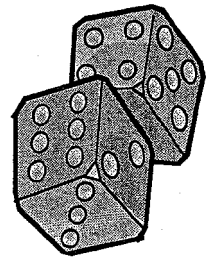
*Tuesday, October 18, 2011*

8:00 A.M. SHARP! Depart St. Hedwig's Parking Lot

10:30 A.M. Arrive FireKeepers

4:30 P.M. Depart FireKeepers

7:00 P.M. Arrive at St. Hedwig's



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